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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING JULY 1908.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1908.				
6th July ...	Monday	Leave Darjeeling	14-30	By special train.
7th ,,	Tuesday	Arrive Calcutta	11-39	

Note.—

(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—
Lady Fraser.
Mr. B. A. Collins, I.C.S., Private Secretary.
Captain A. H. B. Foster, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain R. C. Dodgson, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the Bengal Government Camp, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) The Lieutenant-Governor's departure from Darjeeling and arrival at Calcutta will be private.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

B. A. Collins,
Private Secretary.

Darjeeling;
the *30th June 1908.*

On the day so fixed the Collector shall take into his consideration the objections, if any, to the enumeration of staple food-crops proposed in the notice; and shall report his opinion thereon to the Board of Revenue.

The Board of Revenue shall submit the Collector's opinion to the Local Government, with such remarks as may seem to them necessary.

The Local Government, after considering the reports of the Collector and the Board of Revenue, shall determine and notify in the Calcutta Gazette what shall be deemed staple food-crops in each local area.

Until further orders the crops shown in column 3 of Schedule II hereto appended shall be deemed staple food-crops for the purposes of section 39.

Dates for preparation of price-lists

6. Price-lists of staple food-crops shall be prepared on one market-day in the month at intervals of not less than twenty days. This market-day shall be selected by the Collector, subject to the control of the Board of Revenue.

Method of determining prices.

7. The price recorded for each staple food-crop shall be the prevailing retail price at which that crop was actually sold in the mart to which the price-list refers on the day selected under the last preceding rule.

Price-lists—by whom to be prepared.

8. (1) Price-lists shall ordinarily be prepared by a gazetted officer not below the rank of a Sub-Deputy Collector. But in special cases where a Sub-Deputy Collector is not available, the Collector may authorize a kanungo to prepare the lists.

(2) Where prices are recorded at marts, other than those at the head-quarters of districts, the Collector may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, authorize a Sub-Registrar to prepare the lists on days when no gazetted officer or kanungo is available.

(3) One or two respectable inhabitants of the locality shall always be asked to assist in the preparation of price-lists, and the list shall be signed by at least one of them as well as by the officer preparing it.

Record to be kept by officer preparing price-lists.

9. Every officer charged with the preparation of price-lists shall keep a record showing, as far as practicable,—

(*a*) the date of his visit to the mart at which prices are to be recorded;

(*b*) the names of vendors and purchasers, the quantities sold, and the price thereof, for any sales effected in his presence.

Scrutiny and countersignature of price-lists prepared by sub-ordinate officer.

10. When price-lists are prepared at the sadar sub-division by an officer other than a Covenanted Deputy Collector, or at other sub-divisions by an officer subordinate to the Sub-divisional Officer, or by a Sub-Registrar, they shall be submitted to the Covenanted Deputy Collector, or to a Deputy Collector specially nominated by the Collector for the purpose, or to the Sub-divisional Officer, as the case may be. Such officer shall scrutinize the lists; he may call for explanation and cause manifest errors to be corrected; and, having satisfied himself of the accuracy of the lists, he shall countersign them.

Publication of price-lists.

11. The price-lists shall be published for not less than one week at the marts to which they respectively refer, at the Collector's or Sub-divisional Office, and at every police-station and munsifi in the local area.

Submission of price-lists to Board.

12. After the expiry of the term of publication of the price-lists in the mart to which they refer, as mentioned in the last preceding rule, the lists shall be submitted to the Board with any objections made to them, and with the opinions of the officers who prepared and countersigned them, and of the Collector, on such objections.

CHAPTER III.—LANDLORDS' IMPROVEMENTS.

Application for registration of improvement to whom to be presented.

13. *Section 80.*—An application for the registration of a landlord's improvement may be presented to the Collector of the district or to the officer in charge of the sub-division in which the land benefited by the improvement is situated, or to any

Assistant or Deputy Collector who may be specially appointed by the Government to receive such application. It shall, as far as practicable, be in the form (Form 1) specified in Schedule I appended to these rules, and five copies shall be submitted in respect of each village benefited.

Procedure of officer receiving application.

14. The officer receiving the application shall fix a date for hearing objections to the same. He shall send, by registered letter, copies of the application, with intimation of the date so fixed, to those of the tenants in each village whose names are mentioned in column 8 of the application. He shall also give notice to the tenants generally by beat of drum and by causing a copy of the application and notice of the date, fixed for hearing objections thereto, to be fixed up in the presence of not less than two persons in some conspicuous place in every such village.

The expenses of such service and publication shall be borne by the applicant for registration.

Local inquiry.

15. The officer may make over the application to any of his subordinates, not being below the rank of a Sub-Deputy Collector, for local inquiry and report, and shall in that case fix a date for hearing the report, and shall cause such date to be notified to the parties concerned in the manner set forth in rule 14. The inquiry shall be limited to the ascertainment of the fact whether the work in question is really an improvement; whether any enhancement of rent is being paid for the original improvement; and whether the cost of the improvement has been correctly stated in the application.

Hearing of parties to application.

16. On the date so fixed, or on any date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the officer shall hear summarily such of the parties and their witnesses as may attend, and shall consider any report submitted to him under rule 15. He shall then decide whether the work is an improvement, and whether the landlord is entitled to register it, and shall accordingly order it to be registered with such modifications of the figure in column 6 of the application as he may deem fit, or shall refuse registration. If the work is fit to be registered as an improvement, the officer shall record whether any enhancement of rent is being paid for the original improvement, and, if so, how much.

Saving.

17. Nothing hereinbefore contained shall preclude the officer receiving the application from holding a local inquiry in person, and from ordering the improvement to be registered, or refusing registration in accordance with the result of the inquiry so held.

Confirmation of order passed by officer lower in rank than Collector.

18. If an order refusing to register an improvement is passed by an officer lower in rank than the Collector of the district, such order shall not take effect until confirmed by the Collector of the district.

CHAPTER IV.—RECORD OF PROPRIETORS' PRIVATE LANDS.

Application for record of Proprietors' Private Lands, to whom to be made.

20. *Section 118.*—Applications under section 118 may be made to the Collector of the district, or to the officer in charge of the sub-division in which the land in question is situated, or to any Assistant or Deputy Collector specially empowered by Government to receive such applications. If the application is made to the Collector of the district, he may transfer it for disposal to any officer empowered by Government to receive it.

Signature of, and particulars to be contained in, application.

21. The application shall be signed by the party making it, and shall contain the following particulars, so far as the applicant is able to furnish them: —

(*a*) the name, tauzi number, and Government revenue of the estate;

(*b*) the names of the registered proprietors, and the share held by each;

(*c*) the specification of each plot of land referred to in the application, showing the village in which it is situated and the area and boundaries of each plot, if known;

(*d*) the names of the tenants (if any) in occupation of each such plot; and

(*e*) the grounds of the application.

Inquiry on receipt of application.

22. On receipt of the application the officer shall make such inquiry as he may think fit by examining the applicant or his agent, and may call for further particulars before ordering further proceedings.

Measurement of lands where necessary, and deposit of cost thereof.

23. If the area of the lands has not been already ascertained by measurement made by competent agency under the authority of Government, or if for sufficient reason a further measurement is considered desirable, the officer shall order the lands to be measured and shall estimate the cost of measurement in accordance with the rules for the time being in force for the measurement of lands in partition cases, and shall require the applicant to deposit the amount either at once or in such instalments as he may deem fit.

CHAPTER V.—SERVICE OF NOTICES.

Filing and service of agreements under section 46 (2).

30. *Section 46 (2).*—The agreement under sub-section (2) of section 46 shall be filed in the Court having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for arrears of rent of the holding, and shall be served on the raiyat in the manner prescribed for the service of a summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure, on payment of the fee prescribed by the High Court.

Filing and service of notice under section 46 (4).

31. *Section 46 (4).*—The notice under sub-section (4) of section 46 shall be filed in the Court having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for arrears of rent of the holding, and shall be served on the landlord in the manner prescribed for the service of a summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure, on payment of the process-fee prescribed by the High Court.

Service of notice of receipt of deposit in cases (a), (b) and (d) of section 61.

32. *Section 63 (2).*—In cases (*a*), (*b*) and (*d*) of section 61 referred to in sub-section (2) of section 63, the notice of the receipt of the deposit shall be served by forwarding the notice by post in a letter registered under Chapter VI of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), or, where the Court may deem it necessary, in the manner prescribed for the service of a summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure.

Publication of general notice under section 72 (2).

33. *Section 72 (2).*—The general notice referred to in sub-section (2) of section 72 may be published by the transferee by fixing up a written notice to the tenants in the village office or in the presence of not less than two persons in some conspicuous place on the lands, and by proclaiming to the tenants by beat of drum, in every village to which the transfer extends, that the interest of the former landlord has passed to the transferee. The transferee may, if he thinks fit, apply for service of the notice to the Court having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for arrears of rent of the holding, and the Court shall thereupon serve the notice as hereinbefore prescribed, on payment of the process-fee prescribed by the High Court.

Notice under section 73.

34. *Section 73.*—Notice under section 73 shall be in writing, and shall be delivered to the landlord or his agent, or, where two or more persons are joint-landlords, to their common agent or to their common manager appointed under section 95, as the case may be, at the landlord's village office, or at such other convenient place as may be appointed by the landlord for the payment of rent under sub-section (2) of section 54. When there are two or more joint landlords without a common agent or manager, the notice shall be served at the village office of the principal co-sharer or at such other places as may be appointed by each of the landlords for payment of rent under sub-section (2) of section 54.

Service of such notice through Civil Court.

35. The raiyat may, if he thinks fit, cause the notice to be served, through the Civil Court having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for arrears of rent of the holding, in the manner prescribed for the service of a summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure, on payment of the process-fee prescribed by the High Court.

CHAPTER VI.

THE PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED BY REVENUE-OFFICERS IN REGARD TO THE RECORD-OF-RIGHTS AND SETTLEMENT.

Powers vested in Settlement and Assistant Settlement Officers.

40. (*a*) Every Revenue-officer appointed by the Local Government under the designation of "Settlement Officer" or "Assistant Settlement Officer" for the purpose of making surveys, records-of-rights, settlement of rents, determination of proprietor's private lands and such like proceedings, or any one or more of them, under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, is hereby vested with—

(*i*) all the powers exercisable by a Civil Court in the trial of suits;

(*ii*) power to enter upon any land and to survey, demarcate and make a map of the same;

(*iii*) all the powers of an Assistant Superintendent of Survey and a Deputy Collector under the Bengal Survey Act, 1875; and

(*iv*) power to cut and thresh the crops on any land and weigh the produce, with a view to estimating the capabilities of the soil.

(*b*) A Revenue-officer who, under the designation of "Settlement Officer," has been appointed by the Local Government for the purpose of making a survey and record-of-rights and settlement of rents under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, shall have power, by general or special order, to make over for disposal to any officer subordinate to him (who has been duly empowered, under the designation of Assistant Settlement Officer, to act as a Revenue-officer under the provisions of the same Chapter of the same Act)—

(*i*) objections preferred under section 103A,

(*ii*) the settlement of fair rents (including the preparation of a table of rates),

(*iii*) the preparation of a Settlement Rent-Roll, under Chapter X, Part II, of the Act, in any area,

(*iv*) applications for the settlement of fair rents under section 105,

(*v*) suits instituted for the trial of disputes under section 106, and

(*vi*) applications for the commutation of rents under section 40.

(*c*) A Revenue officer so appointed under the designation of Settlement Officer shall, on the application of any person interested, and after giving notice to other persons interested and hearing any objections preferred, or of his own motion without giving such notice, have power to withdraw, from the file of any Assistant Settlement Officer subordinate to him, any of the matters specified in rule 40 (*b*) above, and to dispose of them himself, or to transfer them for disposal to any other Assistant Settlement Officer subordinate to him who has been duly empowered to act as a Revenue-officer.

(*d*) On the application of either party to a suit under section 106, after giving notice to the other party and hearing any objections preferred, or of his own motion without giving such notice, a Revenue-officer so appointed under the designation of Settlement Officer may transfer to such competent Civil Court as the District Judge may designate the trial of a suit or of any class of suits instituted for the decision of a dispute or disputes which involves or involve important and complicated questions of right and title or claims to be put in possession.

(*e*) In the case of an uninhabited village, any general notice to be served or publication to be made under the rules in this Chapter may be served or made in any inhabited village contiguous to that village, or, if there be no inhabited village contiguous to that village, in the inhabited village nearest to that village or in the village in which the tenants and occupants of the lands of the uninhabited village are believed by the Revenue-officer to reside.

Powers vested in Deputy Superintendents of Survey and Assistant Superintendents of Survey.

41. Deputy Superintendents of Survey and Assistant Superintendents of Survey employed in operations under these rules are hereby declared to be Revenue-officers for the purpose of performing any duty imposed upon them by these rules, or by instructions, consistent with these rules, issued by the Board of Revenue. They are hereby vested with the powers specified in section 189 (1) (*b*), provided that an Assistant Superintendent shall not exercise the powers vested in a Superintendent under the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Ben. Act V of 1875).

Procedure for Cadastral Survey, Record-of-rights and Settlement of Rents.

Procedure for Survey, Record-of-rights and Settlement of rents.

42. The processes shall be—

A.—Demarcation of boundaries.
B.—Measurement.
C.—Khanapuri, *i.e.*, preliminary preparation of the record.
D.—Attestation of the record.
E.—Publication of the draft record.
F.—Disposal of objections under section 103A.
G.—Settlement of fair rents in cases in which a settlement of revenue is being, or is about to be, made.
H.—Final publication of the record-of-rights.
I.—Distribution of copies of the record-of-rights to parties interested.
J.—The settlement of fair rents on the application of the parties under section 105, and the trial of suits for the decision of disputes under section 106, in cases in which a settlement of revenue is not being, or is not about to be, made.
K.—Correction of *bond fide* omissions or mistakes in the record-of rights.

A.—Demarcation of Boundaries.

[illegible] of village boundaries and determination of unit of survey and record-rights.

43. (*a*) In the demarcation of village boundaries, the area contained within the exterior boundaries of the village maps of the revenue survey shall be preserved, as far as possible, as the unit of survey and record.

(*b*) Where there is no dispute, the boundary of the village, according to possession, shall be followed for the purposes of map and record.

(*c*) Where there is a dispute as to a village boundary, the Revenue-officer shall decide the dispute under the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Ben. Act V of 1875).

(*d*) Where the Settlement Officer is of opinion that the village maps prepared at the Revenue Survey are not suitable as the unit of survey and record, he shall issue notice of the inquiry to all parties concerned in the manner prescribed, and after such local inquiry in the presence of the parties as he may consider necessary, shall determine the area to be included in the village. He shall then submit his proceedings to the Board, through such superior authorities as the Board may prescribe; and such area as the Board may, after such further inquiry as may be deemed necessary, declare to be included in a village shall be adopted as the unit of survey and record-of-rights:

Provided that in all cases where the Revenue Survey village is not adopted as the unit of survey, the Settlement Officer shall draw up a statement, in such form as the Board may prescribe, showing the areas adopted as the unit of survey as compared with the areas contained in the village maps of the Revenue Survey; and such statement shall be filed in the Collector's Office.

(*e*) Where no Revenue Survey maps have been prepared, the Revenue-officer appointed under the designation of Settlement Officer shall issue notice to all parties concerned, in the manner prescribed; and, after such local inquiry in the presence of the parties as he may consider necessary, shall determine the area to be included in the village. He shall then submit his proceedings to the Collector; and such area as the Collector, after such further inquiry as he deems necessary, and with the sanction of the Board of Revenue, by general or special order, declares to constitute a village shall be adopted as the unit of survey and record-of-rights.

(*f*) In cases where the procedure prescribed in sub-clauses (*d*) and (*e*) have been adopted, the Board of Revenue shall submit a report to Government for issue of the notification prescribed by section 3 (10) (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act.

(*g*) The notice under rule 43 (*d*) and (*e*) of the inquiry to be held shall be given by proclamation and beat of drum and by posting it, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some convenient place or places in the lands to which it refers.

Erection of boundary pi

44. Boundary pillars of a permanent nature shall be erected at every point where the boundaries of three or more villages meet, and may be erected wherever the Revenue-officer considers it necessary to define by pillars the boundaries of estates or tenures, or of lands which have been the subject of dispute.

B.—Measurement.

Field maps.

45. A field map of every village shall be prepared. It shall show the boundaries of every field separately held, or of such plot of land as the instructions of the Board of Revenue for giving effect to these rules may lay down.

C.—Khanapuri, i.e., *Preliminary Preparation of the Record.*

Documents to be prepared in course of survey and preparation of record-of-rights.

46. The following are the principal documents to be prepared in the course of a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885:—

Village map.	Khewat.
Khasra.	Khatian.
Parcha.	Terij.

These and any other papers prescribed by the Board of Revenue shall be prepared in such manner as the Board may prescribe.

Record-of-rights.

47. The record-of-rights, which shall be published under section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, shall be contained in the khewat and the khatian and such other papers as may be specified by general or special order of the Board of Revenue in the case of any local area.

Proprietary khewat.

48. (*a*) The proprietary khewat shall show the character and extent of proprietary interests. It shall be first drawn up with reference to the registers maintained by the Collector under the provisions of the Land Registration Act, 1876 (Ben. Act VII of 1876). As the record-writing proceeds, the proprietary khewat shall be altered in accordance with the facts of possession. The Settlement Officer shall, from time to time, under such instructions as the Board of Revenue may prescribe in this behalf, give information to the Collector of all alterations made in the khewat, and the Collector shall thereupon take action to make such corrections as may be necessary in his registers prepared under the Land Registration Act. If the Collector, after inquiry under the Land Registration Act, finds that any entry in the khewat is incorrect, a note shall be made in the khewat of his finding.

(*b*) A khewat shall ordinarily be prepared to show the character and extent of the interest of tenure-holders, such of their interests as are of a raiyati nature being also recorded in the khatian.

Khatian.

49. (*a*) The khatian shall show in detail for all the lands of the village, estate by estate, landlord by landlord, tenant by tenant, and occupant by occupant, the lands included in each estate owned by each landlord and occupied by each tenant or occupant, with particulars of rent and area and of the incidents of each tenancy.

(*b*) Lands cultivated or otherwise held direct by the proprietor shall be shown in detail in the khatian, and shall be entered either as proprietor's private land within the meaning of section 120 of the Bengal Tenancy Act or as land held by the proprietor, but not private land, within the meaning of that section.

D.—Attestation of the Record.

Attestation.

50. (*a*) When the map, khasra, khewat and khatian for a village have been prepared in the manner prescribed by these rules and by instructions of the Board of Revenue consistent with

them, the Revenue-officer shall issue a notification in the form (Form 10) given in Schedule I, fixing a day, which shall be not less than a week from the date of publication of the notification, on which he will be present at some place to be specified at or near the village, for the purpose of attesting and completing the record-of-rights.

(*b*) The notification shall further state that on the day so fixed, or on any other day to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the Revenue-officer will record rents and status and deal with objections relating to entries in the record or omissions therefrom; and it shall require all parties interested in the subject-matter of the inquiry to attend at the time and place specified, with their *parchas*, and with such evidence as they have to offer in connection with the proceedings.

(*c*) Such notification shall be published by proclamation and beat of drum, and fixed up, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some conspicuous place in the village to which it refers.

Measures to procure attendance of parties.

51. The Revenue-officer may also, if he deem fit, take such additional measures under the powers conferred on him by rule 40, as he may deem desirable to procure the attendance, at the place specified in the notification issued under the last preceding rule, of the occupants, under-raiyats, raiyats, tenure-holders, landlords and proprietors or their authorized agents.

Inquiry as to correctness of entries.

52. On the date specified in the notification issued under rule 50, or on any other date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the entries which have been made in the khewat and in each khatian shall be read out in the presence of such of the interested parties as are in attendance.

If the correctness of any entry is questioned, the Revenue-officer shall dispose of the objection after local inquiry or otherwise:

Provided that if the correctness of the measurement be objected to, and a fresh measurement be demanded, the Revenue-officer may require the cost of the re-measurement to be deposited.

If the measurement shows the original measurement to have been inaccurate, the amount deposited, or any portion of it, may, if the Revenue-officer thinks fit, be refunded to the objector.

Inquiry as to fixed rates or fixed rents.

53. The Revenue-officer shall ascertain what tenants claim the right to hold at fixed rates or fixed rents, explaining, as far as may be necessary, the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in this respect. If the right claimed is disputed by the landlord, the Revenue-officer shall call on the claimants for proofs of such right. If on the evidence produced the Revenue-officer is satisfied that the tenants have the rights they claim, he shall record them as raiyats at fixed rates of rent, or a fixed rent, as the case may be.

Inquiry as to settled and occupancy raiyats.

54. The Revenue-officer shall ascertain which of the raiyats are settled raiyats, or occupancy raiyats, as the case be, and shall record them as such, having regard to the presumption of section 20 (7) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Inquiry as to non-occupancy raiyats.

55. The Revenue-officer shall ascertain what raiyats are non-occupancy, and to this end he shall be entitled to call upon the landlord or his agent to produce a statement showing the names of the raiyats alleged by him to be non-occupancy raiyats. On the production of such statement, the Revenue-officer shall explain to the raiyats whose names are entered in the statement, and who have not already been recorded as occupancy or settled raiyats, the nature of the presumption raised by section 20 (7) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. If, after such explanation, a raiyat admits himself to be a non-occupancy raiyat, he shall be recorded as such. If he does not admit himself to be a non-occupancy raiyat, the Revenue-officer shall call on the landlord to prove the allegation made by him in regard to such raiyat.

Abwabs and cesses.

56. Abwabs shall not be recorded. Cesses which are authorized by law shall be recorded separately from the rent in the khatian, or, in the case of tenure-holders, in the khewat.

Ascertainment and record of rent at present payable.

57. The Revenue-officer shall summarily ascertain the rent at present payable by the tenant, and record it in the appropriate column of the khatian as the rent payable in respect of the land held by the tenant.

Agreement between landlord and tenant as to rent to be recorded.

58. If, while the record is being prepared, the landlord and tenant agree as to the rent which shall be recorded as payable, the Revenue officer, if he has been vested with powers under section 109 C of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907, may, if he is satisfied that the rent agreed upon is fair and equitable, but not otherwise, settle such rent as a fair and equitable rent, although the terms of the agreement are such that, if they were embodied in a contract, they could not be enforced under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Procedure where Revenue-officer not vested with powers under section 109 C.

59. If the Revenue-officer has not been vested with powers under section 109C, he may, if he considers that the provisions of that section should be applied in respect of the rent of any tenure or holding, submit a report to any Revenue-officer who has been vested with powers under section 109C in the local area for which the record-of-rights is being prepared; and such Revenue-officer, after giving notice to the landlord and tenant, and after such further inquiry as he may deem necessary, may, if he is satisfied that the rent agreed upon by the landlord and tenant is fair and equitable, but not otherwise, settle such rent as a fair and equitable rent, although the terms of the agreement are such that, if they were embodied in a contract, they could not be enforced under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Form of proceedings and entry of rents settled or revised.

60. Proceedings for the settlement of rents under section 109C shall be drawn up in such form as the Board of Revenue may prescribe; and all rents settled under clause (*1*), section 109C, or revised by the Board of Revenue under clause (*3*), section 109C, shall be entered in the record-of-rights.

Proceeding on completion of attestation and publication of draft record.

61. When the record-of-rights has been prepared and attested in the manner prescribed in Rules 50 to 57, and when the record shall have been arranged and corrected in accordance with the orders which the Revenue-officer may have passed, he shall record a proceeding in which he shall state that attestation of the records of the village has been completed, and shall then cause the draft record-of-rights to be published in the village in the manner provided in Rule 62.

E.—Publication of the Draft Record.

Publication and hearing.

62. (*a*) As soon as the record-of-rights has been prepared and attested, a notice in Form 11 in Schedue I shall be posted up at the landlord's office in the village, and, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some other conspicuous place in the village, or, where the village is uninhabited, in the village in which most of the cultivators of the uninhabited village reside, stating that the draft of the record will be published in the village on a day to be specified, not less than a week from the date of the posting of such notice, and calling on all persons interested to attend on the date so specified:

Provided that the draft of the record shall not be published until the proceeding under Rule 61 has been recorded.

(*b*) On the date fixed for the publication of the draft record, the Revenue-officer shall either proceed to the village himself and read the contents of the record in the presence of the parties who attend, or he shall depute an officer who shall read out the contents of the record in the presence of as many of the parties as attend; and the Revenue-officer, or the officer deputed by him, as the case may be, shall at the same time inform the parties who attend that the draft record will be open for inspection for not less than one month in the office of the Revenue-officer, or in such other convenient place as the Revenue-officer may determine.

Any objection which may be made to any entry during the period named shall be received and considered by the Revenue-officer

Objections shall, as far as practicable, be made in Form 12 given in Schedule I.

F.—Disposal of Objections under section 105A.

63. When an objection is made within and before the expiry of the period of publication of the draft record prescribed under Rule 62 (*b*), regarding the correctness of an entry, or as to the propriety of any omission, notice of the objection (in Form 13,

Schedule I), shall be served on all persons whose interest may, in the opinion of the Revenue-officer, be affected thereby, and they shall be called upon to attend at such time and place as the Revenue-officer may fix for the disposal of the objection.

If no person attends to contest the objection, and the Revenue-officer is satisfied that the notice of the objection has been duly served on all persons interested, the objection may be allowed and the record amended accordingly, or the person who made the objection may, if the Revenue-officer thinks fit, be called upon to produce evidence in support of his objection.

All such objections shall be dealt with summarily, under such instructions as the Board of Revenue may prescribe.

G.—Settlement of Fair Rents in cases in which a Settlement of Revenue is being, or is about to be, made.

Report to Government where it is not necessary to settle rents of all classes of tenants in a Government Estate.

64. If it does not appear to the Revenue-officer expedient to settle the rents of tenants of every class in an estate or tenure belonging to the Government, the Revenue-officer shall submit a report for the orders of the Government under the proviso to section 104 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907.

Service of notice of settlement of rents

65. In the case of a settlement of fair rents under Part II of Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, when a settlement of revenue is being, or is about to be, made, the Revenue-officer shall serve a notice by proclamation and beat of drum, and by posting it, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some conspicuous place in the village comprising the lands under settlement.

The notice shall be in Form 14 in Schedule I and shall set forth that, on a date named and at a place named, the Revenue-officer will settle fair rents in respect of all estates, tenures or holdings, and for unsettled lands included in such village. A schedule may, when the Revenue-officer thinks fit, be appended to the notice, giving such particulars as he may think necessary relating to the names and numbers of all estates, tenures, and holdings paying revenue or rent to Government, and of unsettled lands for which rent will be settled. Such notice shall be served at least one week previous to the date fixed for settlement of fair rents. When such notice has been served, it shall be held that all persons have, subject to the provisions of Rule 73, been sufficiently warned of the date fixed:

Provided that in cases in which a table of rates is prepared under the provisions of section 101B, the notice shall not be published until the table of rates has been confirmed under sub-section (5) of that section.

Table of rates where necessary.

66. A table of rates shall not ordinarily be prepared when it is found that the tenants of the local area in question hold their lands at lump rentals, and no rates actually exist, or when the rates are so numerous and varied, and are so little dependent on the class of soil, that no table of existing rates can be prepared. When the above conditions do not obtain, and it is possible to prepare a table of existing rates which are generally of a uniform character and in accordance with certain ascertainable classes of soil, a table of rates may be prepared in accordance with the provisions of section 104A (*c*):

Provided that when the Revenue-officer is of opinion, for reasons to be recorded by him in writing, and submitted to, and approved by, the authority empowered to confirm the table of rates, that the rents stated as the existing rents by the landlord and tenants are not the rents that are legally payable, and that it is impossible to ascertain those rents, a table of rates fairly and equitably payable may be prepared and shall be based on the rates or rents payable in those neighbouring villages, the lands of which are fairly comparable with the lands of the village.

Preparation of table of rates.

67. When the Revenue-officer has decided to settle rents in any local area on the basis of a table of rates, under section 104A (*c*), he shall first prepare a table of existing rates and shall then either maintain those rates or shall proceed to enhance or reduce them, having regard to the general principles laid down

in the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, for the enhancement or reduction of rents, and especially to section 30 (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*).

Contents of table of rates.

68. The table of rates finally prepared by the Revenue-officer and published by him under section 104B (*2*) shall contain the particulars noted in section 104B (*1*), and shall show :—

(*a*) the classes of land, as locally known, that have been adopted in the fixation of rates ;

(*b*) the area, expressed in local measure, for which each rate is fixed ;

(*c*) the existing rates, if any, taken as the basis of the table of rates ; and

(*d*) the rates of rent fixed as fairly and equitably payable by tenants holding land of each class whose rent is liable to alteration.

Publication of table of rates.

69. (*a*) When a table of rates has been prepared under section 104B, a notice in Form 15 in Schedule I shall be posted up in the landlord's office in the village or, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some conspicuous place in the village, stating that the table of rates will be published in the village on a day to be specified, not less than a week from the date of the posting of such notice, and calling on all persons interested to attend on the date so specified.

(*b*) On the date fixed for the publication of the table of rates, the Revenue-officer shall proceed to the village and shall explain to so many of the parties as attend the proposed rates and the grounds on which they are based, and shall hear and consider any objections that may be raised to any entries in the table. He shall at the same time inform the parties who attend that the table of rates will be open to inspection for not less than one month in the office of the Revenue-officer, or in such other convenient place as the Revenue-officer may determine, and that any person who objects to any entry in the table of rates may present a petition to him on the subject, within one month of the date of the publication of the table of rates, which will be duly considered under section 104B (*3*).

Record of grounds of order.

70. The Revenue-officer shall record the grounds of his final order in every case in which he disposes of an objection to a table of rates under section 104B (*4*).

Submission of proceedings to confirming authority.

71. In submitting his proceedings to the confirming authority under section 104B (*4*), the Revenue-officer shall describe the land classification adopted by him for the purposes of his table of rates, and shall show in tabular form the rates which were found by him to exist for the classes of land described, and the rates he proposes to substitute for the existing rates, explaining in each case his grounds for maintaining, enhancing or reducing the rates.

Confirming authorities.

72. (*a*) The following Revenue Authorities are empowered, under section 104B (*4*), to confirm tables of rates prepared under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

(*i*) when the total rents to which the table of rates is to be applied will not, in the opinion of the Revenue-officer, exceed Rs. 1,000, the Collector of the District ;

(*ii*) when the total rents in question will, in the opinion of the Revenue-officer, exceed Rs. 1,000, but will not exceed Rs. 5,000, the Commissioner of the Division ; and

(*iii*) when the total rents in question will, in the opinion of the Revenue-officer, exceed Rs. 5,000, the Board of Revenue.

(*b*) The following Revenue Authorities are empowered, under section 104B (*4*), to confirm Settlement Rent-Rolls prepared under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

(*i*) in all cases in which the Settlement Rent-Roll has been prepared by an Assistant Settlement Officer, and the Settlement Officer is of the rank of a Collector, the Settlement Officer ; and

(*ii*) in all other cases the Collector or other Revenue Authority to whom the Settlement Officer is declared by the Board of Revenue to be immediately subordinate.

Settlement of fair rents.

73. On the date fixed in the notice issued under rule 65 above, or on any subsequent date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the Revenue-officer shall read, or cause to be read aloud in his presence, the name of each tenant whose rent has to be settled, the area of his tenancy, and the existing rent, and shall proceed to settle a fair rent for every such tenant under the provisions of section 104A (*1*), (*a*), (*b*), (*d*) or section 104C:

Provided that when a Revenue-officer proposes to alter an existing rent, and the parties have not attended in compliance with the general notice prescribed in rule 65 above, the Revenue-officer shall serve each person interested with a special notice, and the fair rent shall not be settled in the absence of such person until after due service of such special notice has been proved.

Contents of Settlement Rent-Roll.

74. The Settlement Rent-Roll shall contain the particulars prescribed in section 104A (*2*), and the fair rent settled for each tenant shall be entered in it by the Revenue-officer himself at the time that such rent is settled.

Publication of Settlement Rent-Roll and filing of objections.

75. As soon as the Settlement Rent-Roll has been prepared, it shall be published by a notice in Form 16 in Schedule I in the manner prescribed for the publication of the Draft Record in rule 62, and the Revenue-officer or the officer deputed by him to read out the contents of the Settlement Rent-Roll, as the case may be, shall at the same time inform the parties who attend that the Settlement Rent-Roll will be open to inspection for not less than one month in the office of the Revenue-officer, or in such other convenient place as the Revenue-officer may determine, and that any person who objects to any entry in the Settlement Rent-Roll or omission therefrom may present a petition to the Revenue-officer on the subject within one month of the date of the publication of the Settlement Rent-Roll, which will be duly considered under section 104E.

Method of dealing with objections. Appeal.

76. All objections presented under rule 69 or rule 75 shall be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of rule 63 in the same way as objections presented under section 103A. An appeal presented under section 104G (*1*) shall lie to the officer to whom the Revenue-officer who has passed the order appealed against is immediately subordinate:

Provided that a second appeal shall lie from any order on appeal settling the amount of a fair rent passed by a Settlement Officer or Collector under this rule to the Commissioner of the Division, and that, when the proposed annual rental of any tenancy exceeds 100 rupees *per annum*, a final appeal shall, in all such cases, lie to the Board of Revenue.

Incorporation of Settlement Rent-Roll in record-of-rights.

77. As soon as the Settlement Rent-Roll has been sanctioned by the Confirming Authority, it shall be incorporated in the record-of-rights by the entry of the fair rents settled in a column of the khatian to be set apart for that purpose.

Rules 65 to 77 to apply to a settlement of rents under section 112 of the Bengal Tenancy Act.

78. Rules 65 to 77 (both inclusive) shall apply, so far as may be, to a settlement of rents under section 112 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907.

II.—Final publication of the Record-of-rights.

Final publication of record-of-rights.

79. When all objections under section 103A have been disposed of, as provided for in rule 63 above, and, in cases in which a settlement of revenue is being, or is about to be, made, the Settlement Rent-Roll has been incorporated in the record-of-rights, as provided in rule 77, and the Revenue-officer has corrected the draft record in accordance with the orders passed by him on such objections or in the course of the preparation of the Settlement Rent-Roll, he shall finally frame the record and cause it to be published by notifying, in the form shown in Form 17 in Schedule I, that its contents will be read out in the village, or, when the village is uninhabited, in the village in which most of the cultivators of the uninhabited village reside, on a date to be

specified, not less than a week from the date of the publication of such notice, and by reading it out himself or causing it to be read in the village on the date so specified, in the manner prescribed in rule 62, in the presence of the parties or of as many of them as attend.

Report to Local Government after final publication.

81. When all the records-of-rights in any local area have been finally published, the Revenue-officer shall submit a report to the Local Government, containing such particulars as may be necessary, in order to enable the Local Government to issue a notification under sub-section (2) of section 103B of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907.

I.—Distribution of copies of the Record-of-rights to Parties interested.

Distribution of copies of record-of-rights to parties interested.

81. (*a*) The Revenue-officer shall cause to be made a copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights as finally published in accordance with rule 70, and this copy or extract shall bear a certificate, under the Revenue-officer's signature and seal, that it is a copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights as finally published. The copy or extract shall be made over to the landlord concerned, or, where there are more landlords than one, to their common agent or common manager, as the case may be, or, if there be no common agent or common manager, to such person among the landlords as the Revenue-officer may think fit.

(*b*) The finally published record itself shall be made over to the Collector of the district, and shall bear a certificate that it is the finally published record, under the Revenue-officer's signature and seal.

(*c*) An extract from the record-of-rights as finally published under rule 79 relating to his tenancy shall be given to every tenant, under the signature and seal of the Revenue-officer, and shall bear a certificate that it is an extract from the record-of-rights as finally published.

(*d*) Copies of records, or of extracts from them, supplied to landlords and tenants under this rule shall be given free or on payment according as, in the case of each local area, the Local Government may direct. When payment is required, the sums so recovered shall be adjusted against the expenses incurred on account of survey and settlement.

(*e*) If the Local Government so directs, copies of the maps shall be prepared and distributed to the landlords and tenants concerned, and in such a case the foregoing rules regarding copies of, or extracts from, the record shall apply to such copies of the maps.

J.—The settlement of Fair Rents on the application of the Parties under section 105, and the trial of suits for the decision of disputes under section 106, in cases in which a settlement of revenue is not being, or is not about to be, made.

Proceedings for settlement of fair rents.

82. When the landlord or tenant applies for the settlement of a fair rent, he shall be considered as plaintiff and the opposite party as defendant. The proceedings shall be dealt with as suits and, subject to the directions contained in rules 84 to 87 of this Chapter, the Revenue-officer shall adopt, as far as it is applicable, the procedure laid down in the Code of Civil Procedure for the trial of suits.

Record and settlement of rents in estates under management of Court of Wards or Manager appointed under section 95.

83. When the estate or tenure is managed by the Court of Wards or by a Manager appointed by the District Judge under section 95 of the Act and a settlement of revenue is not being, or is not about to be, made, the procedure laid down in these rules for recording or settling rents shall be followed, the Manager of the estate or the tenure being regarded as the landlord.

Notice of application for settlement of fair rent.

84. When a landlord or tenant applies for the settlement of a fair rent, notice in Form 18 in Schedule I shall be served on every person interested in the application, together with a copy of the application, or extract therefrom, or summary thereof, so far as the application concerns such person.

Joint application for settlement of rents in certain cases.

85. With the consent of the Revenue-officer, any number of tenants occupying land under the same landlord, whose interest is recorded in the same khewat entry in the same village, may make a joint application for the settlement of rents, or may be joined as defendants in the same proceeding on a similar application by the landlord:

Provided that, if at any time it appears to the Revenue-officer that the question between any two of the parties, of whom one is so joined with others, cannot conveniently be so jointly tried, he may order a separate trial to be held of that question, or he may pass such order, in accordance with the Code of Civil Procedure, for the joint or separate disposal of the application as he may think fit.

Inquiry and settlement of fair rents.

86 (*a*) On the date fixed for the settlement of fair rents, or any subsequent date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the Revenue-officer shall read aloud, or cause to be read aloud in his presence, the name of each tenant whose rent has to be settled, the area of his tenancy, and the existing rent, and shall then proceed to settle a fair rent under the provisions of section 105.

(*b*) Where a landlord or tenant does not attend, after due service of notice has been proved, the procedure may be *ex-parte*.

(*c*) Where a landlord or tenant appears and the fair rent is not settled under sub-section (*5*) or sub-section (*6*) of section 105, that is, by the acceptance by the parties of a rent proposed by the Revenue officer, or compromise, the Revenue-officer shall record evidence in the manner prescribed in clause (*f*) of section 148 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, for the trial of rent-suits, and shall settle a fair and equitable rent according to law:

Provided that in important cases the Revenue-officer may, in his discretion, record evidence at length.

(*d*) When a fair rent has been settled under these rules, it shall be entered in the khatian as the rent payable in respect of the holding from the date prescribed by section 110.

Entry of fair rent to be held to be decree.

87. It shall not be necessary for a Revenue-officer to draw up a separate decree with regard to the fair rent settled; but the entry made in his decision or schedule attached thereto with regard to the fair rent settled shall be held to be a decree.

Manner of dealing with proceeding under sections 105A and 106.

88. Proceedings under sections 105A and 106 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907, shall be dealt with in all respects as suits between the parties.

K.—Correction of bonâ-fide *omissions or mistakes in the record-of-rights*

Applications for corrections of errors.

89. Applications for the correction of *bonâ-fide* omissions or mistakes in the record-of rights after its final publication under Rule 79, where such applications bear on the body of them the admission of the party or parties affected, shall be received and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of section 108A. If the Revenue-officer receving the application has not been specially empowered under that section, he shall forward the application, for disposal, with his report thereon, to the Revenue-officer so empowered. The court-fee payable on such applications shall be eight annas.

Final Reports.

Final report and particulars to accord.

90. The Local Government may, if it thinks fit, direct that a final report be written, in English, for each village and each local area under survey.

The report for the village shall show:—

(*a*) the number of tenants of each class, with the area held and rental paid by them;

(*b*) the area and classification of the village lands;

(*c*) the rental before settlement, and according to settlement, and the number of fair rents settled, with explanation of increase or decrease;

(*d*) when settlement of land-revenue is being made, the amount of Government revenue before and after re-settlement, grounds on assessment, and comparison of gross assets with new assessment.

(*e*) the rates of rent prevailing before settlement, and the rates settled, if any;

(*f*) proximity to markets, and facilities for irrigation;

(*g*) village customs, including customs as to payment of village officials;

(*h*) arrangements made for maintenance of records; and

(*i*) other matters deserving of notice which have been excluded from the record-of-rights.

The report for the whole area under survey shall contain the following particulars:—

(*i*).—General description of the tract.

(*ii*).—Its fiscal history.

(*iii*).—Statistical results.

(*iv*).—Comparison of condition of the tract as regards rentals before and after survey.

(*v*).—Financial results, including approximate division of expenses under the heads—

(*a*) Survey.

(*b*) Record-of-rights, and

(*c*) Preparation and distribution of records.

Applications under section 103 for Survey and Record-of-Rights.

Applications under section 103 to be made to Collector.

91. These applications shall be made to the Collector of the district.

Particulars to be given in such applications.

92. The application shall specify—

(*a*) the status of the applicant, viz., whether he is a proprietor or a tenure-holder;

(*b*) the particulars specified in section 102 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of which the application is made; and

(*c*) the number of tenants occupying the estate or tenure or part thereof in respect of which the application is made, the total rent payable by them at the time, and the estimated area covered by the application (so far as the applicant is able to give these particulars).

Further particulars to be given by tenure-holder.

93. (*a*) If the application is made by a proprietor, it shall not be admitted unless the name of the applicant and the extent of his interest are registered under Bengal Act VII of 1876.

(*b*) If the application is made by a tenure-holder, it shall not be admitted unless the right of the tenure-holder and the extent of his interest is admitted by the superior landlord or is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector.

Submission to Commissioner.

94. On receipt of the application, the Collector shall forward it to the Commissioner with any remarks which he may think necessary.

Power to call for further information or amendment.

95. The Commissioner may call for further information or may require the application to be amended

Reference to Board.

96. If the Commissioner considers that the application cannot be granted with advantage to the interests of all persons concerned, he may reject it. If he approves it, he shall forward the application, with an expression of his opinion, for the orders of the Board of Revenue.

Record of reasons for rejection of application. Appeal to Board.

97. A Commissioner rejecting an application shall record his reason for doing so, and the applicant, if dissatisfied with the order, may appeal within one month to the Board of Revenue.

Procedure and powers of Board.

98. When an application is referred to the Board under rule 96, or an appeal is preferred under rule 97, the Board may call for further information, if necessary, and shall pass such orders as it may think fit for allowing or rejecting the application.

Procedure of Collector when application allowed. Deposit of costs.

99. As soon as an application is allowed, the Collector shall call upon the applicant to deposit 8 annas *per* acre of the estimated extent of the estate or tenure or part thereof in respect of which the application has been allowed. If the Collector is unable to estimate the area, he shall require a deposit at the rate of Rs. 2 for each tenant. If the amount does not exceed Rs. 500, the applicant must deposit the whole amount in advance. If it exceeds Rs. 500, the applicant shall deposit the sum of Rs. 500 and shall give such security as the Collector may require

for the payment of the balance of the deposit in such instalments as the Collector may from time to time demand.

If the amount deposited as above proves more than sufficient to cover the cost of the proceedings, the unexpended balance will be refunded on their termination.

If the amount deposited proves insufficient to cover the cost, the applicant shall, when required by the Collector, deposit from time to time such further sums as the Collector may think necessary for the completion of the proceedings. If he shall fail to do so, the proceedings may be stopped and the order allowing the application cancelled.

Revenue-officer to follow rules framed for guidance of officers acting under section 101.

100. In conducting the operations, the Revenue-officer shall proceed in accordance with the rules for the guidance of officers acting under orders made under section 101.

CHAPTER VII.—GENERAL SCALE OF FEES.

Fees for service of notice.

101. *Service of Notices*.—For the service of every notice under this Act, not being a notice issued by any Revenue or Civil Court [fees for serving which are regulated by the Court Fees Act, 1870 (VII of 1870)], and not being provided for by any other rule made under this Act, a process-fee of 12 annas shall be levied, if the notice be directed to one or more persons residing in the same village.

Fees where notice directed to several persons in different villages.

102. Where such notices are directed to several persons resident in different villages, a fee of 12 annas shall be levied for service in each village

Additional charges for railway, boat or ferry charges, etc.

103. In addition to the above fee, the actual charge which must be incurred, if it is necessary to travel by railway or boat, or cross ferries, shall be levied from and paid by the person at whose instance the process is issued, before issue of the process. If a peon carries more than one process involving charges for railway-fare, boat-hire, etc., the sum leviable shall be charged, in equal shares, upon all the processes so carried. The rates at which such boat-hire is to be charged shall be the same as those fixed for criminal processes under Rule VII of the rules prescribed by the High Court under clause (*z*) of section 20 of Act VII of 1870, and shall be sufficient only to cover, on the whole, the actual cost of hiring boats, or of such boat establishment as it may be necessary to maintain for the purpose of serving processes of these classes.

Demurrage for detention of peon.

104. If a peon is detained at the place of service for more than 24 hours at the request of the person at whose instance the process was issued, or of his agent, such person or agent shall then and there pay demurrage at the rate of 5 annas a day and obtain a receipt from the peon. Unless this demurrage is paid, the peon shall decline to wait. No demurrage shall be charged if the delay was not due to the person requiring the process or to his agent.

Fees for deposits of rent.

105. *Deposits of Rent*.—For deposits of rent under section 61 (2), fees shall be levied according to the following scale:—

	Rs	A.
On any sum not exceeding	... 5	... 1
On any sum exceeding but not exceeding	... 5 / ... 10	... 2
On any sum exceeding but not exceeding	... 10 / ... 25	
On any sum exceeding	... 25	

for each complete sum of Rs. 25, and 4 annas for the remainder, provided that, if the remainder does not exceed Rs. 10, the charge for it shall be only 2 annas.

Provided, also, that in no case shall the fee exceed the sum of Rs. 5.

NOTE.—The numbering of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), published in Notification No. 2705T.—R., dated the 31st October 1907, has been followed in the above rules. Such rules as are not applicable to Orissa have been omitted.

SCHEDULE I.

FORM 1.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 80 OF ACT VIII OF 1885
(See Rule 13.)

To

THE COLLECTOR OF

The application of , son of , resident of , for registration of an improvement under section 80 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885).

Name of pargana and estate in which improvement been effected.	Names of villages in which improvement effected.	Nature of applicant's interest in land improved.	Nature of improvement.	By whom executed and at whose expense.	Cost of improvement.	When executed.	Names of all tenants benefited in each village.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

A. B.,
Landlord.

FORM 10.

Notice of Date of Attestation of the Records. [*See Rule 50 (a).*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats under-raiyats and occupants of—

Village . | Pargana
Thana . | District
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that under the powers vested in me by the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), and the rules made thereunder, I shall, on the day of 190 , at , proceed to attest and complete the record-of-rights in the abovementioned village.

You are hereby required to attend before me at the above-mentioned time and place, or at any other time and place to which the proceedings may be adjourned, and to produce such evidence, written or oral, as you may have to offer on the subject-matter of the proceedings.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 11.

Notice for draft publication of the record. [*See Rule 62 (a), Chapter VI of the Rules.*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats, under-raiyats and occupants of—

Village . | Pargana .
Thana . | District .
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that as the attestation of the record of the above-mentioned village has been completed, the Draft Record will be published by its contents being read out in the village on the . All persons interested are called on to attend on this date.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 12.

Objection under section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act.
[*See Rule 62 (b), Chapter VI, of the Rules*]

Village . | Pargana .
Thana . | District .
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Name of objector, with father's name, caste and address.

Name, father's name, caste and address of person in whose khatian the entry objected to has been made, and number of khatian, if known.

Statement of entry objected to, with details of objection.

Statement of relief sought.

Signature of objector, with date of filing.

FORM 13.

Notice fixing the date for the hearing of an objection under Section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act. [*See Rule 63.*]

By order of the Settlement Officer at
District

CASE No. OF 190 .

IN THE COURT OF

Objector.

Notice to

WHEREAS an objection (copy of which is annexed) under section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act has been filed, and the date of its disposal has been fixed for the 190 , you are hereby informed that you should, on the day fixed, appear personally or by agent in this Court at . . at o'clock to produce any evidence you have. In case of your failing to appear at the time fixed, orders will be passed according to law.

Dated Month 190 .

FORM 14.

Notice for settlement of Fair Rents in connection with a settlement of the land revenue. [*See Rule 65.*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats, under-raiyats, and occupants of—

Village . . | Pargana .
Thana . | District .
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that on at I shall proceed to fix fair and equitable rents for all the tenants of the above mentioned village. All persons interested or concerned are called upon to attend at the place named above on the date specified.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 15.

Notice for publication of a Table of Rates. [*See Rule 69 (a).*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats, under-raiyats, and occupants of—

Village . | Pargana
Thana . | District
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that a table of rates for the above-mentioned village has been prepared, and that it will be published in the village on the day of .
All persons interested are called upon to attend on the date specified.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 16.

Notice for the publication of a Settlement Rent-Roll. [*See Rule 75.*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats, under-raiyats and occupants of—

Village	.	Pargana	.
Thana	.	District	.
Thana No.	or Revenue Survey No.		

Take notice that fair rents having been settled for all tenants in the above-mentioned village, a Settlement Rent-Roll has been prepared, and that this Rent-Roll will be published by its contents being read out in the village on the .
All persons interested are called upon to attend.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 17.

Notice for Final Publication of the Record. [*See Rule 79.*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats, under-raiyats, and occupants of—

Village	.	Pargana	.
Thana		District	
Thana No.	or Revenue Survey No.		

Take notice that all objections under section 103A of the Tenancy Act having been decided by the Revenue-officer *and the Settlement Rent-roll having been incorporated in the record-of-rights*, the record of the above-mentioned village has been finally framed and will be published by its contents being read out in the village on the
All persons interested are called on to attend on this date.

Revenue-officer.

The words in italics are to be omitted in cases in which a settlement of land revenue is not being made.]

FORM 18.

Notice for service on Persons interested in an application made by Landlord or Tenant for Settlement of Fair Rents. [*See Rule 84.*]

To

WHEREAS (here state name, description and address of applicant or applicants) landlords/tenants have made an application, in which you are interested, for the settlement of a fair rent for lands in village , a copy of the application/an extract containing such parts of the application as concern you is hereby served on you, and you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by duly-authorized agent at o'clock on the at for final disposal of the application. In default of your appearance on the day mentioned, the application will be heard and determined in your absence. You should bring or send by your agent on the day fixed any document or evidence on which you intend to rely.

SCHEDULE II.

(Referred to in Rule 4.)

ORISSA DIVISION.

CUTTACK ..	Sadar subdivision ...	Rice	Cuttack town, Charchika Hat.
	Jajpur ditto ...	Do.	Jajpur town.
	Kendrapara ditto ...	Do.	Kendrapara town.
BALASORE ...	Balasore Sadar subdivision	Rice	Balasore.
	Bhadrak ditto	Do.	Bhadrak, Chandbali.
PURI	Sadar subdivision ...	Rice	Puri, Banamalipur.
	Khurda ditto ...	Do.	Khurda.

No. 2287.—The 29th June 1908.—In the margin of the declaration No. 755T.R., dated the 26th May 1908, published at page 1054, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd June 1908, *for* "Darbhanga" please *read* "24-Parganas."

24-Parganas.

No. 1361T.-R.—The 27th June 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has been pleased to direct that, with effect from the 10th July 1908, the Gobindpur subdivision, in the district of Manbhum, shall be known as the Dhanbaid subdivision, and shall comprise the thanas of Gobindpur, Dhanbaid, Jheria, Katras, Topechanchi, Rajganj, Nirsha, Chirkunda and Tundi, and that the head-quarters of the subdivision shall be located at Dhanbaid.

Manbhum.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1240T.R.—The 22nd June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for excavating the Khatta khal in connection with section 1 of Mograhat drainage scheme (from Udkhali to Baraat), it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land about 22,250 feet long, varying in width from 70 feet to 100 feet, measuring, more or less, 114 bighas 12 cottahs 14 chitaks of standard measurement, and passing through or by the villages of Kalikapur, Raiuagar, Hari-Narayanpur, Uttarpara, Nawapuker, Ghar-Haldia, Gab-Baria, Banstala, Bar-Haldia, Puddapuker, Burtala, Udkhali and Padna, paganas Baridhati and Mayda, district 24-Parganas, is required within the aforesaid villages.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, 13, Kyd Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1244T.R.—The 22nd June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for improving and widening the existing outfall drain from Dumra Jheel to Gangi Nadi, in the villages of Sobhi Dumra and Sonarah, pargana Arrah, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 3 cottahs and 14½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on north and south by the lands of villages Sobhi Dumra and Sonarah, on the east by the Gangi Nadi, and on the west by the land of village Sarangpur, is required within the aforesaid villages of Sobhi Dumra and Sonarah.

Shahabad.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Shahabad.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1261T.R.—The 22nd June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Dispensary building at Tribeni, in the village of Baje Baikantapur, pargana Pownan, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 1 cottah 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Hooghly.

North—By the public road,
South—By the land of Mati Lal Chatterjee and Dasurathi Banerjee,
West—By the Tribeni Guptipara road,
East—By the land of Nilmani Madak,

is required within the aforesaid village of Baje Baikantapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1279T.R.—The 23rd June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Central Hospital Fund for a public purpose, viz., for Assistant Surgeon's quarters in the village of Barabati, pargana Sunhat, zilla Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·200 acre of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Balasore.

North—By Municipal road to Balighat,
South—By Victoria Jubilee School,
East—By pucca house of Srikanta Kar and others,
West—By Municipal road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Barabati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Balasore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1280T.R.—The 23rd June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Central Hospital Fund for a public purpose, viz., for Female Doctor's quarters in the village of Barabati, pargana Sunhat, zilla Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·110 acre of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Balasore.

North—By garden of Uday Nath Kar and others,
South—By Municipal lane,
East—By Municipal lane,
West—By Central Hospital compound,

is required within the aforesaid village of Barabati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Balasore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1283T.R.—The 23rd June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bhatpara Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for widening and extending Ramdayal Road at Jagatdal, in the village of Jagatdal, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four plots

24-Parganas.

of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 5 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows :—

PLOTS NOS. 1 AND 2.

On the north and west by Ramdayal Road, on the east and south by Ferry Fund Road and the village land of Jagatdal;

PLOT No. 3.

On the north, east and west by the village land of Jagatdal, and on the south by Ramdayal Road;

PLOT No. 4.

On the north and south by the village land of Jagatdal, on the east by Ramdayal Road, and on the west by River Hooghly;

is required within the aforesaid village of Jagatdal.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Bhatpara.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Murshidabad.

No. 1305T.R.—The 24th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the District Board of Murshidabad, for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the compound of the Jangipur Inspection Bungalow, in the village of Balighata, pargana Gankar, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Gokul Chandra Shaha's garden, east by the newly acquired Jangipur Inspection Bungalow, and on the south and west by the Municipal road, is required within the aforesaid village of Balighata.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Jangipur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Champaran.

No. 1342T.R.—The 25th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the District Board of Champaran, for a public purpose, viz., for Motihari-Tetaria road diversion at Gheghwa, in the villages of Gheghwa and Tetaria, pargana Mehsee, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 39 bighas 7 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Girdhari Ahir, Bandhu Dhobi, Musahar Ahir and Jhapsi's fields,
South—By Botoo Kishun Mahra and Gana Kulwar's fields,
East and West—By village road,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Gheghwa and Tetaria.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Champaran, Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 2281.—The 29th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Lalganj Municipality, for a public purpose, viz., for trenching-ground in the village of Salahpur, pargana Hatti, zilla Muzaffarpur, it is hereby

declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 14 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Kasht Badri Teli,
South—By public road and drain,
East—By the land of Kasht Badri Teli,
West—By the land of Kasht Sahai Pasi,

is required within the aforesaid village of Salahpur, pargana Ratti.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Department, Muzaffarpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 2282R.—The 29th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of Messrs. Martin & Co., for the station-yard of Dandirhat, Barasat-Basirhat Light Railway, Taki-Hashnabad extension, in the villages of Dandirhat and Anantapur, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, three plots of land, measuring, more or less, 2 bighas of standard measurement, and situated within the undermentioned boundaries—

Plot I.—North, south and west by District Board Road, and on the east by the village land of Dandirhat,
Plot II.—North, south and west by the village land of Anantapur, and on the east by the District Board Road,
Plot III.—North, east and south by the village land of Dandirhat, and on the west by the District Board Road,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Dandirhat and Anantapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Messrs. Martin & Co., 6 and 7, Clive Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Hazaribagh.

No. 2283T.R.—The 29th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for mining coal by the East Indian Railway Company in the villages of Koldiha and Kope in Baniadih, pargana Kharakdiha, zilla Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 701 bighas 17 cottahs 5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the village Koldiha of Bengal Coal Company,
East—By the village Kope of East Indian Railway and villages Porathdiha and Khandiha of East Indian Railway,
South—By the Suni Nala,
West—By the villages Jogitand and Baniadih of East Indian Railway,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Koldiha and Kope in Baniadih.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Giridih.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2284T.R.—The 29th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of Messrs. Martin and Company for a public purpose, viz., for diversion near Mogra Bridge of the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway, Taki-Hashnabad extension, in the village of Patila-Chandra, pargana Agoreparah, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 5

bighas 13 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, and situated within the undermentioned boundaries, are required within the aforesaid village of Patila-Chandra :—

Plot I—North, east and south by the District Board Road, and west by the village land of Patila-Chandra.

Plot II—North by the village land of Patila-Chandra, east, south and west by the village land of Patila-Chandra and the District Board Road.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Messrs. Martin and Company 6 and 7, Clive Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 2285R.—The 29th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, for a public purpose, viz.; for enlarging the area of the existing Railway brick-field at Navasan Railway Station, in the village of Buruzbagan, pargana Mulghar, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 59 bighas and 13 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Betna river, on the south by the District Board road, on the east by the Daipara ghat road and west by the Eastern Bengal State Railway land, is required within the aforesaid village of Buruzbagan.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Bangaon.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Patna.

No. 2286R.—The 29th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for Police Sub-Inspector, Inspector and two head-constables' quarters, at Allumganj police-station, in the village of Allumganj, pargana Azimabad, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 9 cottahs and 9·36 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the road to Patna City, Allumganj police-station,
East—By a lane and the house of Durga Choudhuri,
South—By the *parti* land of Hoshiar Singh, and
West—By the Bungalow of Hoshiar Singh,

is required within the aforesaid village of Allumganj.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Patna City.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION

Saran.

No. 2288.—The 30th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for road diversion in mile No. 249 in Savan Thawe Extension of the Bengal and North-Western Railway, in the village of Harkhauli, pargana Kuari, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 2 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the field of Bishuni, Jhakari, &c.,
East—By the diversion road,
South—By the field of Naek Nakched Mahto and Railway compound,
West—By the District Board road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Harkhauli.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Saran.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2289.—The 30th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a barrack for constables in the village of Nadiha, pargana Purulia, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 19 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

North—By Nunia Doshad's, Gopal Manji's, Kanai Mahato's, Radhanath Mahato's, Magaram and Kinoo Mahato's house,
South—By Bistoo Mukherji's compound walls and Matla Napit's house,
East—By Tonoo Roy and Lalu Mahato's houses,
West—By the Chaibassa Road and District Board's waste land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Nadiha, pargana Purulia, district Manbhum.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Manbhum.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2290.—The 30th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a barrack for constables in the village of Purulia, pargana Churra, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

North—By Madhu Pande's waste land,
South—By Bankura-Purulia Road,
East—By Pleader Nil Kanta Chatarji's house,
West—By Kurmipara Lane,

is required within the aforesaid village of Purulia, pargana Churrah, district Manbhum.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Manbhum.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2291.—The 30th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for drainage of station and new Loco. yard along Patna-Gaya Railway, in the villages of Kundi, Nawadah and Baragibigha, parganas Sonout and Pahra, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, four pieces of land measuring, more or less, 18 bighas 19 cottahs and 5½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the (1) east and south by the land of Patna-Gaya Railway, north by the land of village Kundi, and west by the land of villages Kundi and Nawadah; (2) north, south and east by the land of Patna-Gaya Railway, and west by the land of village Nawadah; (3) north and east by the land of Patna-Gaya Railway, south by the land of the Gaya District Board, and west by the land of village Nawadah; (4) south and east by the land of Patna-Gaya Railway, north by the land of Gaya District Board, and west by the land of villages Nawadah and Baragibigha, are required within the aforesaid villages of Kundi, Nawadah and Baragibigha.

Gaya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Gaya.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PROVINCIAL SURVEYS, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION No. $\frac{2}{E\text{-}9}$

MR. A. B. SMART (Jr.), Sub-Assistant Superintendent, first grade, and Personal Assistant to Superintendent, Provincial Surveys, Bengal, has been granted privilege leave on medical certificate for two months, with effect from 19th May 1908, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations.

F. C. HIRST, CAPTAIN, I A.,
Offg. Superintendent of Provincial Bengal, Survey.

HAZARIBAGH, *the 18th June 1908.*

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

REGISTRATION.

No. 1016T.G.—The 18th June 1908.—Babu Susil Kumar Chackrabatti, Head-Clerk in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Basudebpur, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Basudebpur, with effect from the 28th May 1908, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kamakhya Kumar Banarji, the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 1018T.G.—The 18th June 1908.—Babu Gopi Krishna, fifth grade Sub-Registrar, Arrah, in the district of Shahabad, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar, Arraria, in the district of Purnea, with effect from the 23rd May 1908, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Gopi Lal, Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

Shahabad. Purnea.

No. 1037T.G.—The 18th June 1908.—Babu Satindra Nath Sen, Sub-Registrar, Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, was granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six days, from the 25th to the 30th May 1908, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 30th May 1908.

He is also permitted to affix the 31st May 1908 (Sunday) to his leave.

Khulna.

No. 1039T.G.—The 18th June 1908.—Babu Sushil Kumar Gangali, Probationary Deputy Collector, Bagerhat, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of that place, during the absence on leave of the permanent Sub-Registrar, with effect from the afternoon of the 24th April 1908.

Bagerhat.

No. 1041T.G.—The 18th June 1908.—Babu Mathura Prasad, Probationer, Bankipore, in the district of Patna, is transferred to Chapra, in the district of Saran.

Patna. Saran.

No. 1082T.G.—The 19th June 1908.—Babu Radha Nath Mahanti, Sub-Registrar, Khurda, in the district of Puri, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Naba Kishore Das, with effect from the forenoon of the 6th May 1908.

Puri.

No. 2768.—The 29th June 1908.—Babu Srish Chandra Chakrabatti, District Sub-Registrar, Birbhum, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, with effect from the 14th May 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Birbhum.

No. 2770.—The 29th June 1908.—Lala Ashutosh, Probationary Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of that district, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Birbhum.

No. 2772.—The 29th June 1908.—Babu Hem Chandra Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar, Gopiballabhpur, in the district of Midnapore, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 12th June 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Midnapore.

No. 2786.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Sachipati Roy, Sub-Registrar of Jara, in the district of Midnapore, is granted combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for two months and twenty-one days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd March 1908.

Midnapore.

This cancels the Notification No. 2608, dated the 27th April 1908.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 240T.-S.R.—The 25th June 1908.—Babu Ajay Chandra Das, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Singhbhum, *vice* Babu Gyanendra Nath Banarji, and, under section 40 of the Act II of 1886, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Singhbhum.

No. 249T.-O.—The 25th June 1908.—Mr. G. C. R. Nicholson, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Etawah, is granted combined leave for two years, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations, with effect from the 14th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Etawah.

No. 251T.-O.—The 25th June 1908.—Mr. A. H. Biss, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Bihar Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 51T.-O., dated the 11th May 1908.

Bihar Agency.

No. 433-O.—The 30th June 1908.—Mr. C. C. Lincoln, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Shahabad, is granted privilege leave for one month, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Shahabad.

Mr. A. Burt, Assistant Opium Agent, Tehta (Gaya), is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Shahabad, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. C. Lincoln.

Gaya.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3418A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1603A.D.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Rajendra Nath Ray, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Jangipur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes, for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Jangipur Munsifi.

Murshidabad.

No. 1790A.D.—The 27th June 1908.—Babu Baidya Nath Ghatak, Munsif of Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed temporarily to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif of Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Raghunathpur.

Hooghly. Chota Nagpur.

No. 1806A.D.—The 27th June 1908.—Babu Shiba Nandan Prasad, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Purnea, to be ordinarily stationed at Kishanganj, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Usman Ali, or until further orders.

Purnea.

No. 1852A.D.—The 29th June 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Sarkar, Munsif, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Khulna, *vice* Babu Purna Chandra De, about to retire, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Khulna.

Khulna.

LEAVE.

No. 3415A.—The 18th June 1908.—Babu Banwari Lal Gossain, Munsif of Contai, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 13th May 1908.

Midnapore.

No. 3416A.—The 22nd June 1908.—Babu Durga Kanta Ray, Munsif of Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, is allowed leave for one month and twenty days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Murshidabad.

POWERS.

No. 1703A.D.—The 24th June 1908.—Mr. E. A. Guest, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Gobindpur subdivision of the Manbhum district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Manbhum.

No. 1707A.D.—The 24th June 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Nanda Kishor Tripathi, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Babu Nanda Kishor Tripathi is also vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Sonthal Pargs.

No. 1727A.D.—The 25th June 1908.—Mr. J. Byrne, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Ranchi.

No. 1776A.D.—The 27th June 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Ray, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Monghyr.

No. 1788A.D.—The 27th June 1908.—Babu Ram Narayan Sarkar, Subordinate Judge, Birbhum, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500 within the local limits of the Suri Munsifi.

Birbhum.

No. 1792A.D.—The 27th June 1908.—Mr. B. A. Collins, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been appointed temporarily to have charge of the Gopalganj subdivision of the Saran district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Saran.

No. 1834A.D.—The 29th June 1908.—Babu Mati Lal Ray, Deputy Magistrate, Burdwan, is vested with powers under section 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Burdwan.

No. 1846A.D.—The 29th June 1908.—The Deputy Magistrates, named below, are vested with powers under section 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure:—

Monghyr.

Mr. Sultan Saiyid Saadat Husain, Monghyr.
„ Piyara Mirza, Monghyr.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1240J.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Umesh Chandra Mukharji to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Kalna Independent Bench in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 1242J.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Jogesh Chandra Mukharji to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Kalna Independent Bench, in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 1249J.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Mongal Prosad Chaube to be a Magistrate of the third class at Mokameh, in the district of Patna, for a period of three years from the date of this notification. He will try such cases arising within the limits of the Mokameh thana as may be made over to him by the Sub-divisional Officer of Barh. He is also empowered to take cognizance, under section 190 (1) (*b*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, of offences under section 34 of Act V of 1861.

Patna.

POWERS.

No. 1244J.D.—The 27th June 1908.—Babu Birsingh Ray, an Honorary Magistrate of the Kalna Independent Bench, in the district of Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Burdwan.

No. 1253J.D.—The 27th June 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Muhammad Zahur Alam Chaudhuri, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Roserha, in the district of Darbhanga, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Darbhanga.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1217J.D.—The 24th June 1908.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Gani, authorizing him to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the police-station of Kougaon, in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 1218J.D.—The 24th June 1908.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Gani, appointing him Kazi of thana Kougaon, in the district of Burdwan for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions

Burdwan.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1249P.D.—The 22nd June 1908.—Under section 4 (*i*), clause 8 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal declares the undermentioned police-stations on the East Indian Railway within the limits of Bengal to be Government Railway police-stations for the local areas noted against them :—

Gaya.
Hazaribagh.
Manbhum.

Police-station.	Magisterial district.	Jurisdiction according to mileage of railway.	Railway stations within jurisdiction of police-station.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
arpur ...	Gaya ...	From Manpur ... 43—8 to 33-0	1. Bandhua. 2. Tankuppa. 3. Paharpur. 4. Gurpa. 5. Dilwa. 6. Gujhandi. 7. Kodarma. 8. Hirodih.	
Gomoh ...	Hazaribagh ...	34 to 101 ...	9. Jainagar. 10. Parasnbad. 11. Chole. 12. Hazaribagh Road 13. Chichaki. 14. Chawdhari-band. 15. Paresnath 16. Nimiaghat. 17. Gomoh.	
Dhanbaid ...	Manbhum ...	102 to 114¾ ..	18. Mafari 19. Titalmari.	

No. 1250P.D.—The 22nd June 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon the Subdivisional Officer of Gobindpur all the powers conferred by that Code on a Magistrate of the first class in respect of offences committed within the jurisdiction of Gomoh Government Railway police-station.

Hazaribagh.

No 1251P.D.—The 22nd June 1908.—Whereas it is declared by section 131 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), that any person committing any offence against that Act or any rule thereunder shall be triable for such offence in any place which the Local Government may notify in that behalf or any other place referred to in that section :

Manbhum.

In exercise of the power conferred upon him by the said section, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that any person committing any such offence between the boundary of the Hazaribagh and Gaya districts on the Gaya-Katrasgarh Branch line of the East Indian Railway and the junction of the new line with the old line at Dhanbaid shall be triable in any place within the jurisdiction of the Sub-divisional Officer of Gobindpur.

No. 1342P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—It is notified for general information that Government has sanctioned the insertion of the following rule in the rules for the recruitment of Sub-Inspectors of Police which were issued with notification No. 3334P., dated the 12th August 1907, and published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th idem :—

"13A.—The Inspector-General may discharge a probationary Sub-Inspector at any time prior to his confirmation if he is satisfied that the probationer is not likely to make a satisfactory Police officer.

No. 1356P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Gopal Chandra Chakrabatti, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. V—Goalpara, in thana Khulna, in the district of Khulna, *vice* Babu Panchanan Chakrabatti, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Khulna.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Gopal Chandra Chakrabatti for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 1357P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—The notification No. 3395J.D., dated the 28th July 1905, published at page 1357, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd August 1905, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Panchanan Chakrabatti, as President of the panchayat of Union V—Goalpara, in thana Khulna, in the district of Khulna, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Khulna.

No. 1358P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Ambika Charan Sarkar, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. V—Kondokhola, in thana Santipur, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Sarada Prasad Biswas, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Ambika Charan Sarkar for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 1361P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Munshi Abdul Biswas, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XIII—Ramnagar, in thana Damurhuda, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Saiyid Tajmul Ali, *transferred*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Munshi Abdul Biswas for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 1362P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—The Notification No. 1286P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1362 to 1365, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Saiyid Tajmul Ali, as President of the panchayat of Union No. XIII—Ramnagar, in thana Damurhuda, in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 1364P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Ganapati Chakrabatti, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XIII—Titudaha, in thana Chuadanga, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Priya Nath Banarji, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Ganapati Chakrabatti for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 1366P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Dwaraka Nath Biswas, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. X—Natidanga, in thana Alamdanga, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Munshi Audhari Biswas,

Nadia.

deceased, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Dwaraka Nath Biswas for the period not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

Nadia.

No. 1368P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Srinath Bhattacharji, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. VII—Madna, in thana Damurhuda, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Ram Gopal Bhattacharji, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Srinath Bhattacharji for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

Nadia.

No. 1370P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Jatindra Nath Sarkar, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. IX—Ratui-para, in thana Kushtia, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Sitanath Sarkar, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Jatindra Nath Sarkar for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continue to hold the office of President of panchayat.

Burdwan.

No. 1379P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Hari Pada Mukharji, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of the Baghnapara Union, in thana Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Utanka Lal Mukharji, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Hari Pada Mukharji for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

Burdwan.

No. 1380P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—The Notification No. 3870J., dated the 17th November 1905, published at pages 1944 and 1945, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Utanka Lal Mukharji, as President of the panchayat of the Baghnapara Union, in thana Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Sambalpur.

No. 1382P.D.—The 27th June 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 141 and 147A of the Central Provinces Land-revenue Act, 1881 (XVIII of 1881), *read* with section 3 of the Bengal and Assam Laws Act, 1905 (VII of 1905), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make, for the district of Sambalpur, the following amendments in the rules under the said sections 141 and 147A, which are published in Volume I of the Central Provinces Revenue Manual, 1906:—

1. *After* rule (*t*) (*v*) on page 171 of the said Volume, *insert* the following:—

"(*u*) to hold a roll call, at such times and at such places within his village as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, of persons specially placed under surveillance by the Superintendent of Police whose names are from time to time communicated to him in writing by the Police-officer in charge of the Thana or Outpost in which his village is situated; and to report in writing to such Police-officer, through the village-watchman, on the day on which such watchman next goes to the said Thana or Outpost, after the holding of such roll call, the names of all absentees and the dates on which they were

(*e*) if he is disorderly, or if he is otherwise in such a state, or is conducting himself in such a manner, as to cause or to be likely to cause annoyance to other passengers, or

(*f*) when the vessel, or the part thereof to which such person seeks admission, already contains the maximum number of passengers which may lawfully be carried therein.

Payment of fares, and use of tickets.

2. (*1*) No passenger shall—

(*a*) travel or attempt to travel in an inland steam-vessel without having previously paid his fare, or

(*b*) travel or attempt to travel in accommodation of a higher class than that for which his fare has been paid, or

(*c*) travel beyond the place to which his fare has been paid, without previously paying the additional fare in respect of the additional distance, or

(*d*) use or attempt to use a ticket on any day for which such ticket is not available, or

(*e*) transfer or attempt to transfer a ticket, or

(*f*) take or attempt to take luggage with him without having previously paid the freight (if any) payable in respect thereof.

(*2*) Every passenger by an inland steam-vessel shall, when required by the master or any person authorised in this behalf by the master or owner,—

(*i*) pay his fare, if not already paid,

(*ii*) present his ticket for examination, and

(*iii*) at or near the end of the journey for which his ticket was issued, deliver up such ticket.

(*3*) No passenger shall alter or deface his ticket so as to render illegible the date or number or any other material portion thereof.

Conduct of passengers.

3. (*1*) No passenger shall take or keep on board an inland steam-vessel any decayed meat, fish or vegetable, or any other offensive article.

(*2*) No passenger by an inland steam-vessel shall—

(*a*) obstruct or impede the master or any other officer of the vessel in the discharge of his duties, or

(*b*) in any way obstruct or interfere with the loading or unloading of luggage or cargo, or

(*c*) damage or attempt to damage the vessel or any article on board thereof, or

(*d*) enter or leave, or attempt to enter or leave, any inland steam-vessel when such vessel is in motion, or

(*e*) without lawful excuse, enter a compartment or place reserved for the use of another passenger, or refuse to leave it when required to do so by the master or any other officer of the vessel, or

(*f*) smoke, or be in possession of a fire or light, in any part of the vessel whtsa smoking or the possession of a fire or light is not permitted by the master thereof, or

(*g*) be drunk and disorderly, or drunk and incapable of taking care of himself, or

(*h*) commit any nuisance or act of indecency, or use obscene or abusive language, or

(*i*) without lawful excuse, molest or interfere with the comfort of any other passenger.

(*3*) No male passenger by an inland steam-vessel, knowing that a compartment or place has been reserved for the exclusive use of females, shall enter such compartment or place without lawful excuse, or, having entered it, shall remain therein after being required by the master or any other officer of the vessel to leave it.

Power to require passengers to leave vessel.

4. The master, or any employé authorised in this behalf by the owner or master, of any inland steam-vessel may require the following passengers to leave the vessel, namely :—

(*a*) insane passengers, and their attendants (if any), when they have embarked without the special permission of the master or of some employé authorised as aforesaid,

(*b*) passengers suffering from an infectious or contagious disease, when they have embarked without the special permission of the master or of some employé authorised as aforesaid, and are not subject to the rules made under sections 51 and 51A of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884, and published under Notification No. 16Marine, dated the 5th March 1907,

(*c*) passengers who are drunk and incapable of taking care of themselves,

(*d*) passengers who are disorderly, or are otherwise in such a state, or are conducting themselves in such a manner, as to cause or be likely to cause annoyance to other passengers,

(*e*) any passengers who have embarked in excess of the maximum number of passengers which may lawfully be carried in the vessel or in the part thereof in which they propose to travel, and

(*f*) passengers who have not paid their fare.

5. A person who has, under rule 1, been refused admission to an inland steam-vessels shall not embark thereon; and a person who is required under rule 4 to leave an inland steam-vessel shall leave at such convenient time and place as the master may direct:

Obligation to obey direction under rule 1 or rule 4.

Provided that any person who is refused admission under clause (*f*) of rule 1 or is required under clause (*e*) of rule 4 to leave shall be entitled to have his fare returned to him.

6. Any passenger who, with intent to defraud, commits any breach of rule 2, and any person who commits any breach of rule 3 or rule 5, shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

Penalty.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th June 1908.

No. 123.—Mr. P. O. Wight, Overseer, 1st grade, Circular and Eastern Canals Division, is granted, under articles 260, 336 and 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined leave for thirteen months, viz, privilege leave for one month and ten days and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, with effect from 1st July 1908 or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 124.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Basu, Overseer, 1st grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Eastern Sone to the Arrah Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3419A.

No. 1709A.D.—The 24th June 1908.—Babu Indu Shekhar Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Presidency Division, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Presidency Divn.

No. 1782A.D.—The 27th June 1908.—Babu Chhabi Lal Singh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th June 1908.

Darjeeling.

No. 1817A.D.—The 29th June 1908.—Babu Banshidhar Naik, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Orissa Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Sambalpur district.

Sambalpur.

No. 1819A.D.—The 29th June 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Akbar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Orissa Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Cuttack district.

Cuttack.

No. 1822A.D.—The 29th June 1908.—Babu Kshetra Mohan Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hazaribagh, is allowed leave without allowances for five months, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Hazaribagh.

No. 1824A.D.—The 29th June 1908.—Babu Hara Krishna Naik, Sub-Deputy Collector, Orissa Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Balasore district.

Balasore.

No. 1826A.D.—The 29th June 1908.—Babu Madhab Chandra Misra, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allotted to the Chota Nagpur Division, and is posted to Hazaribagh, on being relieved of his Settlement duties in Orissa.

Orissa Division. Hazaribagh.

This cancels so much of the Notification No. 1340A.D., dated the 13th June 1908, as relates to the posting of Babu Madhab Chandra Misra to the Orissa Division.

Orissa Division.

No. 1874A.D.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Haridas Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bankura, is transferred to the Chota Nagpur Division, and is posted to Ranchi.

Bankura. Ranchi.

No. 1884A.D.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Probhat Chandra Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district, on being relieved of his appointment as Superintendent, Orphanganj Government market, Kidderpore. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Calcutta. Jessore.

No. 1888A.D.—The 30th June 1908.—Mr. Vernon Mackie Bonarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed as Superintendent of the Orphanganj Government Market at Kidderpore.

Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

respectively absent; and, on the return of each absentee, to ascertain from him where he has been, and to forward to such Police-officer, in the same manner, a written abstract of the statements of each such absentee;

(*v*) to report in writing to such Police-officer, in the same manner, any information which he has been able to obtain regarding the whereabouts of any person referred to in clause (*u*) who is absent from his village, including the name of the village to which he has gone and the name of the person with whom he is staying;

(*w*) to report in writing to such Police-officer, in the same manner, the presence of any strange Gundá, Ghasi or Kol or any other suspicious stranger in his village, together with any information which he has been able to obtain from such stranger or from other persons as to where he has come from."

2. *After* item 12 in the table on page 172 of the said Volume *insert* the following:—

"13.	Under rule (*u*) (*v*) or (*w*) (reports relating to the movements of suspicious persons)	The Police-officer in charge of the Thana or Outpost in which the village is situated."

3. *After* rule 12 (*v*) (*b*) on page 183 of the said Volume *insert* the following:—

"(*VA*) to watch wandering gangs until they have entered another village, and then to call the village-watchman of that village and show them to him,

(*VB*) when any wandering gangs have been shown to him by another village-watchman under clause (*VA*), to watch them until they have entered another village, and then to call the village-watchman of that village and show them to him."

4. *After* the words "connected with" in rule 12 (*x*) on page 183 of the said Volume *insert* the following:—

"the reporting of the movements of suspected persons."

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th June 1908.

No. 128.—With reference to Bengal Government Notification No. 107, dated the 8th June 1908, Mr. W. G. Melvin, temporary Engineer under covenant, is appointed to hold charge of the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division during the absence of Mr. Addams-Williams, on leave.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th June 1908.

No. 130.—Mr. A. K Taylor, Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 3rd July 1908, or such date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 131.—Mr. R. J. Browne, Electrical Inspector, Bengal, is appointed to hold charge of the Electrical Division, in addition to his own duties, during the absence of Mr. Taylor on leave.

The 30th June 1908.

No. 135.—Mr. G. W. Disney, Superintendent, Famine Surveys, North Bihar, is vested with the powers of an Inspector of Local Works for the districts of Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga for the purposes of sections 18 and 26 (*a*) of the Bengal Famine Code, 1905.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 29th June 1908.

No. 12R.—Notification.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land in the district of Singhbhum is likely to be needed for a public purpose, namely, for the construction by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company of a line of Railway from Kalimati Station on that Railway through the villages of Haldipukar and Boalda, in the Singhbhum district, to the Gurmasini Hills, in the Mourbhanj State, an approximate distance of 43 miles:

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that in exercise of the power conferrred by section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized the Engineers of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for the time being engaged on this undertaking to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in that section.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 30th June 1908.

No. 72Marine.—In the draft rule with respect to the knowledge of "First Aid to the Injured" to be required from candidates for certificates of competency as Master or Mate, which was published under Notification No. 68Marine, dated the 19th June 1908, *for* rule 96A *substitute* the following:—

96A. Recipients of Government awards can have the fact stamped on their certificates of competency on application to the Port Officer, Calcutta.

Government awards.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 30th June 1908.

No. 73Marine.—The following rules which it is proposed to add to the rules made under sections 51 and 51A of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884, as amended by the Indian Steam-ships Law Amendment Act, 1890, for the protection of passengers in river steamers against the spread of plague and other dangerous epidemic disease by persons travelling in such steamers, and issued under the Notification of this Government No. 16Marine, dated the 5th March 1907, are published for the information of persons likely to be affected by them. The proposed additional rules will be taken into consideration on the 15th August 1908, and the Lieutenant-Governor will be glad to consider any suggestions or observation which may be made by any person concerning them within that period:—

Rule 1 (3).—At any station within the Port of Calcutta, the report shall be made to the Health Officer of the Port.

Rule 3 (3).—Within the Port of Calcutta the Health Officer of the Port shall perform these duties.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 22nd June 1908.

No. 69Marine.—The following draft of rules to regulate the carriage of passengers in inland steam-vessels, which it is proposed to make under section 51 of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884 (VI of 1884), in supersession of the rules published in page 25 of the Appendix to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th January 1888, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st August 1908, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

1. The master, or any employé authorised in this behalf by the owner or master, of any inland steam-vessel may refuse to admit any person to the vessel as a passenger—

Power to refuse admission of passengers to vessel.

(*a*) if he has not paid his fare, or
(*b*) if he is insane, or
(*c*) if he is suffering from an infectious or contagious disease, or
(*d*) if he is drunk and incapable of taking care of himself, or

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5265, dated Calcutta, the 29th June 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. E. Sunder, I.M.S., made over charge of the Gaya Jail to Captain E. O Thurston, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 16th June 1908.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2020D., dated Darjeeling, the 27th June 1908.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Neogi, of the Sadar Charitable Dispensary, Midnapore, is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the same Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 2023D, dated Darjeeling, the 27th June 1908.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Jamini Kanta Mukharji, of the Contai subdivision and Dispensary, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to act at the Sadar Charitable Dispensary of that district during the absence, on leave, of first grade Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Neogi, or until further orders.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU AMARENDRA NATH PAL CHOWDHURY has been placed in charge of the Nadia Treasury from the forenoon of the 10th June 1908 and authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN, CALCUTTA, *the 25th June 1908.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU AKSHOY KUMAR SUR has been placed in charge of the Murshidabad Treasury from the forenoon of the 22nd June 1908 and authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th June 1908.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR SAHIBZADA WALI MUHAMMAD SHAH, who has been placed in charge of the Gaya Treasury for the period from the 13th to the 30th June 1908, *vice* Babu Nagendra Nath Gupta, is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

A. EARLE, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 22nd June 1908.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU NARENDRA NATH DATTA has this day afternoon been placed in charge of the Ranchi Treasury, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Bagchi and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

H. L. STEPHENSON, *Deputy Commissioner.*

RANCHI, *the 25th June 1908.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned Mukhtar having withdrawn the security deposited by him under the rules of the Court has ceased to be a Mukhtar of the High Court on its Appellate Side. His certificate has been cancelled and his name removed from the roll.—

Name.	No. in the Register.
Gonesh Chandra Banerjee.	4 of 1903.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN, *Registrar.*

HIGH COURT, ENGLISH DEPARTMENT, *the 23rd June 1908.*

Sheriff's Office, the 3rd June 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the third Criminal Sessions of the year 1908 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the first day of July next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute

G. H. SUTHERLAND, *Sheriff*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৮ সাল তারিখ ৩রা জুন।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে যুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতায় ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৮ সালের ১লা জুলাই বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়নের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতায় হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৮ সালের তৃতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

জিঃ এইচঃ সাদারলণ্ড, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 22nd June 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Sirkar, M.A., who was appointed temporarily as an Assistant Head Master in the Chapra Zilla School and to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, under the orders of the 26th March 1907, is confirmed in his appointment and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 1st May 1908.

The 26th June 1908.—Babu Bankim Chandra Mazumdar, Third Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hooghly (substantively *pro tempore* in class VI), was absent on leave for 12 days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th June 1908.

The 29th June 1908.—Maulvi Mohsin Ali, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Nadia (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for two months and fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th June 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Maulvi Muhammad Wazir, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Khulna, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month, outside the grades of the Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed to act as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Nadia, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Mohsin Ali.

Babu Durga Das Ghosh, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Birbhum (class V), is allowed leave of absence for one month and-a-half, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st June 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Purna Chandra Nandi, Assistant Sub-Inspector of Schools, Suri (class III of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Birbhum and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Durga Das Ghosh, on leave.

The following arrangements are sanctioned :—

(1) Babu Kali Pada Bhattacharjia, B.A., Assistant Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasa (class IV), is appointed to be Assistant Head Master of the same institution on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Maulvi Mahmud, transferred.

(2) Babu Upendra Nath Roy, B.A., is appointed, on probation for one year, to be Assistant Master of the Anglo-Persian Department of the Calcutta Madrasa and substantively *pro tempore* to class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service with effect from the 22nd April 1908, *vice* Babu Kali Pada Bhattacharjia.

The 30th June 1908.—The following confirmations and promotions in the Subordinate Educational Service are sanctioned :—

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to Class III.*

(1) Babu Krishna Lal Chatterjea, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Hare School, with effect from the 25th August 1906, *vice* Babu Kali Pada Sarkar, promoted to class II.

(2) „ Amrita Lal Chatterjea, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Burdwan, with effect from the 14th May 1907, *vice* Babu Rama Nath Das, promoted to class II.

(3) „ Kedar Nath Mukherjea, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Burdwan, with effect from the 29th May 1907, *vice* Babu Abinash Chandra Sen, promoted to class II.

(4) „ Khetra Mohan Banerjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Hare School, with effect from the 30th September 1907, *vice* Babu Manmatha Nath Rudra, promoted to the Provincial Educational Service.

(5) „ Jnanendra Lal Sen, B.A., Head Master, Gaya Zilla School, with effect from the 15th October 1907, *vice* Mr. C. S. Price, promoted to class II.

Confirmed in Class IV.

(1) Babu Rajendra Prasad, Assistant Head Master, Patna Training School, and now Officiating Head Master, Monghyr Zilla School, with effect from the 14th April 1906, *vice* Babu Sasadhar Sen, deceased.

(2) „ Prakash Chandra Majumdar, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Darjeeling High School, on leave, with effect from the 26th February 1907, *vice* Babu Krishna Chandra Banerjea, deceased.

Promoted to Class IV.

(1) Maulvi Muhammad Raziuddin, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah, with effect from the 25th March 1907, *vice* Babu Mon Mohan Chakravarti, deceased.

(2) Babu Barada Kanta Datta, Teacher of Advanced Freehand, Government School of Art, with effect from the 1st July 1907, *vice* Babu Sarada Prasad Banerjea, retired.

(3) „ Mati Lal Mukerjea, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Monghyr, on probation, with effect from the 11th August 1907, *vice* Babu Trisuldhari Singha, retired.

(4) „ Manmatha Nath Ray, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Cuttack Training and Ravenshaw Collegiate Schools, with effect from the 28th August 1907, *vice* Babu Behari Lal Chaube, retired.

(5) Mr. J. Elliott, Teacher of Engineering in the Technical class of the Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, with effect from the 5th September 1907, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Banerjea, deceased.

(6) Miss Ida D'Cruz, B.A., Assistant Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, with effect from the 20th September 1907, *vice* Babu Umes Chandra Sen, retired.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to Class IV.*

(1) Maulvi Muhammad Razinddin, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah, with effect from the 14th April 1906, *vice* Babu Rajendra Prasad.

(2) Babu Barada Kanta Datta, Teacher of Advanced Freehand, Government School of Art, with effect from the 25th August 1906, *vice* Babu Krishna Lal Chatterjea.

(3) „ Mati Lal Mukerjea, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Monghyr, on probation, with effect from the 26th February 1907, *vice* Babu Prakash Chandra Majumdar.

(4) „ Manmatha Nath Ray, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Cuttack Training and Ravenshaw Collegiate Schools, with effect from the 25th March 1907, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Raziuddin.

(5) Mr. J. Elliott, Teacher of Engineering in the Technical Class of the Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, with effect from the 27th March 1907, *vice* Mr. A. G. Heeke, promoted to the Provincial Educational Service.

(6) Miss Ida D'Cruz, B.A., Assistant Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, with effect from the 14th May 1907, *vice* Babu Amrita Lal Chatterjea.

(7) „ Jessie Russell, Assistant Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, with effect from the 29th May 1907, *vice* Babu Kedar Nath Mukerjea.

(8) Babu Braja Ballav Ghosh, Head Clerk, Office of the Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division, with effect from the 1st July 1907, *vice* Babu Barada Kanta Datta.

(9) Babu Mahendra Nath Lahiri, Assistant Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School with effect from the 11th August 1907, *vice* Babu Mati Lal Mukerjea.

(10) ,, Hari Pada Chatterjea, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Patna Collegiate School, with effect from the 28th August 1907, *vice* Babu Manmatha Nath Ray.

(11) ,, Narayan Prasad Mahanty, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Cuttack, with effect from the 5th September 1907, *vice* Mr. J. Elliott.

(12) ,, Amulyadhan Banerjea, M.A., Lecturer, Hooghly College, and now Officiating Professor, Ravenshaw College, with effect from the 20th September 1907, *vice* Miss Ida D'Cruz.

(13) ,, Hari Lal Chaudhury, M.A., Lecturer, Patna College, and now Officiating Professor in that College, with effect from the 30th September 1907, *vice* Babu Khetra Mohan Banerjea.

(14) ,, Sripati Mullick, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Chapra Zilla School, with effect from the 15th October 1907, *vice* Babu Jnanendra Lal Sen.

Confirmed in Class V.

(1) Babu Nil Madhab Barik, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Bankura Zilla School, with effect from the 14th April 1906, *vice* Babu Rajendra Prasad.

(2) ,, Suraj Mohan Ray, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore, with effect from the 1st May 1906, *vice* Babu Tarak Ram Dube, retired.

(3) Pandit Thakur Prasad Acharjee, Lecturer on Panini and Vedanta, Sanskrit College, with effect from the 9th August 1906, in the resulting vacancy consequent on the promotion of Babu Gopi Bhushan Sen, promoted from class III to the Provincial Educational Service.

Promoted to Class V.

(1) Babu Syama Charan Ghosh, Gymnastic Teacher, and Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, with effect from the 11th December 1906, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Kader, appointed to the Provincial Executive Service.

(2) ,, Suresh Chandra Sarkar, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Manbhum, with effect from the 14th December 1906, *vice* Babu Adhar Lal Datta, resigned

(3) ,, Mani Charan Mahapatra, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, Tributary Mahals, Orissa, with effect from the 1st February 1907, in a resulting vacancy in connection with an additional appointment created for the Sambalpur High School.

(4) Maulvi Mohsin Ali, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Nadia, on probation, with effect from the 1st February 1907, in the appointment in this class created for the Sambalpur High School.

(5) Babu Jagannath Das, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Puri, on probation, with effect from the 26th February 1907, *vice* Babu Prakash Chandra Mazumdar.

(6) ,, Sasi Bhushan Chakravarti, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah, on probation, with effect from the 25th March 1907, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Raziuddin.

(7) ,, Upendra Kumar Chattopadhya, Assistant Head Master, Arrah Zilla School, with effect from the 1st April 1907, *vice* Babu Mathura Prasad, retired.

(8) ,, Radha Nath Chatterjea, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Birbhum, with effect from the 9th June 1907, *vice* Babu Jnanendra Nath Mitra, deceased.

(9) ,, Mati Lal Banerjea, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School, with effect from the 1st July 1907, *vice* Babu Barada Kanta Datta.

(10) ,, Ram Chandra Banerjea, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah, with effect from the 11th August 1907, *vice* Babu Mati Lal Mukerjea.

(11) Maulvi Qasimuddin Khan, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Champaran, with effect from the 28th August 1907, *vice* Babu Manmatha Nath Ray.

(12) Babu Sarat Chandra Mukerjea, Head Clerk, Hooghly College, with effect from the 5th September 1907, *vice* Mr. J. Elliott.

(13) Mr. T. A. Gregory, Head Clerk, Office of the Inspector of European Schools with effect from the 20th September 1907, *vice* Miss Ida D'Cruz.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to Class V.*

(1) Babu Syama Charan Ghosh, Gymnastic Teacher and Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, with effect from the 14th April 1906, *vice* Babu Nil Madhab Barik.

(2) Babu Suresh Chandra Sarkar, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Manbhum, with effect from the 21st April 1906, *vice* Babu Hari Narayan Bose, promoted to the Provincial Educational Service.

(3) Babu Mani Charan Mahapatra, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Tributary Mahals, Orissa, with effect from the 1st May 1906, *vice* Babu Suraj Mohan Ray.

(4) „ Maulvi Mohsin Ali, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Nadia, on probation, with effect from the 9th August 1906, *vice* Pandit Thakur Prasad Acharjea.

(5) „ Jagannath Das, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Puri, on probation, with effect from the 11th December 1906, *vice* Babu Syama Charan Ghosh.

(6) „ Sasi Bhushan Chakravarti, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah, on probation, with effect from the 14th December 1906, *vice* Babu Suresh Chandra Sarkar.

(7) „ Upendra Kumar Chattopadhya, Assistant Head Master, Arrah Zilla School, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Babu Mani Charan Mahapatra.

(8) „ Radha Nath Chatterjea, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Birbhum, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Maulvi Mohsin Ali.

(9) „ Mati Lal Banerjea, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School, with effect from the 26th February 1907, *vice* Babu Jagannath Das.

(10) „ Ram Chandra Banerjea, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah, with effect from the 25th March 1907, *vice* Babu Sasi Bhushan Chakravarti.

(11) Maulvi Qasimuddin Khan, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Champaran, with effect from the 27th March 1907, *vice* Mr. J. Elliott.

(12) Babu Sarat Chandra Mukerjea, Head Clerk, Hooghly College, with effect from the 1st April 1907, *vice* Babu Upendra Kumar Chattopadhya.

(13) Mr. T. A. Gregory, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of European Schools, with effect from the 14th May 1907, *vice* Miss Ida D'Cruz.

(14) Babu Kumud Bandhab Chatterjea, M.A., Assistant Master (Grammar Pandit), Sanskrit Collegiate School, with effect from the 29th May 1907, *vice* Miss Jessie Russell

(15) Mr. Edward A. Pinto, Assistant Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, with effect from the 9th June 1907, *vice* Babu Radha Nath Chatterjea.

(16) Babu Sris Chandra Ray, B.A., Clerk, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, with effect from the 1st July 1907, *vice* Babu Mati Lal Banerjea.

(17) „ Baidya Nath Ghoshal, B.A., Assistant Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, with effect from the 11th August 1907, *vice* Babu Ram Chandra Banerjea.

(18) „ Bidhu Bhushan Datta, M.A., Second Assistant, Chemical Laboratory, Presidency College, and now temporary Additional Demonstrator in Chemistry in the same College, with effect from the 28th August 1907, *vice* Maulvi Qasimuddin Khan.

(19) „ Keshab Chandra Sarkar, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools Calcutta, with effect from the 5th September 1907, *vice* Babu Sara Chandra Mukerjea.

(20) „ Charu Chandra Bhattacharjea, M.A., Officiating Laboratory Assistant Presidency College, with effect from the 20th September 1907, *vice* Mr. T. A. Gregory.

(21) „ Dwijendra Nath Mazumdar, M.A., Laboratory Assistant, Presidency College, with effect from the 30th September 1907, *vice* Babu Hari Lal Chaudhury.

(22) Maulvi Syed Hossain Ali, B.A., Assistant Master in the Arabic Department of the Calcutta Madrasah, with effect from the 15th October 1907, *vice* Babu Sripati Mallick.

Confirmed in Class VI.

(1) Babu Abinash Chandra Banerjea, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bankura, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Babu Mani Charan Mahapatra.

(2) „ Makhan Lal Rai Chaudhury, B.A., Assistant Master, Calcutta Training School, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Maulvi Mohsin Ali.

(3) „ Hari Pada Mukherji, B.A., Assistant Master, Birbhum Zilla School, with effect from the 18th March 1907, consequent on the appointment of Babu Srinath Banerjea, to be Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah, in connexion with the scheme for strengthening the inspecting agency.

(4) „ Abhay Charan Sen, Assistant Master, Purulia Zilla School, with effect from the 20th March 1907, consequent on the appointment Babu Srinibash Singha, to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Angul and Central Garjat States, in connexion with the scheme for strengthening the inspecting agency.

(5) „ Kamada Charan Chakravarti, Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering and now Officiating Demonstrator in Chemistry in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, with effect from the 25th March 1907, *vice* Babu Sasi Bhushan Chakravarti.

(6 Babu Tulsi Das Kar, M.A., Laboratory Assistant, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, and now Officiating Demonstrator in Physics in that College, with effect from the 1st April 1907, *vice* Babu Upendra Kumar Chattopadhya.

Promoted to Class VI.

(1) Babu Sarveswar Mukerjea, Assistant Master, Gaya Zilla School, with effect from the 9th June 1907, *vice* Babu Radha Nath Chatterjea.

(2) ,, Rajendra Nath Singha, B.A., Assistant Master, Hare School, with effect the 1st July 1907, *vice* Babu Rajendra Lal Sinha, retired.

(3) ,, Babu Artaballav Ghosh, Head Clerk, Ravenshaw College, with effect from the 8th August 1907, consequent on the appointment of Maulvi Latful Huq, to be Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Murshidabad, in connexion with the scheme for strengthening the inspecting agency.

(4) ,, Kesav Lal Saha, Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, with effect from the 11th August 1907, *vice* Babu Ram Chandra Banerjea.

(5) ,, Girish Chandra Bose, Assistant Master (Science Teacher), Barasat Government School, and now Officiating Head Laboratory Assistant, Chemical Laboratory of the Civil Engineering College, with effect from the 28th August 1907, *vice* Maulvi Qasimuddin Khan.

(6) ,, Chuni Lal Mustafi, Farm Overseer, Hazaribagh Reformatory School, with effect from the 5th September 1907, *vice* Babu Sarat Chandra Mukerjea.

(7) ,, Mahendra Kumar Sen Gupta, Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering, with effect from the 10th April 1908, consequent on the appointment of Babu Suraj Mohan Ray, to be Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore, in connexion with the scheme for strengthening the inspecting agency.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to Class VI.*

(1) Babu Sarveswar Mukerjea, Assistant Master, Gaya Zilla School, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Babu Abinash Chandra Banerjea.

(2) ,, Rajendra Nath Sinha, B.A., Assistant Master, Hare School, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Babu Makhan Lal Rai Chowdhury.

(3) ,, Artaballav Ghosh, Head Clerk, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, with effect from the 18th March 1907, *vice* Babu Hari Pada Mukerjea.

(4) ,, Kesav Lal Saha, Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, with effect from the 20th March 1907, *vice* Babu Abhay Charan Sen.

(5) ,, Giris Chandra Bose, Assistant Master (Science Teacher), Barasat Government School, and now Officiating Head Laboratory Assistant in the Chemical Laboratory of the Civil Engineering College, with effect from the 25th March 1907, *vice* Babu Kamada Charan Chakravarti.

(6) ,, Chuni Lal Mustafi, Farm Overseer, Hazaribagh Reformatory School, with effect from the 1st April 1907, *vice* Babu Tulsi Das Kar.

(7) ,, Mahendra Kumar Sen Gupta, Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering, with effect from the 14th May 1907, *vice* Mr. T. A. Gregory.

(8) ,, Hari Chandra Khan, Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering, with effect from the 29th May 1907, *vice* Babu Kumud Bandhab Chatterjea.

(9) Maulvi Akbar Hossain, Assistant Master, Patna Collegiate School, with effect from the 9th June 1907, *vice* Babu Sarveswar Mukerjea.

(10) Babu Braja Gopal Goswami, Assistant Master (Pandit), Bethune Collegiate School, with effect from the 1st July 1907, *vice* Babu Rajendra Nath Sinha

(11) ,, Kumud Kanta Ukil, B.A., Assistant Master, Muzaffarpur Zilla School, with effect from the 11th July 1907, in the resulting vacancy consequent on the appointment of Babu Abinash Chandra Banerjea, to be Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bankura, in connexion with the scheme for strengthening the inspecting agency.

(12) ,, Kali Prasanna Mukerjea, Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, with effect from the 8th August 1907, *vice* Babu Artaballav Ghosh.

(13) ,, Prasanna Kumar Tarkanidhi, Lecturer on Naya, Sanskrit College, with effect from the 11th August 1907, *vice* Babu Kesav Lal Saha.

(14) ,, Bidhu Bhushan Sen Gupta, M.A., Assistant Master, Hindu School, with effect from the 28th August 1907, *vice* Babu Giris Chandra Bose.

(15) ,, Atul Krishna Neogy, M.A., an Assistant in the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, with effect from the 5th September 1907, *vice* Babu Chuni Lal Mustafi.

(16) ,, Girindra Nath Chatterjea, M.A., Assistant Master, Uttarpara Government School and Officiating Assistant in the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, with effect from the 10th April 1908, *vice* Babu Mahendra Kumar Sen Gupta.

Confirmed in Class VII.

(1) Babu Deves Chandra Vidyaratna, Assistant Master (First Grammar Pandit), Sanskrit Collegiate School, with effect from the 3rd February 1906, *vice* Babu Braja Lal Adhikari, retired.

(2) Muhammad Abdul Aziz, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Bhagalpur Zilla School, with effect from the 3rd August 1906, *vice* Babu Satis Chandra Roy, resigned.

(3) Babu Kiran Sasi Datta, Assistant Master, Hare School, with effect from the 14th August 1906, *vice* Babu Jagadindu Ray, resigned.

(4) „ Raghunandan Tripathi, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Patna Training School, with effect from the 15th August 1906, *vice* Babu Arabinda Prakash Ghosh, resigned.

(5) Maulvi Abul Mukaran Fazlul Waheb, Clerk and Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, with effect from the 5th December 1906, *vice* Syed Muhammad Ali Hossain, appointed Sub-Deputy Collector.

(6) Babu Ashutosh Ganguli, B.A., Head Clerk, Office of Inspectress of Schools, Presidency, Burdwan and Orissa Divisions, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Babu Abinash Chandra Banerjea.

(7) „ Jatindra Nath Mukerjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Hindu School, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Babu Makhan Lal Rai Chowdhury.

Promoted to Class VII.

(1) Babu Jadu Nath Ghosh, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khulna, with effect from the 28th February 1907, *vice* Babu Satyarup Misra, deceased.

(2) „ Hari Lal Chakravarti, Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction, with effect from the 18th March 1907, *vice* Babu Hari Pada Mukerjea.

(3) „ Dasarath Misra, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Muzaffarpur Zilla School, with effect from the 20th March 1907, *vice* Babu Abhay Charan Sen.

(4) „ Upendra Nath Mukerjea, Teacher of the Elementary Painting School, Government School of Art, with effect from the 25th March 1907, *vice* Babu Kamada Charan Chakravarti.

(5) „ Narendra Nath Ganguli, B.A., Assistant Master, Hare School, with effect from the 1st April 1907, *vice* Babu Tulsi Das Kar.

(6) „ Kritiman Pradhan, Clerk, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, with effect from the 9th June 1907, *vice* Babu Sarveswar Mukerjea.

(7) Mr. John Nobokishor Sarkar, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas, with effect from the 1st July 1907, *vice* Babu Rajendra Nath Singa.

(8) Babu Sures Chandra Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Master, Cuttack Training School, with effect from the 8th August 1907, *vice* Babu Artaballav Ghosh.

(9) „ Upendra Nath Bhattacharjea, Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction, with effect from the 11th August 1907, *vice* Babu Kesav Lal Shaha.

(10) „ Surendra Nath Banerjea, Drill and Gymnastic Master, Krishnagar College, with effect from the 5th February 1908, *vice* Babu Ugra Prabha Chowdhury, resigned

(11) Maulvi Abdul Hamid, Assistant Master (Urdu Teacher), Ranchi Training School, with effect from the 10th April 1908, *vice* Babu Mahendra Kumar Sen Gupta.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to class VII.*

(1) Babu Jadu Nath Ghosh, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khulna, with effect from the 3rd February 1906, *vice* Babu Deves Chandra Vidyaratna.

(2) „ Hari Lal Chakravarti, Assistant, Office of the Director of Public Instruction, with effect from the 3rd August 1906, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Aziz

(3) „ Dasarath Misra, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Muzaffarpur Zilla School, with effect from the 14th August 1906, *vice* Babu Kiran Sasi Datta.

(4) „ Upendra Nath Mukerjea, Teacher of the Elementary Painting Class, Government School of Art, with effect from the 15th August 1906, *vice* Babu Raghunandan Tripathi.

(5) „ Narendra Nath Ganguli, B.A., Assistant Master, Hare School, with effect from the 15th August 1906, in the resulting vacancy arising from the promotion of Miss Ada E. Stocker to class II.

(6) „ Kritiman Pradhan, Clerk, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, with effect from the 5th December 1906, *vice* Maulvi Abul Mukaran Fazlul Waheb.

(7) Mr. John Nabakishor Sarkar, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas, with effect from the 17th January 1907, *vice* Babu Lalit Kumar Chakravarti, appointed Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Khulna.

(8) Babu Suresh Chandra Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Master, Cuttack Training School, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Ganguli.

(9) ,, Upendra Nath Bhattacharjea, Assistant in the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, with effect from the 1st February 1907, *vice* Babu Jatindra Nath Mukerjea.

(10) ,, Surendra Nath Banerjea, Drill and Gymnastic Master, Krishnagar College, with effect from the 28th February 1907, *vice* Babu Jadu Nath Ghosh.

(11) Maulvi Abdul Hamid, Assistant Master (Urdu Teacher), Ranchi Training School, with effect from the 18th March 1907, *vice* Babu Hari Lal Chakravarti.

(12) Babu Jatindra Mohan Mukerjea, Drawing Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, with effect from the 20th March 1907, *vice* Babu Dasarath Misra.

(13) Maulvi Mir Muhammad, Assistant Master (Urdu Teacher), Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah, with effect from the 25th March 1907, *vice* Babu Upendra Nath Mukarjea.

(14) Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, Drawing Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School, with effect from the 1st April 1907, *vice* Babu Narendra Nath Ganguli.

(15) ,, Maheswar Prosad Singh, Assistant Master, Patna Collegiate School, with effect from the 14th May 1907, *vice* Babu Mahendra Kumar Sen Gupta.

(16) Miss Nagendra Bala Banerjea, Assistant Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School, with effect from the 29th May 1907, *vice* Babu Haris Chandra Khan.

(17) Maulvi Mabub Ali, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Monghyr Zilla School, with effect from the 9th June 1907, *vice* Babu Kritiman Pradhan.

(18) Babu Pramatha Nath Ghosh, Assistant Master, Northbrook School, Darbhanga, with effect from the 20th June 1907, *vice* Babu Chinta Haran Chakravarti, appointed Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Burdwan.

(19) ,, Babu Jogendra Nath Mukerjea, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Model School attached to the Calcutta Training School, with effect from the 1st July 1907, *vice* Mr. John Nabakishor Sarkar.

(20) ,, Purna Chandra Mukerjea, Assistant Master (Pandit), Hooghly Training School, with effect from the 11th July 1907, *vice* Babu Kumud Kanta Ukil.

(21) ,, Jogendra Nath Ganguli, Assistant Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School, with effect from the 8th August 1907, *vice* Babu Sures Chandra Ghosh.

(22) Maulvi Abdur Rahman, Assistant Master (Officiating Head Maulvi), Chapra Zilla School, with effect from the 8th August 1907, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Tarafdar, appointed Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Murshidabad.

(23) Babu Santosh Kumar Das, Teacher, Blackboard Class, Government School of Art, with effect from the 11th August 1907, *vice* Babu Upendra Nath Bhattacharjea.

(24) ,, Hari Das Chatterjea, Assistant Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School, with effect from the 4th December 1907, *vice* Babu Jogendra Nath Bose, appointed Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore.

(25) ,, Gopinath Upadhya, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Chapra Zilla School, with effect from the 5th February 1908, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Banerjea.

(26) ,, Jyotis Chandra Mukerjea, M.A., Teacher of Modern English, B Class Ranchi Industrial School, with effect from the 10th April 1908, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Hamid.

Promoted to Class VIII.

(1) Maulvi Abdul Jalil, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Muzaffarpur Zilla School, with effect from the 3rd February 1906, *vice* Babu Devas Chandra Vidyaratna.

(2) ,, Abul Khair, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction, with effect from 16th February 1906, *vice* Babu Akshay Chandra Sen, deceased.

(3) ,, Muhammad Illahdad Khan, Assistant Master (Maulvi), Darjeeling High School, with effect from the 17th March 1906, *vice* Babu Akshay Chandra Pal, deceased.

(4) Pandit Panchanan Sahityacharya, Assistant Master (Grammar Pandit), Sanskrit Collegiate School, with effect from the 27th May 1906, *vice* Babu Jogesh Chandra Sarkar, deceased.

(5) Babu Brajendra Nath Mullick, Clerk, Government School of Art, with effect from the 3rd August 1906, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Aziz.

(6) ,, Jogendra Nath Banerji, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Orissa Tributary Mahals, with effect from the 16th October 1906, *vice* Babu Uma Charan Mitra, retired.

(7) Maulvi Zahoorul Hossain, Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering, with effect from the 11th January 1907, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Ibraq Ali, deceased.

(8) Babu Ashutosh Dutta, B.A., Assistant Master, Darjeeling High School, with effect from the 18th March 1907, *vice* Babu Hari Lal Chakravarti.

(9) „ Jabez Chandra Misra, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khondmals, with effect from the 6th May 1907, *vice* Babu Bijay Krishna Chatterjee, resigned.

(10) Pandit Tarini Charan Bhattacharjia, Assistant Master (Pandit), Calcutta Model School, attached to the Calcutta Training School, with effect from the 9th June 1907, *vice* Babu Kritiman Pradhan.

(11) „ Mahendra Nath Bhattacharji, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Calcutta Training School, with effect from the 8th August 1907, *vice* Babu Suresh Chandra Ghosh.

(12) Babu Kali Charan Ghosh, Storekeeper, Hazaribagh Reformatory School, with effect from the 5th September 1907, *vice* Babu Manmatha Nath Ganguli, promoted to Rs. 75 outside the grades of the Subordinate Educational Service.

(13) „ Priya Nath Sarkar, Clerk, Office of the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, with effect from the 20th September 1907, *vice* Babu Charu Chandra Bhattacharjea, promoted to class V of the Subordinate Educational Service.

(14) „ Jogendra Nath Das, Drawing Master, Palamau Zilla School, with effect from the 5th February 1908, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Banerjee.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES, INDIA.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

NOTICE.

AN examination for candidates requiring first and second Class Coal Mine Managers Certificates of Competency under the rules applying to coal mines will be held at the Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles Club, Asansol, on the 5th, 6th and 7th August 1908.

Only persons who have had practical experience in a coal mine are eligible for the examination (*vide* Rules 32 and 33). The necessary instructions will be supplied to intending candidates on application to the Department of Mines, 9, Dacre's Lane, Calcutta.

Applications will be received up to the 15th July 1908 inclusive.

J. R. R. WILSON,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd May 1908.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 3283B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 4th August 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of 1905-06 ...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of 1,739 chests of season 1905-06 and 211 chests of season 1906-07	1,950
Total ...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application in the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th August 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th August 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 20th August 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next, on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 1st September 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 13th October „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November „ ..	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	7,800	7,800	15,600

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th June 1908.*

No. 2817B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Wednesday, the 1st July 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of ...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of ...	1,950
Total ...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 6th and 16th July 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 6th July 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 16th July 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th August 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st September „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 13th October „	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November „	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total	9,750	9,750	19,500

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 26th May 1908.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the by-election held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, on Monday, the 15th June 1908, Babu Hari Narayan Sarkar has been duly elected a Commissioner in Ward No. C of the Vishnupur Municipality in the district of Bankura, in the place of Babu Abhay Charan Sarkar, deceased.

S. L. MADDOX, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 23rd June 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on Saturday, the 1st August 1908, in Ward No. II of the Baranagar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to elect a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Basanta Kumar Chaudhuri, who has been removed from the Municipal Board under section 29 (1) (*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, as amended.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th June 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*a*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Sambalpur, in the district of Sambalpur:—

1. The Deputy Commissioner, Sambalpur.
2. The Civil Surgeon, Sambalpur.
3. Mr. J. N. Sen, Sambalpur.
4. The Tahsildar, Sambalpur.
5. Mr. S. K. Chatterjee, Subdivisional Officer (P. W. D.)
6. Seth Chunilall, Sambalpur.
7. Pandit Ram Narain Misra, Sambalpur.
8. Mr. Akhoy Kumar Roy, Sambalpur.
9. Maulvi Ahmad Khan, Sambalpur.
10. Mr. J. Soubelle, Sambalpur.
11. Pandit Basudeo Guru, Sambalpur.

E. V. LEVINGE, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CAMP PURI, *the 23rd June 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Municipal Dispensary at Hajipur, in the district of Muzaffarpur, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Rules for the management of the Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal.

1. Babu Ranjit Prosad, Deputy Magistrate.
2. ,, Gajadhar Prasad.

A. G. HALIFAX, *Additional Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 30th June 1908.*

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PART IA.

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The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDER OF THE STAR OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 26th June 1908.

His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India is pleased to announce that His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in and appointments to the said Order:

To be Knights Commanders.

The Honourable Mr. Edward Norman Baker, C.S.I., Indian Civil Service, Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor-General.

To be Companions.

The Honourable Mr. William Arbuthnot Inglis, Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department (Irrigation, Marine and Railway Branches), and a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations.

By order of the Grand Master,

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

ORDER OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 26th June 1908.

His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire is pleased to announce that His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in and appointments to the said Order:

To be Companions.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Binning, V.D., Commandant, Second (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

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By order of the Grand Master,

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 26th June 1908.

His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on—

The Honourable Mr. Justice Robert Fulton Rampini, Indian Civil Service, Officiating Chief Justice of Bengal.

The Honourable Mr. George Henry Sutherland, Sheriff of Calcutta, and a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer upon the Hon'ble Maharaja-Dhiraj Bijay Chand Mahtab Bahadur, of Burdwan, the title of Maharaja-Dhiraj Bahadur as a hereditary distinction.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer upon Raja Bir Mitradaya Singh Deo, Feudatory Chief of Sonpur, the title of Maharaja as a personal distinction.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer upon Raja Sree Karan Biswanath Bebarta Patnaik, Feudatory Chief of Athgarh, the title of Raja Bahadur as a personal distinction.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Raja, as a personal distinction, upon—

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Babu Bejoy Singh Dhudhuria, Chairman of the Azimganj Municipality.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Mahamahopadhyaya, as a personal distinction, upon—

Kaviraj Bijaya Ratna Sen, Ayurvedic physician of Calcutta.

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His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Khan Bahadur, as a personal distinction, upon—

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Sakhawat Husain, B.A., M.R.A.C., Deputy Collector, Bengal.

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His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Rai Bahadur, as a personal distinction, upon—

Babu Bepin Behari Mukerji, Retired Sub-Judge and Small Cause Court Judge of Calcutta.

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Thakurai Jadu Nath Singh, Zemindar of Ranka in the Palamau district.

Babu Annada Prasad Bagchi, Retired Subordinate Judge.

„ Shib Chandra Banerji, Senior Government Pleader, Muzaffarpur.

„ Narendra Nath Sen, President of the Association for the Advancement of Scientific and Industrial Education of Indians, and Editor of the "Indian Mirror."

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Rai Sahib, as a personal distinction, upon—

Babu Purna Chandra Lahiri, Inspector of Calcutta Police.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

KAISAR-I-HIND MEDAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 26th June 1908.

No. 1486.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to announce that His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to award the Kaisar-i-Hind medal for Public Service in India of the first class to—

William Egerton, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Magistrate and Collector, Darbhanga.
Mrs. D. King, lately of Calcutta.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India, Home Dept.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 27th June 1908.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

SANITARY.

Simla, the 24th June 1908.

No. 1498.—The services of Captain W. C. H. Forster, M.B., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 21st June 1908.

No. 508.—The Reverend G. J. Chree, Presidency Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, Bengal, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-seven days, combined with furlough for six months and four days, with effect from the 8th July 1908, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 509.—The Reverend D. H. Gillan, Junior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland on the Bengal establishment, is appointed to officiate as Presidency Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of the Reverend G. J. Chree.

The 25th June 1908.

No. 511.—The Reverend R. W. H. Stuart, a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical establishment, is promoted to be a Senior Chaplain, with effect from the 10th May 1908.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 23rd June 1908.

No. 5905—5.—Mr. F. D. Lalkaka is appointed an Assistant Collector in Class V of the Imperial Customs Service, with effect from the 10th June 1908, and is posted to Bombay.

The 24th June 1908.

No. 5918—3.—The following officiating promotions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified:

From the 11th May 1908 to the 14th June 1908—

Mr. A. E. Boyd, an Assistant Collector in Class IV and sub. *pro tem.* in Class III, officiated in Class II.

Mr. C. R. Watkins, an Assistant Collector in Class V, officiated in Class IV.

The 25th June 1908.

No. 6007—3.—The following reversions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified, with effect from the 18th June 1908:

Name.	From	To
Mr. G. A. Thomas, I.C.S. ...	Collector, Class II, officiating	Collector, Class III, officiating.
Mr. W. D. R. Prentice, I.C.S	Collector, Class III, officiating.	Assistant Collector, Class I, officiating.
Mr. R. F. L. Whitty, I.C.S.	Assistant Collector, Class I, officiating.	Assistant Collector, Class II, officiating.
Mr. J. H. Garrett, I.C.S. ...	Assistant Collector, Class II, officiating.	Assistant Collector, Class III, officiating.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 26th June 1908.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 542.—Edward Austin Pinto to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Shavier, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 12th March 1908.

A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 489T.M.—The 25th June 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Kurseong to be an *ex-officio* Commissioner of the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Mr. H. T. Kerr, resigned.

Darjeeling.

No. 492T.M.—The 25th June 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 542 (*2*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Ben. Act III of 1899), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following Muhammadan burial grounds in the town of Calcutta shall no longer be used for the disposal of the dead:—

Calcutta.

(*1*) Comu Mia's burial ground at 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-4 and 1-5, Haji Jakaria's Lane;
(*2*) Tasaddak Hossain's burial ground at 25, Munshipara Lane; and
(*3*) Khodabad's burial ground at 22, Munshipara Lane.

2. Notification No. 195T.M., dated the 30th April 1907, published at page 57 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th May 1907, and Notification No. 452M., dated the 6th March 1908, published at page 40 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, are hereby cancelled.

No. 509T.M.—The 25th June 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Bipin Bihari De to be a Commissioner of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Munshi Ghulam Rahman, deceased.

Hooghly.

No. 511T.—L.S.-G.—The 25th June 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr M. Smith to be a member of the District Board of Champaran, *vice* Mr. A. L. Harman, resigned.

Champaran.

No. 513T.M.—The 29th June 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Tikari Municipality in the district of Gaya:—

Gaya.

The Assistant Surgeon, Tikari	*Ex-officio.*	Babu Harbans Lall.
The Sub-Registrar, Tikari		„ Shee Ratan Trivedi.
Mr. A. W. Keith.		Bhagaban Bajpai.
Babu Bishnu Prakash Sen Singh.		Biseswar Misra.
„ Tulshi Prasad.		„ Ajodhya Prasad.
„ Kashi Nath.		Maulvi Saiyid Ahmad Husain Khan.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act, Mr. A. W. Keith to be the Chairman of the above Municipality.

No. 523T.M.—The 27th June 1908.—Under section 15 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the following statement, showing the names and boundaries of wards into which the South Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is to be divided for the purposes of election, and the number of Commissioners to be elected for each ward, is published for general information in modification of the Notification No. 2118T.—M., dated the 28th September 1906, published at page 154 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th October 1906:—

24-Parganas.

Name of Ward.	Boundaries.	Number of Commissioners to be elected.
I. Nona-Chandanpukur...	*North.*—Mauzas Palta, Ichapur and Babanpur ... *South.*—Barasat Road. *East.*—Mauzas Jafferpur and Mohanpur. *West.*—Barrackpore Cantonment.	
II. Chanak	*North.*—Barasat Road, including that road ... *South.*—Drain along the southern boundary of the Viceregal Park, the Barrackpore School Road (this road being included in ward Talpukur), then to north along the Grand Trunk Road, then to east along the Shikiri-para Road continued by Hara Kissen Sarkar's Road (these two roads being included in ward Chanak), then a straight line joining the eastern extremity of Hara Kissen Sarkar's Road with the junction of the mauza boundaries of Katalia and Raiyah. *East.*—Chak Katalia. *West.*—Barrackpore Cantonment and River Hooghly.	
III. Talpukur	*North.*—The southern boundary of ward Chanak, but including the Barrackpore School Road. *South.*—Titagarh Khal, including the Khal. *East.*—Mauza Raiyah. *West.*—River Hooghly.	
IV. Musalmanpara	*North.*—Titagarh Khal. *South.*—Southern boundary of mauza Titagarh. *East.*—Mauza Raiyah and kismut Paturia. *West.*—Fencing on the western side of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line, including the Titagarh Railway Station premises.	
V. Khardah	*North.*—Khardah Khal ... ... *East.*—Khardah Khal, joining the Grand Trunk Road *South.*—Mohit Mohan Gosswami's Road, part of Rash Khola Road joining the southern extremity of Pran Krishna Biswas's Road and Syam Sundar Ghât Road near Khardah Middle Vernacular School, then Syam Sundar Ghât Road up to River Hooghly. *West.*—River Hooghly.	
VI. Rashkhola ...	*North.*—Mohit Mohan Gosswami's Road from the junction of Pramatha Nath Mukherjee's Road to the southern extremity of Pran Krishna Biswas's Road, thence part of the Rashk-hola Road up to the junction of the Syam Sundar Ghât Road, then Syam Sundar Ghât Road to River Hooghly, including these roads in the Rash-khola ward *East.*—Pramatha Nath Mukerjee's Road. *South.*—Nathu Pal's Ghât Road. *West.*—River Hooghly.	
VII. Rohra..	*North.*—A straight line along Nripendra Nath Bose's Garden, then to north along the western fencing of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line, then to east along the Southern boundary of mauza Titagarh and Kismut Patulia. *South.*—Khardah Khal. *East.*—Mauza Kerulia. *West.*—Drain on the east side of the Grand Trunk Road.	

Name of Ward.	Boundaries.	Number of Commissioners to be elected.
VIII. Kulinpara	*North.*—Northern boundary of Ward Khardah, including Nathu Pal's Ghât (Kulinpara) Road. *South.*—Panchanantolla Road, Bagdipara Road, Madhu Sudan Sarkar's Garden Road, then to south along the Grand Trunk Road, then to east along the Ekford Road *East.*—Eastern Bengal State Railway line. *West.*—River Hooghly.	

No. 516T.—L.S.-G.—The 25th June 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Howrah for the construction of a feeder road to Sankrail station, in the villages of Mohisgote, Matlay and Dhulagore, pargana Boro, district Howrah, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose pieces of land measuring, more or less, 50 bighas 9 cottahs 5 chitaks and 11 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Howrah.

North—By the paddy lands of Rupchand Bagdi, Rakhal Malik, Bhisti Dharah, Ambick Ghosh, Kailash Ghosh, Hori Bor, Nanda Manna, Mohi Makhal and Gagon Malik, Sadananda Ghugu's garden land and Abdul Malik's, Mati Malik's and Mati Pal's paddy land,

South—By the paddy lands of Noro Ghosh, Hori Pada Dey, Kabed Ali Fokir, Kailash Ghosh, Hori Bor, Kedar Koyal and Jhoru Bagdi, Khetra Ari's garden land, Bheem Mallick and Kalimadday Shaik's paddy land, Sadanunda Ghugu's garden land, Matab Mallick and Mati Pal's paddy land,

East—By the borrowpit of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway line at Sankrail station (near level crossing), and

West—By the junction of Domjore to Bowreah and Andul to Ekabharpur District Board roads,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Mohisgote, Matlay and Dhulagore.

This Notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

No. 524T.M.—The 27th June 1908.—Whereas a Notification No. 626M., dated the 23rd March 1908, was published at page 43, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to alter the number of Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, so as to raise it to twelve, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within six weeks from the date of publication of the said notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by clause 2 of section 9A. of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

24-Parganas.

No. 929L.S.-G.—The 29th June 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Midnapore:—

Midnapore.

Local Boards by which elected.	Names of members.
Sadar ...	Babu Raghu Nath Das. ,, Bankim Chandra Deb. ,, Atal Bihari Singha. ,, Ashutosh Ghosh. ,, Abinash Chandra Mitra.
Contai ...	Mr. Birendra Nath Sasmal. Mahanta Radha Syam Das Adhikari. Babu Surendra Nath Sasmal.
Tamluk	Babu Upendra Nath Das. ,, Shital Prosad Ghosh. Babu Atal Bihari Basu.
Ghatal	Hemanta Chandra Bar

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board:—

The Subdivisional Officer of the Sadar subdivision.
The Subdivisional Officer of Contai.
The Subdivisional Officer of Tamluk.
The Civil Surgeon.
The Deputy Collector in charge of Road Cess
The Deputy Inspector of Schools.
Maulvi Abdur Razak.
Babu Jogendra Nath Chatarji.
Mr. G. C. Amesbury.
,, H. R. D. Oldham.
,, A. C. Carr.
,, H. W. Howell.

Manbhum

No. 938L.S.-G.—The 30th June 1908.—Whereas by a notification of the Government of Bengal in the Revenue (Jurisdiction) Department, No. 1361T.R., dated the 27th June 1908, published at page 1214, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st proximo, the name of the "Gobindpur" subdivision, in the district of Manbhum, has been changed to "Dhanbaid," it is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the Local Board of Gobindpur shall, with effect from 10th July 1908, be known as the Dhanbaid Local Board.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Municipal Committee of Sambalpur propose to adopt the following rules under section 102 (*a*) of the Central Provinces Municipal Act, XVI of 1903, for the purpose of regulating the sale of meat.

The proposed rules will be taken into further consideration on the expiry of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and any objections or suggestions in respect thereof must be forwarded to the Chairman to the Committee before the expiry of the said period.

Slaughter-house Rules.

1. The slaughter-house built within Municipal limits and managed by the Committee is fixed until further orders as the only place for slaughtering animals for sale, such as goats, kids, sheep and lambs.

2. The Hospital Assistant in charge of the Veterinary Hospital at Sambalpur will generally be appointed as Superintendent of the slaughter-house so managed and be subject to the control of the Civil Surgeon.

3. Every slaughter-house shall be provided with suitable sanitary arrangements and be duly cleaned at least once a day.

4. No animal shall be slaughtered in the slaghter-house except between the hours of 7 and 10 A.M.

5. Every animal brought to be slaughtered must be examined and passed by the Superintendent free of charge before it is killed After it is killed, its flesh must be examined and passed by the Superintendent as fit for human consumption before flesh is removed for sale The flesh so removed for sale may be branded as first and second class as the case may be.

[*N.B.*—Good meat with certain amount of fat may be taken as first class, with less fat as second class.

6. All meat removed from the slaughter-house must be covered so as to conceal it from view and to protect it from flies and dirt.

7. A fee of one pice will be charged by the Committee for every animal slaughtered in the slaughter-house.

8. A breach of any of the above rules will be punishable with fine which may extend to Rs. 50.

Rules regarding sale of meat.

1. No person shall offer any meat for sale unless he holds a license from the Municipal Committee and the stall or other place fixed by the Committee for that purpose.

2. Each stall will be sited yearly at a public auction. The Committee reserves to itself the right of refusing the highest bid. The highest bidder or the person whose bid has been accepted by the Committee will be given a license for the use of the stall and sale of meat.

3. Every stall license-holder is bound to slaughter the animals for sale at the slaughter-house appointed for the purpose

4. The license-holder shall sell meat at the rates fixed by the Committee from time to time, and he is bound to observe all the rules regarding the slaughter-house and the stalls.

5. A breach of any of the above rules will be punishable with fine, which may extend to Rs. 50, in addition to the forfeiture of the license.

SAMBALPUR, J. N SEN,

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 1908

PART IC.

Educational Notices

PRESIDENCY COLLEGE, SESSION 1908-1909.

CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION.

As some limitation of numbers at the Presidency College is inevitable as a result of the new Regulations of the Calcutta University, the following information as to conditions of admission next session is published for the information of intending applicants.

1. Applications for admission will be received at the Presidency College on and after 1st June.

2. The following combinations of subjects are admissible :—

INTERMEDIATE.

Arts—

1.	2.	3.	4.
English.	English.	English.	English.
Sanskrit or Persian.	Sanskrit or Persian.	Sanskrit or Persian.	History.
History.	History.	Logic.	Logic.
Logic.	Mathematics.	Mathematics.	Mathematics.

Combinations 1 and 2 are recommended to students in doubt.

Science—

1	2.
English.	English.
Chemistry.	Chemistry.
Physics.	Physics.
Mathematics.	Physiology.

Combination 1 is strongly recommended.

Applicants in Arts are reminded that only students who have taken Logic for the Intermediate Examination are allowed by the University Regulations to take Philosophy for the B.A.

Applicants in Science are reminded that no student is permitted by the University Regulations to take Physics or Chemistry for the B.Sc. unless he has taken both Mathematics

and Physics for the Intermediate Examination, nor Mathematics unless he has taken Mathematics for the Intermediate.

B.A.—

1. English. Sanskrit / Pali / or / Persian. History.	2. English. Sanskrit Pali or Persian. Political Philosophy.	3. English. Sanskrit Pali or Persian. Philosophy.	4. English. Sanskrit. Pali or Persian. Mathematics.

5. English. History. Political Philosophy.	6. English. Political Philosophy. Philosophy.	7. English. Political Philosophy. Mathematics.

The combination of Philosophy with Mathematics, of Philosophy with History and of History with Mathematics cannot be arranged.

Owing to the limits of laboratory space, the choice of one Science subject for the B.A. course cannot be allowed this year.

B.Sc.—

1. Mathematics. Physics. Chemistry.	2. Mathematics. Physics. Physiology.	3. Mathematics. Physics. Geology.	4. Mathematics. Chemistry. Physiology.
5. Mathematics. Chemistry. Geology.	6. Physics. Chemistry. Physiology.	7. Physics. Chemistry. Geology.	

In the choice of Honour subjects the following limitations must be observed :—

When Honours are taken in Physics, the other subjects taken must be Mathematics and Chemistry

When Honours are taken in Chemistry, the other subjects taken must be Mathematics and Physics.

When in Geology, one must be Chemistry.

When in Physiology, one must be Chemistry.

When in Mathematics, one must be Physics.

M.A.—

The College has applied for affiliation for the M.A. degree in English, Philosophy, History and Mathematics, and for these subjects there need be no restriction as to admissions.

There will be no M.Sc. classes this year.

3. Admissions will be unrestricted (subject to the above conditions) so far as considerations of space and efficient teaching admit of it. As there is possibility, even probability of the applications in some departments exceeding the accommodation available, preference will be given to applications received before 15th June in this order—

(*a*) To applicants who have passed the Matriculation or Intermediate Examinations in the First Division.

(*b*) To applicants who have passed the Matriculation or Intermediate Examinations in the Second Division.

(*c*) To applicants who are sons of old Presidency College students or have other special claims, and as regards the Intermediate Examination in each of the cases distinguished to students who have passed from the Presidency College.

4. Applications received after 15th June can only be entertained if the considerations necessitating restriction above set forth admit of it.

The session opens after the long vacation on Monday, the 29th June. Lecture courses begin Wednesday, the 1st July.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st April 1908.

H. R. JAMES,
Principal, Presidency College, Calcutta.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine, and
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.
For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 13th July 1907.

R. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

RESULTS OF THE GOVERNMENT COMMERCIAL COURSE FINAL AND SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS, 1908.

The following students have passed:—

FINAL EXAMINATION.

Pramatha Bhusan Bose.
Anadi Kumar Mukherjee.
Nagendra Lal Chatterjee.
Sudhir Kumar Ghosh.
Nalindra Nath Mukhopadhya.
Dasarathi Mukherjee.
Norendra Krishna Chakrabarti.
Haridhone Chatterjee.

SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS.

Banking and Currency.

1. M. E. D. Cohen.
2. { Upendra Chandra Das Gupta.
   { Jatindra Mohan Mallik.
3. Promotha Nath Ghosh.

Mercantile Law.

1. Upendra Chandra Das Gupta.
2. M. H. Martin.
3. Jatindra Mohan Mallik.
4. M. E. D. Cohen.

Book-keeping.

1. Brojendra Kumar Banerjee.
2. Girish Chandra Das.
3. Baidya Nath Mukherjee.
4. Romesh Chandra Das.

English (Modern).

1. Jatindra Mohan Mallik.
2. Nripendra Narain Chakrabarti.
3. Apurba Krishna Das.

Shorthand.

(Speed 120 words per minute.)

1. Kishori Mohan Chatterjee.

(Speed 100 words per minute.)

1. Jotindra Mohan Banerjee.
2. Nalindra Nath Mukhopadhya.
3. Dasarathi Mukherjee.
4. Norendra Krishna Chakrabarty.
5. Kanai Lal Bysack.

(Speed 80 words per minute.)

1. Ashutosh Ghosh.
2. Jyotirmoy Bhaduri.
3. Panna Lal Banerjee.
4. Haridhone Chatterjee.
5. Jnanendra Lal Chatterjee.

Type-writing.

(Speed 45 words per minute.)

1. Sudhir Kumar Ghosh.
2. Kanai Lal Bysack.
3. Manindra Nath Bose.

(Speed 35 words per minute.)

1. Anadi Kumar Mukherjee.
2. Nogendra Lal Chatterjee.
3. Mrityunjay Chatterjee.
4. Upendra Nath Ghosh.
5. Siva Krishna De.
6. Bankim Chandra Chatterjee.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

The 6th June 1908.

PATNA COLLEGE, BANKIPORE.

SESSION 1908-1909.

THE Patna College will open on the 13th July 1908. Application should be made before this date and as early as possible.

Application will not, except under special circumstances, be received after the 3rd August 1908.

Forms of application for admission may be obtained in the College Office.

The office will be open daily during the vacation from 7 A.M to 10 A.M., except on gazetted holidays.

C. RUSSELL,
Offg. Principal, Patna College

Form of Application for Admission.

I DESIRE to join the class of the Patna College and to take up the following subjects*:—

I desire to reside

Every student must reside either—

(1) with parent ;

(2) in a College hostel ;

(3) with guardian ;

(4) in a College mess (if there is not sufficient accommodation in the hostel).

Students who wish to live with guardians must fill in forms provided for the purpose at the time of admission or within one week of taking admission. Any further delay will incur a fine of annas 2 per day. If they are in any difficulty they may apply within that time to the Principal or Professor in charge for advice.

(*To be filled in by students.*)

Name of student :—

Father's name and occupation :—

Father's address or present residence :—

Recognised guardian's name and occupation :—

The place of residence and address of the guardian :—

Date of birth :—

Whether the student has a horoscope ; if so, whether the age given agree with it :—

Religion and caste :—

The school or college from which he passed and the year in which he passed the Entrance or F.A examination :—

* The following combination of subjects may be taken up :-

(1) For the Intermediate Examination in Arts—

English.	English.	English.	English.
Sanskrit	Sanskrit	Sanskrit	Logic.
or	or	or	
Persian.	Persian.	Persian.	Mathematics.
History.	Mathematics.	Mathematics.	Physics.
Logic.	Logic.	History.	

(2) For the Intermediate Examination in Science—

English.	Mathematics.	Physics.	Chemistry.

(3) For the B.A. Examination—

English.	English.	English.	English.
Sanskrit	Mathematics.	Political Philosophy and Political Economy.	Sanskrit
or			or
Persian.	Physics.	History.	Persian.
History.	.....	.....	Mathematics.

(4) For the B.Sc. Examination :—

Mathematics.	Physics.	Chemistry.

Before selecting their subjects students are recommended to apply for advice as to the courses of study to the Principal or Professor in charge.

Form of application for recognition of guardian.

Name of student:—

Name and address of guardian:—

Profession of guardian:—

Age of guardian:—

Relationship of guardian to student:—

I desire to appoint the above named gentleman as guardian to my son for the following reasons:—

Signature of parent.

I UNDERTAKE to act as guardian to the above named student and will hold myself responsible for his physical well-being and good conduct outside of college hours, and for the payment of all sums due from him to the college. I also undertake to furnish such reports and information concerning my ward as may be called for at any time by the Principal of the college.

Signature of guardian.

BABU BRAJAMOHAN DUTT'S PRIZE ESSAY FOR NATIVE LADIES.

THE following subject has been selected for Babu Brajamohan Dutt's Prize Essay of Rs. 45 (forty-five) for the year 1907-1907 :—

"Domestic Sanitation and the women's share in it."

The conditions for the award of the prize are:—

(1) That the competition be open to all educated women, being natives of Bengal (including the districts which now form part of the New Province), without regard to age.

(2) That the prize be given for an essay, to be written in either Bengali or Sanskrit.

(3) That the essays be sent to the Central Text-book Committee for adjudication within six months of the date of advertisement.

(4) That each essay be accompanied by a written declaration of the husband, parent or guardian of the competitor that to the best of his belief she has received no assistance of any kind, direct or indirect, in writing the essay.

Candidates are requested to send their essays, not later than the 30th November 1908, to the Secretary to the Central Text-book Committee, Office of the Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, at 12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta. The envelope containing the essay should be superscribed "Brajamohan Dutt Prize Essay." The name of the successful competitor will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

A lady who wins the prize in any year is not debarred from subsequent competition, and if the essay submitted by a competitor who has been previously successful is adjudged to be the best, the name of such a competitor will be published in the Gazette as the winner of the competition. The actual prize will, however, in these circumstances be awarded to the competitor whose essay is adjudged to stand next in order of merit, provided that her essay comes up to the standard required by the next clause.

If none of the essays come up to a standard which is in the opinion of the examiners adequate, no prize will be awarded.

CALCUTTA;
The 28th May 1908.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

AWARD OF SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS, 1908.

Name of scholar.	College from which he appeared.	College in which the scholarship is made tenable.
	First grade (7), value Rs. 25.	
Digendra Nath Saha	Presidency College ...	Presidency College.
Kali Das Bagchi ..	Ditto.	Ditto.
Sakti Pada Patra ...	Patna College	Patna College.
Tarak Nath Bhattacharji	General Assembly's Institution	Calcutta Christian College.
Ambujaksha Sarkar	Presidency College ...	Presidency College.
Manaranjan Gupta	City College	City College.
Badri Nath	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh	Presidency College.
	Second grade, value Rs. 20.	
	Town of Calcutta (10).	
Narendra Kumar Majumdar ...	Ripon College	Ripon College.
Amarendra Krishna Bhaduri ...	Presidency College	Presidency College.
Kamini Kumar Banerji ...	City College	City College
Panchanan Das Mukerji ...	Presidency College	Presidency College.
Panna Lal Mukerji ...	Ditto	Ditto.
Thakur Das Ballabh ...	General Assembly's Institution ..	Calcutta Christian College.
Manindra Nath Ray ...	Presidency College	Presidency College.
Kesab Lal Chakrabarti ...	Metropolitan Institution	Metropolitan Institution.
Asutosh Das	General Assembly's Institution ...	Calcutta Christian College.
Amal Kumar Ray Chaudhuri ...	Ripon College	Presidency College.
	Presidency Division [outside Calcutta (4)].	
Nagendra Kumar Bhattacharji ...	Krishnath College, Berhampore ...	Krishnath College, Berhampo
Satyendra Kumar Basu ...	Krishnagar College	Krishnagar College.
Kali Mohan Mukerji ...	Krishnath College, Berhampore ...	Krishnath College, Berhampo
Apurbo Chandra Bhattacharji ...	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto.
	Burdwan Division (7).	
Sri Kumar Banerji	Krishna Chandra College, Hetampur ...	Berhampore College.
Gouri Nath Banerji ...	Uttarpara College	Duff College.
Kishori Lal Chatterji ...	Hooghly College	Hooghly College.
Krishna Gopal Bhattacharji ...	Ditto	C. E. College, Sibpur.
Bahuballabh Ray	Burdwan Raj College	Berhampore College.
Narendra Mohan Basu ...	Midnapore College	Presidency College.
Khalilur Rahaman Khan ...	Hooghly College	Hooghly College.
	Patna Division (4).	
Nand Kishore Sinha ...	Patna College	Patna College.
Dwarka Prashad	B. N. College, Bankipore	B. N. College, Bankipore.
Nageshwar Prasad	Patna College	Patna College.
Ram Narayan Chowbe ...	Ditto	Ditto
	Bhagalpur Division (2).	
Aswini Kumar Maulik ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur ...	T.N. Jubilee College, Bhagalp
Haris Chandra Basu ...	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
	Orissa Division (2).	
Manmatha Nath Basu ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack
Sris Mohan Sarkar	Ditto ditto	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Chota Nagpur Division (1).	
Anjani Kumar Sahai ...	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh ...	General Assembly's Institu
	Females.	
	First grade (1), value Rs. 25.	
Satyapriya Ghosh ...	Bethune College	Bethune College.
	Second grade (1), value Rs. 20.	
Bibha Ray	Bethune College	Bethune College.

RESULTS OF THE FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE CUTTACK SURVEY SCHOOL HELD IN APRIL 1908.

(In order of merit.)

First Division.

1. Phani Bhushan Dutt.
2. Hanseshwar Sain.
3. Subodh Chandra Ghosh.

Second Division.

1. Radha Krisna Chatterji.
2. Tarak Chandra Bhattacharyya.
3. Mohendra Nath Ghose.
4. Kshirode Chandra Chakrabarty.
5. Srish Chandra Ghose.
6. Subodh Chandra Sarkar.
7. Nirmal Chandra Bose.
8. Bhupendra Nath Chatterji.
9. Dwijendra Nath Ghose.
10. Siva Krishna Ray Chowdhury.
11. Raghu Nath Mahapatra.
12. { Gonesh Chandra Bhattacharya. / Gopisetti Ramarao.
14. Bhabataran Chatterji.
15. Nogendra Nath Chatterji.
16. Banchhanidhi Misra.
17. Satyendra Kumar Sen.
18. Binod Vehari Ghosh.

Third Division.

1. Baidya Nath Mahanty.
2. Makhon Lal Ganguli.
3. Hari Charan Mittra.
4. Nagendra Mohan Chakerbaty.
5. Ramani Mohan Bose.
6. { Mohendra Nath Mittra. / Gajendra Bisoi.
8. Sailesh Chandra Gupta.
9. Gayadhar Rout.
10. Mukunda Prasad Bose.
11. Chuni Lal Ghose.
12. Ramesh Chandra Mitra.
13. { Nitiananda Das. / Rajendra Nath Ghosh.

G. W. KUCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

The 19th June 1908.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

PANDIT BAHUBALLABH SASTRI will continue to deliver his University Lectures on Panini at the Sanskrit College from Monday, the 6th July next, according to the following time-table :—

Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays—From 2 to 3 P.M.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND THE SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

1. Supplementary F.A. and B.A. Examinations will be held on Monday, the 7th December 1908, and following days at the ordinary centres.

2. All candidates who were registered for the F.A. and B.A. Examinations held in March 1908 and have not passed will be admissible to the supplementary Examinations, and will be examined in the same courses and subjects in which they were previously examined, and according to the standard of the old Regulations and the Rules framed thereunder.

Every such candidate shall be admitted to the supplementary Examination upon payment of a fee of Rs. 30 for the F.A. Examination, and of Rs. 40 for the B.A Examination. The fee must be accompanied by an application, the form of which will be supplied by the Registrar's office. The Registrar's receipt for the last Examination must be annexed to this application. If any candidate has lost the Registrar's receipt he may obtain a duplicate from the Registrar upon payment of a fee of Rs. 4. Every applicant for a duplicate receipt must, if necessary, prove his identity to the satisfaction of the Registrar. The fees and applications must be deposited with the Registrar on or before the 14th of September 1908.

3. Candidates who were qualified to appear at the F.A. or B.A. Examination of 1907 or 1908, but did not present themselves for either Examination, will be allowed to appear at the supplementary Examination under section 11 of Chapter XXVI of the Regulations. A candidate of this kind must produce together with his application two certificates, viz. (1) a certificate showing that he was qualified to appear at the Examination of 1907 or 1908; and (2) a certificate either from the Principal of the College at which he last studied or from a member of the Senate, testifying to his good character during the period which has intervened. Each such candidate must pay the same fee as the candidates mentioned in the previous paragraph.

4. Candidates who were kept back from the examinations of March 1908 or 1907 because they failed to satisfy the Principal, at the College test examination or other periodical examinations as to their fitness to be sent up, will be admitted to the supplementary Examination only if the Principal certifies their present fitness upon the result of a Test Examination or otherwise.

5. Candidates who elect to be examined under this notification will be debarred from appearing at the F.A and B.A. Examinations to be held under the new Regulations in 1909.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 22nd June 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.



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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification of sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Puri will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 20th July at 12 A.M. for arrears of land revenue and other demands, which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and all other shares not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from the sale.

Mauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	1	2	4	5				
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1 2	Killah Marichpur, pargana Marichpur.	3,328 13 4		14a. 9p. 15k. 2b.	Musamat Deokali Kawaur and others.	3,090 2 4	.....	718 12 6
120	Ma. Bagha, pargana Oldhar.	546 0 0	Whole ...	... ...	Taponidhi Harakrishna Bhagirathi Goswami.	.....	273 0 0	
147 2	Ma. Harakrishnapur, pargana Kahang.	2,148 0 0		4a.	Bhcari Misser	535 13 0		268 0 0

Puri Collectorate, the 15th June 1908.

A. B. MAITRA, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated a the Jealgora Siding, East Indian Railway, Asansol district, Damuda branch siding at mile 177¾, in the district Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, the 14th July 1908, corresponding with the 30th A 1315 B.S. at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the rail boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposi If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancel the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirm the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum ...	Pargana Jheria, village Bhulanbarari.	177¾	On the southern side of the Railway line.	7 7 0	3·08 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th May 1908.

C. H. CROSER, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Jharia district (G. C. line), in the district of Manbhum, will be up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 13th July 1908, corresponding to the 29th Asar 1315 B.S., at Dhanbad Inspecti Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railw boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposit If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, t sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulti purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming t sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharia, village Paddogora.	Between miles 136—137.	On the northern side of the railway line.	13 15 5	4 1 1	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharia, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 5·77	3 1 27	A plot 100' × 100' required for pumphouse, &c.	0 0 27	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharia, village Murhears.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...	.....	.....	24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th May 1908.

C. H. CROSER, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification B.

)TICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or befo next latest date of payment, viz., the 29th June 1908, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the distri apore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 2nd July 1908 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood rate account is kept for that share.

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature amount demand which to sell.
3	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Pargana Kasijora, mahal Gograspatna.	Rs. A. P. 1,512 2 3 Including Police.	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. 1, 5a. 6g. 2k. 2kr. share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Banamali Charan Maity.	Rs. A. P. 506 0 9 Including Police.	.....	Rs. A. P. 236 11 9 Including Police.	Rs. Rent 276 Cess 28 Emkt. 19
Pargana Kasijora, mahal Mencharpore *alias* Prosad Chak.	1,625 15 6	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. 1, 13a. 14g. 2k. 2kr. share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified above will be excluded from sale.	Nilmadhub De, grandfather and certified guardian of Tarubala Dasi, minoress.	1,395 9 11	.....	654 12 4	Revenue 654 Cess 45 Emkt. 45
Pargana Shipore, mahal Legna.	2,619 5 3	.....	S. A. No. 22— Mauzas— A. G. K. Akbarpore ... 10 0 3 Barandia ... 10 0 3 Bohalia ... 7 0 3 Chanddalda 6 1 3 Dubda ... 10 0 3 Dubda Batitaki ... 10 0 3 Dusurda ... 7 0 3 Gobrachak ... 10 0 3 Gopalpore ... 6 1 3 Jagulia ... 10 0 3 Canoogobar . 3 10 6kg Kanuprojapati 3 10 6kg Kuarpore ... 10 0 3 Godaichak ... 7 0 3 Brindabanpore 7 0 3 Awalda ... 7 0 3 Khagda ... 10 0 3 Khurutia ... 10 0 3 Khadkul ... 10 0 3 Madhaichandra Chak... 10 0 3 Legna ... 6 1 3 Panchroll ... 3 10 6 Satkhanda ... 10 0 3 Shipurbar .. 10 0 3 Takpore ... 10 0 3 Kristapore ... 10 0 3 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chow. Narendra Nath Puhari, minor.	1,376 5 6	.....	33 6 11	Revenue 633 Cess 52 Emkt. N
			Khas mahals (Aima tenure).					
argana Halarampore, Aima Dewanmar.	587 14 0	Entire ...	.....	Mahendra Nath Kalamari and others.	.....	143 10 9	.....	Rent 143 Cess 0

dnapore Collectorate, the 23rd May 1908. D. WESTON, Collector of Midnapore.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 23rd June 1908.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	a.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,57,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 76,22,660 11 5			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,04,16,855 15 10	1,80,39,516	11	3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	15,04,40,392	11	4
Bank Post Bills, &c	10,98,012	11	7
Sundries	34,67,163	12	8
Rupees ...	21,77,95,115	14	10

ASSETS.

	Rs.	a.	P.
Government securities	2,87,76,930	0	0
Other authorised investments	29,50,994	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,66,75,232	5	2
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,13,81,810	6	0
Bills discounted and purchased	2,70,76,240	9	11
Balances with other Banks	15,42,084	2	9
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	18,06,930	6	11
Stamps	16,851	15	0
Sundries	1,04,956	10	1
	15,03,31,150	7	10
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs. 3,41,31,664 6 8			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... †,, 3,33,32,281 0 4	6,74,63,966	7	0
Rupees ...	21,77,95,115	14	10

*Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,35,000 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 3,68,422 8 0
5,04,082 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL. Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent. By order of the Directors,
Calcutta, 25th June 1908. Percentage 87·05. L. G. DUNBAR,
(769—1) C. M. BASIN, Chief Accountant. Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Bankura.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No. 117 OF 1908.

Messrs. Gisborne & Co., decree-holders, *versus* Raja Balabhadra Singh and others, judgment-debtors.

Amount Rs. 31,818-8-9.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at 12 noon on the 5th day of August 1908 the undermentioned property of judgment-debtors :—

Schedule of mortgaged property to be put up for auction sale.

(1) The entire zamindary pargana Raipore, bearing tauzi No 995 of the Bankura Collectorate, bounded on the east by Bagri and Ramnagar pargana, west by Samsunderpore and Ambikanaggur pargana, north by Simlapal and Bhelaidiha pargana, and south by Ramnagar Samsundarpore pargana, within this boundary excluded mauza Khairpahari, Asna, Chotagurra and Boragurra. Except these four mauzas entire zamindary will be sold

Net annual revenue payable to Bankura Collectorate is Rs. 2,676-4 1.

Approximate value Rs. 30,000.

Prior encumbrances.

(1) The amount due to the decree holders on an usufructuary mortgage deed, dated 29th November 1875, for Rs. 1,18,000, executed by deceased Rani Nilcoomari Devi and Mohur Singh Dev.

(2) The amount due to decree-holders on an izara pattah of pargana Raipore, dated 29th November 1875, executed by deceased Rani Nilcoomari Devi and Mohur Singh Dev, by the terms of izara of which the decree-holders are in possession of the said pargana and which will last up to 1316 F.S.

The following subsequent encumbrances, judgment-debtor mortgaged his reversionary right : —

(1) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 29th September 1891, for Rs. 3,000, executed in favour of Parbatti Charan Nag, of Midnapore.

(2) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 22nd November 1891, for Rs. 3,805-6-10 executed in favour of Degumbar Pal and Gopi Nath Darifea, of Bankura.

(3) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 5th November 1888, for Rs. 1,100, executed in favour of Srinath Chandra Sahu, of Raipore.

(4) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 10th December 1887, for Rs. 460-10, executed in favour of Mokund Sounigri of Chaitore.

(5) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 6th August 1897, for Rs. 23,700, executed in favour of Choitan Chundra Singh Deo, of Bhalaidiha.

(6) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 1st March 1887, for Rs. 999, executed in favour of Chintamoni Biswas, of Lakhasole.

(7) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 14th August 1887, for Rs 500 executed in favour of Sristidhur Dutta, of Saringa.

(8) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 6th June 1887, for Rs. 1,127, executed in favour of Gungaram Halder, of Saringa.

(9) Due to a mortgage bond of Sraban 1307 B.S. for Rs. 15,000, executed in favour of Digambar Paul and Gopi Nath Daripa, of Bankura.

The following subsequent encumbrances, judgment-debtor mortgaged after receipt of zamindary right : —

(1) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 30th May 1905, for Rs 2,500, executed in favour of Sita Nath Chackerbutti, of Gogra.

(2) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 11th July 1905, for Rs. 6,287-9 executed in favour of Srinath Shah, of Raipore.

(3) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 5th January 1906, for Rs. 8,700, executed in favour of Sadi Khan Kabuli, of Ghuzni.

(4) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 14th September 1906, for Rs. 21,112, executed in favour of Bharat Ramanuz Das Mohanta, of Naragunge Bora Asthal.

(5) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 29th March 1906, for Rs. 799, executed in favour of Bama Charan Mohta, of Chittore.

(6) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 16th April 1907, for Rs. 6,000, executed in favour of Ishan Chunder Halder, of Saringa.

(7) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 1st August 1907 for Rs. 1,000, executed in favour of Ishan Chunder Halder, of Saringa.

(8) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 27th November 1907, for Rs. 975, executed in favour of Ishan Chunder Halder, of Saringa.

(9) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 17th February 1907, for Rs. 625, executed in favour of Srinath Chandra Shaw, of Raipore.

(10) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 23rd December 1907, for Rs. 1,000, executed in favour of Messrs. Gisborne & Co.

(11) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 28th January 1908, for Rs. 75,000, executed in favour of Sukdev Ratti of Bankura.

(12) Due to a mortgaged bond, dated 5th February 1908, for Rs. 19,500, executed in favour of Chaitan Chundra Singh Dev, of Bhilaidiha.

GOPAL CHANDRA BASU,
Subordinate Judge of Bankura.

Bankura, the 23rd June 1908.

(768—1)

In the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge of 24-Parganas.

MORTGAGE SUIT No. 132 OF 1907.

Syama Charan Bose, decree-holder, *versus* No. (1) Srish Chandra Mukherjee, No. (2) Nonigopal Mukherjee, No. (5) Prossanna Kumar Chatterjee, judgment-debtors.

THE following properties of the judgment-debtors will be sold by the Nazir, Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, on the 13th July 1908 at 12 A.M. for the realisation of Rs 33,826-4-9 :—

Schedule (A).

Lot I.—An undivided eight annas share of the judgment-debtors Nos. (1) and (2) of and in a piece of land measuring 13 cottahs and 11 chitaks more or less, with a two-storied building, a tank and gardens thereon, situate in subdistrict Alipore, police-station Bhowanipur, village Beltola, in dihi 55 grams, division 6, subdivision M, holding No. 254, bounded on the north by the lands belonging to Kedar Nath Dey and Gouri Prosad Chowdhury, on the east by the constructed land of the judgment-debtors extending north and south from the newly pillar up to the surface drain on the Beltola public road, on the west by the lands purchased by Hari Charan Chattopadhaya, on the south by Beltola road.

Lot II.—An undivided eight annas share of the judgment-debtors Nos. (1) and (2) in rent-free lands, 5 bighas, more or less, situate in district 24-Parganas, sub-registry Alipur, police-station Bhowanipur, dihi 55 grams, division 6, subdivision M, holding No. 327, municipal premises No. 7-1, Hazra Road, bounded on the north lands belonging to Gurudas Pal and others and the Municipal drain, south Hazra Road, west lands belonging to Sudhamoya Basu.

Lot III—Sixteen annas share of judgment-debtors Nos. (1) and (2) in rent-free land 4 bighas, more or less, with tanks and trees, etc., thereon, situate in district 24-Parganas, police-station Bhowanipur, mauza Monoharpookur, dihi 55 grams, division 6, subdivision Q, holding No. 233, bounded on the north garden of Nobin Chandra Chakrabutty (at present of Jogesh Chandra Mitter), south lands belonging to Lalit Mohan Mukhopadhaya and Budhai Mandal (at present purchased by Amar Goalini), east lands of Nobin Chandra Chakrabutty, Budhai Mandle and others, west lands of Lalit Mohan Mukherjee and others and Debnarain Banerjee's road.

Lot IV.—Sixteen annas share of judgment-debtors Nos. (1) and (2) in about 10 cottahs of rent-free land on the Hazra road, in district 24-Parganas, police-station Bhowanipur, 55 grams, division 6, subdivision Q, holding No. 24; bounded on the north lands of Kasi Nath Nath and others, east lands of Girish Chandra Ghose and Girish Chandra Mukherjee, south lands of Girish Chandra Mukherjee and Girish Chandra Bhattacherjee, west late Konaram Halder's tank.

Lot V.—Undivided 8 annas share of judgment-debtors Nos. (1) and (2) in 22 bighas of revenue-free and revenue-paying lands in one lot, in district 24-Parganas, police-station Sadar Tallygunge, pargana Khaspur, village Dhakuria, in taluks Nos 230-233, bounded on the north lands of Hari Ghose and of Nilmoni Mukherji, east land belonging to the Railway Company, south lands belonging to Akshaya Kumar Mitter and ditch, west lands of Akshaya Kumar.

Lot VI.—Sixteen annas share of judgment-debtors Nos. (1) and (2) in 1 bigha and 2½ cottahs of rent-free land in Monoharpookur, in district 24-Parganas, sub-registry Alipur, police-station Bhowanipur, dihi 55 grams, division 6, subdivision Q, holding No. 269, bounded north garden lands of Aghore Nath Halder and others west Debnarain Banerjee's Lane, south lands of Ramanath Banerjee, east garden lands of Jogesh Chandra Mitter and Aghore Nath Halder.

Lot VII.—An undivided 8 annas share of judgment-debtors Nos. (1) and (2) in 4 cottahs of rent-free land on the Chetla road, in Chetla village, sub-registry and police-station Alipur, pargana Magura, district 24-Parganas, and also in the corrugated iron shed with accessories built partly on the same and partly on the tenanted land of Babu Lalit Mohan, of Chetla, which is a gola of *atap* rice in the name of Ashutos Mukhopadhaya, bounded on the north lands and godowns of the judgment-creditor, east drain of the Chetla road, south lands of Lalit Mohan Ghose and the corrugated shed godown mentioned in Schedule (B), west lands of the judgment-creditors.

Schedule (B).

Lot I.—Sixteen annas share of judgment-debtor No. (5) in the corrugated shed godown with all its accessories built on the lands held under a temporary lease under late Radha Mohan Mandal and others, situate on the Chetla road, in village Chetla, pargana Magura, police-station and sub-registry Alipur, district 24-Parganas, bounded on the north lands of Lalit Mohan Ghose and the corrugated shed godown mentioned in Schedule (A), lot VII, east Chetla road and drain, south waste lands belonging to the Mandales and a lane, west lands of Lolit Mohan Ghose and the houses belonging to Ramani Bowa and others.

MOHIM CHANDRA SARKAR,
Subordinate Judge, 2nd Court, 24-Parganas.

Alipur, the 25th June 1908. (771—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

PRESENT:

Babu Kalidas Mookerjee, B.L., Munsif.

EXECUTION CASE No. 52 OF 1908.

(1) Nil Madab Padhi, (2) Barada Prasad Padhi, of Iram, pargana Ankura, decree-holders, *versus* (1) Gaurisyam Misra, (2) Ch. Raghunath Nisankha Mahapatra, (3) Kailash Chandra Misra, (4) Golak Chandra Misra, (5) Purna Chandra Misra, majors, (6) Trailokya Nath Misra, (7) Jadunath Misra, (8) Ganesh Prasad Misra, minors, by their mother and guardian Muktamani Debya, of Purushotampur, pargana Balikhand, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore in the Court premises on the 15th July 1908 for realization of Rs. 566-2-6—

Three pies share out of Re. 0-4-6-0 17-4 share belonging to the judgment-debtors of the estate Purushotampur taluk, pargana Balikhand, bearing tauzi Nos. $\frac{576}{1}$ and $\frac{576}{1}$ of the Balasore Collectorate, police-station Soro. One pie 10 krantis share from tauzi No. $\frac{576}{1}$ and one pie 10 krantis share from tauzi No. $\frac{576}{1}$ Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 5,666 and that payable for the above share is Rs. 88-8-6 only.

K. D. MOOKERJEE, Munsif.

The 18th June 1908. (763—1)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court at Calcutta, pursuant to the decree and order made in suit No. 835 of 1904 (Hiralal Ghose *versus* Panna Lall Mitra and another), and dated, respectively, the 15th day of August 1906 and 6th day of April 1908, the undermentioned immoveable property belonging to the defendant, Panna Lall Mitra, on Saturday, the 25th day of July 1908, at 12 o'clock noon:—

1. All that undivided moiety or one-half part or share of and in all that two-storied brick-built dwelling-house, together with the rent free land thereunto belonging, containing by estimation as to the entirety 18 cottahs 10 chittacks and 7 square feet, more or less, situate, lying at and being premises now numbered 5-1, Raja Raj Bullav's Street, in the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north partly by the premises number 8-1, Raja Raj Bullav's Street, partly by the premises No. 5, Raja Raj Bullav's Street, partly by Raja Raj bullav's Street, partly by the premises No. 6, Raja Raj Bullav's Street, and partly by the premises No. 7, Raja Raj Bullav's Street, on the east by the premises No. 6, Raja Raj Bullav's Street, partly by the premises No. 7, Raja Raj Bullav's Street, and partly by a filled up Municipal sewer ditch, on the south by a filled up Municipal sewered ditch, and on the west partly by premises No. 3-1, Raja Raj Bullav's Street, and partly by the premises No. 5, Raja Raj Bullav's Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar, or at the office of Babu Birendra Nath Mitra, Attorney for the plaintiff, at No. 9, Old Post Office Street, in the town of Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Birendra Nath Mitra, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, the 3rd June 1908.

(764—1—756)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a decree of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in suit No. 112 of 1907 (wherein Sasi Bhusan Saha and another are the plaintiffs and Bipin Behary Roy and others are the defendants), and dated the 29th day of July 1907, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room on Saturday, the 2nd day of July 1908, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned property:—

Premises No 2, Soorie's Lane (formerly known as the Soorie's Tank path Lane), Holding No 178, Block No. 1, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, being a partly three-storied, partly two-storied and partly one-storied brick-built dwelling-house, together with the land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, the whole containing by measurement two cottahs and ten chitaks, more or less, and bounded on the north by Suri Lane, on the south by a filled up drain, on the east by No. 3, Suri Lane, and on the west by a filled up drain.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar or at the office of Babu Jateendranath Mukerjee, Attorney for the plaintiffs, at No. 3, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Jateendranath Mukerjee, Plaintiffs' Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 8th June 1908. (689—1—764)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 25th day of July 1908, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and order made in suit No. 350 of 1906 (Tarak Nath Palit *versus* Shahebzada Faradun Shaha), and dated, respectively, the 30th day of July 1906 and the 5th day of December 1907, the following property, that is to say:—

Lot I.—No. 30, European Asylum Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a one storied brick-built dwelling-house

with land thereunto belonging and containing by estimation 9 cottahs, more or less, being Holding No. 123, Block No. III, South Division, paying an annual Government revenue of rupee one annas eleven and pies six to the Collector of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by European Asylum Lane, on the east and south by the tenanted land of Rojomeah, and on the west by No. 29, European Asylum Lane.

Lot II.—All that one-storied brick-built messuage and dwelling-house with house with the piece of rent-free garden land and tank thereunto belonging, containing by estimation 8 bighas 8 chitaks and 28½ square feet more or less, situate at Russa Chandpur or Russapugla, in the district of 24-Parganas, sub-district Alipur and thana Tollyganj, and bounded on the north by Hyder Sultan's land and Pagla Dah and Pagla Peer, on the east by Prince Hyder Sultan's land, on the south partly by Ramani Dassi's land and partly by Prince Mohamed Harmuz Sha's land, now belonging to the heirs of Panch Couri Das, and on the west partly by Hyder Sultan's land, and partly by the road formerly known as Harmuz Shah's road, now belonging to the mortgagor, and partly by Prince Ameer Shaheb's land, and partly by Babu Chandra Kumar's land, together with all edifices, buildings, wells, fences, trees, ways and rights, members privileges, appurtenances, including the right to the Kzmally road leading to this lot.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at the office of Messrs. B. N. Basu & Co. at No. 10, Hastings Street, in Calcutta, Attorneys-at-Law, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

B. N. Basu & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Calcutta High Court, Original Side, dated the 30th day of May 1908. (761—1—770)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 11th day of July 1908, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon pursuant to a decree and order of the said Court made in suit No. 910 of 1904 (wherein Radha Gobindo Mozumdar and others are plaintiffs and Charoo Chunder Gossamy and another are defendants) and dated the 11th day of May 1905 and 5th day of March 1907, respectively, the undermentioned properties belonging to the defendants abovenamed:—

Lot No. 1.—All that undivided one equal third part or share of Charoo Chunder Gossamy of and in the two-storied, brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 3 cottahs or thereabouts and situate at No. 31, Bulloram Mozumdar's Street (Brahmanpara Lane, now known as Guru Persad Roy's Lane) in Sootanooty, in the town of Calcutta, being revenue-free, and bounded on the north by a private Lane, on the south by Guru Persad Roy's Lane, on the east by the tenanted house of Sreemutty Purnomoyee Dassee and on the west by the dwelling-house of Isanr Chunder Gossamy and others.

Lot No 2.—All that undivided one equal sixth part or share of the said Charoo Chunder Gossamy of and in the hereditaments and premises containing by estimation 1 cottah and 8 chitaks, be the same a little more or less, and situate at, and lying and being No. 35 Bulloram Mozumdar's Street in Sootanooty, in the town of Calcutta, being rent-free and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say, on the north partly by a filled up municipal drain and partly by the godown of Jogobundhu Pramanik, on the south by a private lane or passage branching off from the said Bulloram Mozumdar's Street, on the east partly by the dwelling-house of Buddyanath Mitter and partly by a filled up municipal drain and on the west by the dwelling-house of Behary Lal Gossamy and others.

Lot No. 3.—All that undivided one equal sixth part or share of the said Charoo Chunder Gossamy of and in the land, hereditaments and premises, situate, lying and being No. 36 Bulloram Mozumdar's Street in Sootanooty, in the town of Calcutta, containing by estimation 3 cottahs, being rent-free and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say, on the north partly by a godown belonging to Jogobundhu Pramanick and partly by a filled up municipal drain, on the south partly by the dwelling-house of Nobo Krishna Gossamy and others and partly by a private passage branching off from the said Bulloram Mozumdar's Street, on the east by the tenanted land of Goberdhone Gossamy and others and on the west by Bulloram Mozumdar's Street aforesaid.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar, High Court, Original Side, and also at the office of Messrs Dutt and Guha, attorneys for plaintiffs, at No. 4, Hastings Street, in the town of Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Dutt and Guha, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 19th May 1908. (807—1—766)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of AJODHYA SHAW, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of June instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (727—2)

In the matter of A. D. JACOB, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of June instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (728—2)

In the matter of AGNES PARWORTH, an insolvent.

On the 27th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. La Mukerji, Attorney. (729—2)

In the matter of WM. H. ROCHE, an insolvent.

On the 25th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (730—2)

In the matter of MATILDA FOX, an insolvent.

On the 25th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (731—2)

In the matter of BHUT NATH DASS, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

M. K. Bose, Attorney. (732—2)

In the matter of KOMOL GOMES SIKDAR, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul Attorney. (733—2)

In the matter of JOHN HYSAPIET, an insolvent.

On the 20th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (734—2)

In the matter of WILLIAM CORNELIUS GLOVER, an insolvent.

On the 20th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (735—2)

In the matter of GEORGE CHIENE, an insolvent.

On the 19th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. C. Ghose, Attorney. (736—2)

In the matter of PROVAS CHUNDER GHOSE, an insolvents.

On the 14th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Ghose and Bose, Attorneys. (737—2)

In the matter of Captain H. T. ELDERTON, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. C. Ghose, Attorney. (738—2)

In the matter of F. A DESBRUSLAIS, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (739—2)

In the matter of SHITAL SHAW, an insolvent.

On the 12th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (740—2)

In the matter of GOPI CHAND DASS and another, insolvents.

On the 3rd day of March last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. L. Pyne, Attorney. (741—2)

In the matter of ATAL BEHARY DASS, an insolvent.

On the 11th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (742 - 2)

In the matter of GUNPUT PANDAY *alias* SAMPAT PANDAY, an insolvent.

On the 11th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (743—2)

In the matter of JAGA MOHUN LAL, an insolvent.

On the 9th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Ghose, Attorney. (744—2)

In the matter of W. R. HAYDU, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (745—2)

In the matter of DHUNNOOLAL AUGURWALLAH, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. C. De, Attorney. (746—2)

In the matter of J. L. SCHAMBURG, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (747—2)

In the matter of RAM BHARATH and SHAM SUNDER, insolvents.

On the 7th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (748—2)

In the matter of W. S. ETHERIDGE, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Pugh & Co., Attorneys. (749—2)

In the matter of A. W. PRICE, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (750—2)

In the matter of J. W. GALBRAITH, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of April last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (751—2)

In the matter of RAM DASS DEY, an insolvent.

On the 26th day of March last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. C. Bose, Attorney. (752—2)

In the matter of LOLIT MOHUN PAUL CHOWDHURY, an insolvent.

On the 3rd day of June instant, it was ordered that the creditors, whose names are set forth in the schedule below, and who are required by the Official Assignee of this Court and Assignee to the estate and effects of the said insolvent to substantiate their claims, do, on or before the 26th day of June instant, file in the office of the Chief Clerk of this Court or deliver to the said Official Assignee a statement of the amount of their respective claims against the estate of the said insolvent duly verified by affidavit, and that Tuesday, the 7th day of July next, be fixed for hearing for proof of such claims. And it was further ordered that the claims of the creditors, who are required to bring in and substantiate their claims as aforesaid, and who fail to do so

within the time fixed for the same, shall be liable to be expunged from the schedule of the said insolvent.

Schedule.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Private creditor No. 4, Girindra Chunder Paulchowdry.	20,000	0	0
Creditors of the business at No. 33, Cross Street.			
Creditor No. 3, Bhugwan Das Ram Kissen Dass, No. , Doyahatta.	1,983	15	9
Creditor No. 5, Jagaram Hazariram, Banstolla Street.	1,015	0	0
Creditor No. 12, Jogindra Nath Bural, Nakhurja, district Nadia.	275	0	0
Creditor No. 15, Shama Churn Nath, No. 33, Cross Street, Burra Bazar.	1,239	6	6
Creditor No. 19, Bhola Nath Ganguly, Assignee's Office	363	7	3
Creditor No. 59, Tripura Prosad Pal Chowdry, Behtnadahari, Nadia.	532	14	9
Creditor No. 70, Noni Lal Banerjee ...	16,477	8	0

P. N. Sen, Attorney. (763—2)

In the matter of ABDUL RAHAMAN SERANG, an insolvent

To—Chutterbhuj Jankidas (creditor No. 6), Mahommed Quasi (creditor No 8).

Take notice that the order *Nisi* passed in the above, on the 25th May 1908, by the Commissioner of the Insolvency Court on the application of Sreemutty Sarada Sundari Dassi, creditor No. 2 of the insolvent abovenamed, calling upon the insolvent to shew cause why the order for his personal discharge, dated the 2nd July 1907, should not be set aside and why the matter should not be re-heard, will be heard by the presiding Commissioner on the 7th day of July 1908.

B. P. Chunder, Attorney for Sreemutty Sarada Sundari Dassi. (779—1)

In the matter of JAGA MOHAN LAL, who lately carried on business as trader in piece-goods under the name, style and firm of Jogomohun Lall Ramdhari Lall at No. 3, Dalputty, Shambazar, at present residing at No. 11, Puggyaputty Street, Barabazar, Calcutta, and employed as a gomostah, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 9th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. C. Ghose, Attorney. (780—1)

In the matter of SITAL SHAW, residing at No. 97, Ahiritolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as a petty grocer at the aforesaid place under the name and style of Sital Shaw, but at present employed as a gomostah in the firm of Mathura Shaw, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 12th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (781—1)

In the matter of FELIX ALBERT DESBRUSLAIS, residing at No. 14 Wellington Lane, in the town of Calcutta, an Assistant in the Office of the Director-General of Post Offices in India, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 5th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (782—1)

In the matter of MATILDA FOX, residing at No. 28, Metcalfe Street, in the town of Calcutta, a widow without any occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 23rd day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (783—1)

In the matter of GEORGE CRIENS, residing at No. 9, Creek Row, in the town of Calcutta, an Assistant to the firm of Messrs Ranken & Co., an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 19th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. C. Ghose, Attorney. (784—1)

In the matter of ABRAHAM DAVID JACOB, of No. 9, Haberley's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a ticket-collector in the Eastern Bengal State Railway, an insolvent

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 1st day of June instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (785—1)

In the matter of WILLIAM RITCHIE HAYDEN, a Reporter in the *Statesman*, residing at No. 24, Ekbalpore Road, Kidderpore, in the Suburbs of the town of Calcutta, a European British subject.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 8th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (786—1)

In the matter of WILLIAM HENRY ROCHE, an assistant to the Assistant Traffic Manager's Office, East Indian Railway, Asansol, and residing in the same place, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 25th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (787—1)

In the matter of WALTER SALMON KITHERIDGE, at No. 15, Royd Street, in the town of Calcutta, of present working in the office of the Collector of Customs as an Appraiser, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 1st day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Pugh & Co., Attorneys (788—1)

In the matter of PROVASH CHANDRA GHOSA, residing at No. 1, Rajabagan Junction Road, in the town of Calcutta lately carrying on business as a gunny broker, at present of no occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 14th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate, and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Ghose and Bose, Attorneys (789—1)

In the matter of DHUNOO LAL AUGURWALLA, son of Nunnoo Lal Augurwalla, deceased, residing at No. 49, Rutton Sircar's Garden Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly a petty broker, and now out of employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 7th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. C. De, Attorney. (790—1)

In the matter of JOHN HYRAPIET, Carriage Examiner, Howrah, East Indian Railway, and residing at No. 2, Grand Trunk Road, Howrah, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 20th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (791—1)

In the matter of ALFRED WILLIAM PRICE, Preventive Officer, Imperial Sea Customs Service, Calcutta, and residing at No. 72, Dhurrumtolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 7th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (792—1)

In the matter of ATAL PEHARY DASS, of No. 93, Harrison Road, formerly carrying on business as Tank dealers in Calcutta aforesaid, at present a gomastah in the firm of Joyemaya Dabee, at No. 195, Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 11th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (793—1)

In the matter of GUNPAT PANDAY *alias* SAMPAT PANDAY, residing at No 94, Lower Chitpore Road, in the town of Calcutta serving as a sircar under Sri Krishna Gowsala Sabha Calcutta, and milk-seller carrying an business through his sircar at Ramkristopur, Howrah, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 11th day of May last, 1907, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (794—1)

In the matter of RAM DAS DEY, formerly trader residing at No. 34, Machoa Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta lately carrying on business as Hardware merchant at No. 80, Clive Street, under the name and style of Deno Nath Dey and Sons, at present unemployed, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 26th day of March last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

N. C. Bose, Attorney. (795—1)

In the matter of JOHN WILLIAM GALBRAITH, a Commander employed in the India General Steam Navigation and Railway Company, and residing at No. 11 Crooked Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 21st day of April last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (796—1)

In the matter of RAM BHARASH and SHAM SUNDER residing at No. 106 Ahiritollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business at No. 106 Ahiritolla Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, as petty grocers under the name and style of Ram Bharash Sham Sunder, both joint food and worship, but at present without occupation, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on the 7th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (797—1)

In the matter of JULES LEONARD SCHAUMBURG, residing at 17 Ezra Mansions, Government Place, Calcutta, an Assistant in the Phœnix Insurance Co., Ld., an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 7th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (798—1)

In the matter of BHUT NATH DASS, at present residing at No. 2-2 Premchand Boral's Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as sweet-meat-seller at No. 123-2, Bow Bazar Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Bhut Nath Das, at present having no employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 22nd day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

M. K. Bose, Attorney. (799—1)

In the matter of AGNES PAPWORTH, residing at No. 38, Elliot Road, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as boarding-house-keeper at No. 1, Little Russell Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name and style of A. Palmer, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 27th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

B. L. Mukerjee, Attorney. (800—1)

In the matter of WILLIAM CORNELIUS GLOVER, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 20th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (801—1)

In the matter of KOMOL GOMES SIKDAR, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 21st day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (802—1)

In the matter of CAPTAIN H. T. ELLERTON, residing at No. 128, Lower Circular Road, in the town of Calcutta, an Assistant to the Firm of Messrs. Andrew Yule & Co., at their Coal Depôt at Kidderpore, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 15th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. C. Ghosh, Attorney. (803—1)

In the matter of AJUDHA SHAW, residing at No. 155-1, Panchanontolla, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business at the aforesaid place as grocer, under the name and style of Bindeswari Jagarnath, and at present having no occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 4th day of June instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (804—1)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 50 OF 1908.

Sheik Dodar Buksh, of 2, Asger Mistry's Lane, Gobra, thana Beniapookoor, applicant.

ON the 15th June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on the 13th July 1908, and that the said insolvent do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 19th June 1908. (764—1—755)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 45 OF 1908.

Abdul Motaleb Mandal, of Mominpore, thana Ekbalpore, applicant.

ON the 8th June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on the 6th July 1908, and that the said insolvent do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 23rd June 1908. (765—1—753)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 51 OF 1908.

Charu Chandra Rai, of Manaharpookur, thana Tollygunge, applicant.

ON the 15th June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on the 13th July 1908, and that the said insolvent do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 23rd June 1908. (766—1—754)

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1908.

WHEREAS Chaturbhuj Pan, of Kechia, pargana Baroda, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 16th June 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, the following names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor. This is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 18th day of July 1908 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. Those who desire to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due are as follows:—

	Names of creditors.	Amount due.		
		Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Bibhuti Charan Ghosh ...	219	15	10
2.	Jotis Ghosh	100	0	0
3.	Srimatya Giribala Dasi ...	100	0	0
4.	Tulsiram Ghosh	125	0	0
5.	Habal Chandra Ghosh ...	50	0	0
6.	Srimatya Haripria Dasi ...	150	0	0
7.	Baliav Chandra Pahari ...	48	0	0
8.	Kailas Pan	15	0	0

E. E. FORRESTER,
District Judge, Midnapore.

Midnapore, the 24th June 1908. (770—1—759)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Abinash Chandra Sadhu Khan, son of Aghar Chandra Sadhu Khan, of Sankrail, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 20 of 1908, and that the 10th July next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge, Hooghly.

Chinsura, the 25th June 1908. (772—1—761)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Saran.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1908.

Hashim Mean, debtor, petitioner.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 3rd March 1908, of Hashim Mean, debtor, son of Enaet Mean, deceased, by caste Rangrez, resident of mauza Jamo, pargana Bara, district Saran, and on reading the same and on hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

H. F. POSTER, District Judge.

Chapra, the 26th June 1908. (773—1—760)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 52 OF 1908.

Shaik Ulfat Hossein Khansama, of Ice Factory Lane, Entally, thana Baniapukur, applicant.

ON the 22nd June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on the 20th July 1908, and that the said insolvent do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE,
District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 24th June 1908.

(775—1—763)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the Insolvency petition of Surajmal Rai, son of Ramjash Rai of Tandel-Bagan in Howrah, zilla Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 16 of 1908, and that the 23nd July next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 27th June 1908. (776—1—765)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Abdul Karim, son of Inshan Ali, of Howrah, Phanshitala district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 21 of 1908, and that the 28th July 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 29th June 1908. (808—1—767)

GOPAL KRISHNA PAL, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.

(767—4—714)

MOHINI MOHAN MITRA, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(674—4—519)

MR. P. K. MITTER, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(806—4—757)

AYED ENAYET KARIM, B.L., Pleader, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(774—4—758)

SHAIKH MUHAMMAD ABDUL HAKIM, B.L., Pleader, Bankipore, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (755—4—763)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908:—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add 880	
3.	Balia	...	889	
4.	Bhimpore		1982	
5.	Munair		2458	
6.	Masandha		4368	
7.	Phulwari		5058	
8.	Sunda		5859	
9.	Shahjehanpore	...	„ 7305	
10.	Ghyaspur	...	„ 7692	
11.	Beswak	...	„ 9898	To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.
12.	Bihar	...	„ 10556	
13.	Maldah	...	„ 11771	
14	Narhat	...	„ 11772	
15.	Fillich	...	„ 11823	
16.	Raggir	...	„ 12561	
17.	Samai	...	„ 12585	
18.	Sanaut	...	„ 12605	
19.	Telhara	...	„ 12606	
20.	Ukri	...	„ 13570	

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified that Government estate No. 351, Jaikar Gonutia, of the district of Birbhum, situated in pargana Ichhapakhuria, thana Bolepur, with an annual revenue of Rs. 10, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at 1 P.M. on the 17th July 1908 before the Collector of Birbhum.

H. A. LANE, Depy. Collr., *for* Collector.

Suri, the 28th May 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W 60 of 08 09	Pa 98—29299	500	Hajee Noor Mohamad Janas, 16, Armenian Street, Calcutta.
	„ 29300	500	
	„ 52703	500	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 27th June 1908.

WANTED a temporary Professor of English for the Presidency College on a salary of Rs. 150 a month outside the graded service.

Preference will be given to a 1st class M.A. in English.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the Principal up to the 8th July next.

C. W. PEAKE,
Professor in charge, Presidency College.

Presidency College, Calcutta, the 22nd June 1908.

Notice.

WANTED an apprentice for the Uluberia Subdivisional Office. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination. Applications with certificates required under Rule 2, Appendix B, page 83 of the Board's Rules, will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th July 1908.

RAKHAL DAS CHATTERJEE,
Subdivisional Officer.

Uluberia Subdivisional Office, the 23rd June 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Muhammadan graduate for the post of a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Muzaffarpur on Rs. 50 a month. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received in this office up to the 15th July 1908.

None need apply who do not intend to stick to the Department.

J. H. THICKETT,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.

WANTED a competent Surveyor for the Gaya Municipality to help the Government Surveyor in preparing the drainage scheme of the town of Gaya Salary Rs 100 a month. Applications with copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned by the 15th July 1908.

T. S. MACPHERSON,
Chairman, Gaya Municipality.

Gaya, the 27th June 1908. (805—2)

WANTED a Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 by annual increments of Rs. 5. No one need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1906.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th July 1908.

W. D. RITCHIE,
Vice-Chairman, District Board.

District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, the 17th June 1908. (717—3)

Notice.

WANTED a Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Engineer's Office, Rajshahi, on a salary of Rs. 60 per mensem. None need apply who is not a passed Accountant. The selected candidate will be on probation for six months and on confirmation will have to give an undertaking that he will stick to the post for at least two years. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th July 1908. Preference will be given to those who have previous experience of a District Engineer's Office work.

H. C. BARNES,
Chairman, District Board, Rajshahi.

Rajshahi, the 18th June 1908. (725—2)

WANTED a Sub-Overseer on pay Rs. 35—1—40 and conveyance allowance Rs. 15 per mensem. Apply with copies of testimonials within 15th July to the undersigned.

BINAY KRISHNA MODAK,
District Engineer, Pabna.

Pabna, the 23rd June 1908. (760—2)

WANTED a passed and experienced Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Engineer's Office, Jalpaiguri on a monthly salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 70 by annual increments of Rs. 5.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 10th July 1908.

The selected candidate will have to furnish security of Rs. 500 and will be required to sign an agreement that he will remain for at least twelve months.

J. A. BEALE, District Engineer.

Jalpaiguri, the 15th June 1908. (710—3)

WANTED an Accountant and Head Clerk for the office of the District Engineer, Dinajpur, on a pay of Rs 60 rising to Rs 80 in ten years. Apply, on or before the 10th July, stating age and qualifications and with copies of testimonials, to the District Engineer, Dinajpur.

(759—3)

WANTED by the District Board of Jessore an experienced Overseer on a salary of Rs. 45 rising to Rs. 60 by an annual increment of Rs. 3 and consolidated travelling allowance of Rs. 30 a month. None need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901, and has not sufficient experience in Road-works and is not a good rider or a cyclist. The selected candidate will have to join at once and furnish a security of Rs. 500; he will be confirmed on approved service after six months on probation. The candidates must state their age in the application which must reach the undersigned with copies of testimonials on or before the 20th July 1908

A. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer, Jessore.

Jessore, the 22nd June 1908. (758—3)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of Thomas Edward Thomas, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with copy Will annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the 24th day of April last, been granted to Frederick Henry Eggar, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of July 1908, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Frederick Henry Eggar, the Administrator, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice, and notice is hereby further given that the said Frederick Henry Eggar will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution, such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of June 1908.

S. S. HODSON,
Royal Insurance Buildings,
Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,
Attorney for Frederick Henry Eggar, Administrator to the estate of the deceased. (709—3—710)

In the Goods of Maharaja Bahadur Sir Jatindra Mohun Tagore, K.C.S.I., deceased.

PURSUANT to section 139 of Act V of 1881 and section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Maharaja Bahadur Sir Jatindra Mohun Tagore, K.C.S.I., late of No. 12, Pirsonno Coomar Tagore's Street, in the Town of Calcutta, deceased, should on or before 31st day of July 1908, send in particulars of such claims to Messrs. Orr, Dignam & Co. of No. 32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, Solicitors to the Executors, after which date no claims will be admitted and the assets of the estate of the deceased will be distributed.

ORR, DIGNAM & Co.,
Solicitors for the Executors.

32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 29th June 1908. (777—2—768)

PROBATE of the will of Maharaja Bahadur Sir Jatindra Mohun Tagore, K.C.S.I., late of No. 12, Prosonno Coomar Tagore's Street, in the Town of Calcutta, has been granted by the High Court, Calcutta, to Maharaja Bahadur Sir Prodyot Coomar Tagore, Kt., Kumud Protocash Ganguly and Herbert Weston Sheppard Sparks, the executors named in the said Will.

ORR, DIGNAM & Co.,
Attorneys for the Executors.

Calcutta, the 29th June 1908. (778—2—767)

LOST.

Tarkessur Railway Company's Shares.

THE certificates for 89 shares in the Tarkessur Railway Company, Limited, numbered 101 102, 6736-45, 6846-85, 1826-30, 3471 90, 12011-12, 12016-20, 6976-7010, standing in the name of Trailokya Nath Basu, have been lost.

Notice is hereby given that fresh certificates for the said 89 shares have been applied for, and, pending any claim to the contrary, will be issued in favour of the undersigned, on the expiration of two months from the date hereof. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the said lost certificates.

TRAILOKYA NATH BASU,
By his Attorney, Jatindra Nath Bose.

49, Shambazar Street, Calcutta, the 25th May 1908.
(670—3—681)

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 079319 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of Prosad Das Boral and Brothers, and last endorsed to Upendra Nath Mukerjee, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of the advertiser—UPENDRA NATH MUKERJEE
Residence—Rishra, Hooghly. (703—3—678)

Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 187283 of the 3½ per cent. of 1895 for Rs 100, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to Jogindra Nath Samaddar the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been destroyed, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the advertiser—Jogindra Nath Samaddar.

Residence—Kachubaria Kasinagar, post office Jessore
(693—3—702)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

Name.	Post Box No.
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United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa and East Africa, and also South Africa if superscribed on the cover *viâ* United Kingdom or Aden.	2	8 P.M.	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	5 P.M.
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Burma ...	2, 6	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	4	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	3	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
Port Blair *viâ* Rangoon.	4	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
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	June.				
South Africa by private steamer, *Euadara*.	30	9-30 ,,	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	5 P.M.
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		(*a*)		(*a*)
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6. Cuttack, Midnapur, Punjab, United Provinces, Bombay Presidency, Central India, Sind and Baluchistan, Eastern Bengal, Central Bengal and Murshidabad.	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5

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APPENDIX TO

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, *the 24th June 1908.*

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Caution—Report of dismasted sailing ship "Fathal Rahaman."

No. 262 (first publication).—A telegraphic communication, dated 23rd June 1908, has been received from the Port Officer, Akyab, intimating that the Master of the S.S. *Oolobaria* reports having passed the dismasted sailing ship *Fathal Rahaman* on the 21st idem in lat. 17° 29′ N., long. 93° 40′ E. apparently drifting N. E. and dangerous to navigation.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—GULF OF ADEN.

Morbut shoal light boat—Replaced by a red conical buoy.

No. 263 (first publication).—The Bombay Government has given Notice (No. 60 of 1908) that the light boat moored off the Morbut shoal has on the 12th June 1908 been replaced by a red conical buoy exhibiting at night two red lights six feet apart.

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Removal of buoys between Alibág and Bhatkal for the south-west monsoon.

No. 264 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 198, dated 15th May 1908, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given Notice (No. 61 of 1908) that the undermentioned buoys were removed from their positions on the dates noted against each :—

Alibág Buoy	...	...	16th May 1908.
Bánkoto Buoys	...	...	10th " "
Ambulgad Reef Buoy (Jaitapur)	...	...	16th " "
Chaldea Rock Buoy	...	...	16th " "

Bubra Buoy	...	...	...	16th May	1908
Málwan Outer Rock Buoy		...	...	18th „	„
Johnstone Castle Rock Buoy		...	...	19th „	„
Málwan Harbour Buoys		...	...	19th „	„
Vengurla Outer Rock Buoy		...	...	17th „	„
Vengurla Harbour Buoy		...	...	18th „	„
Murdeshwar Buoy	...	...	...	17th „	„
Bhatkal Buoy	...	...	...	16th „	„

AFRICA, SOUTH—Cape Colony.

Simon's bay—Position of moorings altered.

No. 265 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 821 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned moorings in Simon's bay have been moved one cable S. 77° E, and relaid in the following position.

Position.—960 yards N. 62° E. from the head of the Admiral's jetty.

Lat. 34° 11′ S., long. 18° 26¼′ E.

Moorings.—Penelope No. 11.

Variation.—29° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1849, Simon's bay.

Publications.—Africa Pilot, part II, 1901, page 345.

Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 83.

Authority.—Chart Depôt, Hydrographic Note, No. 20 of 1908.

CHINA—Canton river.

Collinson reach barrier—Character of light altered.

No. 266 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 822 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On the 15th April 1908, the red fixed light on Collinson reach barrier would be replaced by a light of the undermentioned character.

Position.—Northern section of barrier, southern end.

Lat. 23° 4′ 40″ N., long 113° 27′ 40″ E.

Character—Red group occulting, showing two short eclipses in quick succession.

Elevation.—18 feet.

Order.—Dioptric, 6th order.

Structure.—White rectangular hut, 20 feet high, surmounted by a bell.

Fog-Signal.—A bell struck once *every six seconds.*

Chart affected.—No. 1742, Second bar Pagoda to Whampoa.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 769.

China Sea, Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 99; Supplement, 1907.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice, No. 451 of 1908.

CHINA SEA AND SOUTH COAST.

Kwang Chau Wan—Alteration in buoyage and beacons.

No. 267 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 823 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The buoyage and beaconage in Kwang Chau Wan have been altered as follows:—

Position.—Lin Fa Than northern pyramid, lat. 21° 6½′ N., long 110° 23¾′ E.

1. Buoys.

Buoy.	Position on Chart	Alteration.
Red conical ...	2$\frac{8}{10}$ miles S. 62° E. from Lin Fa Than pyramid.	Withdrawn.
Red conical ...	1$\frac{8}{10}$ miles S. 87° E. from Lin Fa Than pyramid.	Moved 2½ cables N. 31° W. from position on chart.
Red conical ...	1$\frac{8}{10}$ miles N. 5° E. from Lin Fa Than pyramid.	Moved 1¼ cables N. 51° W. from position on chart.
Black Pillar ..	9½ cables S. 25° E. from fort Bayard.	Moved 1$\frac{4}{10}$ cables N. 49° E from position on chart.

2. Beacons.

Beacon.	Position.	Remarks.
Northern pyramid	On Lin Fa Than	Not easily distinguished.
White pyramid	West point, Tatchin island ...	Does not exist.
Leading beacons	Port Beaumont, Tatchin island ...	Do not exist
Flagstaff ...	Port Beaumont, Pak hai island ...	Does not exist, but the tower on which it stood is conspicuous.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3186, River Matshe.
„ 3349, Approach to Kwang chau wang.

Publication.—China Sea Directory vol. II, 1906, pages 544, 545, 546.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 755 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Taiwan (Formosa), west coast.

Anpei—Light and position altered.

No. 268 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 824 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st April 1908, a light of the undermentioned character would be established at Anpei.

Position.—On north-west side of tree on hill (87 feet).

On chart No. 1926, lat. 23° 0½′ N., long. 120° 10′ E.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Elevation.—77 feet.

Visibility.—10 miles from N. 8° W., through north and east, to S. 80° E.

Structure.—Brick cylindrical tower, painted white, 17 feet from base to centre of lantern.

Light discontinued.—The former white fixed light 2 cables north-westward from the above would be discontinued on the same date.

Note.—The Astronomical position of this light in the title of chart No. 1926 has been altered to lat. 23° 0′ 5″ N., long. 120° 9′ 20″ E., to agree with the position on the Japanese chart.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 1926, Anpei anchorage.
„ 2409, West coast of Formosa.
„ 1968, Formosa island and strait.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 943.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 244.

Amplifies Formosa Notice No. 59 of 1903.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, EAST COAST.

Surabaya approach, West Gat entrance—Temporary light buoys placed.

No. 269 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 825 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—Light-buoys have been placed in connection with current observations on either side of the leading line at the entrance to West gat, Surabaya :—

Position.—West gat pilot vessel, lat. 6° 52′ S., long. 112° 43¾′ E.

Caution.—The positions of the above buoys are not given. Mariners are therefore cautioned not to deviate from the leading line.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 934, Surabaya strait.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 122.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 918 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—AUCKLAND APPROACH.

Rangitoto beacon light—Misleading position of, on certain charts.

No. 270 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 827 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On certain copies of Admiralty Chart No. 1896, on which the position of the lights are shown in colours, the colour indicating the position of the *white occulting* light on the western end of Rangitoto island has inadvertently been placed about 6 cables north-eastward of the beacon, whereas the light is shown from the beacon, which is situated in the undermentioned position.

Position.—On the western extremity of the islet off the western point of Rangitoot island.

Lat. 36° 47′ S., long. 174° 49½′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 1896, Auckland harbour.

Authority.—Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

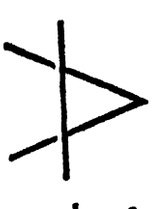
Sandoway anchorage—Buoy withdrawn.

No. 251 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 500, dated 9th November 1907, issued by this office, the Port Officer, Akyab, has given notice (No. 1 of 1908) that the Sandoway anchorage buoy, iron, red, conical, has been withdrawn from the position and will not be relaid in future.

INDIA, WEST—SIND COAST.

Delta of the Indus—Beacons re-erected.

No. 252 (second publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No 57 of 1908) of the re-erection of the following beacons:—

Locality.	Original position.		Present position (approximate).		Height in feet.	Remarks.
	Latitude N.	Longitude E.	Latitude N.	Longitude E.		
At the mouth of the Kober Creek.	23° 58′ 43″	67° 29′ 59″	23° 58′ 50″	67° 27′ 45″	49	
At the mouth of the Mull Creek.	23° 53′ 8″	67° 49′ 57″	23° 53′ 30″	67° 40′ 35″	54	

The beacons consist of single spars with planks fixed at the top, shaped as shown in the

CHINA, EAST COAST—Shantung, Kyau Chau bay approach.

Tai Kung Tau—Light established.

No. 253 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 763 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Towards the end of May 1908, a light (unwatched) of the undermentioned character will be established in the approach to Kyau Chau bay.
Position.—On the summit of Tai kung tau, lat. 35° 57′ 40″ N., long. 120° 29′ 20″ E.
Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—421 feet.
Visibility.—4 miles.
Description of Structures.—Iron cylindrical tower, black, 26 feet high.
Charts affected.—No. 857, Kyau Chau bay.
„ 1255, Kyau Chau to Miau tau strait.
„ 3480, Shangtung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 1262, Hongkong to Liautung gulf.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 185.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 526.

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1032 of 1908.

JAPAN SEA—Russian Tartary, America bay.

Cape Povorotni—Fog siren and bell discontinued.

No. 254 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 764 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The fog siren and bell at cape Povorotni lighthouse are reported to have been discontinued; the only fog signal on the cape now is that described below.
Position.—Lat. 42° 40¼′ N., long. 133° 2¾′ E.
Description of Fog Signal.—A gun fired in answer to vessel's signals.
Charts affected.—No. 3198, Askold island to cape Povorotni.
„ 2511, Strelok Bay to Mosolova point.
„ 2405, Kuril islands.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1157.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 198.

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1036 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—New Guinea, north coast—Admiralty islands.

Nares harbour—Shoal reported in—.

No. 255 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 769 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A shoal of the undermentioned description is reported by the Master of the S.S. *Sumatra* to exist in Nares harbour.
Position.—With south-eastern point of Tracey island S. 29° W., distant half a mile. Western extremity of D'Entrecasteaux island N. 52° W.

Lat. 1° 55¼′ S., long. 146° 36¼′ E.

Description.—A dark coral patch.
Variation.—5° E.
Note.—As no depth is given, this danger has been marked on the charts as

„ ⊕ *Sumatra* P.D."

Chart affected.—No. 769, Plan of Nares harbour.
Publication.—Pacific Islands, vol. I, 1900, page 402.
Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1042 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Rugged islands.

South-west Horn—Fog signal established.

No. 256 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 775 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A fog signal of the character given below has been established on the Rugged islands in the South approach to the Yang tse Kiang.

Position.—South-west Horn lighthouse, lat. 30° 35¾′ N., long. 121° 58′ E.

Character.—Two guns, with an interval of 3 minutes between them, will be fired when vessels by their signals or otherwise are known to be in the vicinity. This signal will be repeated if necessary after an interval of 12 minutes.

Charts affected.—No. 1124, Video to cape Yang tse.
„ 1199, Kue shan islands to Yang tse Kiang.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 806*a*.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 370.

Notice to Mariners No. 121 of 1908. (*This office No. 72 of 22nd February 1908.*)

Authority.—Shanghai Notice, No. 313 of 1908.

KOREA, WEST COAST.

Chemulpho anchorage—Light-buoy established.

No. 257 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 776 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A light-buoy of the description given below has been established in Chemulpho anchorage.

Position.—Moored in a depth of 2¾ fathoms off the south-western end of the shoal (An Kol), extending from the inner harbour of Chemulpho, at a distance of 9$\frac{1}{10}$ cables S. 25° W. from So Wolmi lighthouse.

So Wolmi lighthouse, lat. 37° 27¾′ N., long. 126° 36′ E.

Note.—The buoy has been placed on the chart in the above position and marked "Posn. approx."

Description.—Black conical, surmounted by a lantern exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twelve seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
8 secs.	4 secs.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1270, Approach to Chemulpho anchorage with plan.
„ 1258, Approaches to Seoul.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, Korea, etc., 1904, page 61; and Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Seoul Notice, No. 37 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Java, east coast—Bali strait.

Banjuwangi—Amended position of buoy marking shoal

No. 258 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 777 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The buoy marking the shoal in Banjuwangi road is situated in the undermentioned position, and not in that previously given.

Position of Buoy.—Moored in a depth of 4 fathoms at a distance of 6$\frac{1}{10}$ cables N. 30° E., from the flashing light.

Lat. 8° 12′ S., long. 114° 23′ E.

Description of Buoy.—Small black conical.
Position of Shoal.—On the northern side of the buoy.
Depth.—12 to 13 feet.
Variation.—1° E.
Chart affected.—No. 932, Plan of Banjuwangi.
Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 144; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 684 of 1908. (*This office No. 230 of 4th June 1908.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 869 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—South Island, East Coast.

Waiau-ua river—Shoal in approach.

No. 259 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 778 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A shoal of the undermentioned description exists in approach to Waiau-ua river, off the Cheviot coast.

Position.—With Medina river N. 80° W., distant 3 miles.

Extremity of Amuri bluff N. 9° W.

Lat. 42° 43′ 15″ S., long. 173° 30′ 0″ E.

Depth.—4 fathoms.
Description.—Half a mile in extent in a north and south direction, and marked by kelp.
Variation.—15° E.
Charts affected.—No. 2529, Cape Campbell to Banks Peninsula.
,, 3629, Hokitika to Otago harbour.
Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 272; Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 21 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Kangaroo Island.

Cape Couëdic—Intended light.

No. 260 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 788 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—During the year 1909, a light of the character given below will be established on the south coast of Kangaroo island as follows:—
Position.—On Cape Couëdic.

Lat. 36° 4′ 10″ S., long. 136° 42′ 20″ E.

Character.—*White group flashing*, showing groups of two flashes *every two minutes.*
Elevation.—340 feet.
Visibility.—26 miles.
Charts affected.—No. 2389*a*, Gulfs of St. Vincent and Spencer.
,, 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 259.

Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 303.

Authority.—Marine Board, Port Adelaide, 11th March 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—Dobba Island, South.

Mohammerah bar—Existence of good water.

No. 261 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 190, dated the 1st May 1908, issued by this Office, the British Resident in the Persian gulf has given further notice, dated 7th June 1908, that there is now good water in the fairway used by vessels before the shoal formed in the Shat-el-Arab.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

"Whale reef" buoy—Date of removal for south-west monsoon.

No. 240 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 198, dated 15th May 1908, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given notice (No. 56 of 1908) that the red buoy on the north side of the "Whale Reef" off the Rajpuri Point was removed for the south-west monsoon on the 18th May 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Egypt.

Suez canal—Draught of vessels passing through.

No. 241 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 726 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Vessels of the undermentioned draught are now permitted to pass through the Suez canal.

Positions.—Port Said, lat. 31° 15¾′ N., long. 32° 18¾′ E.

Suez, lat. 29° 56¼′ N, long. 32° 33¼′ E.

Draught.—28 feet.
Remarks.—The depth notes on the charts have therefore been amended.
Chart affected.—No. 233, Suez canal.
Publications.—Mediterranean Pilot, vol. II, 1905, page 364.

Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 52; Supplement, 1904.

Authority.—H.B.M. Embassy, Paris, 4th May 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Gulf of Aden.

Aden outer harbour temporary light-vessel—Blue light burnt.

No. 242 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 742 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The temporary light-vessel, moored in Aden Outer harbour, will show the undermentioned additional light.
Position.—7½ cables West from the Residency flagstaff on Ras Tarshein.

Lat. 12° 46¾′ N., long. 44° 57¾′ E.

Signal.—A blue light will be burnt every half hour from 7 P.M. to 5 A.M. nightly.
Variation.—1° W.
Charts affected.—No. 3660, Aden harbour.
" 7, Aden harbour and approaches.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 25.

Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 350; Supplement, 1901.

Notice to Mariners No. 626 of 1908. (*This office No. 131 of 3rd April 1908.*)

Authority.—Bombay Notice, No. 33 of 1908.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Jaigarh light—Character altered.

No. 243 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 743 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The character of Jaigarh light has been altered as given below.
Position.—On Jaigarh head, lat. 17° 18′ N., long. 73° 11′ E.

Character.—*White occulting every eleven seconds*, thus:—

Light,	Eclipse,
7 secs.	4 secs.

Remarks.—In other respects the light remains unaltered.
Chart affected.—No. 247, Jaigarh.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 250.

West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 181; Supplement, 1903.

Notice to Mariners No. 698 of 1908. (*This office No. 53 of 11th February 1908.*)

Authority.—Bombay Notice, No. 36 of 1908.

JAPAN—Liu Kiu islands.

Yoko Sima—Rock off—.

No. 244 (third publication)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 744 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A rock of the undermentioned description exists to the south-westward of Yoko sima, as follows:—

Position.—With western extremity of Yoko sima bearing N. 21° E., distant $13\frac{3}{10}$ cables, and the southern extremity of the same island N. 77° E.

Lat. 28° 46¾′ N., long. 129° 0⅛′ E.

Description.—A high pinnacle rock (conspicuous).
Variation.—3° W.
Charts affected.—No. 873, Amami o sima group.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 294.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1160 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST—Victoria—Port Phillip.

Geelong harbour approach—Alteration in buoy.

No. 245 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 745 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On or about 1st June 1908 the black and white chequered conical buoy in the approach to Geelong harbour will be replaced by a buoy of the description given below.

Position.—About 2 cables S. 35° W. from Wilson spit light-buoy.

Lat. 38° 8¾′ S., long. 144° 29½′ E.

Description.—Black can buoy.
Variation.—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.
„ 1171*b*, Port Phillip.
Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 465.
Authority.—Geelong Notice, 16th March 1908.

JAPAN—Naikai (Inland sea).

Suwo nada—Wreck in—.

No. 246 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 746 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A wreck of the description given below is reported to be lying sunk in Suwo nada.

Position.—About 3½ miles S. 73° E. from Motoyama light-buoy.

Chart No. 3225, lat 33° 51′ 50″ N., long. 131° 18′ 35″ E.

Description.—A sailing vessel with two masts, one of which is 7 feet above water.
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 3225, Simonoseki Kaikyo to Maruyama zaki.
„ 2875, Naiki (Seto uchi).
Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 497.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1163 of 1908.

INDIAN OCEAN—MADAGASCAR, NORTHERN POINT—DIEGO SUAREZ BAY APPROACH.

Cape Amber—Signal and Telegraph station established.

No. 247 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 747 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A Signal and Telegraph station has been established on cape Amber.

Position.—On the cliffs about 13 cables westward from cape Amber lighthouse.

Lat. 11° 56′ 50″ S., long. 49° 16′ 20″ E.

Name.—Point Ambohitramporia.
Signals.—Signals must be exchanged by means of the International Code, the distinguishing letters of the station being A.M.D.R.
Telegrams.—Messages signalled will be telegraphed under the conditions given in the 5th Errata to the International Code of Signals (October 1903)
Chart affected.—No. 1002, Diego Suarez to Andranoanombi bay.
Publication.—Islands in the Southern Indian Ocean, 1904, page 59.
Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 709 of 1908.

JAPAN (NIPON HONSHU), SOUTH COAST.

Irako channel—Shoals in—.

No. 248 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 751 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned shoals exist in Irako channel, as follows :—

(*a*) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of $14\frac{1}{10}$ cables S. 60° W, from 505-foot hill on Irako saki.

Lat. 34° 34′ 15″ N., long. 137° 0′ 35″ E.

Depth.—$3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

(*b*) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of 13 cables S. 64° W. from the 505-foot hill on Irako saki.

Lat. 34° 34′ 25″ N., long. 137° 0′ 40″ E.

Depth—5 fathoms.
Variation—4° W.
Chart affected.—No. 952, Owasi bay to Takamatsu no saki.
Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c, 1904, page 347.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1161 of 1908.

JAPAN—LIU KIU ISLANDS, AMAMI O SIMA.

Satsukawa bay—Shoal in—.

No. 249 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 752 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned shoal exists in Satsukawa bay.

Position.—Situated at a distance of $16\frac{1}{2}$ cables S. 8° E. from the 211-foot hill over Fuka ura.

28° 9′ 35″ N., long. 129° 15′ 5″ E., on chart No. 873.

Depth.—5½ fathoms.
Name.—Matorosone.
Variation.—3° W.
Chart affected.—No. 873, Amami o sima group. Plan, O sima strait.
Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 292.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1159 of 1908.

KOREA, SOUTH-WEST COAST—MOKPHO APPROACH.

Hoan (Faon) Peninsula—Light established.

No. 250 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 753 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On 11th January 1908, a light of the undermentioned character was established in the approach to Mokpho.

Position.—On North point of Faon peninsula.

Lat. 34° 45′ 45″ N., long. 126° 17′ 55″ E.

Character.—*Fixed.*
Elevation.—105 feet.
Visibility.—8 miles.
Sectors.—*White* from S. 83° E. to S. 68° E.
Red from S. 68° E. to S 46° E.
White from S. 46° E. to S. 40° E.
Red from S. 40° E., through south, to S. 29° W.
White from S. 29° W., through west, to N. 59° W.
Obscured in other directions.
Variation.—4° W.
Description of Building.—Concrete cylindrical tower, painted white, the centre the lantern being 19 feet above the ground.
Order or Power.—6th order.
Charts affected.—No. 3365, South-west coast of Korea.
,, 913, Mackau group to Clifford islands.
,, 104, Korean archipelago.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 195.
Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 76.
Authority.—Seoul Notice, No. 34 of 1908.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT ON EMIGRATION FROM THE PORT OF CALCUTTA TO BRITISH AND FOREIGN COLONIES DURING THE YEAR 1907.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EMIGRATION.

Darjeeling, the 22nd June 1907.

RESOLUTION—No. 1162T.—G.

READ—

The Annual Report on Emigration from the Port of Calcutta to British and Foreign Colonies during the year 1907.

Dr. C. Banks held the post of Protector of Emigrants from the 1st January to the 11th April and again from the 20th November to the close of the year. During the intervening period Dr. W. Forsyth was in charge from April 12th to April 16th, and Dr. Hendley from April 17th until Dr. Banks rejoined.

2. Seven Emigration Agencies were at work during the year, six representing the British Colonies and one the Dutch Colony of Surinam. The total number of emigrants requisitioned was 8,415 as against 13,277 in 1906, the falling off in the demand for labourers being particularly noticeable in the case of Natal, for which the figures were 456 as compared with 3,640 in the previous year. The decreased demand for labour naturally led to a corresponding falling off in the number of emigrants registered, the figures being 13,160, or 10,176 less than in the year 1906. As in previous years, the majority (85·12 per cent.) of the emigrants were recruited in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, the districts of Fyazabad, Basti and Gorakpur supplying the largest number. Of the 13,229 emigrants admitted into the sub-depôts, 2,278 were rejected as unfit to emigrate, and of the rest 10,214 arrived in the depôts at

Garden Reach. This number was increased to 11,292 mainly by the addition of 792 emigrants who remained over from the previous year and of 273 invalids who were re-admitted from hospital after recovery. Rejections, releases and other causes, however, brought down the figures to 8,290, and finally only 7,178 emigrants were sent to the Colonies, the remainder (1,112) being left for subsequent despatch. The figures show a decrease in comparison with the statistics for 1905 and 1906, when 9,322 and 14,035 emigrants respectively embarked for the Colonies. The largest number of emigrants (1,795) was received by Trinidad and the smallest (456) by Natal. The Protector reports that there was not much difficulty in securing recruits, owing no doubt to the continued high prices of food-grains in the recruiting districts.

3. The sanitary arrangement in the depôts were satisfactory. The total number of emigrants admitted to hospital was 996, of whom 84 died, the corresponding figures for 1906 being 1,618 admissions and 139 deaths. The largest number of deaths, viz., 36, was due to cerebro-spinal meningitis, though the number of cases fell from 81 in 1906 to 49 in 1907. With a view to diminishing the mortality in emigration depôts due to this disease, orders were issued during the year for the prompt submission of information to the Emigration Agents of the occurrence of any case in the recruiting districts, in order that, if necessary, recruitment might be suspended in affected areas, or that, at least, recruits from such areas should be subjected to special surveillance.

4. Four thousand two hundred and twelve emigrants returned from the Colonies during 1907, bringing with them savings amounting to Rs. 7,53,016-0-9, the average for each emigrant being Rs. 178-12-5 as compared with Rs. 159-8-8 per head in the preceding year. On the other hand, as many as 1,495, or 35·49 per cent. of the total number of returned emigrants, came back with no savings at all. Of this number, however, 845 were children. As in previous years, the immigrants in Natal sent the largest remittances by money-orders, the total amount so sent being Rs. 9,95,603-12.

5. The scale of medicines, medical comforts and Miscellaneous medical stores, to be carried on emigrant ships, was revised during the year. The period for which steamships conveying emigrants to the West Indian Colonies have by rule to be provisioned, which had hitherto been 13 weeks, was in January 1907 reduced to 12 weeks in the case of voyage from Calcutta to Jamaica and 11 weeks in the case of the other Colonies. In consequence of the trouble and inconvenience caused by the presence of insane persons on emigrant ships, a new rule was introduced during the year requiring the provision of a separate compartment on board ship for persons who may become insane or violent and obstreperous during the voyage. The Colonial Governments were also requested to issue instructions to prevent the repatriation, without the permission of the Surgeon-Superintendent, of immigrants who had shown signs of insanity during the 12 months previous to the date of embarkation.

6. The question whether the Protector of Emigrants was entitled to refuse to license recruiters who were under age, was raised during the year. It was finally decided that he had power to refuse a license to any person whom he might consider unfit either on account of his youth or for any other reason.

7. The accounts of the Emigration fund show that the receipts and the charges amounted to Rs. 24,826 and Rs. 26,674 respectively, as against Rs. 42,551 and Rs. 27,863, respectively, in 1906. The deficit of Rs. 1,848 was due to the fact that a large number of emigrants requisitioned for 1907 by the Government of Surinam, were not despatched until the beginning of 1908, and the fees realised on their account are not therefore included in the accounts of the year. The decrease of Rs. 17,725 in the receipts was caused solely by the falling off in the demand for labour during the year under review.

8. The Lieutenant-Governor desires to acknowledge the careful administration of the Department by Dr. Banks and Dr. Hendley.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

H. C. STREATFEILD,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CONSTITUTION OF THE SANSKRIT EXAMINATION BOARD.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EDUCATION.

Darjeeling, the 19th June 1908.

RESOLUTION—No. 1073T.—G.

READ-

*A memorial, dated the 9th August 1906, addressed to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor by the Sri Bharat Dharma Maha Mandal over the signature of the Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Rameswar Sing, K.C.I.E., Bahadur of Darbhanga.

READ also—

A letter from the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, No. 11575, dated the 4th July 1907, and its enclosure, containing the proceedings of a meeting held at his office on the 11th April 1907.

1. In their memorial dated the 9th August 1906, the Sri Bharat Dharma Maha Mandal put forward proposals for the reorganization of the Sanskrit Title Examination, and suggested the desirability, in the interests of Sanskrit culture in the country, of associating with the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta, in the work of conducting the examination and awarding stipends and scholarships on its results, competent persons, both official and non-official, to be selected by the Government and the principal bodies interested in the cause of Sanskrit learning. This memorial was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction, who convened a meeting, at which the gentlemen noted on the margin were present. This conference cordially advocated the proposal to constitute an Advisory and Examination Board in connection with the Sanskrit Examinations, the award of titles and certificates and the distribution of stipends and rewards, and made certain other suggestions as to the personnel of the Board and its functions.

1. The Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Rameswar Sing Bahadur, K.C.I.E.
2. Sir Guru Das Banerji, KT.
3. The Hon'ble Dr. Justice Asutosh Mukerji.
4. The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sarada Charan Mitter.
5. Raja Peary Mohan Mukerji, C.S.I.
6. Rai Rajendra Chandra Sastri Bahadur, Librarian, Bengal Library.
7. Mahamahopadhyaya Hara Prosad Sastri, Principal, Sanskrit College.
8. Mahamahopadhyaya Chandra Kanta Tarkalankar.
9. Mahamahopadhyaya Satis Chandra Bidyabhusan, Professor, Presidency College.
10. Dr. G. F. W. Thibaut, C.I.E., PH.D., Registrar, Calcutta University.
11. Mr. C. W. Russell, Principal, Patna College.
12. Babu Kali Prasanna Bhattacharji, Professor of Sanskrit, Presidency College.
13. Pandit Prasanna Chandra Vidyaratna, Secretary, Eastern Bengal Saraswat Samaj, Dacca.
14. Babu Bidhu Bhusan Goswami, Professor of Sanskrit, Dacca College.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor having carefully considered the recommendations of the Conference, and after consulting the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, is pleased to pass the following orders.

3. A Board will be formed, to be styled the Sanskrit Examination Board, and will consist of the following members:—

1. The Hon'ble Dr. Justice Asutosh Mukerji, M.A., D.L., D.SC., *President*.
2. Dr. G. F. W. Thibaut, C.I.E., PH.D., D.SC.
3. Mahamahopadhyaya Jadunath Sarbabhauma (Nadia).
4. Mahamahopadhyaya Chitradhar Misra (Mithila).
5. Mahamahopadhyaya Chandra Kanta Tarkalankara (Mymensingh).
6. Mahamahopadhyaya Sibchandra Sarbabhauma (Bhatpara).
7. Pundit Jagannath Misra (Orissa).
8. Rai Rajendra Chandra Sastri Bahadur (Calcutta).
9. Pundit Prasanna Chandra Vidyaratna (Dacca).
10. Acharyya Satyabrata Samasrami.
11. The Principal of the Sanskrit College, *ex-officio Secretary*.

No members will be appointed for Assam at present.

The President and members of the Board will hold office for three years

The functions of the Board will be as follows:—

(1) To select examiners for the Sanskrit Title and the First and Second Sanskrit Examinations.

(2) To receive the reports of the examiners.

(3) To issue titles and certificates over the signature of the President and the *ex-officio* Secretary to the Board.

(4) To distribute stipends and rewards.

(5) To notify to the Governments of Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam the results of the examinations, and to communicate to those Governments lists of titles and certificates and of stipends and rewards.

(6) To advise Government in regard to—

(*a*) the courses of studies to be followed for the various Sanskrit examinations and in the several classes of Sanskrit institutions,

(*b*) the fees to be paid by candidates for the various Sanskrit examinations,

(*c*) the distribution of grants-in-aid to Sanskrit tols, and

(*d*) the rules to be framed for the Sanskrit 1st and 2nd Examinations and the Sanskrit Title Examination.

The Lieutenant-Governor hopes that in matters connected with the Examinations the Board will consult, as far as may be practicable, the various Sanskrit institutions in the Province.

5. The Board is further authorized

(1) to make recommendations to Government for filling up vacancies in its membership, due regard being had to the desirability of securing a proper representation of the various centres of Sanskrit learning and the different Associations connected therewith,

(2) to fix its places of meeting, travelling allowance being given to all members attending such meetings,

(3) to affiliate tols and to propose for the approval of Government rules regulating their affiliation, the channel of correspondence between the Board and Government being through the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

6. A proposal was made by the Conference that the Board should be authorized to inspect tols either by the deputation of one or more of its members or by the employment of qualified persons who are not members of the Board. This proposal is at present impracticable for financial reasons, and His Honour, as at present advised, is of opinion that a Special Inspector should be appointed for the purpose. The question of his appointment will be considered by Government when it has been furnished by the Board with a complete list of the tols and a definite scheme for their inspection.

7. The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a sum of Rs. 2,000 shall be placed at the disposal of the Board during the current financial year to meet the pay of the necessary establishment and to provide for contingent and travelling expenses.

8. The existing rules regarding Sanskrit Examinations will remain in force until they are altered by Government on the advice of the Board.

ORDERED that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for information and guidance and for communication to the President and members of the Board.

Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam for information.

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution be forwaded to the Financial Department of this Government and to the Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Rameswar Sing Bahadur, K.C.I.E., of Darbbanga, for information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT ON THE POLICE ADMINISTRATION IN THE TOWN OF CALCUTTA AND ITS SUBURBS FOR THE YEAR 1907.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.—POLICE.

Darjeeling, the 26th June 1908.

RESOLUTION No. 1343P.—D.

READ—

The annual Report on the Police Administration in the town of Calcutta and the Suburbs for the year 1907.

Read also—

The Reports for the two previous years, and the orders of Government recorded thereon.

Mr. F. L. Halliday, M.V.O., held charge of the office of Commissioner of Police from the 1st January to the 10th April, and again from the 14th of November to the end of the year. During his absence on leave Mr. F. C. T. Halliday officiated. The office of Deputy Commissioner was held by Mr. F. C. T. Halliday from the 1st January to the 10th April, by Mr. C. A. Tegart from the 11th April to the 13th November, and again by Mr. F. C. T. Halliday from the 14th November to the 31st December, during which period Mr. Tegart remained on as Additional Deputy Commissioner. Mr R. Macrae, Deputy Commissioner, held charge of the Port Police throughout the year.

2. The principal measures taken during the year to give effect to the scheme for the reorganization of the Calcutta Police were the replacement of the Superintendent of the Port Police by a Deputy Commissioner and the regrading of the Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors. The substitution of Deputy Commissioners for Superintendents of Divisions will take some years to carry into effect. Beyond this the most important change still remaining to be effected is the re-division of the city into four instead of five divisions. Proposals are at present under the consideration of Government for the reorganization of the beat system. The Police are at present called on to perform more night duty than is compatible with health or efficiency; and it is hoped by better arrangements to secure less continuous strain and greater alertness.

3. Three officers and 68 men were dismissed during the year as against 7 officers and 57 men in the year 1906. Other departmental punishments have decreased; but the number of men judicially convicted has risen from 10 in 1905 and 21 in 1906 to 31 in the year under review. Equally disappointing is the increase in the number of resignations and desertions. One hundred and seventy-six men resigned as against 133 in 1906. The number of resignations is, however, very much less than in 1904 and 1905. As many as 100 recruits deserted, an increase of 17 over the number of desertions in the previous year. The Lieutenant-Governor hopes that the change of training ground from Calcutta to Bhagalpur will effect an improvement in this respect. There has been a continued improvement in the work of the Port Police, on which Mr. Macrae is to be congratulated.

4 There has been a very slight fluctuation in the figures showing the education of the men. The drop in the number of officers able to read and write from 420 in 1906 to 167 is explained by the exclusion of 282 head constables from the column for officers.

5. There has been a further increase of 3,672 in the number of true cognizable cases reported direct to the Police and instituted on complaint to a Magistrate. The increase is principally due to a very much larger number of prosecutions under the Cruelty to Animals Act. While this indicates closer supervision and a stricter enforcement of the Act, the Lieutenant-Governor

notices that in spite of the larger number of prosecutions the number of horses sent to the Belgatchia Infirmary for treatment dropped from 170 in 1906 to 87 in the year under review. The attention of Magistrates is particularly drawn to the provision in the Act by which they are enabled to send diseased animals to the Infirmary to be cured at the expense of their owners. This provision, if freely applied, is a much more useful preventive against the use of diseased and suffering animals than the mere imposition of small fines.

6. There were 15 murder cases reported during the year, besides 2 cases of 1906, brought to trial in 1907. Only 4 persons were convicted; 2 were awaiting trial at the close of the year. There was again an unusually large number of cases of riot and unlawful assembly; but the increase over the average was principally due to the disturbances which took place on the 2nd and 3rd October. There was a regrettable increase of 724 in the number of cases of theft, and 254 in the number of burglary cases, over the figures of the previous year. The increase is ascribed by the Commissioner of Police to the large influx of up-country coolies to the industrial works in progress in the Southern Division Suburbs, the Dock Extensions and the new drainage works, as also to the fact that the jute mills at Garden Reach were closed for some months. Three gangs of professional thieves were tracked down in the Northern Division of the town; 35 members of them were convicted towards the close of the year. The reorganization of the beat system, which is at present under the consideration of Government, will, it is hoped, lead to a diminution in the number of burglaries. The Lieutenant-Governor notices with satisfaction that the vigorous measures taken in previous years against bogus firms have had a salutary effect. These had practically ceased to operate in the year under review.

7. There were as many as 32,845 cases institutud in the courts of Presidency Magistrates, an increase of more than 2,000 over the previous year. Of these, 4·1 per cent. were disposed of by Honorary Magistrates. The High Court and the Alipore Sessions Court dealt with 55 and 17 cases respectively, of which 41 and 13 ended in conviction. Six hundred and seven old offenders were re-convicted for specific offences under Chapters XII and XVII, Indian Penal Code, as against 581 in 1906. Only 28 of these cases were convicted at the Courts of Sessions, in spite of the fact that over 200 of the 607 re-convicted persons had more than 3 previous convictions, and as many as 140 had over 4 previous convictions. It appears to the Lieutenant-Governor that the number of such cases disposed of by Magistrates instead of being committed to the Court of Sessions is excessive. It has been ascertained that in 39 cases accused who had already been convicted at least twice, and had received the maximum punishment which can be inflicted by a Magistrate, were again sentenced by Magistrates. Most of these cases would surely have been more suitably committed to the Court of Sessions.

8. It is satisfactory to note that the number of persons dealt with as first offenders under section 562, Indian Penal Code, has risen from 65 in 1906 to 129 in 1907. Only 10 of these, however, were so dealt with by the Suburban Courts. Twenty-seven juvenile offenders were sent to the Reformatory School as against 31 of the previous year.

9. The system of identification by means of finger impressions has continued to give excellent results. One thousand and fifty-nine persons were identified by this means as against 1,020 in 1906 and 984 in 1905.

10. Two hundred and two private motor cars and 14 private motor cycles were registered during the year, and the number of certificates of registration subsisting at the close of the year was 433 for motor cars and 59 for motor cycles. Five deaths were caused during the year by motor cars; in one case the driver was prosecuted and convicted; in the other cases the drivers were exonerated from blame.

11. A considerable amount of additional work was thrown upon the Police in the beginning of the year by the visit of His Majesty the Amir of Afghanistan and by the Minto Fête. The work done by the Police on these occasions was entirely satisfactory. A noteworthy event of the year was the disturbances which took place in Calcutta on the 2nd and 3rd October. These disturbances have been the subject of a separate resolution of Government. The allegations made against the Police of having committed or abetted

the commission of illegal acts at the time of the riots were fully enquired into. Certain lapses from duty received departmental punishment. On the whole, however, the conduct of the Police in dealing with the disturbances reflected credit on the discipline of the force.

12. The best thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are due to the officers who occupied the post of Commissioner of Police and to those serving under them for the good work done in the course of the year. The necessity for dealing with the growing unrest in the city brought on the Police much undeserved obloquy. It is to their credit that they performed their duty, often under trying circumstances, with patience and firmness.

ORDER:—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, for information and guidance.

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, the Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, and the Municipal Department of this Government for information.

Ordered also that a copy of this Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy: to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 29th June 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	0·96	7	7½	Rainfall at Raniganj 5·80, Kalna 7·52, and Katwa 9·30 inches. Sowing of paddy commenced. Weeding of jute going on in Kalna subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·09	6¾	6¾	Rainfall at Rampurhât 4·69 inches. Ploughing of fields and sowing of paddy continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	2·43	7	7	Rainfall at Vishnupur 4·55 inches. Weather seasonable. Cultivation of *aus* and winter paddy going on. Sugarcane doing well. Recipients of gratuitous relief—337 men, 954 women and 338 children—total 1,629. People attending four test-works on the 26th—143 men, 116 women and 23 children—total 282. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 5½ to 7 seers a rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	1·51	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 3·17, Tamluk 2·29 and Ghatal 1·99 inches. Sowings of winter rice and *til* nearly finished. Lands being prepared for transplantation. Slight damage to seedlings from rain. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Contai and Tamluk and at 7½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	1·08	6	7	Rainfall in the district general. Weather cloudy. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains rising. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Jute and paddy damaged by recent rain in the Serampore subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	0·92	7	7	Sky cloudy. Weather unsettled. Jute much damaged by recent rain. Seedlings partly damaged. Condition of agricultural stock good.
7	24-PARGANAS	1·40	7¼	7½	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 6¾ seers at Basirhat, 7⅛ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 7 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	1·00	6⅞	6⅞	Rainfall at Ranaghat 6·27, Chuadanga 8·84, Meherpur 9·57 and Kushtia 6·48 inches. Prospects of paddy on high lands good, but *aus* and *aman* seedlings on low lands submerged and partly damaged. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity apprehended. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder insufficient. Total number of men attending test-works on 26th—1,750 (no women and children). Casual relief being distributed.

o.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
)	MURSHIDABAD	9·57	7	7	Rainfall at Lalbagh 7·60, Kandi 7·08, and Jangipur 4·96 inches. Rainfall sufficient for the preparation of lands and for winter rice. Jute and *aman* paddy being sown. Seedlings on low lands submerged in some places in the Sadar subdivision. Water scarcity removed. Fodder sufficient. Stocks of food-grains not sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Number of men employed on District Board test-works—373.
)	JESSORE ...	2·38	7½	7	Rainfall at Jhenidah 8·53, Magura 6·62, Narail 6·30 and Bangaon 6·38 inches. Weather rainy. Rain general and sufficient. Sowing of *aus*, and *aman* paddy and jute completed. Paddy and jute of the low lands of Jhenidah, Magura and in a portion of the Sadar subdivision partly damaged by recent rain. Stocks of food-grains getting exhausted. Burma rice being imported. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. 623 persons employed on District Board test-works and 1,580 persons given gratuitous relief. High prices continuing.
	KHULNA ...	1·70	8½	8½	Rainfall general. Weather cloudy and rainy. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of *aman* paddy improved by rain but jute and *aus* paddy slightly affected. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	PATNA ...	0·26	7½	7½	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. *Bhadoi* sowings going on. More rain wanted for sowing paddy seedlings. Sugarcane doing well. Prices almost stationary. Food-stocks likely to be sufficient if not largly exported. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. *Makai* not available in the market.
	GAYA ...	0·74	8½† / 8½*	8½† / 8½*	Rainfall general. Weather cloudy and showery. Standing sugarcane promising well. Sowing of *marua* and other *bhadoi* food-crops continuing. Paddy being sown for transplantation. Prices almost stationary. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient for the present. Condition of agricultural stock good.
	SHAHABAD ...	0·40	8	8	Rainfall at Buxar 0·16 inch and Sasaram 1·28 inches. Sugarcane doing well. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops in progress. Rain urgently wanted in the Bhabua subdivision. Prices of food-grains stationary. Stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Dumraon thana. *Makai* not available.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	SARAN ...	0·75	8 10½*	8½ 10¾*	Rainfall at Gopalganj 0·75 and Siwan 0·25 inch. Weather hot. Sowings of *kodo*, *marua*, maize, *arhar* and paddy going on. Rain wanted. Food-stock resources external. No apprehension of scarcity. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	1·48	...	8 11½*	Rainfall at Bettiah 0·46 inch. Weather hot and cloudy. Rainfall beneficial, but insufficient, especially in the south of the district, where sowings of low-land rice being delayed. *Bhadoi* crops and paddy being sown. Sowing of jute nearly finished. Prospects poor. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of some grains slightly risen.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·27	8½ 10½*	8½ 10½*	Rainfall at Hajipur 0·65 and at Sitamarhi 0·68 inch. Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Common rice and maize selling at 7½ and 9¾ seers per rupee, respectively at Hajipur, and at 8 and 11 seers per rupee respectively at Sitamarhi. Sowing of paddy and other *bhadoi* crops going on in some places. More rain wanted. Agricultural stock in fair condition. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of staple food-grains sufficient. No scarcity apprehended.
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·37	8½ 12*	8½ 12*	Weather hot and cloudy. Rain urgently needed. Paddy and *bhadoi* crops being sown, but their progress retarded to a certain extent for want of rain. Food-stocks, sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
19	MONGHYR ...	1·17	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops going on. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of food-grains stationary. *Makai* not sold.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·69	8 3/16 12½*	8 3/16 12½*	Weather cloudy at times and windy. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops continuing. *Aghani* paddy being sown. Prospects more favourable, though more rain wanted, particularly in the north of the district. Cattle-disease reported in three villages in Supaul. Fodder and water sufficient.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
21	PURNEA ...	0·49	8	8	Weather seasonable. More rain wanted. Sowing of *aghani* paddy and weeding of *bhatoi* paddy and jute still continuing. Condition of standing crops and agricultural stock good. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 8½ seers per rupee at Kishanganj and Araria.
22	DARJEELING ...	3·56	7 10*	7 10*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize growing. Potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy being sown. Terai—Ploughing for winter rice going on. Standing crops doing well. Agricultural stock in good condition.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	2·86	7¼ 8*	7¼ 9*	Rainfall at Deoghur 2·03, Godda 2·25, Jamtara 6·49, Pakour 4·55 and Rajmahal 3·08 inches. Ploughing and sowing in rapid progress. Cultivation of jute continuing. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	11·56	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Jajpur 4·53, Kendrapara 8·90, Banki 13·78, False Point 6·00 inches. *Beali* paddy, jute, *mandia* and *saradh* paddy growing well. *Arhar* being sown. Cotton being plucked. Fodder and water sufficient. 873 men, 2,166 women, 4,514 children—total 7,553—receiving gratuitous relief. 90 men, 82 women and 142 children—total 314—on test-works. Decrease due to heavy rain.
25	BALASORE ...	2·58	7½	7	Weather cloudy. Rainfall at Bhadrak 3·73 inches. Sowing of paddy continuing. Sowing and weeding of jute continuing. Sugarcane and vegetables thriving. Subarnarekha flooded on 24th, subsided on 25th. Extent of damage done to crops not yet reported. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some places of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal and Bastu thanas. Fodder and water available. 274 men, 1,648 women and 2,654 children—total 4,576—at Bhadrak, and 45 men, 177 women, 210 children—total 432—at Sadar, receiving gratuitous relief. 176 men, 154 women and 241 children—total 571—attending test-works in Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	6·27	5½	5½	Weather cloudy. Rainfall at Phulbani 5·47 inches. Sowings of paddy and other crops retarded and early sown crops damaged in several places owing to heavy rain. Supply of fodder improved. Water available. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common and cheapest rice selling at 7½ seers at Phulbani. Persons on gratuitous relief 42 men, 74 women, and 112 children—total 228—in Angul, and 82 men, 109 women and 56 children—total 247—in Khondmals. Persons attending test-works—231 men, 91 women and 48 children—total 370—in Angul, and 237 men, 146 women and 83 children—total 466—in Khondmals.

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1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	6·10	7⅛	7⅛	Agricultural operations hindered by excessive rain Prices of food-grains stationary. Number on gratuitous relief—men 452, women 1,329 and children 1,247—total 3,028. Persons attending test-works—men 480, women 68 and children 269—total 817 Men 87 and children 2—total 89—attending piece-works.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	6·40	8½	8½	Rainfall insufficient in Padampur circle. Autumn and winter rice, maize and *bhadoi til* being sown. Stocks of food-grains and fodder and water supply sufficient. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Rinderpest in a few villages of Bargarh tahsil.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	2·63	—	7½*	Weather seasonable. Sowing of paddy and *bhado* crops well advanced. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 754, women 2,029 and children 1,225—total 4,008. Persons relieved on District Board works—men 174, women 168 and children 226—total 568. Persons doing piece-works—124.
30	RANCHI ...	5·82	8*	7¾*	Weather cloudy and rainy. Sowings continuing Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from one thana only. Persons attending test-works—men 1,346, women 2,486, and children 1,331—total 5,163. Report of gratuitous relief received from seven circles showing—men 207, women 470 and children 485—total 1,162.
31	PALAMAU ...	0·49	7⅜	7¼	Weather hot and cloudy. Agricultural operations commenced in several places. More rain urgently required in Daltonganj and several other thanas. Sugarcane doing well. Local grain-stocks insufficient. Agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water available. No cattle-disease. Gratuitous relief being given on a reduced scale.
32	MANBHUM ...	4·63	7½	7	Rainfall at Gobindpur 5·69 inches. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops fair. *Marua* and *bajra* being sown. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease not reported. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Gobindpur. Stocks of food-grains adequate at present. No sign of scarcity. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	6·86	6	6	Weather cloudy. Ploughing and sowing of paddy continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and at 7½ seers at Seraikella.

* Burma rice.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
34	Cooch Behar	6·69	8 8/9	8 8/9	Weather seasonable. Weeding of jute and planting of *haimantik* paddy continuing. Prospects of standing crops favourable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity or famine.
35	Feudatory States, Orissa.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

	Inches.
Athmallik	1·79
Gangpur	1·93
Pal Lahera ...	2·45
Keonjhar	2·66
Hindol	2·70
Khandpara	good rain.
Daspalla	1·61
Mourbhanj	2·08
Narsingpur ...	3·77
Baramba	2·94
Patna	1·10
Bankura	3 35
Kalahandi	0·42
Rairakhol	1·67
Ranpur	1·66
Bonai	4·56
Sonpur	2·65
Dhenkanal	2·58
Boad	1·84
Athgarh	2·13
Nayagarh	2·86
Talcher	3·28
Nilgiri	2·74

Condition of sugarcane fair in Athmallik, Keonjhar, Hindol, Daspalla, Mourbhanj, Narsingpur, Baramba, Patna, Kalahandi, Ranpur, Rairakhol, Dhenkanal, Boad, Athgarh, Nayagarh and Talcher. Ploughing and sowing of all lands in progress in almost all the States. Agricultural stock, fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 6 seers in Rairakhol, Athmallik and Athgarh, and 6½ seers in Mourbhanj to 11 seers in Talcher and 12 seers in Patna.

* The report is for the week ending the 20th June 1908.

General Summary.—Rain was general throughout the Province. The fall was heavy in Murshidabad, Cuttack, Angul, Puri, Sambalpur, Ranchi, Manbhum and Singhbhum, and also in parts of Burdwan, Nadia and Jessore; in Bihar it was light. The rain received has been sufficient in Lower Bengal, Orissa and Chota Nagpur for the crops, but more rain is still wanted in Bihar for the sowing of *bhadoi* crops, especially in Champaran and Darbhanga. Weeding of jute and sowing of *bhadoi* crops is still going on. Sugarcane is doing well. Paddy seedlings and jute have been damaged to some extent by recent heavy showers in Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, Nadia and Jessore. Damage has also been done to the early sown crops in Angul. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. The price of common rice is stationary in most districts. It has risen in Burdwan, Hooghly and Saran, and has fallen in the 24-Parganas, Jessore, Balasore, Ranchi, Palamau and Manbhum. Cattle-disease is prevalent in Shahabad, Bhagalpur, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh and Ranchi. The fodder and water-supply for the Province is fairly sufficient. The test-works in Bankura, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 11,510 persons. Gratuitous relief was given to 24,443 persons, of whom 16,064 were in Orissa.

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Calcutta, the 30th June 1908.

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Vital Statistics of the districts of Bengal for the month of April 1908.

...ons.	Districts.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.														AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.		Remarks.
					CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURY.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
	Burdwan	1,532,716	4,288	33·48	4,008	31·29	140	1·08	...	...	4,742	37·03	135	1·20	26	·12	33	·24	1,134	8·76	10,232	80·04	5,202	40·68	
	Birbhum	902,280	2,452	32·52	1,825	24·24	192	2·40	...	...	3,020	40·48	63	·72	11	·12	16	·12	392	4·80	5,476	72·72	2,987	38·04	
	Bankura	1,116,411	3,039	39·00	1,276	13·68	48	·48	...	...	2,916	31·32	87	·84	10	·09	17	·19	441	9·36	5,245	56·16	5,277	35·16	
	Midnapore	2,759,114	7,842	33·72	3,074	13·20	237	·96	...	...	4,668	20·04	194	·84	19	·07	32	·12	1,062	4·56	9,244	39·96	7,473	32 16	
...	Hooghly, including Serampore.	1,049,061	2,585	33·00	960	11·16	62	·60	4	·05	2,436	27·84	439	4·92	47	·48	34	·36	620	7·08	4,626	52·80	3,185	36·36	
	Howrah	850,516	2,349	31·68	979	13·80	50	·60	12	·12	1,017	14·28	389	5·40	68	·84	40	·48	477	6·72	3,032	42·72	2,439	34·32	
	24-Parganas	2,678,359	5,923	34·08	2,215	12·72	276	1·56	9	·04	2,844	16·32	131	·72	49	·24	87	·48	745	4·20	6,347	36·60	4,521	26·04	
	Calcutta	847,796	1,358	19·20	1,135	15·96	109	1·44	459	6·96	348	4·68	247	3·48	416	5·88	53	·72	857	12·12	3,6'0	51·69	4,187	59·28	
	Nadia	1,667,491	5,875	42·24	1,617	11·52	13	·08	1	·006	4,485	32·16	17	·12	4	·02	51	·36	713	5·04	6,901	49·56	6,190	44·52	
...	Murshidabad	1,333,184	4,339	39·00	1,012	9·00	32	·19	...	...	3,912	35·16	29	·24	6	·04	37	·24	597	5·28	5,615	50·52	4,417	39·72	
	Jessore	1,813,185	6,712	44·40	2,554	16 92	20	·12	...	...	5,317	35·04	81	·24	10	·06	61	·36	671	4·44	8,678	57·36	5,106	33·72	
	Khulna	1,358,043	3,570	34·08	835	7·92	1	·008	...	...	1,777	16 92	81	·72	2	·01	47	·36	747	7·44	3,530	33·72	2,891	27·60	
	Patna	1,624,742	4,399	32·16	53	·36	1,096	8·04	373	2·64	1,877	11·64	217	1·56	124	·84	74	·48	1,623	11·88	5,130	37·80	9,054	66·84	
	Gaya	2,089,933	5,976	34·80	236	1·44	1,510	8 76	78	·36	4,185	24·36	65	·36	25	·12	91	·48	930	5·40	7,139	41·52	7,424	43·56	
	Shahabad	1,962,696	5,769	35·16	130	·72	497	2·52	292	1·68	3,991	22·32	48	·24	1	·006	45	·24	677	4·08	5,281	32·28	7,036	42·84	
	Saran	2,409,911	6,942	34·08	243	2·04	398	1·20	415	2·04	3,193	15·84	318	1·56	57	·24	81	·36	2,289	11·88	7,134	35·52	12,547	62·40	
...	Champaran	1,790,463	4,823	30·96	41	·24	156	·96	...	...	3,015	24·12	9	·06	1	·006	62	·36	819	5·40	4,702	31·44	3,881	25·68	
	Muzaffarpur	2,755,933	8,397	36·48	234	·96	99	·36	253	1·08	6,347	27·60	103	·36	29	·12	83	·36	1,070	4·56	8,220	35·76	7,626	33·12	
	Darbhanga	2,912,611	6,494	26·64	54	·12	77	·24	599	2·04	5,477	22·56	66	·24	1	·003	57	·22	956	3·84	7,193	29·52	8,041	32·88	
	Monghyr	2,068,894	5,311	30·79	111	·60	276	1·56	406	2·28	4,355	24·40	91	·12	4	·01	64	·36	846	4 68	6,286	36·36	6,949	40·20	
	Bhagalpur	2,068,983	5,096	29·16	826	3·00	33	·12	21	1 20	4,545	26 04	14	·07	8	·03	36	·12	479	2·52	5,845	33·48	5,714	32·76	
...	Purnea	1,874,794	5,646	36·12	2,573	15·02	28	·12	...	...	5,819	33 96	15	·09	...	...	22	·12	123	·72	8,080	51·60	9,692	55·56	
	Darjeeling	249,117	753	36·12	3	·12	1	·04	1	·04	596	28·68	45	2 16	1	·04	7	·24	118	5·64	772	37·08	737	36·36	
	Sonthal Parganas	1,869,737	5,679	37·56	551	3·48	189	1·20	1	·006	4,204	27·84	76	·48	5	·01	53	·24	896	2·52	5 443	36·00	4 025	26·64	
	Cuttack	2,002,758	7,138	41·59	2,063	12·00	92	·48	1	·004	3,005	17 40	1,047	6·36	59	·24	103	·48	2,057	11·88	8,477	49·20	5,521	32·04	
	Balasore	1,071,197	4,009	46·88	9,617	107·64	138	1·44	...	...	1,209	13·44	230	2·64	1	·01	42	·36	1,654	18 48	12,891	144·36	3,079	34 44	
...	Puri	1,017,284	3,393	39·96	2,284	26·88	202	2·16	...	...	716	8·40	658	7·44	157	1·80	32	·36	1,324	15 60	5,353	63·12	2,559	30·12	
	Sambalpur	636,880	2,951	55·56	...	...	27	·48	...	...	926	15·48	181	3 36	79	1·20	33	·60	776	14·52	1,913	36·00	1,537	28·92*	* For two years only.
	Angul and Khondmals ...																								Not under registration.
	Hazaribagh	1,177,961	4,124	42·00	247	2·40	146	1·44	...	...	6,201	32·52	85	·84	2	·01	39	·36	744	7·56	4,464	45·48	2,779	28·20	
	Ranchi	1,187,925	3,874	39·12	41	·36	248	2 40	...	...	2,574	25·97	210	2 04	2	·01	51	·48	814	8·04	3,939	39·72	2,455	24·72	
	Palamau	619,680	2,250	45·48	1	·01	62	1·20	...	...	1,613	31 20	13	·12	3	·04	23	·36	314	6 00	2,026	39·12	1,037	31·68	
	Manbhum	1,361,364	3,963	38·76	2,339	20·59	157	1·44	...	...	3 701	34·08	47	·36	1	·008	17	·12	629	5 76	6,781	62·52	2,964	27·24	
	Singhbhum	613,879	1,953	38·16	166	3·24	9	·12	...	...	1,210	23 64	30	·48	1	·01	19	·36	141	2·64	1,577	30·84	1,167	22·80	
	Total ...	55,538,446	149,760	35·52	42,896	10·08	6,330	1·44	3,063	·72	102,978	24·36	5,421	1·20	1,278	·24	1,552	·36	27,733	6·48	191,252	45·36	157,199	37·32	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	167,328	39·72	12,630	2·88	3,030	·60	19,351	4·56	89,152	21·12	3 915	·84	937	·12	1,443	·24	26,721	6·24	157,199	37·32	...	...	
	Difference + or — ...	.....	—17,832	— 4·20	+30,266	+7·20	+3,300	+·84	—16,288	—3·84	+13,826	+3·24	+1,506	+·36	+281	+·12	+89	+·12	+1,012	+·24	+34,053	+8·04	...	...	

ICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,

The 24th June 1908.

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL. I.M.S.,

Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of April 1908.

Towns.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																		AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.		Remarks.
				Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injury.		Other causes.		Total of all causes.				
		Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
1. Burdwan	35,298	40	13·56	12	4·08	1	·34	...	...	52	17·64	8	2·64	2	·60	4	1·32	9	3·00	88	29·88	110	37·32	
2. Bankura	20,737	45	26·04	5	2·88	1	·48	...	...	20	11·52	4	2·28	1	·48	...	...	13	7·44	44	25·44	58	33·48	
3. Midnapore	33,140	73	26·46	77	27·84	10	3·60	...	...	62	22·44	7	2·52	2	·72	1	·36	20	7·20	179	64·80	93	33·60	
4. Hooghly and Chinsura	29,383	63	25·68	23	9·36	3	1·20	...	...	35	14·28	14	5·64	4	1·56	2	·72	21	8·52	102	41·64	121	49·32	
5. Serampore	44,451	77	20·76	46	23·16	3	1·56	...	...	74	19·68	38	10·20	4	·96	1	·24	20	5·28	228	61·44	105	28·32	
6. Howrah	157,594	244	18·48	333	25·32	30	2·28	10	·72	325	24·72	133	10·08	38	2·88	3	·12	146	11·04	1,018	77·40	723	54·96	
7. Cossipore-Chitpur ...	40,750	33	9·60	30	8·76	1	·24	8	2·28	8	·84	1	·24	...	...	...	...	7	2·04	50	14·64	44	12·84	
8. Maniktala	32,387	29	14·40	11	5·96	4	1·44	...	...	20	7·32	5	1·80	...	...	1	·36	5	1·80	46	17·04	38	14·04	
9. South Suburban ...	25,376	60	27·24	30	13·56	1	·36	...	...	19	8·64	5	2·16	4	1·80	2	·84	15	6·72	76	34·56	56	25·44	
10. Garden Reach	28,211	52	22·08	16	6·72	1	·36	...	...	24	10·20	1	·36	1	·36	4	1·68	8	3·36	55	23·28	56	23·76	
11. Barnagore	25,432	27	12·72	44	20·76	...	...	...	...	16	7·44	3	1·32	2	·84	2	·84	11	5·16	78	36·72	63	29·64	
12. Bhatpara	21,540	30	16·68	26	14·40	3	1·56	...	...	24	13·32	6	3·24	4	2·16	1	·48	7	3·84	71	39·48	56	31·08	
13. Calcutta	847,796	1,[illegible]	19·20	1,135	15·96	10[illegible]	1·44	499	6·96	334	4·68	247	3·48	416	5·88	53	·72	857	12·12	3,650	51·60	4,197	59·28	
14. Krishnagar	24,547	45	16·56	48	23·40	...	...	...	...	36	17·52	1	·48	1	·48	...	...	4	1·92	90	43·92	54	26·28	
15. Santipur	26,598	82	36·48	36	15·96	3	1·32	1	·36	71	31·56	2	·84	...	...	...	...	5	2·16	118	52·56	86	38·28	
16. Berhampore	24,397	58	19·08	2	·96	...	...	...	...	41	30·00	5	2·40	3	1·44	3	1·44	6	2·88	80	39·24	69	33·84	
17. Patna City	123,091	189	16·32	30	2·88	73	7·08	9	·84	139	12·60	27	2·52	17	1·56	11	·96	155	15·00	452	44·04	237	21·32	
18. Bihar	45,063	59	15·60	3	·72	4	·96	8	2·04	29	5·28	8	2·04	...	...	2	·48	26	6·84	71	18·84	250	66·48	
19. Dinapore	33,669	73	25·92	...	...	1	·24	...	...	7	2·40	2	·60	3	·96	2	·60	22	7·80	37	13·08	174	61·92	
20. Gaya	71,416	125	21·00	22	3·60	131	21·96	1	·12	105	27·84	37	6·12	12	1·92	5	·84	41	6·84	415	69·72	600	100·80	
21. Arrah	46,170	72	18·60	...	...	3	·72	...	...	14	3·60	42	10·80	...	...	...	...	10	2·52	69	17·88	253	66·24	
22. Sasaram	23,644	41	20·76	1	·48	17	8·52	...	...	23	11·64	...	...	...	...	1	·48	7	3·48	49	24·84	98	49·68	
23. Chapra	47,511	104	27·12	2	·48	...	...	...	...	32	8·28	8	2·04	8	2·04	4	·96	53	13·80	107	27·96	365	93·40	
24. Bettiah	24,696	51	18·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	10·20	4	1·92	...	...	...	...	22	10·68	47	22·80	60	29·04	
25. Muzaffarpur	45,617	89	23·52	1	·24	13	3·36	...	...	37	9·72	12	3·12	10	2·52	4	·96	45	11·76	122	32·04	176	46·20	
26. Hajipur	21,595	34	30·24	...	...	...	...	42	23·52	8	4·44	6	3·36	2	1·08	1	·48	54	30·24	113	63·36	232	130·08	
27. Darbhanga	66,244	231	45·36	...	...	1	·12	18	3·24	80	14·40	13	2·28	...	...	3	·48	158	28·56	273	49·44	358	64·80	
28. Monghyr	35,880	90	30·00	14	4·68	...	...	179	59·76	12	3·96	10	3·24	3	·96	2	·60	13	4·32	233	77·88	246	82·20	
29. Bhagalpur	75,760	99	11·16	2	·24	5	·72	180	28·44	52	8·16	10	1·56	5	·72	3	·36	28	4·32	285	45·12	306	48·36	
30. Cuttack	51,364	71	16·56	4	·84	5	1·08	...	...	21	4·80	11	2·52	3	·60	...	...	18	4·20	62	14·40	77	17·88	
31. Balasore	20,580	21	17·76	72	41·28	...	...	...	...	2	1·08	3	1·68	...	...	...	...	10	5·64	87	49·92	32	18·36	
32. Puri	42,334	46	9·72	16	2·40	11	2·64	...	...	40	11·16	18	4·32	7	1·68	...	...	43	10·44	135	32·76	96	23·28	
33. Ranchi	23,810	41	2·64	5	2·40	5	3·96	...	...	18	9·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	8·52	48	24·12	23	11·52	
Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	2,222,570	3,731	20·04	2,089	11·16	445	2·40	955	5·04	1,804	9·96	691	3·72	552	2·88	115	·60	1,876	10·08	8,578	46·20	10,203	55·08	
Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	3,565	20·76	672	3·60	344	1·80	4,382	23·64	1,930	10·32	514	2·76	376	1·92	103	·48	1,872	10·08	10,203	55·08	...	...	
Difference + or —	.....	—134	—·72	+1,408	+7·56	+101	+·60	—3,427	—18·60	—66	—·56	+177	+·96	+176	+·96	+12	+·12	+4	Equal	—1,625	—8·88	...	...	

Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal,

The 24th June 1908.

F. C. Clarkson, Lieut.-Col., I.M.S.,

Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 27th June 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 27th June 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 29th June 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	232	62,227	599	170	40,013	413
Jute	39	17,450*	238	9	4,450†	63
Firewood	45	51,800	769	10	1,750	27
Other articles	559	2,07,979	2,081	300	69,294	789
Total ...	875	3,39,456	3,687	489	1,15,507	1,292

* Weight by canal measurement, 18,287½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 6,000 do.

CALCUTTA,
The 30th June 1908.

AMARNATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 21st to 27th June 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometer. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1908		°	°	Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches	
June	21st	122·2	0·0	29·476	80·4	84·9	8·4	76·5	77·9	0·936	77·2	91	WSW and SW by W.	207	0·96	Cloudy, o, d
,,	22nd	138·2	2·7	·472	82·0	87·6	10·7	76·9	77·4	·919	76·7	91	SW by W, SW and S.	181	0·01	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, g, p.
,,	23rd	139·3	4·7	·397	81·3	85·6	8·0	77·6	77·6	·913	76·5	87	SSW, S by E and SE.	163	1·03	Partially cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	24th	142·3	6·3	·421	82·6	88·2	10·6	77·6	78·1	·931	77·1	88	ESE, SSE and SE.	234	1·10	Partially cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	25th	146·1	5·4	·518	82·5	88·1	10·6	77·5	77·6	·912	76·4	87	SE, SSE and S ...	175	0·07	Chiefly cloudy, o, d.
,,	26th	144·8	3·0	·587	83·6	88·3	8·8	79·5	78·1	·918	76·6	85	SSE and SSW ...	145	0·04	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	27th	149·4	4·9	·562	85·6	91·1	10·5	80·6	81·2	1·022	79·9	85	SW by S and SSW	146	0·09	Partially cloudy, p.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·493
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·521
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		25·0
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		91·3
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		82·6
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		84·6
The extreme variation of temperature		14·6
The maximum temperature		91·1
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		14
		%
The mean relative humidity		88
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		84
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 21st to 27th June 1908		2·30
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		2·51
The total fall from 1st January to 27th June 1908		29·71
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		20·70

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsen's Barograph and from e observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the rmometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the w Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet ve the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the rveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; g, dark, gloomy; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 29th June 1908.*

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Offg. Director-General of Observatories.*

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of March 1908 as compared with the same month of the previous year (for four weeks).

No.	Staples.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	61	58	3	.....	
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	61,050	54,458	6,592	.....	
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	303	169	134	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	70	132	.....	62	
	(b) Ditto, Indian	358	372	.....	14	
	(c) Piece-goods, European	957	1,018	.....	61	
	(d) Ditto, Indian	357	181	176	.....	
	(e) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	176	144	32	.....	
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium	10	10	.....	.....	
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations	7	7	.....	.....	
	(b) Others	42	37	5	.....	
6	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Cutch	105	17	88	.....	
	(4) Indigo	.....	1	.....	1	
	(5) Myrabolams	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(6) Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Turmeric	365	456	.....	91	
	(8) Others	45	45	.....	.....	
7	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	1,414	1,207	147	.....	
	(2) Hay straw and grass	4,758	2,206	2,552	.....	
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	2,005	2,304	.....	299	
9	Grain and Pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse	4,323	2,415	1,908	.....	
	(2) Jawar and bajra	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Rice in the husk	13,838	24,426	.....	10,588	
	(4) Do. not in the husk	8,825	16,067	.....	7,242	
	(5) Wheat	36	39	.....	3	
	(6) Do. flour	633	858	.....	225	
	(7) Others	798	750	48	.....	
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	863	353	510	.....	
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	103	178	.....	75	
11	Horns	12	23	.....	11	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	660	2,336	.....	1,676	
13	Jute—					
	(1) Raw	51,402	41,936	9,466	.....	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	2,414	1,572	842	.....	
14	Lac	271	191	80	.....	
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	31	17	13	.....	
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	120	88	32	.....	
	(3) Wine					
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.					
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	31	4	27	.....	
	(2) Do., manufactured	206	428	.....	222	
	(3) Copper, unwrought	1	.....	1	.....	
	(4) Do., manufactured	6	.....	6	.....	
	(5) Iron and steel—					
	(a) Unwrought	.....	111	.....	111	
	(b) Wrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(i) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	3,406	4,371	.....	965	
	(ii) Machinery and mill works	266	391	.....	125	
	(iii) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery.	1,153	1,429	.....	276	
	(6) Metallic ores	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Others	1,010	1,046	.....	36	
18	Mineral substances—					
	(1) Marble and stone	3,346	2,410	936	.....	
	(2) Chalk					
	(3) Lime	2,602	1,502	1,100	.....	
	(4) Others					
19	Oils—					
	(1) Kerosine	10,937	11,358	.....	421	
	(2) Castor	9	19	.....	10	
	(3) Cocoanut	102	119	.....	17	
	(4) Mustard and rape	197	301	.....	104	
	(5) Other	99	130	.....	31	

No.	STAPLES.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	EXPLANATIONS OF FLUCTUATIONS BY TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
20	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor	25	70	.....	45	
	(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Linseed	1,706	2,813	.....	1,107	
	(4) Poppy	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(5) Rape and mustard	5,082	4,614	468	.....	
	(6) Til or jinjili	39	19	20	.....	
	(7) Others	230	258	.....	28	
21	Opium	.....	.....	.....	.....	
22	Paper and pasteboard	902	548	354	.....	
23	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	1	1	.....	.....	
	(2) Ghee	50	183	.....	133	
	(3) Others	944	707	237	.....	
24	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	66	15	51	.....	
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(c) Others	45	14	31	.....	
25	Salt	5,597	7,229	.....	1,632	
26	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	8	11	.....	3	
	(2) Other saline substances	238	393	.....	155	
27	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	34	43	.....	9	
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	
28	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	1,112	1,224	.....	82	
	(2) Cardamoms	18	41	.....	23	
	(3) Chillies	895	467	428	.....	
	(4) Ginger	118	112	6	.....	
	(5) Pepper	36	16	20	.....	
	(6) Others	334	550	.....	216	
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallised, including sugar-candy.	922	743	179	.....	
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	1,638	1,528	109	.....	
	(b) Gur, rab, laggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	2,305	3,850	.....	1,545	
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Indian	28	320	.....	292	
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	2,545	2,107	438	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Other sorts	113	61	52	.....	
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	6,146	3,653	2,492	.....	
	(2) Manufactures	700	576	124	.....	
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw	395	326	69	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs	128	.....	128	.....	
	(b) Piece-goods, European					
	(c) Ditto, Indian					
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures					
34	All other articles of merchandise	11,411	8,686	2,725	.....	
	Total	224,169	219,936	32,029	27,920	

H. J. JUDGE,
for *Offg. Examiner of Accounts.*

CALCUTTA, *the 20th June 1908.*

BENGAL-NAGPUR RAILWAY.

Abstract of principal commodities carried during the month of March 1908, as compared with the corresponding period of previous year.

Articles.	1908.		1907.		Total, 1908.	Total, 1907.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	8	5	15	7	13	22	.....	9
II.—Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways.	42,6.7	172,106	41,669	174,884	214,765	216,553	.....	1,788
III.—Cotton—								
1. Raw	151	980	233	1,403	1,131	1,636	.....	505
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and yarn, European	3	340	.....	551	343	551	.....	208
(b) Ditto, Indian ...	582	571	583	1,258	1,153	1,841	.....	688
(c) Piece-goods, European ...	319	212	408	454	531	922	.....	391
(d) Ditto, Indian ...	119	694	38	759	813	897	6	.....
(e) Others	1	38	1	2	39	3	36	.....
IV.—Chemicals excepting saltpetre ...	20	10	33	4	30	37	.....	7
V.—Drugs—								
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	.....	2
2. Non-intoxicating—								
(a) Medicinal preparations	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Others	28	82	87	33	110	120	.....	10
VI.—Dyes and Tans—								
1. Al (morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Cutch	20	3	12	8	23	20	3	.....
4. Indigo	1	2	1	.....	3	1	2	.....
5. Myrabolams	2,935	2,103	995	1,909	5,063	2,904	2,159	.....
6. Tanning barks	142	44	68	13	186	101	85	.....
7. Turmeric	653	302	257	532	1,045	789	256	.....
8. Others	44	3	54	50	52	109	.....	57
VII.—Fodder—								
1. Oilcake	301	204	400	79	505	479	26	.....
2. Hay, straw and grass	515	279	264	256	794	520	274	.....
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,677	893	1,342	301	2,570	1,843	727	.....
IX.—Grain and Pulse—								
1. Gram and pulse	2,547	3,379	3,889	6,053	5,926	10,942	.....	4,016
2. Jowar and bajra	90	825	195	38	915	233	682	.....
3. Rice in the husk	2,737	2,077	1,254	17,287	5,404	18,941	.....	13,537
4. ,, not in the husk	6,852	3,067	13,728	16,672	16,819	30,420	.....	13,601
5. Wheat	1,275	3,552	2,770	2,354	4,825	5,104	.....	279
6. ,, flour	361	145	406	76	506	481	24	.....
7. Others	343	1,956	220	463	2,279	753	1,526	.....
X.—Hides and skins—								
1. Hides of cattle—								
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	213	470	254	1,017	683	1,271	.....	588
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—								
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	69	47	96	36	116	132	.....	16
XI.—Horns	8	23	61	4	31	65	.....	34
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	541	975	536	1,125	1,519	1,661	58	.....
XIII.—Jute—								
1. Raw	627	1,789	1,306	362	2,416	1,668	748	.....
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,389	225	2,208	317	1,614	2,015	.....	1,132
XIV.—Lac	820	554	197	617	1,383	814	569	.....
XV.—Leather—								
1. Unwrought	47	29	140	.....	76	140	.....	64
2. Wrought excepting boots and shoes.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVI.—Liquors—								
1. Ale and beer	11	43	10	69	54	79	.....	16
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit and wine.	57	176	84	153	233	236	.....	3
3. Wine	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVII.—Metals—								
1. Brass, unwrought	8	10	14	11	18	25	.....	7
2. ,, wrought	44	64	93	107	108	199	.....	91
3. Copper, unwrought	5	5	.....	.....	13	.....	13	.....
4. ,, wrought	20	7	2	2	27	4	23	.....
5. Iron and steel—								
Unwrought (dust, slag pig and old for remanufacture).	194	31	63	1	225	64	161	.....
Wrought—								
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	783	956	1,103	620	1,469	1,732	.....	263
(b) Machinery and millwork	229	126	245	7	355	252	123	.....
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery.	325	240	454	90	565	571	.....	43
6. Metallic ores	19,115	12,200	50,768	8,456	31,315	59,254	.....	27,939
7. Others	118	80	118	71	198	200	.....	71

N.B.—Four weeks ended in March 1908 and the traffic for that period has been included whereas in the corresponding period of the previous year figures for five weeks were shown.

ARTICLES.	1908		1907.		Total, 1908.	Total, 1907.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
XVIII.—Mineral substances—								
(1) Marble and stone	1,523	3,471	1,499	2,304	4,994	3,803	1,191	.....
(2) Chalk and lime	1,088	3,514	807	2,562	4,572	4,369	203	.....
(3) Others	7	3	20	14	10	34	.....	24
XIX.—Oils—								
1. Kerosine	1,723	397	2,872	488	2,020	3,310	.....	1,290
2. Castor	90	178	22	316	268	338	.....	70
3. Cocoanut	60	46	44	47	106	91	17	.....
4. Rape and mustard	138	75	183	9	266	192	14	.....
5 Others	104	169	94	97	273	191	82	.....
XX.—Oilseeds—								
1. Castor	257	62	20	38	219	58	161	.....
2. Earthnuts	15	24	2	28	39	30	9	.....
3. Linseed	191	333	2,339	1,224	424	3,563	.....	3,139
4. Poppy	2	25	15	11	27	26	1	.....
5. Rape and mustard	464	379	840	2,189	863	3,029	.....	2,166
6. Til or jiejill	279	261	4,104	2,469	540	6,573	.....	6,033
7. Others	250	160	225	1,055	410	1,280	.....	870
XXI.—Opium	4	6	.....	.....	10	.....	10	.....
XXII.—Paper and pasteboard ...	70	16	152	7	86	159	.....	73
XXIII.—Provisions—								
1. Dried fruits and nuts	563	102	626	231	665	909	.....	244
2. Ghee	192	241	56	561	433	617	.....	184
3. Others	206	231	131	201	437	332	95	.....
XXIV.—Railway plant and rolling-stock carried for the public and foreign railways—								
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	16	.....	26	26	16	52	.....	36
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	11	11	560	4	22	564	.....	542
3. Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	44	19	23	10	63	33	30	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	7	135	.....	7	135	.....	128
(c) Others	4,204	4,206	1,961	5,343	8,410	7,204	1,206	.....
XXV.—Salt	3,325	4,315	4,790	6,425	7,641	10,515	.....	2,874
XXVI.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1. Saltpetre	11	14	7	2	25	9	16	.....
2. Other saline substances ...	69	78	4	3	137	7	130	.....
XXVII.—Silk—								
1. Raw—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	53	54	3	23	107	26	81	.....
2. Piece-goods—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXVIII.—Spices—								
1. Betelnuts	476	43	1,096	25	519	1,121	.....	602
2. Cardamoms	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Chillies	341	1,089	108	934	1,431	1,037	394	.....
4. Ginger	13	3	5	5	16	10	6	.....
5. Pepper	9	62	9	.....	71	9	62	.....
6. Others	183	17	349	121	170	470	.....	300
XXIX.—Sugar—								
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	786	660	1,643	427	1,446	2,070	.....	624
2. Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	379	1,100	1,802	903	1,479	2,755	.....	1,316
XXX.—Tea—								
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Indian	10	.....	12	1	10	13	.....	3
XXXI.—Tobacco—								
1. Unmanufactured	417	332	361	318	739	679	60	.....
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Cigars	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3	.....	3
(b) Other sorts	29	53	29	35	82	64	18	.....
XXXII.—Wood—								
1. Timber, unwrought	4,563	3,858	3,343	5,120	8,422	8,468	.....	46
2. Manufactured	124	209	104	263	393	367	26	.....
XXXIII.—Wool—								
1. Raw	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Piece-goods, European ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Ditto, Indian ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3	.....
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—								
1. Firewood	4,112	2,472	2,304	2,635	6,584	5,469	1,115	.....
2. Bamboos	2,745	3 8	2,404	327	3,053	3 291	.....	239
3. Mota	645	198	522	464	1,023	986	37	.....
4. Bones	368	580	232	301	923	623	305	.....
5. Others	1,968	1,287	3,448	2,284	3,171	5,732	.....	2,561
Total ...	121,009	243 612	165,985	241,441	364,631	447,426	12,773	95,568
					Net		.....	82,795

Calcutta, the 23rd June 1908.

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for *Auditor, Bengal-Nagpur Railway.*

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the three weeks and four days ending 25th January 1908 as compared with the same period of 1907.

Staples.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds		Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	5,588	6,044	4,633	5,454			955	590
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,16,86,855	13,33,759	1,30,42,773	15,24,783	12,55,918	1,91,976		
Cotton—								
(1) Raw	2,10,529	88,894	1,91,025	66,074			19,504	22,820
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	2,444	2,641	2,312	2,188			132	453
(b) Ditto, Indian	33,603	13,737	29,072	13,283			4,021	1,514
(c) Piece-goods, European	88,737	95,852	70,625	65,001			18,112	30,851
(d) Ditto, Indian	12,382	8,107	13,082	7,595	700		.....	511
(e) Others	18,957	4,223	5,281	2,699			3,656	524
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	15,902	9,439	15,052	6,972			850	2,467
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	22	30	23	16			.....	14
2.—Non-intoxicating	6,845	6,042	5,774	4,821			1,071	1,221
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	705	687	572	592			133	95
2.—Cutch	1,837	952	1,324	687	.....	.....	513	265
3.—Indigo	1,892	1,120	4,967	3,721	3,175	2,601		
4.—Myrabolams	2,886	1,034	28,363	8,170	26,477	7,116		
5.—Tanning barks	4,962	669	13,820	867	8,958	198		
6.—Turmeric	11,004	6,254	8,107	4,755	.....	.....	2,897	1,499
7.—Others	11,054	4,595	6,303	2,877			4,751	1,718
Fodder—								
1.—Oilcake	49,881	9,723	1,30,077	14,813	81,096	6,085		
2.—Hay, straw and grass	40,421	6,185	55,819	10,963	15,398	3,678		
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	23,252	7,922	19,607	4,109			3,565	3,843
Grain and Pulse—								
1.—Gram and pulse	2,82,005	85,905	6,09,373	1,39,192	3,27,368	53,287		
2.—Jowar and bajra	4,05,251	66,714	3,53,178	50,124			52,073	16,590
3.—Rice in the husk	3,62,031	39,000	1,12,601	16,166			2,49,430	22,835
4.—Rice not in the husk	7,41,875	92,940	13,48,272	3,83,430	6,56,197	3,00,490		
5.—Wheat	4,35,133	1,49,383	3,04,902	96,582			1,31,231	.....
6.—Wheat flour	50,706	22,020	5,205	22,137	15,329			52,801
7.—Others	1,79,499	47,001	2,95,014	52,591	1,15,528	5,590		723
Hides and Skins—								
1.—Hides of cattle	77,842	39,926	52,982	33,104			24,860	6,822
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	21,471	11,854	15,971	8,987			5,502	3,760
Horns	1,615	724	1,056	533			562	189
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	85,934	24,853	1,21,292	33,357	35,268	8,504		
Jute—								
1.—Raw	4,98,032	1,05,582	3,60,665	68,184			1,37,367	37,398
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	92,608	43,911	1,05,956	58,869	13,347	14,958	.....	.....
Lac	50,224	30,122	73,341	33,737	23,117	3,573		
Leather—								
1.—Unwrought	1,263	2,199	2,197	3,371	934	1,172		
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	2,320	690	6,399	1,465	4,079			
Liquors—								
1.—Ale and Beer	19,471	4,494	8,362	3,757			11,109	737
2.—Wines and spirits of all kinds, including country spirit	5,958	6,071	6,389	5,392	431			679
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	1,020	227	174	46			846	181
Metals—								
1.—Brass, unwrought	382	70	4,045	2,854	3,660	2,784		
2.—Do., wrought	16,8	6,425	15,605	9,106		1,681	928	
3.—Copper, unwrought	38		472	541	434	536	.....	
4.—Do., wrought	6,021	4,199	1,727	1,028			4,314	3,171
5.—Iron and steel—								
(1) Unwrought (dust, slag, pig and old for remanufacture)	42,157	7,818	37,137	10,014				
(2) Wrought—						3,196	5,020	
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel	1,17,818	46,216	1,29,514	59,865	11,696	4,649		
(b) Machinery and mill work	21,625	9,569	20,938	10,060		411	687	
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery	46,792	27,285	38,767	20,012				
6.—Metallic ores	19	4	49,616	2,148	49,597	2,144	10,023	6,373
7.—Zinc and spelter	4,690	3,332	2,445	1,553	.....	.....	.....	.....
8.—Others	10,459	6,692	11,564	7,173	1,105	481	3,845	1,779
Mineral substances—								
1.—Marble and stone	3,83,428	29,274	2,53,982	25,960				
2.—Chalk and lime	1,06,466	17,614	2,69,475	40,513	1,63,009	23,899	1,29,443	3,314
3.—Others	1,269	842	4,349	2,505	3,100	1,668		
Oils—								
1.—Kerosine	1,47,853	40,793	1,59,983	60,872	12,030	11,069		
2.—Castor	3,251	903	3,844	939	.....	.....	.....	.....
3.—Cocoanut	3,226	974	3,787	1,344	561	370	407	26
4.—Mustard and rape	10,610	3,250	13,964	4,027	3,274	777		
5.—Others	5,149	2,795	7,674	3,551	2,525	1,066		
Oilseeds—								
1.—Castor	12,849	3,666	43,370	9,283	30,511	5,617		
2.—Earthnuts	488	239	6,347	867	5,739	628		
3.—Linseed	71,668	16,075	59,259	14,964	.....	.....	13,309	1,021
4.—Poppy	1,340	386	1,970	551	590	185	.....	.....
5.—Rape and mustard	3,07,536	51,290	46,166	10,485			1,61,370	42,715
6.—Til or jinjili	1,36,688	29,766	44,906	4,609			91,782	25,157
7.—Others	1,09,056	35,080	2,64,126	23,410	1,62,078	19,507	.....	10,570
Opium	584	562	31,567	29,009	20,983			
Paper and pasteboard	22,336	14,621	32,531	13,872	20.			749
Provisions—								
1.—Dried fruits and	17,526	10,026	15,004	5,879			2,522	4,154
2.—Ghee	35,652	26,073	55,187	24,843	19,531	6,770	.....	.....
3.—Potatoes	2,02,129	78,618	1,30,052	43,488	.....	.....	72,078	35,158
4.—Others	37,097	28,253	65,129	34,498	28,042	6,240		

Staples.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds	
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	4,612	1,629	420	34	.....	.....	4,193	1,595
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof			81	43	81	43		
3.—Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates ...	579	88	2,544	813	1,965	725		
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
(c) Others	1,62,962	53,128	2,90,645	96,102	1,27,683	.....		27,026
Salt	2,37,961	73,973	4,28,128	79,990	1,84,167	6,017		
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	49,518	23,404	35,056	14,285				
2.—Other saline substances	37,495	9,713	33,042	8,921			14,462	9,119
							3,853	
Silk—								
1.—*Raw*—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....				
(b) Indian	2,819	814	2,109	3,388		2,574	710	
2.—*Piece-goods*—								
(a) Foreign		.....						
(b) Indian	119	242						
							69	138
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	15,875	12,162	17,033	13,748	1,158	1,586		
2.—Cardamoms	1,272	1,375	870	1,033	.....	.....	402	342
3.—Chillies	29,361	14,407	14,288	3,754	.....	.....	15,093	10,653
4.—Ginger	3,584	1,505	11,080	732	7,496	.....	.....	273
5.—Pepper	3,670	3,619	2,685	2,662	.....	.....	985	967
6.—Others	12,979	11,105	15,463	11,388	2,544			17
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	42,865	9,563	73,587	28,526	30,742	18,963		
2.—Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	1,39,441	38,262	1,46,074	39,258	6,635	996		
(b) *Gur*, rab, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce ...	4,39,113	57,494	3,90,842	57,451	.....		48,271	
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2.—Indian	4,612	2,261	2,599	2,087	.....	.....	2,013	
Tobacco		13,258	33,124	16,995	4,516	3,607		
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	77,806	14,803	1,34,248	14,468	56,442			335
2.—Manufactures	41,040	7,574	15,422	5,310			25,624	2,264
Wool—								
1.—Raw	3,87.	1,607	4,209	2,943	332	1,336	.....	
2.—Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	1,199	917	943	1,200	.....	283	256	
(b) Piece-goods, European ...	862	294	522	194	.....	.....	340	103
(c) Ditto, Indian ...	33.	271	488	668	265	23"	.....	218
(d) Other sorts of manufactures	1,14.	1,105	1,412	955	267	.....	.....	
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	83,79.	15,905	57,790	14,266			25,005	1,729
2.—Firewood	80,3.4	5,245	1,32,1 6	6,719	51,682	1,474		
3.—Indigo seed	16,284	3,526	1,5.5	330	.....	.....	14,686	3,196
4.—Paints and colours	1,986	1,641	2,949	1,596	963	255		
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	401	132	3,812	876	3,411	744		
6.—Others	3,46,864	4,68,117	6,57,308	2,42,985	3,46,444			2,25,132
Total	1,92,55,22.	37,45,448	3,17,98,65.	38,63,3.8	25,43,430	1,17,580		
Military stores	28,21.	45,979	14,941	10,583	.....	.....	13,271	35,396
Coal for railway	11,74,3.4	89,875	14,84,426	1,14,188	3,09,106	24,323		.....
Railway materials	25,17,23.	87,418	25,77,828	81,803	60,590	.....		5,615
Live-stock		25,975	.....	27,085	.....	1,080		
Total	2,29,74,99	39,94,696	3,58,73,384	43,97,567	28,98,855	1,02,872		

H. G. EMMERSON,
for *Acting Chief Auditor*.

TRAFFIC AUDIT OFFICE, GOODS DIVISION, CALCUTTA, *the 27th June 1908.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th June 1908 on 2,287·05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	679,897	5,31,647 0 0	74,54,432 0	11,02,396 0 0	37,538 0 0	17,39,581 0 0	157,694	220,353	378,047
Or per mile of railway ...	...	235 15 4	...	508 4 0	16 6 7	760 9 11	...	...	...
For previous 23¼ weeks of half-year	12,580,793*	1,13,80,620 0 0*	16,52,90,563 0†	2,63,79,034 0 0†	9,28,197 0 0‡	3,86,87,851 0 0	3,036,065§	5,168,674§	8,800,539
Total for 23¼ weeks ...	13,260,690	1,19,20,267 0 0	17,27,44,995 0	2,75,41,430 0 0	9,65,735 0 0	4,04,27,432 0 0			9,178,586
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	592,040	5,02,015 2 7	73,88,401 10	11,95,231 0 3	35,489 1 2	17,33,735 4 0	150,461	223,405	373,866
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	219 13 9	...	523 7 4	15 8 8	758 13 9			
Total for corresponding 23¼ weeks of previous year	13,156,128	1,22,91,246 12 3	16,47,54,330 30	2,70,33,721 6 3	8,71,869 15 0	4,01,99,858 0 6	3,644,785	4,933,034	8,577,819

* Deducted No. of passengers 4,932 and added Rs. 12,374
† ,, Mds. 14,425 and deducted ,, 15,942 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 2nd
‡ ,, ,, 5,105 } May 1908.
§ Audited figures up to 2nd May 1908.

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Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*2,287·05	First 11 days of Jan. ...	885,522	6,34,389	1,08,16,017	18,49,635	66,137	25,50,157	1,117	596,113	4 5 9
*2,287·05	Week ended 18th ,, ...	451,317	4,10,730	75,46,502	10,78,557	37,152	15,26,439	667	376,073	4 0 11
*2,287·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	473,877	4,77,497	73,10,947	11,15,193	37,933	16,30,583	713	396,250	4 3 7
*2,287·05	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	644,579	6,60,246	73,09,584	11,78,729	34,933	18,73,907	821	390,393	4 13 3
*2,287·05	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	642,323	6,29,554	67,76,774	11,47,200	40,139	18,16,893	794	383,893	4 11 4
*2,287·05	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	522,987	5,20,704	72,09,797	12,53,102	46,759	18,19,565	796	383,933	4 10 8
*2,287·05	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	537,955	5,55,293	76,82,980	13,51,245	43,923	19,50,361	850	399,806	4 10 1
*2,287·05	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	575,504	5,60,716	76,27,244	12,71,085	45,534	18,77,336	821	402,873	4 10 8
*2,287·05	,, ,, 7th March ...	632,809	5,44,939	73,95,192	11,25,979	43,982	17,14,900	750	388,484	4 6 8
*2,287·05	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	568,430	5,44,733	77,15,217	10,76,964	34,757	16,56,454	725	378,642	4 6 1
*2,287·05	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	476,295	4,34,610	74,70,845	11,14,138	40,637	15,89,374	695	393,384	4 0 8
*2,287·05	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	510,075	5,15,047	83,92,115	12,86,537	39,655	18,31,239	804	408,375	4 8 1
*2,287·05	,, ,, 4th April ...	500,984	4,78,644	73,47,146	11,38,395	41,244	16,58,283	725	400,507	4 2 3
*2,287·05	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	535,496	4,58,862	70,20,324	11,45,150	44,803	16,51,816	722	401,309	4 1 10
*2,287·05	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	564,425	4,75,875	69,77,157	11,24,125	44,489	16,44,489	719	407,989	4 0 6
*2,287·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	568,893	4,82,960	75,15,503	11,75,035	40,376	17 02,371	744	389,895	4 5 10
2,287·05	,, ,, 2nd May ...	583,982	5,16,444	71,40,891	11,66,725	36,720	17,19,889	752	383,335	4 7 9
2,287·05	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	623,127	5,23,716	76,42,335	12,41,234	41,032	18,06,981	789	387,946	4 10 5
2,287·05	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	639,600	4,94,064	74,27,730	12,16,936	39,589	17,50,589	765	390,641	4 7 8
2,287·05	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	600,864	4,85,264	65,97,759	11,24,637	32,767	16,47,668	720	389,039	4 3 9
2,287·05	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	573,079	4,70,039	71,11,005	11,39,194	41,398	16,50,631	722	389,785	4 5 4
2,287·05	,, ,, 6th June ...	604,448	4,98,236	74,06,411	11,61,356	42,424	17,01,971	744	381,488	4 7 6
2,287·05	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	679,897	5,39,647	74,54,432	11,62,396	37,538	17,39,581	761	378,047	4 9 7
	Totals up to date ...	13,260,690	1,19,20,267	17,27,44,995	2,75,41,430	9,65,735	4,04,27,432	730	9,178,586	4 6 6

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,243·80	First 12 days of Jan. ...	992,097	11,62,370	1,91,63,293	18,34,149	55,167	30,52,686	1,345	810,648	5 4 6
2,243·80	Week ended 19th ,, ...	533,983	10,33,791	60,67,661	10,04,771	33,156	20,73,718	924	361,950	5 11 8
2,243·80	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	597,767	6,33,098	63,30,851	10,96,547	32,976	17,32,611	794	338,754	4 15 10
2,243·80	,, ,, 2nd Feb. ...	467,981	5,87,616	71,21,140	12,03,491	34,256	17,95,373	801	341,668	5 3 3
2,243·80	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	519,449	4,46,135	64,71,709	11,01,465	36,768	16,84,368	709	373,035	4 7 10
2,243·80	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	502,677	4,99,257	65,28,730	9,61,379	33,731	15,01,367	649	358,985	4 3 11
2,243·80	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	525,576	5,40,946	65,21,575	10,47,570	34,745	16,34,861	728	344,402	4 11 11
2,243·80	,, ,, 2nd March ...	499,893	4,31,594	61,56,676	10,73,050	37,303	15,80,997	642	343,744	4 7 3
2,243·80	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	550,007	4,75,876	67,82,405	10,90,095	33,696	16,05,597	716	353,879	4 8 7
2,243·80	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	478,913	4,51,651	62,19,971	10,64,413	35,475	15,51,564	691	350,190	4 5 1
2,243·80	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	429,031	3,95,343	68,71,272	10,28,416	32,345	14,56,104	649	343,738	4 4 0
2,243·80	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	452,998	4,63,097	73,76,932	11,00,409	33,945	16,16,451	733	370,823	4 4 1
2,243·80	,, ,, 6th April ...	475,283	4,44,915	75,03,689	11,03,658	36,945	16,45,158	751	341,118	4 9 0
2,243·80	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	529,774	4,69,563	79,05,672	12,36,537	34,163	17,44,263	777	363,754	4 13 11
2,277·60	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	548,231	4,62,547	73,03,643	12,32,250	36,649	17,39,446	764	368,291	4 11 7
2,283·34	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	554,708	4,56,256	72,96,004	12,75,379	39,635	17,68,308	774	382,047	4 10 1
2,281·34	,, ,, 4th May ...	563,218	4,79,379	74,16,146	13,54,946	40,542	17,67,767	774	376,650	4 11 1
2,283·34	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	586,044	4,84,789	73,25,597	12,19,763	37,174	16,91,825	741	379,024	4 7 7
2,283·34	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	572,069	4,67,290	74,01,913	13,34,111	37,427	17,28,828	757	380,139	4 8 9
2,283·34	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	586,929	4,85,970	83,43,361	13,17,305	36,674	17,99,949	789	373,084	4 9 6
2,283·34	,, ,, 1st June ...	598,155	5,04,006	72,73,951	11,97,125	36,050	17,37,173	761	376,068	4 10 4
2,283·34	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	598,235	5,23,429	72,35,919	11,83,780	38,843	17,52,181	767	387,494	4 11 3
2,283·34	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	592,040	5,02,015	73,88,401	11,95,231	35,489	17,33,735	759	373,866	4 10 2
	Totals up to date ...	13,156,128	1,22,91,246	16,47,54,331	2,70,33,721	8,71,869	4,01,99,858	731	8,577,819	4 11 0

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th June 1908 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week ...	34,022	8,578 0 0	13,232 0	658 0 0	7 0 0	9,243 0 0	1,342	154	1,496
Per mile of railway ...	.....	385 14 0	.....	29 0 7	0 5 1	415 12 8	.....	.....	.....
Previous 22½ weeks of half-year ...	691,039*	1,72,604 0 0*	5,05,549 0†	18,890 0 0†	185 0 0	1,91,079 0 0	31,661‡	3,411‡	35,072
Total for 23½ weeks ...	725,061	1,81,182 0 0	5,15,781 0	19,548 0 0	192 0 0	2,00,922 0 0	33,003	3,565	36,568
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week previous year.	22,456	4,988 15 6	17,179 30	634 10 0	7 1 3	5,630 10 9	964	226	1,190
Average of railway corresponding portion of previous year.		224 6 10	.....	28 8 9	0 5 1	253 4 8	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 28½ weeks previous year	705,648	1,75,477 4 7	5,06,755 10	19,037 11 0	228 8 3	1,94,743 7 10	23,852	5,318	29,170

* Added No. of passengers 132 and deducted Rs. 150 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 2nd
† Deducted Mds. 1,096 " " 120 } May 1908.
‡ Audited figures up to 2nd May 1908.

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No.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
23	First 11 days of Jan. ..	32,463	7,903	28,088	1,051	8	8,961	403	2,378	3 12 4
24	Week ended 18th " ...	21,807	4,995	13,262	378	11	4,994	225*	1,498	3 5 4
25	" " 25th " ...	22,720	5,050	28,094	982	10	6,048		1,498	4 0 7
26	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,477	24,135	847	1	11,32	509	1,780	6 5 10
27	" " 8th " ...	57,813	13,164	24,135	847	11	17,022	766	2,088	8 2 5
28	" " 15th " ...	25,779	6,057	30,010	774	6	7,037	317	1,196	4 11 3
29	" " 22nd " ...	33,136	8,453	32,240	968	7	9,053	41	1,544	6 5 0
30	" " 29th " ...	27,651	6,422	39,413	1,167	9	7,598	342	1,496	5 1 3
31	" " 7th Mar. ...	52,839	14,789	15,153	675	6	15,471	644	1,887*	8 2 10
32	" " 14th " ...	29,794	6,577	28,967	965	8	7,550	340	1,276	5 14 8
33	" " 21st " ...	23,788	7,040	28,701	1,202	11	8,262	372	1,430	5 12 5
34	" " 28th " ...	24,593	5,589	25,965	1,128	11	6,728	304	1,502	4 4 11
35	" " 4th April ...	20,495	7,792	30,513	1,226	9	9,027	406	1,502	6 0 3
36	" " 11th " ...	43,643	12,143	24,840	1,006	11	13,160	592	1,540	8 8 9
37	" " 18th " ...	49,563	14,037	15,915	649	9	14,676	660	1,736	8 7 3
38	" " 25th " ...	23,686	5,315	17,100	679	7	6,001	270	1,496	4 0 2
39	" " 2nd May ...	23,618	5,338	18,227	702	7	6,077	273	1,496	4 1 0
40	" " 9th " ...	25,091	6,802	15,570	812	8	7,622	343	1,496	5 1 6
41	" " 16th " ...	26,883	6,546	15,629	691	8	7,240	326	1,496	4 13 5
42	" " 23rd " ...	32,588	4,835	15,623	510	10	5,355	241	1,496	3 9 3
43	" " 30th " ...	21,807	4,827	14,497	712		5,548		1,496	3 11 4
44	" " 6th June ...	26,180	6,203	16,596	739		6,975	314	1,496	4 10 7
45	" " 13th " ...	34,022	8,578	13,232	658		9,243	416	1,496	6 2 10
	Totals up to date ...	725,061	1,81,182	5,15,781	19,548	192	2,00,922	383	36,568	

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	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
First 12 days of Jan.	37,600	8,088	37,748	1,261	11	10,360	463	2,070	4 15 6
Week ended 19th "	32,893	8,005	10,302	295	14	8,314	374	1,378	6 8 1
" " 26th "	25,733	6,286	10,927	418	13	6,717	302	1,186	5 10 7
" " 2nd Feb.	33,966	8,530	14,881	606	10	9,212	414	1,190	7 11 10
" " 9th "	25,132	6,376	17,764	546	13	6,935	312	1,190	5 1 3
" " 16th "	47,072	12,396	16,074	603	6	13,005	585	1,072	7 12 5
" " 23rd "	28,098	6,510	23,208	822	11	7,343	330	1,190	6 2 9
" " 2nd Mar.	28,982	6,723	25,585	908	15	7,737	348	1,188	6 8 2
9th "	28,273	7,255	31,746	1,067	12	8,334	375	1,190	7 0 0
16th " ...	26,865	6,183	26,083	902	15	7,100	322	1,102	6 8 5
23rd " " ...	34,135	5,810	27,490	1,197	5	7,012	315	1,190	5 9 3
30th " ...	27,134	6,336	28,192	1,140	6	7,502	340	1,144	6 9 6
6th April	33,130	9,042	29,879	1,200	6	10,248	461	1,186	8 10 3
13th "	42,082	13,086	22,479	868	4	14,558	655	1,144	10 0 2
20th "	51,123	14,582	18,149	767	5	15,354	691	1,454	10 8 1
27th "	27,170	6,425	18,344	972	13	7,409	333	1,190	6 3 7
4th May	28,930	7,568	15,539	609	10	8,187	368	1,190	6 14 1
11th "	27,048	6,616	17,179	777	8	7,401	328	1,186	6 2 6
18th "	27,659	6,194	20,146	695	11	6,900	310	1,186	5 13 1
25th "	24,569	5,572	40,165	1,281	11	6,864	310	1,188	5 12 5
1st June	24,718	5,459	23,690	776	11	6,246	281	1,190	5 4 0
8th "	29,381	6,981	13,987	493	12	6,476	291	1,190	5 7 1
13th "	22,456	4,989	17,180	635	7	5,631	253	1,190	4 11 8
Totals up to date	705,648	1,75,477	5,06,755	19,038	20	1,94,744	369	2,170	6 15 10

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th June 1908 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Trains-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	36,369	27,523 0 0	1,65,061 0	11,094 0 0	65 0 0	38,682 0 0	11,707	5,526	17,233
Or per mile of railway	...	169 8 4	...	68 5 5	0 6 5	235 4 0	...	...	...
For previous 22½ weeks of half-year.	677,402*	5,07,212 0 0*	56,61,441 0†	4,32,538 0 0†	1,305 0 0‡	9,31,055 0 0	266,677§	128,383§	395,060
Total for 23½ weeks	713,771	5,34,735 0 0	58,26,505 0	4,33,632 0 0	1,370 0 0	9,69,737 0 0	278,384	133,909	412,193
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	38,170	25,639 13 0	2,94,097 30	20,779 6 0	55 1 6	46,374 4 0	11,236	5,161	16,397
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...		157 4 10		127 15 9	0 5 5	285 10 0			
Total for corresponding 23½ weeks of previous year	949,041	6,77,841 0 2	60,23,481 0	4,20,914 12 9	2,181 2 10	11,00,936 15 9	262,378	123,243	385,621

* Deducted No. of passengers 443 and added Rs. 1,690 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week
† Added Mds. 62,136 " " " 5,393 } ended 2nd May 1908.
‡ Do. " " " 5
§ Audited figures up to 2nd May 1908.

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers	Coaching Traffic. Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	First 11 days of Jan.	36,141	22,390	3,54,576	26,451	194	48,945	301	23,451	1 14
*162·36	Week ended 18th "	24,823	15,731	2,39,201	16,943	56	31,824	196	17,138	1 13
*162·36	" " 25th "	25,800	16,809	2,90,213	19,833	61	36,702	227	18,200	2 0 4
*162·36	" " 1st Feb.	25,194	16,369	2,47,699	19,659	69	36,059	222	17,108	2 1 9
*162·36	8th "	25,703	19,006	2,74,281	18,735	65	37,806	227	16,946	2 2 8
*162·36	15th "	26,118	17,429	2,75,384	17,462	31	34,922	215	16,910	2 1 3
*162·36	22nd "	28,591	20,404	2,19,444	21,138	48	41,590	256	16,709	2 7 10
*162·36	29th "	28,945	19,137	2,93,525	21,615	59	40,811	251	17,147	2 8 1
*162·36	7th Mar.	30,611	19,722	2,91,091	24,444	--	43,966	268	16,926	2 9 1
*162·36	14th "	31,309	21,982	2,96,245	24,569	47	46,578	262	17,542	2 6 10
*162·36	21st "	30,501	22,630	2,93,431	22,093	57	44,830	276	17,748	2 8 5
*162·36	28th "	31,870	26,489	2,39,473	17,144	60	43,693	269	17,653	2 7 8
*162·36	4th April	37,359	31,446	4,44,419	33,813	94	65,753	433	18,893	3 10 3
*162·36	11th "	34,671	25,702	4,70,713	12,476	78	38,456	237	18,710	2 0 11
*162·36	18th "	29,527	22,672	3,06,290	24,039	39	46,751	288	18,577	2 8 3
*162·36	25th "	29,934	24,010	3,16,983	22,275	57	46,342	285	17,531	2 10 3
*162·36	2nd May	34,490	25,614	2,52,842	19,240	52	44,906	277	17,971	2 8 0
162·36	9th "	39,286	32,703	1,48,981	12,852	49	45,604	278	18,469	2 7 1
162·36	16th "	32,248	26,079	1,53,434	11,782	51	37,910	231	17,654	2 2 7
162·36	23rd "	32,284	24,417	1,85,321	14,389	58	38,864	237	17,219	2 4 1
162·36	30th "	32,034	23,871	1,62,588	13,116	70	40,055	247	16,948	2 5 9
162·36	6th June	32,655	29,461	1,66,348	11,470	66	41,407	256	17,635	2 5 8
162·36	13th "	36,369	27,523	1,65,061	11,094	65	38,682	238	17,233	2 3 11
	Totals up to date	713,771	5,34,735	58,26,505	4,33,632	1,370	9,69,737	253	412,193	

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concld. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 12 days of Jan. ...	124,110	99,029	4,09,041	27,987	164	1,26,480	780	31,317	4 0 9
162·36	Week ended 19th " ...	127,158	68,812	2,94,412	24,225	234	93,269	574	27,097	3 5 11
162·36	" " 26th "	29,644	20,179	2,87,754	17,184	103	37,530	231	14,253	2 10 2
162·36	" " 2nd Feb.	28,100	20,350	3,05,645	14,914	77	35,040	216	14,514	2 6 8
162·36	" " 9th "	67,248	46,890	5,84,304	16,015	353	63,257	383	14,074	4 6 9
162·36	" " 16th "	26,692	17,300	1,69,661	14,744	54	33,388	205	13,644	2 7 1
162·36	" " 23rd "	26,603	23,915	2,43,316	15,697	109	39,721	241	13,413	2 15 4
162·36	" " 2nd Mar.	26,760	18,504	2,70,633	16,419	67	34,990	216	13,988	2 8 2
162·36	" " 9th "	34,546	23,938	2,14,736	16,088	49	40,075	247	14,395	2 15 10
162·36	" " 16th "	34,518	24,177	2,15,245	17,672	93	41,951	258	14,891	2 13 1
162·36	" " 23rd "	29,732	20,867	2,47,757	21,585	44	42,496	261	14,050	2 14 4
162·36	" " 30th "	29,260	24,633	2,34,105	22,045	30	46,687	288	14,593	3 13 0
162·36	" " 6th April	33,596	27,490	3,59,680	23,217	100	50,873	313	15,943	3 3 3
162·36	" " 13th "	32,641	25,074	1,92,502	14,830	112	40,016	246	16,347	2 7 1
162·36	" " 20th "	33,718	25,070	1,93,139	17,289	62	42,421	261	16,116	2 10 1
162·36	" " 27th "	30,246	21,705	2,37,913	18,413	52	40,169	247	15,533	2 9 4
162·36	" " 4th May	33,235	23,932	2,90,398	18,091	68	42,091	259	16,441	2 8 11
162·36	" " 11th "	31,576	21,623	1,53,455	11,850	60	33,533	207	17,917	1 13 11
162·36	" " 18th "	31,740	22,988	2,32,809	16,901	53	39,942	246	17,404	2 4 8
162·36	" " 25th "	32,184	23,927	2,50,463	16,314	53	39,294	242	17,360	2 4 3
162·36	" " 1st June	31,088	24,854	3,20,645	16,421	54	41,329	255	16,675	2 7 8
162·36	" " 8th "	36,792	31,133	2,81,253	19,876	57	51,066	314	17,127	2 15 8
162·36	" " 15th "	38,170	25,639	2,94,098	20,780	55	46,375	286	16,397	2 13 3
	Totals up to date	949,041	6,77,841	60,23,481	4,20,915	2,181	11,00,937	283	385,621	2 13 8

* Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 13th June 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 8 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week ...	64,500	41,500 0 0	3,65,000 0	47,500 0 0	4,500 0 0	93,500 0 0	15,565	21,698	37,263
per mile of railway ...	83·98	54·04	499·35	61·61	5·84	121·49	20·27	28·14	48·41
previous 23 weeks of half-	1,544,751	10,31,704 0 0	60,37,947 0	8,72,750 0 0	96,382 0 0	20,00,836 0 0	364,829	466,334	831,163
Total for 24 weeks ...	1,609,251	10,73,204 0 0	64,22,947 0	9,20,250 0 0	1,00,882 0 0	20,94,336 0 0	380,394	488,032	868,426
COMPARISON.									
for corresponding week revious year	51,737	30,068 0 0	2,70,552 0	45,192 0 0	9,317 0 0	85,177 0 0	14,655	15,569	30,234
ile of railway correspond- week of previous year ...	67·37	39·93	350·91	58·61	12·08	110·62	19·12	20·19	39·31
to corresponding date of vious year	1,524,669	9,65,541 0 0	75,62,523 0	10,57,777 0 0	1,25,121 0 0	21,48,439 0 0	330,904	455,456	786,420

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

	Receipts for week ending 15th June 1908.		Receipts for week ending 15th June 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 15th June 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 15th June 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
...ge ...ed.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
	93,500	121·40	771	85,177	110·62	771	8,37,710	...	771	9,08,809			21,090

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 13th June 1908 on 1,797 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	
		Rs. (a)	Mds.	Rs. (b)	Rs.	Rs.		(c)	
al traffic for the week on 797 miles open	457,180	1,77,720	10,00,070	1,54,310	27,660	3,59,690	54,827	48,601	103,428
per mile of railway	254·41	98·90	556·52	85·87	15·39	200·16	.....	.....	.....
previous 22½ weeks of half- ear (d)	7,947,928	33,68,183	2,65,21,177	36,87,080	5,74,916	76,31,179	1,276,812	1,085,409	2,362,221
Total for 23½ weeks ...	8,405,108	35,45,903	2,75,21,247	38,41,390	6,02,576	79,90,869	1,331,639	1,134,010	2,465,649
COMPARISON.									
al for corresponding week f previous year on 1,696 miles pen	394,468	1,58,105	15,09,347	2,04,196	37,655	3,85,956	49,688	(c) 58,139	108,827
r mile of corresponding week f previous year	232·33	91·34	868·69	120·26	16·29	227·89			.....
al to corresponding date of previous year	7,874,232	33,72,036	3,12,37,367	44,30,005	6,88,048	84,71,279	1,216,558	1,199,316	2,415,874
rnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		3·24		3·17	·27	3·48			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year ...		3·12		3·45	·25	3·56			

(a) General increase chiefly under foreign inward due to coolie traffic returning via Katihar.
(b) Decrease mainly under foreign inward due to grain traffic to Bengal in 1907.
(c) Includes 3,177 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes audited figures up to week ending 25th April 1908.
(e) Includes 8,900 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th June 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	463,340	1,91,400 0 0	11,75,640 0	1,55,690 0 0	18,470 0 0	3,66,560 0 0	74,553	(c)35,993	110,546
Average per mile of railway	363	151 0 0	923 0	122 0 0	(b)3 0 0	(b)276 0 0			
Total previous 24 weeks of half-year(a)	12,067,421	51,40,552 0 0	4,55,09,663 0	51,82,700 0 0	6,72,884 0 0	1,09,96,226 0 0	1,824,292	1,108,153	2,932,445
Total for 25 weeks	12,529,761	53,31,952 0 0	4,66,85,303 0	53,38,480 0 0	6,91,354 0 0	1,13,61,786 0 0	1,898,845	1,144,146	3,042,991
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	432,258	1,87,312 0 0	10,79,865 0	1,35,388 0 0	17,903 0 0	3,38,603	68,039	53,562	121,601
Average per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,272 miles)	340	147 0 0	849 0	105 0 0	2 0 0	254 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	11,299,745	48,44,168 0 0	4,76,46,291 0	56,13,452 0	7,38,695 0 0	1,11,96,315 0 0	1,592,856	1,330,704	2,923,560

(a) Audited up to week ending 25th April 1908.
(b) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 14,380.
(c) Excluding ballast train-miles 11,634.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th June 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	40,740	11,140 0 0	41,800 0	3,020 0 0	100 0 0	14,260 0 0	5,656	(b)1,750	7,406
Average per mile of railway	474	130 0 0	486 0	35 0 0	1 0 0	166 0 0	.....		
Total previous 24 weeks of half-year(a)	1,023,430	3,05,193 0 0	22,21,075 0	1,60,992 0 0	6,496 0 0	4,72,681 0 0	134,028	45,326	179,354
Total for 25 weeks	1,064,170	3,16,333 0 0	22,62,875 0	1,64,012 0 0	6,596 0 0	4,86,941 0 0	139,684	47,076	186,760
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week previous year	38,031	10,611 0 0	33,192 0	2,338 0 0	63 0 0	13,012 0 0	5,083	1,433	6,516
Average per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	450	123 0 0	386 0	27 0 0	1 0 0	151 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,041,275	2,95,621 0 0	16,39,194 0	1,17,272 0 0	5,196 0 0	4,18,389 0 0	116,238	45,631	161,869

(a) Audited up to week ending 25th April 1908.
(b) Excluding ballast train-miles 650.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th June 1908 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of	Coaching	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week	4,160	1,040 0 0	23,950 0	1,850 0 0	10 0 0	3,800 0 0	420	(b)906	1,326
Average per mile of railway	124	58 0 0	713 0	55 0 0	.....	113 0 0			
Total previous 24 weeks of half-year (a)	110,764	48,829 0 0	5,01,426 0	42,162 0 0	345 0 0	91,336 0 0	10,340	38,315	48,654
Total for 25 weeks	114,924	50,769 0 0	5,15,376 0	44,012 0 0	355 0 0	95,136 0 0	10,760	39,221	49,980
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week previous year	3,799	1,412 0 0	15,235 0	1,065 0 0	25 0 0	2,532 0 0	461	2,425	2,889
Average per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	113	43 0 0	453 0	31 0 0	1 0 0	75 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	95,362	56,526 0 0	6,70,865 0	45,374 0 0	403 0 0	92,603 0 0	10,748	48,899	59,642

(a) Audited up to week ending 25th April 1908.
(b) Excluding ballast train-miles 750.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th June 1908 on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	12,050	4,140 0 0	24,330 0	1,880 0 0	20 0 0	6,040 0 0	2,154	(b)56	3,010
Or per mile of railway	240	77 0 0	451 0	35 0 0	.....	112 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 24 weeks of half-year (a)	380,263	105,170 0 0	9,55,162 0	54,794 0 0	—1,950 0 0	1,58,014 0 0	49,762	13,013	62,751
Total for 25 weeks ...	393,213	1,09,310 0 0	9,79,492 0	56,674 0 0	—1,930 0 0	1,64,054 0 0	51,856	13,069	65,761
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	12,654	3,616 0 0	20,161 0	1,661 0 0	25 0 0	5,345 0 0	1,848	606	2,454
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	238	69 0 0	379 0	31 0 0	.....	100 0 0	...	...	
Total to corresponding date of previous year	848,463	94,918 0 0	10,35,858 0	59,659 0 0	618 0 0	1,55,195 0 0	46,919	13,796	64,756

(a) Audited up to week ending 25th April 1908.
(b) Ballast train-miles *nil*.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 20th June 1908 ...	Coaching ...	7,759 0 0	
	Goods ...	10,678 0 0	18,479 0 0
	Other earnings ...	42 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907 ...	Coaching ...	7,637 0 0	
	Goods ...	9,507 0 0	17,193 0 0
	Other earnings ...	49 0 0	
	Increase ...		1,286 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 20th June 1908			342 5 4
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907			337 1 11
	Increase ...		25 3 5
Receipts from 1st January to 20th June 1908			4,36,785 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907			4,46,203 0 0
	Decrease ...		9418 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3585A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1937A.D.—The 3rd July 1908.*—Babu Nityananda Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Puri district.

Puri.

No. 1930A.D.—The 3rd July 1908—The order of the 26th June 1908, transferring Maulvi Shams-ud-din Muhammad Abdul Aziz, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, to the head-quarters station of the Champaran district, is cancelled.

Bankura. Champaran.

No. 1943A.D.—The 4th July 1908.—Babu Awadh Kumar Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Patna district.

Patna.

No. 3424A.—The 6th July 1908.—Maulvi Atai Ilahi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Burdwan district.

Midnapore.
Burdwan.

No. 3428A.—The 6th July 1908.—Mr. D McLeod Smith, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Rampur Hât subdivision of that district.

Birbhum.

No. 3441A.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Mathura Nath Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sambalpur, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Burdwan district.

Sambalpur.
Burdwan.

No. 3444A.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Nabin Chandra Kar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Sambalpur district.

Bankura.
Sambalpur.

No. 3447A.—The 6th July 1908.—Maulvi Bazl-ul-Karim, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bankura district.

Bankura.

No. 3459A.—The 7th July 1908.—Mr. E. A Guest, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district on relinquishing charge of his settlement duties in Ranchi and Singhbhum.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

This cancels so much of the orders, dated the 24th June 1908, as relates to the appointment of Mr Guest to have charge of the Gobindpur subdivision of the Manbhum district.

Manbhum.

No. 3464A.—The 7th July 1908.—Mr. A. W. Barnicott, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is appointed to have charge of the Gobindpur (Dhanbaid) subdivision of the Manbhum district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. E. Scroope, or until further orders.

Howrah.
Manbhum.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 1920A.D.—The 3rd July 1908.*—Mr. John William Clarke is appointed to be Second-Lieutenant of the Volunteer Reserves attached to the St. Michael's School Cadet Corps, with effect from the 1st June 1908.

POLICE.—*No. 1953A.D.—The 4th July 1908.*—Maulvi Nadir Husain, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Manbhum, is appointed to hold charge of the police of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. R. Berington.

Manbhum.

No. 3437A.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Bhola Nath Banarji, Probationary Deputy Superintendent of Police, Bankura, is transferred temporarily to the Criminal Investigation Department, Calcutta.

Bankura.
Calcutta.

EDUCATION.—*No. 1909A D.—The 2nd July 1908.*—Mr. L. Tipping, Professor, Presidency College, on leave, is appointed to be Head Master of the Ranchi Zilla School.

Calcutta.
Ranchi.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3451A.—The 6th July 1908.*—The Revd H. O. Penley, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, on leave, is appointed to be Chaplain of the Darjeeling Cantonments, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may assume charge of the duties.

Darjeeling.

No. 3457A.—The 6th July 1908.—The Revd. J. Godber, Officiating Junior Chaplain, St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 25th April 1908.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 1939A.D.—The 3rd July 1908.*—Babu Akshay Kumar Sur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Murshidabad

No. 3426A.—The 6th July 1908.—In supersession of the order of the 23rd September 1907, Maulvi Saiyid Musi Kazim, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Champaran, is allowed leave for eighteen days, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd September 1907.

Champaran.

No. 3476A.—The 7th July 1908.—Babu Kartik Chandra Chandra, Probationary Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances for five weeks, under article 339, rule 2, of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th May 1908, or any subsequent date on which he was relieved.

Cuttack.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 1934A.D.—The 3rd July 1908.*—The Revd. G. J. Chree, Honorary Chaplain, Cossipore Artillery Volunteers, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for eight months, with effect from the 8th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

POLICE.—*No. 1951A.D.—The 4th July 1908.*—Mr. J. R. Berington, Superintendent of Police, Manbhum, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Manbhum.

No. 3420A.—The 6th July 1908.—Mr. J. E. Bown, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Howrah, is allowed leave for seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 10th June 1908.

Howrah.

JAILS.—*No. 1907A.D.—The 2nd July 1908.*—Captain J. M. Woolley, I.M.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for three months.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3522A.D.—The 7th July 1908.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Sir George Henry Sutherland, Kt., of his office of Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Council.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 1st July 1908:—

No. 2412A.—The 23rd June 1908.—The services of Babu Rajendra Nath Ray, Munsif of Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, on leave, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 2490A.—The 25th June 1908.—Babu Annada Prasad Mazumdar, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dacca, to be ordinarily stationed at Munshiganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Munshiganj Munsifi.

No. 2547A.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Harijiban Banarji, Munsif of Bhola, in the district of Bakarganj, is allowed leave for thirty-two days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st July 1908.

No. 2548A.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Sharat Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Netrokona, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th July 1908.

No. 2549A.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Nabin Chandra Nag, Munsif of Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave for forty-eight days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Appointment Department Notification No. 2137A., dated the 2nd June 1908.

No. 2550A.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Brajesh Chandra Singh, Munsif of Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for two months, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Appointment Department Notification No. 2000A., dated the 26th May 1908.

No. 2553A.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Rabati Kanta Nag, Munsif of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to act temporarily as Subordinate Judge of the same district, *vice* Babu Dinanath Sarkar, about to retire.

No. 2555A.—The 30th June 1908.—The services of Babu Kanti Chandra Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, Rangpur, on leave, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 2556A.—The 30th June 1908.—Babu Hem Kumar Neogi, Munsif of Lakhmipur, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed leave for twenty-five days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st July 1908.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2319.—The 4th April 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred upon him by section 108A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. J. H. Taylor, Settlement Officer of Orissa, to make corrections in the record-of-rights which is being prepared in the districts of Cuttack and Balasore in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions of the aforesaid section.

Cuttack.
Balasore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2303.—The 3rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bhagalpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz, for trenching purposes by the Bhagalpur Municipality, in the village of Lal Matia, pargana Bhagalpur, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 3 cottahs 4 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Bhagalpur.

North—By Churaman's jote land,
South—By the garden of Kallu Mandal,
East—By Lal Matia road,
West—By the land of Mosamat Phulia and Kopuri Mandal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Lal Matia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector of Bhagalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2305.—The 3rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for East Indian Railway Company's Crossing Station between Bolpur and Ahmadpur stations, in the villages of Loadangaon, Cawcopore and Babooya, tahsil Borcondee and Allinagar, district Birbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 39 bighas 16 cottahs 5 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 13 acres 25·95 poles, or 13·1622 acres), bounded as stated below :—

Birbhum.

Plot No. 1.—North, south and west by the land of Noton Ghose, and east by the East Indian Railway Company's land,

Plot No 2.—North by the East Indian Railway Company's level-crossing road and land of Noton Ghose, south by the land of Pria Nath Chatterjee and a kutcha road, east by the land of Noton Ghose, Pria Nath Chatterjee and others, west by the East Indian Railway Company's land,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Loadangaon, Cawcopore and Babooya.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Birbhum, Land Acquisition Department, and in that of the Junior Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Burdwan.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2307.—The 3rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a nursery in the village of Jonha, zilla Ranchi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs and 14 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on all sides by Chunka Uraon's land, is required within the aforesaid village of Jonha.

Ranchi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Ranchi

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2309.—The 3rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the Armed Police Inspector's quarters, in the village of Puraton Kosba, pargana Emadpore, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 5 cottahs and 8½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land of Umesh Chandra Ghosh, on the west by the land rented by the Police Department, on the south by the land of Rashik Lal Ghosh and others, and on the east by the Police Reserve line, is required within the aforesaid village of Puraton Kosba.

Jessore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2312.—The 3rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Taki Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of drain within that Municipality, in the village of Taki, pargana Agarpara, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 cottah 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the public drain, on the east by the land belonging to Trailakhya Nath Karmakar, Bhaba Nath Roy Chowdhury and others, on the south by the land belonging to Bhaba Nath Roy Chowdhury and others, and on the west by the land belonging to Hari Jibon Roy and the public drain, is required within the aforesaid village of Taki.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Taki.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2313.—The 3rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for extension of goods platform at mile No. 5 of the Bhagalpur-Kucheri extension in the villages of Moinuddinchak or Mundichak and Khalifabagh, pargana Bhagalpur, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 7 cottahs and 1 chitak of standard measurement, bounded as follows :—

Bhagalpur.

North—Homestead land of Aklu Pasi, Shaik Punno, Lalloo Jha, road (kucha), homestead land of Bhagwan Sahu, Imdadali, land of Jagernath Ram and Baijnath Ram, garden land of Lachmi Narain Marwari, nala, homestead land of Durga Gope, Kunjlal Sahu, Most. Tunno and Shyam Gope,

South—Land already under acquisition for Bengal and North-Western Railway,

West—Babu Kuti Chunder Chatterjee's house,

East—Homestead land of Aklu Pasi,

required within the aforesaid villages of Moinuddinchak or Mundichak and Khalifabagh.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2318—The 4th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Ranchi Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a public latrine in the village of Siram, pargana Khukhra, zilla Ranchi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 7 cottahs and 4 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land of Kankaru Pahan, on the east by a Munda cemetery on Kankaru Pahan's land and the land of Buthua Munda, on the south by the land of Budhua Munda, and on the west by the lands of Budhua Munda and Kankaru Pahan, is required within the aforesaid village of Siram

Ranchi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Ranchi.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2292.—The 1st July 1908.—In Declaration No. 912T.R., dated 23rd May 1907, published at page 948, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, in respect of the acquisition of the land required for repairing scour holes at mile No. 10 of the Eastern Branch of Tirhut State Railway, in the village of Ratwara, pargana Jakhar, zilla Darbhanga, *for* "in the village of Ratwara" *read* "in the villages of Ratwara and Rambhadarpur."

Darbhanga.

F. W. DUKE
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2836—The 7th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3, sub-section (*1*), of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII 1904), the of Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare the ancient monuments described below, in the vicinity of the village of Rajgir, in the Bihar subdivision of the Patna district, to be protected monuments within the meaning of the said Act:—

Patna.

(1) The walls of the two ancient cities known as old and new Rajgriha,
(2) All ancient structures and other monuments or remains within the areas enclosed by the said walls, and
(3) All ancient structures and all artificial caves and mounds containing ancient remains which are situated within a distance of half a mile of the said two ancient cities known as old and new Rajgriha.

2. Any objections to the issue of this notification which are received by the undersigned within one month from the date on which a copy of the notification is fixed up in a conspicious place on or near the said monuments will be taken into consideration.

No. 2837.—The 7th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 18, sub-section (1), of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that no sculptures, carvings, images, bas-reliefs, inscriptions or other like objects in, or within half a mile of the limits of, the two ancient cities known as old and new Rajgriha, in the vicinity of the village of Rajgir, in the Bihar subdivision of the Patna district, shall be moved from the place where they are unless with the written permission of the Collector of that district.

Patna.

No. 2838 —The 7th July 1908.—The following draft of rules which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 20 of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904), the Lieutenant-Governor proposes to make for the purpose of protecting and preserving the ancient monuments described in the said draft is, as required by sub-section (2) of the said section, published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Patna.

2. Any objection or suggestion with respect to the draft which may be received by the undersigned before the 28th July 1908 will be duly considered.

Draft rules.

1. "No excavation within, or within a distance of half a mile from the walls of the ancient cities of old and new Rajgriha, in the vicinity of the village of Rajgir, in the Bihar sub-division of the Patna district, shall be carried on without a license from the Lieutenant-Governor.

2. Any person committing a breach of rule 1 shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees."

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

REGISTRATION.

No. 1203T.G.—The 25th June 1908.—Babu Manmatha Nath Gupta, Sub-Registrar, Govindpur, in the district of Manbhum, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and eighteen days, with effect from the 11th August 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Manbhum.

He is permitted to affix the Puja holidays to his leave.

No. 1290T.G.—The 1st July 1908.—Babu Jagat Kumar Bhattacharji, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Midnapore, who was granted, under the orders of the 8th June 1908, leave under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the 16th May 1908, has been permitted to return to duty on the 13th June 1908.

Midnapore.

No. 2801.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Babu Lal Mundal is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar, Syampore, in the district of Howrah during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Howrah.

No. 2803.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar, Narayangarh, in the district of Midnapore, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one day, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 6th March 1908.

Midnapore.

No. 2805.—The 6th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Haidar Ali, Joint Sub-Registrar, Husanabad, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 1st April 1908.

24-Parganas.

No. 2807.—The 6th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Mosfiqus Saleheen is appointed temporarily to act as Joint Sub-Registrar of Husanabad, in the district of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the 16th April 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders

24-Parganas.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2839.—The 7th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the removal of the head-quarters of the office of the Sub-Registrar of Paikgachha, in the district of Khulna, from Raruli, its present site to Paikgachha.

Khulna.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 436-O.—The 4th July 1908.—Mr. L. P. Hutchison, Assistant Opium Agent, is transferred from the Bihar to the Benares Opium Agency.

Bihar Agency.
Benares „

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1092Medl.—The 4th July 1908.—Under section II, Act XXXVI of 1858, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Saiyid Ali Hasan to be a visitor of the Patna Lunatic Asylum, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Babu Tarak Nath Mitra, transferred.

Patna.

No. 1109Medl.—The 4th July 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. E. Sunder, I.M.S., reported his departure from India on leave on the 20th June 1908.

No. 575T.—San.—The 2nd July 1908.—Captain W. G. H. Forster, I.M.S., is placed on deputation under the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, for the purpose of conducting an enquiry into the prevalence of malaria.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3536A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3430A.—The 6th July 1908.—The services of Babu Lalit Kumar Bose, Subordinate Judge, Monghyr, in the district of Bhagalpur, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3433A.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Upendra Nath Datta, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Birbhum, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge, Monghyr, in the district of Bhagalpur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500 within the local limits of the Monghyr Munsifi.

Birbhum.
Bhagalpur.

No. 3435A.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Praphulla Krishna Ghosh, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Barasat, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Banamali Sen, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 3439A.—The 6th July 1908.—Mr. Ehtesham Ali Khan, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Purnea, to be ordinarily stationed at Katihar, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Wali Muhammad, or until further orders.

Purnea.

LEAVE.

No. 3478A.—The 7th July 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Sarkar, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Darbhanga, is allowed leave for six days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 15th June 1908.

Darbhanga.

POWERS.

No. 1923A.D.—The 3rd July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Rai Krishna Bahadur, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Gaya, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Gaya.

No. 3455A.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Kunja Bihari Biswas, Munsif of Madhipura, in the district of Bhagalpur, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Bhagalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1306J.D.—The 2nd July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Maulvi Waris Ali Khan to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Jagadispur Independent Bench, in the district of Shahabad.

Shahabad.

No. 1908J.—The 4th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Jotendra Nath Sen to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Baidyabati Municipal Bench, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 1951J.—The 6th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdur Rashid to be a Magistrate of the third class at Katwa, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of three years from the date of this Notification. He will try cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Katwa subdivision of that district.

Burdwan.

No. 1953J.—The 6th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Shashi Shekhar Basu to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Alipore Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas. He is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24-Parganas.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 1911J.—The 4th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Ram Sundar Banarji of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Raghunathpur Independent Bench, in the district of Manbhum.

Manbhum.

No. 1955J.—The 6th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Shyama Pada Ghose of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Madhipura Independent Bench, in the district of Bhagalpur.

Bhagalpur.

No. 1957J.—The 6th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Udit Narayan Singh of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr.

Monghyr.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1971J.—The 7th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by clause (1) of section 14 of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that, with effect from the 16th July 1908, the Munsif's Court, which is held at Gobindpur, in the district of Manbhum, shall be held at Dhanbaid, in the same district.

Manbhum.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2017P.—The 6th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Shashadhar Mazumdar, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. III—Protapkati, in thana Manirampur, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Babu Kali Prasanna Mukharji, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Jessore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Shashadhar Mazumdar for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2018P.—The 6th July 1908.—The Notification No. 497P.D., dated the 3rd May 1907, published at pages 802 to 805, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Kali Prasanna Mukharji, as President of the panchayat of Union No. III—Protapkati, in thana Manirampur, in the district of Jessore, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Jessore.

No. 2019P.—The 6th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Munshi Zahar Ali Shaikh, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. X—Hazrakati, in thana Manirampur, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Maulvi Jahed Mandal, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Jessore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Munshi Zahar Ali Shaikh for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of the President of panchayat.

No. 2020P.—The 6th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Munshi Muhammad Kinoo Biswas, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XV—Sharapole, in thana Kotwali, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Babu Kali Prasanna Ray, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Jessore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Munshi Muhammad Kinoo Biswas for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2021P.—The 6th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Munshi Ahmed Ali Biswas, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. IV—Pukharia, in thana Kaligunge, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Muhammad Abdul Biswas, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Jessore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Munshi Ahmed Ali Biswas for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2022P.—The 6th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Panchu Lal Kundu, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. IV—Garapota, in thana Bangaon, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Babu Shyama Charan Poddar, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Jessore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is futher pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Panchu Lal Kundu for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2022½P.—The 6th July 1908.—The Notification No. 497P.D., dated the 3rd May 1907, published at pages 802 to 805, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Shyama Charan Poddar, as President of the panchayat of Union No. IV—Garapota, in thana Bangaon, in the district of Jessore, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Jessore.

No. 2023P.—The 6th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XV—Chowbaria, in thana Bangaon, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Babu Kunja Bihari Chatarji, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Jessore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Mahendra Nath Ray for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2024P.—The 6th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Krishna Chandra Ray, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. V, Sutia, in thana Gaighata, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Babu Bishweshwar Ray, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Jessore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Krishna Chandra Ray for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2057P.—The 7th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 15 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), as amended by Act VIII of 1895), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the conduct of the inhabitants of the marginally-noted villages in the district of Khulna has rendered it expedient to increase the number of police by the appointment of an additional force to be quartered in the said villages at the cost of the inhabitants thereof subject to any orders which may be passed exempting any person or class or section of the inhabitants. This proclamation shall remain in force for a period of one year from the date of the entertainment of the force.

Khulna.

1. Jhapsa.	10. Bighai.
2. Tilak.	11. Baniakhamar.
3. Amdabas.	12. Mathabhanga.
4. Pathorghatta.	13. Bagmara.
5. Khajura.	14. Syamgunge.
6. Ballavpur.	15. Solakura.
7. Elaipur.	16. Kumarkhali.
8. Kharabad.	17. Godaikhali.
9. Toothpara.	18. Jahajghata.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2013P.—The 6th July 1908.—In the Notification No. 540P.D., dated the 12th May 1908, published at page 1022, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th idem, conferring upon Babu Ram Deb Chatarji, President of the panchayat of the Palasan Union, in thana Raina, in the district of Burdwan, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, *for* "Babu Ramdeb Chatarji" *read* "Babu Raghudeb Chatarji."

Burdwan.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 7th July 1908.

No. 126.—Babu Grish Chandra Chakrabatti, Executive Engineer, Akhoyāpada-Jajpur Division, is granted privilege leave for 14 days, with effect from 23rd June 1908, in extension of that granted to him in Bengal Government Notification No. 39, dated the 21st March 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 7th July 1908.

No. 74 Marine.—The following revised regulations for the admission of locally selected candidates into the Bengal Pilot Service at Calcutta have been sanctioned by the Government of Bengal, in supersession of those sanctioned under notification No. 66Marine, dated the 16th June 1906, and are published for general information:—

REGULATIONS FOR THE ADMISSION OF LOCALLY SELECTED CANDIDATES INTO THE BENGAL PILOT SERVICE AT CALCUTTA, CORRECTED UP TO JUNE 1908.

1. In any year in which a local candidate is to be appointed to the Bengal Pilot Service a competitive examination will be held in or about the month of March, and six months prior notice of the examination will be published by the Local Government. The number of vacancies available for local candidates shall also be declared, and they will be

filled up by the successful candidates in order of merit; but no local candidate shall be appointed who does not satisfy the Examiners, or who in other respects does not come up to the requirements of the following rules.

2. Candidates must be not less than 18, or more than 22 years of age, and descended from European or Eurasian parents domiciled in India. They must produce a Board of Trade or Colonial Certificate of Competency as a 2nd Mate or any higher grade, Provided that an intending candidate who, in the month of March in any year in which no examination is held, is not more than 22 years of age, and has fulfilled the conditions of service laid down in Rule 4 below, shall not be debarred, on account of being over the prescribed age, from appearing at the next examination held.

3. Every candidate must produce a medical certificate of good health and physical fitness to work as a pilot in a tropical climate, and also satisfactory evidence as to his moral character. Every passed candidate will, before appointment, be required to undergo a further examination as to his physical fitness by the Medical Board sitting at Calcutta, and will not be appointed unless the Board certifies him to be in all respects physically fit to work as a Pilot on the Hooghly.

4. He must have served at sea for four years in a merchant sailing vessel of not less than 300 tons register, employed in the foreign trade, as a seaman or apprentice, and must produce satisfactory certificates from the Masters he has sailed under.

5. Before being admitted to the examination, the candidate will have to satisfy the Examiners that he has passed the Middle Scholarship Examination under the Code of Regulations for European Schools, or that he has passed the Calcutta University Entrance Examination. Candidates will be examined in Navigation and Seamanship up to the standard of a 2nd Mate in the Merchant Service.

6. He will on being appointed to the service receive Rs. 100 per mensem.

7. A Leadsman Apprentice will go through such a course of training and pass such examinations as the Government of Bengal may from time to time prescribe. He will, whilst in this grade, receive a salary of from Rs. 100 to Rs. 150 a month, in accordance with the duty on which he is employed. He will also receive such share of the lead-money paid by the ships on which he does duty as may from time to time be fixed by the Government of Bengal.

8. After five years' service as a Leadsman Apprentice, he will be allowed to appear at an examination to qualify him for appointment as Mate Pilot, but if he shows exceptional ability and has passed each previous examination in his first attempt, bears a very good character and is otherwise well reported on, this period may, with the special sanction of the Government, be reduced to four and-a-half years, when, if successful in the examination, he will be promoted to the grade of Mate Pilot on the occurrence of a vacancy. While remaining as a Leadsman Apprentice after passing this examination, he will receive a salary of Rs. 175 a month.

9. After three years' service as Mate Pilot, he will be permitted to go up for an examination to qualify for appointment as Master Pilot, and, if successful, he will be promoted to that grade on the occurrence of a vacancy.

This rule does not apply to Mate Pilots who entered the service without a 2nd Mate's Certificate of Competency. Such officers will be required to serve four years as Mate Pilot before being eligible for permanent promotion.

10. Vacancies which occur in the grade of Branch Pilot will be filled up by promotion from the Master Pilot's grade, of men who have passed the Branch Pilot's examination.

11. Branch Pilots and Pilots who have passed the Branch Pilots' examination, will, while under 55 years of age, be examined at intervals of three years by the Marine Surgeon with respect to their eyesight and general physical fitness for the performance of their duties. All Pilots who continue in the service after attaining the age of 55 years will be similarly examined every year.

12. If the Local Government has reason to believe that a Pilot is, owing to physical unfitness of any kind, incapable of discharging his duties properly, it shall arrange for his medical examination, and shall take such action as may seem desirable when the results of that examination are communicated. In particular, Pilots shall be medically examined after the occurrence of any accident to the vessels in their pilotage charge, if the circumstances tend to show that the accident was in any way attributable to physical unfitness on the part of the Pilot.

13. Pilots are not entitled to any salary while on pilotage duty, but receive as their remuneration a share, at present 50 per cent., but liable to alteration at the discretion of the Government of Bengal, of the pilotage dues paid by ships piloted by them.

14. The Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right to require all Pilots to obtain a Home Trade Master Mariner's certificate before they are promoted to be Senior Master Pilots.

15. Every member of the Pilot Service is subject to such rules as the Government of India, or as the Government of Bengal under the control of the Government of India, may from time to time respectively make in regard to discipline, leave, leave allowances, number of officers in the service, distribution into grades, tonnage of ships to be allotted to the several grades, etc., and in all respects he is amenable to such orders as may be passed by the Government of Bengal, and is liable to degradation, suspension and dismissal, by the Government of Bengal, for any breach of such rules or orders, or for misconduct.

16. The principal leave and pension rules at present in force are contained in Chapter XXXIII of the Civil Service Regulations, fourth edition, and are summarised in Chapters XXXI and XXXII of the Code of Regulations for the Bengal Pilot Service; but it is to be understood that the rules are subject to alteration at the discretion of the Government of India. Pilots are required to contribute towards the cost of pensions for their widows and orphans under rules which will be found in the chapter of the Civil Service Regulations quoted above.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 7th July 1908.

No. 187.—Babu Bama Charan Mallik, Supervisor, second grade, Circular and Eastern Canals Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for two months, with effect from 21st June 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3537A.

No. 1936A.D.—The 3rd July 1908.—Babu Radha Charan Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Balasore district and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Balasore.

No. 1941A.D.—The 3rd July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Rafik-ul-Alam, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district.

He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class

Bhagalpur.

No. 3453A.—The 6th July 1908.—Maulvi Nasir-ud-din Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sonthal Parganas, is transferred to the Jamtara subdivision of that district.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3474A.—The 7th July 1908.—The order of the 5th June 1908, transferring Babu Girindra Narayan Singh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Monghyr, to the head-quarters station of the Purnea district, is cancelled.

Monghyr. Purnea.

No. 3526A.—The 7th July 1908.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allotted to the Presidency Division and is posted to the Bangaon subdivision of the Jessore district on the expiry of his leave. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Jessore.

No. 3529A.—The 7th July 1908.—Maulvi Khundkar Ali Tahir, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bangaon, Jessore, is transferred to the Bhagalpur Division.

Jessore. Bhagalpur Divn.

No. 3538A.—The 7th July 1908.—Babu Radha Krishna Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Chota Nagpur Division and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Chota Nagpur Divn.

ERRATUM.—*No. 1914A.D.—The 2nd July 1908.*—In the Notification No. 310A.D., dated the 23rd April 1907, *for* Babu Lalit *Mohan* Sen, *read* Babu Lalit *Kumar* Sen.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5358, dated Calcutta, the 7th July 1908.—Captain J. W. F. Rait, I.M.S., made over charge of the Purnea Jail to Assistant Surgeon Sarat Chandra Dutta on the afternoon of the 21st June 1908.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2037D., dated Darjeeling, the 29th June 1908.—Assistant Surgeon Kedar Nath Das, Teacher of Midwifery, Campbell Medical School, Calcutta, is placed in the 1st grade of Civil Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 23rd December 1907.

No. 2062D., dated Darjeeling, the 30th June 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Rajeswar Prasad is appointed, with effect from the 24th June 1908, to be a House Surgeon in the Mayo Hospital, Calcutta, *vice* 3rd grade Assistant Surgeon Rajendra Kumar Ray, transferred.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Dates of the 4th and 5th Criminal Sessions for the year 1908.

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
Fourth Sessions.	Wednesday.	12th August.
Fifth Sessions.	Monday.	23rd November.

By order,

HIGH COURT CROWN OFFICE,
The 3rd July 1908.

N. HALDAR,
Offg. Clerk of the Crown.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following Rule having been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the power vested in it by section 287 of the Code of Civil Procedure is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
CIVIL,
The 3rd July 1908.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

After Rule 99, Chapter I, page 32 of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, *insert* the following:—

In each district, the District Judge shall determine the local Newspaper or Newspapers in which, for the whole, or for different portions, of the district, sale proclamations shall be published under the provisions of section 289, Code of Civil Procedure, and shall notify to the public and to all the Judges of the Subordinate Courts the name or names of the papers so selected. Thereafter the Judge of each Subordinate Court, whenever in the exercise of his discretion he shall order the publication of a sale proclamation in a local Newspaper, shall direct that the publication be made in the Newspaper selected by the District Judge for the district, or part of the district, in which the Court is situated.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 1st July 1908.—Babu Satkari Sanyal, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Narail, in the district of Jessore (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th June 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Rama Nath Chatterjea, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bankura (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st July 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 2nd July 1908.—Babu Rajendra Lal Bhattacherjea, 2nd Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division (class VII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd June 1908.

Babu Priya Nath Sarkar, 3rd Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division (class VIII), is appointed to act as 2nd Clerk in that office, on the pay of his own grade, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Rajendra Lal Bhattacherjea.

Babu Ganeswar Misra is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Orissa Tributary Mahals and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 18th February 1908.

The 4th July 1908.—Pending permanent arrangement, Babu Gopi Sahai, Inspecting Pandit of Sukhtia, in the district of Bhagalpur, is appointed, subject to the consent of the District Board of Bhagalpur, to act as Sub-Inspector of Schools, Madhipura, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Mati Lal Ganguli, transferred.

Pending the arrival of Babu Mati Lal Ganguli, Mr. Mohan Hembrone Kumar, Sub-Inspector of Sonthal Schools, is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Sonthal Parganas and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 9th February 1908.

The following arrangements are sanctioned consequent on the retirement of Babu Becharam Nandi, Head Master of the Bhagalpur Zilla School, with effect from the 15th July 1908 :—

(1) Babu Devendra Nath Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School (class V), is appointed to be Head Master of the Bhagalpur Zilla School, *vice* Babu Becharam Nandi.

(2) Babu Kali Prasanna Das, B.A., Lecturer in Mathematics, Bethune College (class II), is appointed to be Assistant Head Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School, *vice* Babu Devendra Nath Ghosh transferred.

Babu Giris Chandra Nandi, Head Clerk, Office of the Inspector of Schools, Patna Division (class VI), having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 19th June 1908, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 9th January 1908 is cancelled.

Babu Trailokya Nath Datta, Engineering Teacher of the Ranchi Industrial School (class IV), was absent on leave for 34 days, viz. 13 days under article 272 and 21 days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 18th May 1908.

Babu Nanda Kishore Chaudhury, B.A., acted as Engineering Teacher of the Ranchi Industrial School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Trailokya Nath Datta.

The 6th July 1908.—Babu Parmeshwar Dayal, B.A., is appointed, on probation for six months, to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Patna and substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment, *vice* Maulvi Syed Muhammad Kazim, resigned.

The 7th July 1908.—Erratum.—In the orders of the 30th June 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st July 1908, promoting Maulvi Abdul Jalil, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Muzaffarpur Zilla School, to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *read* "Ranchi Zilla School" *for* "Muzaffarpur Zilla School."

Babu Sarat Chandra Datta, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Midnapore, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is appointed to act as an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, on the pay of his own grade during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Girendra Nath Chatterjia, or until further orders.

Babu Abinash Chandra Mallik, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th June 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

He is also permitted to affix the ensuing Pooja holidays to his leave, under article 220 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Babu Surath Chandra Ghosh, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction Bengal (class II of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Abinash Chandra Mallik.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES, INDIA.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

NOTICE.

AN examination for candidates requiring first and second Class Coal Mine Managers Certificates of Competency under the rules applying to coal mines will be held at the Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles Club, Asansol, on the 5th, 6th and 7th August 1908.

Only persons who have had practical experience in a coal mine are eligible for the examination (*vide* Rules 32 and 33). The necessary instructions will be supplied to intending candidates on application to the Department of Mines, 9, Dacre's Lane, Calcutta.

Applications will be received up to the 15th July 1908 inclusive.

J. R. R. WILSON,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd May 1908.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

NOTICE.

No. 3409B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Member in charge.

AN examination of the Patna and Benares Provision Opium of season 1906-07 will be held at the New Opium Godowns, No. 14, Strand Road, on Monday, the 20th July 1908, at 11 A.M. Merchants, dealers and others interested in opium are invited to attend.

Samples of the opium examined will be given to merchants and dealers only, in small tins, which must be placed on the table, *labelled with the names* of the persons requiring the sample.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA, *Secretary.*

MISC. REVENUE DEPT., OPIUM (SALE) BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 3rd July 1908.*

No. 3283B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 4th August 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of 1905-06 ...		1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of 1,739 chests of season 1905-06 and 211 chests of season 1906-07		1,950
Total ...		3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application in the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th August 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th August 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 20th August 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next, on or about the dates

specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 1st September 1908 ...	1,950	1,950*	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 13th October „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November „ ..	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	7,800	7,800	15,600

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th June 1908*.

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 30th day of June 1908, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 30th June 1908.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.					TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 30TH JUNE 1908 INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Kidderpore Government	Total	Quarters	Grains	Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manufactured quantity delivered to the port of Calcutta.	Delivered from ships for consumption and inland bonded warehouses.	Total quantity delivered.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—									
Liverpool and other Panna salt	51,025	1,70,134	2,22,159	53,721	2,75,880	1,12,224	98,835	34,370	2,11[illegible]
Other European countries—									
Spanish salt	4,66,760	1,03,234	5,71,994	.....	5,71,994	45,034	4,118	13,95[illegible]	51,447
Hamburg-Bremen salt	4,21,986	6,839	4,28,826	.....	4,28,826	67,260	774	26,050	44,310
Hamburg rock	2,179	.....	2,179	.....	2,179	402	.....	.....	402
Port Said salt	1,60,125	.....	1,60,125	.....	1,60,125	26,742	.....	.....	24,551
Aden and Red Sea—									
Aden salt	35,588	7,800	43,388	1,44,194	1,87,582	1,01,974	1,72,441	35	56,770
Salif salt	2,67,478	36,240	3,03,718	.....	3,03,718	81,462	12,449	.....	87,856
Do. rock salt	6,305	.....	6,305	.....	6,305	.....	360	.....	460
Kawayah salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Muscat and Persian Gulf—									
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto ditto rock salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British India—									
Bombay salt	2,62,642	10,957	2,73,599	.....	2,73,599	32,321*	.....	700	36,118
Madras salt ..									
Coconada salt ..									
Vizagapatam salt									
Other ports—									
Pl[illegible]e salt	50,342	.....	50,342		50,342	1,478			
Total	17,25,638	3,37,195	20,62,833	1,97,715	22,60,548	4,72,436	2,67,244	69,360	

Written off during the half-month—	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	...
Ditto in Sulkea golas	3,835
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	4,249
Abandoned and destroyed	310

In transit—	Mds.
Liverpool and other Panna salt	1,700
Aden salt	4,120

* This quantity includes 32,431 maunds 10 seers of Bombay kurkut salt on which the duty was paid in Bombay.

P. R. CADELL,

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 7th July 1908*. *Collector of Customs*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, on Thursday, the 11th June 1908, Babu Purna Chandra Sett has been duly elected a Commissioner in Ward No. II of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Shib Chandra Chatterjee, resigned.

S. L. MADDOX, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 23rd June 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, on Wednesday, the 17th June 1908, Babu Satindra Deb Ray Mahasaya has been duly elected a Commissioner in Ward No. III of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Tara Nath Mukherjie, removed.

S. L. MADDOX, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 23rd June 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on Saturday, the 15th August 1908, in Ward No. IV of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, to elect a Commissioner for that ward in the place of Babu Basanta Kumar Chatterji, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th July 1908.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 4th July 1908.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 3rd July 1908.

No. 2684I.A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 229B of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act XIV of 1882) the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that the decree of the Civil Courts situate in the territories of His Highness the Gaekwar of Baroda, which have not been established or continued by the authority of the Governor-General in Council, may be executed in British India as if they had been made by the Courts of British India.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

OPIUM.

Simla, the 3rd July 1908.

No. 3920A.—It is hereby notified—

(1) that in the calendar year 1909 not more than 43,200 chests of Bengal opium will be offered for sale and not more than 3,600 chests in each month of the year;

(2) that of the quantity to be offered for sale each month, not more than 1,800 chests will be Benares opium and not more than 1,800 chests Patna opium; and

(3) that no reduction will be made in these quantities without three months' previous notice.

J. S. MESTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 3rd July 1908.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 564.—Major Arthur Henry Gayer (Supernumerary List) resigns his commission. Dated 31st March 1908.

A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1908.

PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 975M.—The 4th July 1908.—The Corporation, in exercise of the power conferred by section 24 of the Calcutta Tramways Act, 1880 (Ben. Act I of 1880), have made the following modification in the Regulations under that section which were published on page 1187 in Part II of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th September 1904, and the same has been confirmed by the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Calcutta.

For Regulation (9) substitute the following:—

(9) Every car shall halt at fixed stations, in order to admit of passengers entering or alighting. Such stations shall be established by the Company, with the approval of the Commissioner of Police, who may require the site of any station to be changed if he finds this to be necessary for the proper regulation of traffic. For a breach of this rule the conductor and the driver shall each be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

No. 976L.S.-G.—The 4th July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Faiz-ud-din Khan to be a member of the Sassaram Local Board, in the district of Shahabad, *vice* Sardar Muhammad Sher Mir Khan, resigned.

Shahabad.

C. E. A. W. Oldham,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

[Second publication.]

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Municipal Committee of Sambalpur propose to adopt the following rules under section 102 (*a*) of the Central Provinces Municipal Act, XVI of 1903, for the purpose of regulating the sale of meat.

The proposed rules will be taken into further consideration on the expiry of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and any objections or suggestions in respect thereof must be forwarded to the Chairman to the Committee before the expiry of the said period.

Slaughter-house Rules.

1. The slaughter-house built within Municipal limits and managed by the Committee is fixed until further orders as the only place for slaughtering animals for sale, such as goats, kids, sheep and lambs.

2. The Hospital Assistant in charge of the Veterinary Hospital at Sambalpur will generally be appointed as Superintendent of the slaughter-house so managed and be subject to the control of the Civil Surgeon.

3. Every slaughter-house shall be provided with suitable sanitary arrangements and be duly cleaned at least once a day.

4. No animal shall be slaughtered in the slaghter-house except between the hours of 7 and 10 A.M.

5. Every animal brought to be slaughtered must be examined and passed by the Superintendent free of charge before it is killed. After it is killed, its flesh must be examined and passed by the Superintendent as fit for human consumption before flesh is removed for sale The flesh so removed for sale may be branded as first and second class as the case may be.

[*N.B.*—Good meat with certain amount of fat may be taken as first class, with less fat as second class.

6. All meat removed from the slaughter-house must be covered so as to conceal it from view and to protect it from flies and dirt.

7. A fee of one pice will be charged by the Committee for every animal slaughtered in the slaughter-house.

8. A breach of any of the above rules will be punishable with fine which may extend to Rs. 50.

Rules regarding sale of meat.

1. No person shall offer any meat for sale unless he holds a license from the Municipal Committee and the stall or other place fixed by the Committee for that purpose.

2. Each stall will be sited yearly at a public auction. The Committee reserves to itself the right of refusing the highest bid. The highest bidder or the person whose bid has been accepted by the Committee will be given a license for the use of the stall and sale of meat.

3. Every stall license-holder is bound to slaughter the animals for sale at the slaughter-house appointed for the purpose.

4. The license-holder shall sell meat at the rates fixed by the Committee from time to time, and he is bound to observe all the rules regarding the slaughter-house and the stalls.

5. A breach of any of the above rules will be punishable with fine, which may extend to Rs. 50, in addition to the forfeiture of the license.

SAMBALPUR,
The 25th April 1908.

J. N SEN,
Chairman, Municipal Committee, Sambalpur.

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PART I.C.

Educational Notices.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND THE SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

1. Supplementary F.A. and B.A. Examinations will be held on Monday, the 7th December 1908, and following days at the ordinary centres.

2. All candidates who were registered for the F.A. and B.A. Examinations held in March 1908 and have not passed will be admissible to the supplementary Examinations, and will be examined in the same courses and subjects in which they were previously examined, and according to the standard of the old Regulations and the Rules framed thereunder.

Every such candidate shall be admitted to the supplementary Examination upon payment of a fee of Rs. 30 for the F.A. Examination, and of Rs. 40 for the B.A. Examination. The fee must be accompanied by an application, the form of which will be supplied by the Registrar's office. The Registrar's receipt for the last Examination must be annexed to this application. If any candidate has lost the Registrar's receipt he may obtain a duplicate from the Registrar upon payment of a fee of Rs. 4. Every applicant for a duplicate receipt must, if necessary, prove his identity to the satisfaction of the Registrar. The fees and applications must be deposited with the Registrar on or before the 14th of September 1908.

3. Candidates who were qualified to appear at the F.A. or B.A. Examination of 1907 or 1908, but did not present themselves for either Examination, will be allowed to appear at the supplementary Examination under section 11 of Chapter XXVI of the Regulations. A candidate of this kind must produce together with his application two certificates, viz. (1) a certificate showing that he was qualified to appear at the Examination of 1907 or 1908; and (2) a certificate either from the Principal of the College at which he last studied or from a member of the Senate, testifying to his good character during the period which has intervened. Each such candidate must pay the same fee as the candidates mentioned in the previous paragraph.

4. Candidates who were kept back from the examinations of March 1908 or 1907 because they failed to satisfy the Principal, at the College test examination or other periodical examinations as to their fitness to be sent up, will be admitted to the supplementary Examination only if the Principal certifies their present fitness upon the result of a Test Examination or otherwise.

5. Candidates who elect to be examined under this notification will be debarred from appearing at the F.A and B.A. Examinations to be held under the new Regulations in 1909.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 22nd June 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June. / To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters'; Blacksmiths';	Fitters'; Turners';	Machine, and Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.
For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 12th July 1907.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

PATNA COLLEGE, BANKIPORE.

SESSION 1908-1909.

THE Patna College will open on the 13th July 1908. Application should be made before this date and as early as possible.

Application will not, except under special circumstances, be received after the 3rd August 1908.

Forms of application for admission may be obtained in the College Office.

The office will be open daily during the vacation from 7 A.M to 10 A. M., except on gazetted holidays.

C. RUSSELL,
Offg. Principal, Patna College.

Form of Application for Admission.

I DESIRE to join the class of the Patna College and to take up the following subjects*:—

I desire to reside

Every student must reside either—

(1) with parent ;

(2) in a College hostel ;

(3) with guardian ;

(4) in a College mess (if there is not sufficient accommodation in the hostel).

Students who wish to live with guardians must fill in forms provided for the purpose at the time of admission or within one week of taking admission. Any further delay will incur a fine of annas 2 per day. If they are in any difficulty they may apply within that time to the Principal or Professor in charge for advice.

(*To be filled in by students.*)

Name of student :—

Father's name and occupation :—

Father's address or present residence :—

Recognised guardian's name and occupation :—

The place of residence and address of the guardian :—

Date of birth :—

Whether the student has a horoscope ; if so, whether the age given agree with it :—

Religion and caste :—

The school or college from which he passed and the year in which he passed the Entrance or F.A examination :—

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* The following combination of subjects may be taken up :—

(1) For the Intermediate Examination in Arts—

English.	English.	English.	English.
Sanskrit	Sanskrit	Sanskrit	Logic.
or	or	or	
Persian.	Persian.	Persian.	Mathematics.
History.	Mathematics.	Mathematics.	Physics.
Logic.	Logic.	History.	

(2) For the Intermediate Examination in Science—

English.	Mathematics.	Physics.	Chemistry.

(3) For the B.A. Examination—

English.	English.	English.	English.
Sanskrit	Mathematics.	Political Philosophy and Political Economy.	Sanskrit
or			or
Persian.	Physics.	History.	Persian.
History.	.....	.....	Mathematics.

(4) For the B.Sc. Examination :—

Mathematics.	Physics.	Chemistry.

Before selecting their subjects students are recommended to apply for advice as to the courses of study to the Principal or Professor in charge.

Form of application for recognition of guardian.

Name of student:—

Name and address of guardian:—

Profession of guardian:—

Age of guardian:—

Relationship of guardian to student:—

I desire to appoint the above named gentleman as guardian to my son for the following reasons:—

Signature of parent.

I UNDERTAKE to act as guardian to the above named student and will hold myself responsible for his physical well-being and good conduct outside of college hours, and for the payment of all sums due from him to the college. I also undertake to furnish such reports and information concerning my ward as may be called for at any time by the Principal of the college.

Signature of guardian.

BABU BRAJAMOHAN DUTT'S PRIZE ESSAY FOR NATIVE LADIES

THE following subject has been selected for Babu Brajamohan Dutt's Prize Essay of Rs. 45 (forty-five) for the year 1906-1907:—

"Domestic Sanitation and the women's share in it."

The conditions for the award of the prize are:—

(1) That the competition be open to all educated women, being natives of Bengal (including the districts which now form part of the New Province), without regard to age.

(2) That the prize be given for an essay, to be written in either Bengali or Sanskrit.

(3) That the essays be sent to the Central Text-book Committee for adjudication within six months of the date of advertisement.

(4) That each essay be accompanied by a written declaration of the husband, parent or guardian of the competitor that to the best of his belief she has received no assistance of any kind, direct or indirect, in writing the essay.

Candidates are requested to send their essays, not later than the 30th November 1908, to the Secretary to the Central Text-book Committee, Office of the Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, at 12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta. The envelope containing the essay should be superscribed "Brajamohan Dutt Prize Essay." The name of the successful competitor will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

A lady who wins the prize in any year is not debarred from subsequent competition, and if the essay submitted by a competitor who has been previously successful is adjudged to be the best, the name of such a competitor will be published in the Gazette as the winner of the competition. The actual prize will, however, in these circumstances be awarded to the competitor whose essay is adjudged to stand next in order of merit, provided that her essay comes up to the standard required by the next clause.

If none of the essays come up to a standard which is in the opinion of the examiners adequate, no prize will be awarded.

CALCUTTA;
The 28th May 1908.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

RESULTS OF THE FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE CUTTACK SURVEY SCHOOL HELD IN APRIL 1908.

(In order of merit.)

First Division.

1. Phani Bhushan Dutt.
2. Hanseshwar Sain.
3. Subodh Chandra Ghosh.

Second Division.

1. Radha Krisna Chatterji.
2. Tarak Chandra Bhattacharyya.
3. Mohendra Nath Ghose.
4. Kshirode Chandra Chakrabarty.
5. Srish Chandra Ghose.
6. Subodh Chandra Sarkar.
7. Nirmal Chandra Bose.
8. Bhupendra Nath Chatterji.
9. Dwijendra Nath Ghose.
10. Siva Krishna Ray Chowdhury.
11. Raghu Nath Mahapatra.
12. { Gonesh Chandra Bhattacharya. / Gopisetti Ramarao.
14. Bhabataran Chatterji.
15. Nogendra Nath Chatterji.
16. Banchhanidhi Misra.
17. Satyendra Kumar Sen.
18. Binod Vehari Ghosh.

Third Division.

1. Baidya Nath Mahanty.
2. Makhon Lal Ganguli.
3. Hari Charan Mittra.
4. Nagendra Mohan Chakerbaty.
5. Ramani Mohan Bose.
6. { Mohendra Nath Mittra. / Gajendra Bisoi.
8. Sailesh Chandra Gupta.
9. Gayadhar Rout.
10. Mukunda Prasad Bose.
11. Chuni Lal Ghose.
12. Ramesh Chandra Mitra.
13. { Nitiananda Das. / Rajendra Nath Ghosh.

G. W. KUCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

The 19th June 1908.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA will deliver his next lecture on English Constitutional History at the Senate House, College Square, on Friday next, the 10th instant, at 4 P.M.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 7th July 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

Award of Senior Scholarships for Muhammadans, 1908.

No.	Name of Scholar.	Name of institution from which he appeared.	Where made tenable.	Valu schola
1	2	3	4.	5
	Mohsin Senior Scholarships (2).			
1	Abdul Wadud	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Presidency College	
2	A. S. M. Ibrahim	Ditto ...	Ditto	
	Government Special Scholarships (8).			
1	A. S. M. Akram ...	Calcutta Madrasah ..	Presidency College ...	
2	Altaf Ahmod Sikder ...	Ditto ..	Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.	
3	Qaza Muhammad Sudrul Ola ...	Hooghly College	Hooghly College ...	
4	Abdul Hakim	Calcutta Madrasah	Presidency College ...	
5	Muhammad Malifooz Alam	Patna College ...	Patna College	
6	Ataul Haq ...	Ripon College ...	Ripon College	
7	Vacant			
8	Vacant			
	Endowed Scholarships.			
	Syed Kazi Reza Hussain Scholarship (1).			
1	Muhammad Yusuf ...	... Patna College ...	... Patna College ...	
	Darbhanga Raj Scholarships (2).			
	Kalimuddin Ahmed ...	... Calcutta Madrasah	... Presidency College	
	Abdul Gofran	Ditto	Ditto	

Calcutta,
The 7th July 1908.

G. W. Küchler, B.A.,
Director of Public Instruction, Beng



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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification of sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Puri will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 20th July at 12 A.M. for arrears of land revenue and other demands, which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and all other shares not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from the sale.

...nsi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1/2	Kilah Marichpur, pargana Marichpur.	3,338 13 4	.....	14a. 9p. 15k. 2b.	Musamat Deokali Kawaur and others.	3,080 2 4	.....	748 12 6
120	Ma. Bagha, pargana Oldhar.	546 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Tapanidhi Harakrishna Bhagirathi Goswami.	.....	273 0 0	.....
147/2	Ma. Harakrishnapur, pargana Mahang.	2,143 0 0	.....	4a.	Bhicari Misser	535 12 0	.....	268 0 0

Puri Collectorate, the 15th June 1908.

A. B. MAITRA, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jealgora Siding, East Indian Railway, Asansol district, Damuda branch siding at mile 177¾, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, the 14th July 1908, corresponding with the 30th Assar 1315 B.S. at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive No. of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum ...	Pargana Jhe-ria, village Bhulan-barari.	177¾	On the south-ern side of the Rail-way line.	7 7 0	2·43 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....

C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th May 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Jharia district (G. C. line), in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 13th July 1908, corresponding to the 29th Assar 1315 B.S., at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
	Manbhum	Pargana Jharia, village Paddogora.	Between miles 135—137.	On the northern side of the rail-way line.	12 15 5	4 1 1				
	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharia, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 8·77	3 1 27	A plot 100′ × 100′ required for pump-house, &c.	0 0 37		
	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharia, village Mucheara.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17				
		Total ...			24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th May 1908.

C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Balasore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st July 1908 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. (A)	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
2		3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
376	Killa Ambahatta, ph. Ambahatta killa.	6,103 0 0	Whole		Raja Shyam Chander Mardaraj Hari Chandan, killa of Nilgiri, killa Nilgiri and others.	.....	135 0 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
377 Ij.	Kt. Killa Ambahatta, ph. ditto.	895 13 11	Share	11a. 11p.	Dadhibaban Das and others of Panichhatra, ph. Banchas.	667 3 9		198 9 7 1908 A. kist.
949 Ij.	Tk. Krishnapura, ph. Ankura.	18,341 0 0	Do. ...	10a. 8p.	Nilmadhab Parhi and hers of Eram, ph. Ankura.	12,227 5 4	.....	1,938 13 4 1908 A. kist.
949 1	Ditto ...	18,341 0 0	Do. ...	5a. 4p.	Bhagaban Mahanty of Bharpur, ph. Ankura, and others.	6,113 10 8	... ..	1,294 5 4 1908 A. kist.
950	Tk. Churamoni, ph. ditto.	2,223 0 0	Whole		Srimatya Chandramone Dei, mother and guardian of Kanungo Krishna Prasad Ray Bhramarbar of Churamoni, ph. Ankura.	.....	1,074 8 0 1908 A. kist.	
953	Ma. Arnan, ph. Ankura.	752 0 0	Do.		Mathura Mohan Parhi of Eram, ph. Ankura, and others	.....	133 5 3 1908 A. kist.	
955	Ma. Parhuan, ph. ditto.	1,400 0 0	Do.		Nilmadhab Parhi of ditto, ph. ditto, and others.		241 1 1 1908 A. kist.	
958	Ma. Suan Iswarpur, ph. ditto.	766 0 0	Do.		Sudarsan Prosad De of Barobati, ph. Sunhat.		382 13 0 1908 A. kist.	
960 Ij.	Tk. Purusottampur, ph. Balikhand.	5,666 0 0	Share	13a. 17kt. 1b. 3g. 3k. ..	Komesh Chandra Misra of Purusottampur, ph. Balikhand, and others.	4,628 13 1		1,854 14 3 1908 A. kist.
576	Ditto	5,636 0 0	Do. ...	2a. 11p. 2kt. 14b. 16g. 1k.	Ch. Raghunath Nisanka Mahapatra and others of Purusottampur, ph. Balikhand.	1,037 2 11		448 10 6 1908 A. kist.
577	Tk. Bari, ph. Balikhand.	4,628 0 0	Whole		Janaki Ballabh Mandhata Mahapatra and others of Iram, ph. Ankura.	.....	1,801 15 3 1908 A. kist.	
	Tk. Sabang, ph. ditto	2,244 0 0	Do.		Srimati Swarnamayee Dasi of Kowpur, ph. Randiaorgora.	.....	862 2 11 1908 A. kist.	
931	Tape Maliaach, ph. Banchas.	1,579 0 0	Do		Bhagaban Chandra Das and others of Borobati, ph. Sunhat.	.....	789 5 10 1908 A. kist.	
969	Tk. Kundi, ph. Basta Haveli.	1,115 0 0	Do.		Lala Ramnath Ray of Lakh Manuath, ph. Chak Ismailpur and others.	.....	537 4 0	
985 1	Tk. Gurupresad, ph. Byang.	2,103 0 0	Share ...	3a. 11p. 11kt. 15b. 18g. 1k.	Radhashyam Das of Kantapari, ph. Dhamnagar.	521 5 10½		31 7 9½ 1908 April kist.
982	Tk. Harisingpur, ph. Bhera.	4,339 0 0	Whole		Radha Kanta Ray Mahasay of Kowpur, ph. Randiaorgora and others.		708 6 9 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	
985 Ij	Tk. Birbarpur, ph. ditto.	2,365 0 0	Share ...	3a. 7p. 7kt. 3b. 9g. 1706 3 340560 bid.	Adhikari Niladri Das and others of Mangalpur samil Gandharbapukhri, ph. Bhera.	534 0 8	.....	10 1 7 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
	Ma. Damoderpur, ph. ditto.	2,159 0 0	Do. ...	9a. 3p. 6b. 8g. 15887 bid	Ganesh Prasad Panda of Begunia, ph. Balikhand, and others	1,248 6 4½		171 5 9½ 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
37	Tk. Darada, ph. Daradachour.	656 0 0	Whole		Ch. Golak Narain Paharaj Mandhata of Gor Irda, ph. Daradachour.		228 11 7 1908 A. kist.	
38	Ma. Jamuli, ph. ditto.	951 15 6	Do.		Ditto ..		256 7 0 1908 A. kist.	
46	Tk. Bardhanpur, ph. Dasmalang.	661 0 0	Do.		Radhashyam Das of Barobati, ph. Sunhat and others.	.....	280 3 6 1908 A. kist.	
49 1.	Tk. Malda, ph. Dhamnagar.	3,270 1 1	Share ...	12a. 10p. 10kt. 12b 16g. .	Dhruba Mahapatra and others of Kurigan, ph. Dhamnagar.	3,270 0 0½	... ..	583 8 8½ 1908 A. kist.
48	Tk. Jahangir, ph. ditto.	4,469 6 6	Whole		Radhashyam Das of Kantapari, ph. Dhamnagar, and others.	.....	211 11 7 1908 A. kist.	
15 1	Tk. Benotara, ph. Kaima.	1,053 0 0	Share ...	12a. 8p. 12kt. 8b.	Hadibandhu Chowdhury of Jagulai Elaka, Panchmuka, ph. Killa Kanika and others.	837 0 10		332 10 9½ 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
31	Tk. Darba, ph. Kaima.	660 0 0	Whole		Chow. Dibya Sinha Narendra Mahapatra and others of Kamardihi, ph. Kaima.		169 0 0 1908 A. kist.	
32½	Tk. Trilochan Darba, kt. ik. Darba, ph. ditto.	602 0 0	Do.		Dibya Sinha Narendra Mahapatra and others of ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	113 0 0 1908 A. kist.	
	Ma. Chandanpur, ph. Kaima.	1,819 0 0	Do.		Dinabandhu Bal of Bartana Elaka Panchmuka, Killa Kanika.	.....	89 13 5 1908 A. kist.	
	Ma. Kasba Kamarda, ph. Kamardachour.	3,505 0 0	Share ...	8a. 7p. 8kt. 15b. 15g. 2k. 1kt. 4b. 18g. 1kt. 2b. 7g. 2k. 9b. 7g. 3k.	Jogendra Narain Paharaj Mandhata and others of Gar Irda, ph. Daradachour.	803 15 5½	.....	246 3 6½ 1908 A. kist.
	Kusuda, ph. Kamardachour.	1,603 0 0	Do.	8a.	Srichandan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Ray of Gar Rautrapur, ph. Sahabandar.	846 8 0	.....	278 8 0 1908 A. kist.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. (A)	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1345	Ma. Khairda, ph. Kamardachour.	2,700 0 0	Whole ...		Chow. Radhashyam Ray of Bansadiha, ph. Kamardachour, and others.		117 3 9 1908 A. kist.	
1135/5	Tk. Gokula Nandapur, ph. Katisahi.	3,440 1 6	Share	5a. 4p.	Bhagaban Chandra Das and others of Barobati, ph. Sunhat.	1,146 11 2		516 0 6 1908 A. kist.
737/1	Patna Bagbrindabon, ph. Khajuri.	1,243 0 0	Do.	10a.	Sundarson Prasad De of Barobati, ph. Sunhat.	776 14 8		62 11 9 1908 A. kist.
314	Tk. Kasba, ph. Manjuri.	2,309 12 2	Whole ...		Srimati Gandharbika Dei, mother and guardian of Chowdhuri Jadunandan Dhakin Ray Mahapatra of Jagarnathprasad, ph. Manjuri.		1,133 14 4 1908 A. kist.	
713/1j.	Tk. Dhara, ph. Mulgoan.	1,022 0 0	Share	14a. 9p. 10kt.	Harendra Narain Ray Mohashy of Lakhanath, ph. Chak Isa Mailpur and others.	944 13 1		127 11 7 1908 A. kist.
1126	Tk. Bhagawanpur, ph. Nangleswar.	796 0 0	Whole		Ch. Giridhari Singh and others of Patara, ph. Nangleswar.		264 3 9 1908 A. kist.	
1474	Ma. Debkumar, ph. Napo kismat.	960 0 0	Do.	.....	Ban mali Charan Ghosh of Debkumar, ph. kt. Napochore and others.		93 13 8 1908 A. kist.	
725/1j.	Tk. Baita, ph. Nunkhand.	1,004 0 0	Share	11a. 4p. 12kt. 9b. 2g. 3k. 1½bid.	Dwarikanath Kar and others of Barobati, ph. Sunhat.	714 7 3½		25 7 7½ 1908 A. kist.
	Tk. Randhia, ph. Randiaorgora,	5,648 13 4	Whole		Radhakanta Ray Mohashay and others, at present of Naripur, ph. Randiaorgora.		2,824 15 11½ 1908. A kist.	
	Tk. Sarmanga, ph. ditto.	1,429 0 0	Do.		Munshi Makbul Rahman Ahmed of Issufpur, ph. di to, and others.		235 4 3 1908 A. kist.	
	Ma. Charampa, ph ditto.	781 0 0	Do.		Munshi Mohamed Abdul Rus and others, of Ballorda, ph. Randiargora.		350 6 0 1908 A. kist.	
11	Ma. Charayah, ph. Randiaorgora.	865 7 9	Do.		Mahanta Sambhusan Goswami and others of Santhia, ph. Randiaorgora.		74 13 10 1908 A. kist.	
1272	Kt. tk. Sarmanga, ph. ditto.	800 0 0	Do.		Sayed Mohamed Issuf Ali and others of Issufpur, ph. Randiaorgora.		250 0 0 1908 A kist.	
1273	Ditto ...	876 0 0	Do.		Munsi Shaikh Latifur Rahaman Ahmed of Issufpur, ph. Randiaorgora, and others.		273 11 11½ 1908 A. kist.	
1546	Kt. tk. Medhab Nagar, ph. ditto.	512 0 0	Do.		Dattari Behera of Kundala, ph. Randiaorgora and others.		16 5 1 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	
	Tappe Narainpur, ph. Satmalang.	4,217 0 0	Do.		Bhuyan Surendra Nath Sing Das Bahbhim Mohapatra of Jamkunda, ph. Satmalang.		1,152 0 0 1908 A. kist.	
42/1J	Tk. Harisankarpur, ph. Senaut.	7,456 10 11	Share ...	3a. 3p.	Sibaprasad Ray Mahapatra and others of Hattuli, ph. Senaut.	1,514 10 3		167 1 1½ 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
43/2	Ditto	7,456 10 1	Do.	2a. 9p.	Ch. Harihar Santra Mahapatra of Hattuli, ph. Senaut.	1,281 9 10		103 12 5½ 1908 A. kist.
43	Tk. Talpada, ph. ditto.	4,679 0 0	Whole		Ch. Harakrishna Mahapatra, of Iram, ph. Ankura, and others.		118 12 6 1908 A. kist.	
	Patna Gajendrapur, ph. Senaut.	745 0 0	Do.		Moonshi Makbul Maheman Ahmed of Isufpur, ph. Randiaorgora, and others.		573 6 9 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	
	Tk. Bilna, ph. Senaut	1,084 0 0	Share	11a.	Moonshi Latifur Raheman Ahmed of Isufpur, ph. Randiaorgoda, and others.	745 4 0		302 0 8 1908 A. kist.
124	A. D., ma. Dolesahi, ph. ditto.	9,389 0 0	Do.	13a. 5p. 12kt. 9g. 1k.	Dullabhanani Das and others of Barang, ph. Senaut.	8,323 5 1		8,684 9 10½ 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
125/5	Patna Mursadnagar, ph. ditto.	2,216 0 0	Do.	7a. 1p. 12kt. 13b. 17g. 2k. 2kt. 10b.	Tinkouri Debya of Hallashar Choudhuripara, dist. Chabis Parganas.	988 7 6		32 0 2 1908 A. kist.
125	Ditto ...	2,216 0 0	Do.	7a. 1p. 12kt. 13b. 17g. 2k. 2kt. 10b.	Asutosh Ray Choudhuri and others of Belgharia, ph. Chabis Parganas, Calcutta.	988 7 6		46 12 4 1908 A. kist.
126	Khg. ma. Barikpur, ph. Senaut.	558 0 0	Whole		Munshi Sheik Latifur Rahiman Ahmad of Issufpur, ph. Randiargora and others.		58 0 5 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	
131/1j.	Tk. Ramkrishnapur, ph. Senaut.	896 0 0	Share	11a. 1p. 16kt. 3b. 17g. 2k. 1½bid.	Sheik Fakir Mahamad of Gujidarada, ph. Senaut and other.	624 7 4		85 1 10 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
1247	Kt. khg. ma. Barikpur, ph. Senaut.	537 0 0	Whole		Munshi Sheik Latifur Raheman Ahmed of Issufpur, ph. Randiargora.		97 8 1 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	
1368	Ml. Bishnupur, ph. Sahabandar.	2,816 0 0	Do.		Srichandan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Ray of Gar Rautrapur, ph. Sahabandar.		827 0 0 1908 A. kist.	
150/1j.	Tappe Purusando, ph. Soso.	9,258 0 0	Share	15a. 14kt. 3b.	Balabhadra Prasad Das Rajkumar Bariganga Bhuyan Mahapatra of Gopinathpur, Killa Mangalpur.	8,713 9 3	.....	317 5 7½ 1908 A. kist.
156	Tk. Rahasbiharipur, ph. Soso.	831 0 0	Whole ...		Lakshmidhar Mahapatra and others of Fatepur, ph. Soso.	.....	50 6 3 1908 A. kist.	
810/1j.	Tk. Hirapur, ph Talsabang.	1,389 0 0	Share ...	6a. 7p. 8b.	Govind Chandra Mahapatra of Patna, Bagbrindaban, ph. Khejuri, and others.	574 15 1½	.....	128 7 5 1908 A. kist.

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15.	Rai A. P. Sarkar Bahadur	...	30	0	0
16.	Staff of the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle	...	5	0	0
17.	Staff of the Army and Navy Co-operative Society, Limited	...	50	0	0
18.	Staff of the Hindi Translator to the Government of Bengal		7	12	0
19.	Mr. C. Addams-Williams ...		32	0	0
20.	Staff of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division ...		3	9	0
21.	Staff of Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co.		78	5	0
22.	Mr. B. Foley		100	0	0
23.	Babu Sarat Kumar Raha		50	0	0
24.	Staff of the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal	...	49	0	0
25.	Staff of the Director of Land Records, Bengal	...	5	0	0
26.	Staff of the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle	...	5	14	0
27.	Mr. Edward Thornton	...	50	0	0
28.	,, H. Brown	...	50	0	0
29.	,, A. E. Godwin	...	15	0	0
30.	,, G. Rothera	...	15	0	0
31.	,, W. R. Flavin	...	15	0	0
32.	Small amounts from the staff of Messrs. Martin & Co.	...	105	0	0
33.	District Committee, Bhagalpur ..	...	2,574	0	0
	Kumar Kalanand Singh	1,000			
	,, Kirtyanand Singh				
	Babu Surendra Mohon Singh ..	200			
	Mr. F. F. Lyall	75			
	Babu Siva Sankar Sahai	50			
	,, Pran Mohon Thakur	250			
	,, Sukhraj Roy	100			
	,, Tarak Nath Ghosh	250			
	Maulvi Shoojayat Ali Khan	20			
	Babu Chandra Sekhar Sircar ..	100			
	Rai Tarini Prosad Bahadur	25			
	Mr. J. C. Twidell	75			
	Babu Debi Prasad Marwari	100			
	,, Dipnarain Singh	150			
	,, Raghunandan Prasad	20			
	Mr. J. A. Hubbock	25			
	Small amounts	134			
34.	District Committee, Nadia	...	19	14	0
35.	Staff of the Port Officer, Calcutta ..	...	35	0	0

No.	Names.	Rs.	Amount. Rs.	A.	P.
36.	District Committee, Birbhum ...	...	1,991	0	0
	Raja Ram Ranjan ChakravartiBahadur ...	1,000			
	Babu Nirmal Shib Banerji	200			
	„ R. A. N. Sing	100			
	„ K. N. Roy	100			
	„ Krishna Nath Mukherji ...	100			
	Mr. H. C. Liddell	50			
	Babu Annada Prosanna Mukherji ...	50			
	„ Khirode Chandra Ghose ...	50			
	Mahanta Bhagaban Das Mallapur ...	50			
	„ Damodar Chandra Brojabashi ...	50			
	Mr. F. P. Walker	50			
	Captain J. J. Fleming	32			
	Babu Gopal Chandra Chakravarti ...	25			
	„ Madan Gopal Sing	20			
	Lieutenant-Colonel D. Basu ...	20			
	Munshi Essin Hossain Khan Bahadur ...	20			
	Small amounts	74			
37.	District Committee, Burdwan ...	...	349	0	0
	Babu Taraprasanna Roy	50			
	„ Kalipada Nandi	50			
	„ Hari Narain Mukherji ...	25			
	Mr. J. Mackintosh	20			
	Small amounts	204			
38.	District Committee, Hooghly ...	...	350	0	0
	Mr. S. L. Maddox	100			
	Raja Peary Mohon Mukherji ...	100			
	Dr. Gopal Chandra Gossain	100			
	Babu Khagendra Nath Mitra ...	20			
	Small amounts	30			
39.	District Committee, Howrah	...	1,197	0	0
	Mr. I. R. Belilios	100			
	Rai Narasingha Dutt Babadur ...	50			
	Babu Mohendra Nath Chatterji ...	50			
	„ Rajendra Nath Sanyal ...	30			
	„ Ashutosh Mukherji	50			
	„ Ganendra K. Mukherji ...	20			
	Messrs. W. H. Harton & Co. ...	100			
	Babu Sarat Chandra Auddy ...	50			
	„ Ramjidas Bajoria	100			
	„ Pramatha Nath Pramanik ...	20			
	„ Kanai Lall Sadhukhan ...	100			
	„ Kissen Lall Burmon	100			
	„ Priya Nath Ghose	25			
	„ Khirode Chandra Ghose ...	50			
	Mr. W. W. Smith	21			
	Babus Biswesworlal and Matilal Halwaria	100			
	Small amounts	231			
40.	Staff of the Accountant-General, Bengal...	...	59	11	0
41.	Staff of the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta	...	17	1	0
42.	Staff of the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal	...	15	1	0
43.	Rai B. M. Mitra Sahib	...	10	0	0
44.	Staff of the Executive Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division	...	32	0	0
45.	Mr. C. H. Grose	...	10	0	0
46.	Staff of the Bengal Secretariat, Public Works Department	...	25	0	1
47.	Messrs. Orr, Dignam & Co. ...	...	250	0	0
48.	Mr. A. Zoroastrian	...	50	0	0
49.	Babu Jaraki Nath Roy „ Sita Nath Roy	... ...	100	0	0
	Total ...	...	8,936	12	1

C. B. BAYLEY,
Honorary Secretary, Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund, Bengal Branch.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA, *the 4th July 1908.*

Abstract Statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st July 1907, being the first quarter of the year 1907-08, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1906-07.

PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 31st July 1907.	For the quarter ending 31st July 1906.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,59,54,116 14 0	1,59,06,233 1 0	47,883 13 0	
ADD—RECEIPTS—				
Subscriptions from 1st May to 31st July 1907 in the Widows' Fund ...	1,05,050 10 6	1,08,000 1 6	.....	3,349 7 0
Subscriptions from 1st May to 31st July 1907 in the Children's Fund	51,451 6 0	54,783 4 0	.....	3,331 14 0
Income and outlay on office buildings and grounds	1,400 9 6	1,200 9 6	200 0 0	
Fees and stamps	6 0 0	13 8 0		8 0
Total	1,57,908 10 0	1,64,597 7 0	200 0 0	6,688 13 0
GRAND TOTAL	1,61,12,025 8 0	1,60,70,830 8 0	48,083 13 0	6,688 13 0
DEDUCT—DISBURSEMENTS—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund	1,76,103 1 1	1,75,527 1 10	575 15 3	
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund	96,528 14 8	94,184 3 8	2,344 11 0	
Establishment and contingencies	9,959 9 1	9,745 14 2	213 10 11	
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	13,823 15 6	14,381 4 3	.....	552 1 9
Commission paid for money-orders ...	817 19 0	843 14 6	.....	25 4 6
Amount of divisible surplus divided amongst qualified subscribers in the Widows' Fund	2,54,857 4 0	2,77,891 8 0	.....	23,034 4 0
Amount of divisible surplus divided amongst qualified subscribers in the Children's Fund	77,286 0 0	62,179 8 0	15,106 8 0	.....
Total Disbursements ...	6,29,361 6 4	6,31,753 6 5	18,210 13 2	23,602 13 3
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,54,82,664 1 8	1,54,36,077 1 7	29,872 15 10	17,711 0 3
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,61,12,025 8 0	1,60,70,830 8 0	48,083 13 0	6,688 13 0
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	83,030 13 0	85,017 12 0	.....	1,986 15 0
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Number of subscribers	1,079 656	1,114 693		
Ditto of incumbents	716 853	724 855	... ...	
Ditto of subscribers sharing abatement	1,076 694	1,113 695	... ...	37 31

		Rs.	A.	P.
A.—Net increase in grand total of Receipts	... — ...	41,195	0	0
B.—Net decrease in total Disbursements	... ...	5,392	0	1
C.—Net increase in Balance	... ...	46,587	0	1

JAMES W. MEIDLAND, A. C. A.
J. C. C. GRAY, *Accountant* } *Auditors.*

Published by order of the Directors,

J. M. MENDES, *Accountant.*

RIVERS HOWE, *Secretary.*

U. S. F. P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 2nd June 1908.

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District Charitable Society.

Abstract of Cash Accounts of the Central Office for the month of May 1908.

	Receipts.	May 1908.	From 1st January to 31st May 1908.	Budget for 1908.	Payments.	May 1908.	From 1st January to 31st May 1908.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
...	Subscriptions—						
500	From Government	1,200 0 0	6,000 0 0	14,046	Grant to District Committees ...	1,236 0 0	6,290 0 0
850	,, the public	*483 0 0	*5,482 0 0	4,500	,, to Commissioner of Police for { Casual relief	325 8 3	1,510 9 6
316	Donations and new subscriptions	850 0 0	2,371 2 6		{ Establishment	75 0 0	375 0 0
	Allowances towards cost of establishment—			27,848	Grant to Indian Committee	2,220 0 0	11,246 8 0
400	From Government	250 0 0	1,250 0 0	10,740	Pensions paid through Central Office	703 0 0	4,111 0 0
660	Interest on General Reserve Fund	.....	160 0 0	1,020	Schooling-fees ditto ...	132 0 0	302 .
339	,, on Trust Funds	10,267 7 10	23,085 6 11	2,500	Special Relief (on private orders) ...	196 13 9	880 1 6
37	Bakery proceeds	†88 1 6	†286 8 6	3,204	Alms House:—Establishment	267 0 0	1,335 0 0
00	Workshed proceeds	§238 12 0	§§1,677 1 3	9,500	Dieting	†783 3 3	‡3,959 14 6
50	Refund on Casual Relief account ...	180 11 6	637 0 6	1,600	Contingencie ...	138 0 0	719 0 0
00	,, on Special ,, ,, ...	208 9 0	987 8 3	300	Clothing and bedding		200 0 0
	Legacies			150	Repairs ...	14 10 6	203 9 0
	Miscellaneous accounts			...	Poultry yard ...		125 3 0
	Deposits	8 12 0	51 13 0	2,650	Bakery	209 8 9	1,064 1
	X'mas dinner account			4,145	Workshed	§986 6 8	§§2,329 8
	G. P. Notes withdrawn from Bank's safe custody.			2,536	Central Office:—Establishment ...	625 0 0	3,135 15
	G. P. Notes by Corpus of Trust Funds ...			360	Commission on collections.	24 13	162 8 10
	,, by Security Deposit			500	Auditing fees ...	.....	250 0 0
	Donation to Indian Committee	0 0	61 0 0	735	Rent (nett)	59 11 6	319 9 9
	Govt. grant for Alms House repairs ...			600	Contingencies ...	24 13 8	189 12
	Cash towards Corpus of Trust Funds ...			750	Printing and advertising.	53 0 0	305
				70	Bank's commission ...	13 4 2	41 1 11
				...	Law charges	.....	.....
				450	E. I. Railway Co. for passes	.....	‡71 0 0
				...	Deposits	8 12 0	324 8 7
				500	X'mas Dinner account	.....	201 12 0
				...	Safe custody deposit of G. P. Notes	.....	.....
				...	Security refunded	.....	.....
				...	Investment	.....	.....
				...	Interest on Overdraft	.....	.....
	Total ...	13,770 5 10	42,049 8 11	94,604	Total ...	8,176 7 11	40,143 3 1

New Subscriptions * Rs. 55; ** Rs. 85. ‡ Special Relief 2-9-12; Casual Relief, etc., Rs. 41-4.
Excluding cost of bread from Bakery for A. H. Dieting, † Rs. 374-2-6; †‡ Rs. 1,812-7-6; Budget being Rs. 3,896.
Ditto cost of flour from Workshed to Bakery, § Rs. 87-10-10; §§ Rs. 419-9-6; Budget being Rs. 650.

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
ipts as above	.....	42,049 8 11	Payments as above	.....	40,143 3 1
ce at credit in Bank of Bengal on 1st January 908	5,115 0 6		Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 31st May 1908	7,324 3 11	
ing cash balance on that date	,, 771 5 9		Cash balance in hand on that date	468 8 2	
		5,886 6 3			7,792 12 1
Total ...		47,936 15 2	Total ...		47,936 15

CALCUTTA,
The 15th June 1908.

K. C. GANGULY,
Cashier.

H. S. CASHMAN,
Secretary.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 30th June 1908.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,57,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 70,29,207 5 7			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,12,24,790 13 2	1,82,53,998	2	9
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	16,59,07,067	8	9
Bank Post Bills, &c.	10,17,396	0	4
Sundries	38,28,488	1	0
Rupees ...	22,47,56,949	12	10

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	2,90,95,963	0	0
Other authorised investments	29,27,590	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,64,35,244	12	10
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,11,33,893	14	7
Bills discounted and purchased	2,49,93,882	3	6
Balances with other Banks	15,51,517	1	5
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	18,03,495	8	0
Stamps	16,317	15	0
Sundries	8,79,769	3	1
	14,88,37,173	10	
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs. 3,94,15,132 15 11			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... † ,, 3,65,04,643 2 6	7,59,19,776	2	5
Rupees ...	22,47,56,949	12	10

*Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 2,07,180 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 3,48,690 0 0
,, 5,55,870 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 2nd July 1908.
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Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 40·16.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th June 1908.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—			GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1849-48.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.		Total.	Of 1858-33.	Of 1885-86.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.	Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 15th June 1908 ...	82,36,000	1,50,60,500	9,13,76,100	2,16,49,200	1,14,83,500	23,09,300	.....	14,17,78,600	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	15,01,04,833
ADD—																			
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 30th June 1908 ..	.....	16,000	1,50,000	6,500	.....	57,000	.....	2,29,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,29,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th June 1908 ...	.....	10,000	.....	40,500	11,000	.....	.....	61,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61,500
	82,36,000	1,50,86,500	9,15,26,100	2,16,96,200	1,14,94,500	22,66,300	.....	14,20,69,600	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	15,03,95,933
DEDUCT—																			
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	5,00,000	1,100	1,50,000	33,700	.....	.....	.....	1,84,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,84,800
Balance on 30th June 1908	77,36,000	1,50,85,400	9,13,76,100	2,16,62,500	1,14,94,500	22,66,300	.....	14,19,84,800	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,97,11,033

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th April 1908—Enfaced from India, 11,695 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,512 lakhs.

,, 1st May 1908 ,, 15th May	,,	,,	,,	,,	2 lakh	,,	13 ,,
,, 16th ,, ,, ,, 31st ,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	8 lakhs	,,	17 ,,
,, 1st June ,, ,, 15th June	,,	,,	,,	,,	4 ,,	,,	13 ,,
,, 16th ,, ,, ,, 30th ,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	3 ,,	,,	7 ,,
					11,712 lakhs.		11,569 ,,
					11,569 ,,		
Balance against India ...					143 ,,		

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 2nd July 1908.

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T. BRUCE,
Superintendent.

L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	Remarks.
Mr. David Bone and Mrs. Bone of Jharia.	Sitalpore	On 2nd and 5th May 1908.	District Judge, Burdwan, on 10th June 1908.	No Will left.
Mr. Richard Greeven, I.C.S., late 2nd Additional Judicial Commissioner of Oudh.	Lucknow	30th May 1908 ...	District Judge, Lucknow, on 10th June 1908.	The deceased has left a Will, and steps are being taken by the Executor to obtain Probate.
Mr. R. R. Alexander Millwright, late a Foreman of the Carriage and Wagon Department, E. M. Railway.	Ajmer	19th October 1907.	Commissioner and District Judge, Ajmer, Merwara, on 11th June 1908.	The deceased has left no Will, and no application has been made for Letters of Administration.
Mr. John Martin, late an European Assistant in the Solonibari Tea Estate in North Lakhimpore Subdivision.	Solonibari Tea Estate.	7th April 1908 ...	Judge of the Assam Valley District on 19th June, 1908.	The deceased does not appear to have left any Will.
Mr. E. A. A. Cooper ...	Walker Hospital, Simla.	22nd May ,,	District Judge, Simla, on 15th June 1908.	No Will left.
Mr. J. Drysdale, Painter ...	Albert Victor Hospital, Lahore.	20th ,, ,, ...	District Judge, Lahore, on 16th June 1908.	No information whether the deceased has left a Will.
Mr. J. Cumming, late a Foreman on the E. I. Railway.		2nd June ,,	District Judge, Agra, on 15th June 1908.	The deceased has left a Will in favour of his widow.
Mr. Walter Charles Batt, Extra Assistant Commissioner and Assistant Superintendent, Kadaung Hill Tracts.	Molo	7th March ,,	Deputy Commissioner, Ruby Mines District, on 5th June 1908.	The deceased has left no Will.
Mr. A. G. Mackenzie ...	Lahore ...	5th April	District Judge, Lahore, on 20th June 1908.	Ditto ditto.
Mr. William Thomas Ward Booth, late a Driver on the G. I. P. Railway, Bina.	Jhansi	22nd Feb.	District Judge, Saugor, C. P., on 22nd June 1908.	The deceased has left no Will, and no application has been made for Letters of Administration.
Mr. James Johnson ...	Simla	21st May	District Judge, Simla, on 20th June 1908.	No Will left by the deceased, and it is reported that his son is applying for Letters of Administration.
Mr. William Smyth, Factory Supervisor of the Baranagar Jute Factory at Bali.	Chandernagore Railway Platform.	6th ,, ,, ...	District Judge, Hooghly, on 14th June 1908.	The deceased has left no Will, and no application has been made for Letters of Administration.
Mr. G. R. Miller	.....	12th June ,, ...	District Judge, Darbhanga, on 25th June 1908.	No information whether the deceased has left any Will.
Mr. Alexander Cecil Stern, late an Assistant Engineer of the Dhassan Canal Division, Irrigation Department, U. P.	Nowgong Hospital, Bandelkhand.	27th May ,, ...	District Judge, Banda, on 15th June 1908.	No Will has been left by the deceased, and his brother is believed to have applied for Letters of Administration.
Mr. E. C. Potter, late a Driver on the E. I. Railway, Mogalsarai.	Presidency General Hospital.	31st March ,, ...	District Judge, Hooghly, on 23rd May 1908.	No Will left by the deceased, and Letters of Administration have been applied for by this office.

3, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
Calcutta, the 3rd July 1908.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

NOTICE.

In the Court of the First Subordinate Judge, Dacca.

(Given under order of the Court under section 82 of the Civil Procedure Code for information of the defendants whose whereabouts are not known.)

SUIT No. 34 OF 1908.

(1) Nemai Chand Adhya, (2) Nadear Chand Adhya, sons of late Ishan Chandra Adhya, a resident of Imamganj, station Sadar, district Dacca, plaintiffs, *versus* (1) Srimotty Basirunnessa Khatun, (2) Syed Obedullah, (3) Syed Ashanullah, sons of late Syed Hasenjan Shaheb, residents of Mogultoli, better known as Panioty Saheb's lane, station Sadar, district Dacca, and the heirs and representatives of Amina Khatoon, deceased, (4) Emamuddin Saheb, son of late Maulvi Shaha Golam Ajoin (husband), (5) Mahomed Abdul Latif, *alias* Chandmia (son), (6) Srimatty Shayira Khatoon, daughter of Emamuddin Saheb, the aforesaid Nos. 5 and 6, minors, by their certificated guardian defendant No. 4, Emamuddin, residents of Shaota, station Kustia, district Nadia, at present residing at Mugultoli, better known as Panioty Saheb's lane, station Sadar, district Dacca, principal defendants, (7) Srimatty Kasimonnessa Khatoon, widow of Syed Hoshenjan Saheb, a resident of Panioty Saheb's lane, station Sadar, district Dacca, *pro forma* defendant.

Particulars of claim.

SUIT for recovery of Rs. 6,747 principal and interest due under a mortgage bond, dated 23rd *Kartic* 1302 B. S., executed in favour of Ishan Chandra Adhya by Amina Khatoon, widow of defendant No. 4 and mother of defendants Nos. 5 and 6 and Kosimonnessa Khatoon, defendant No. 7.

By order,

A. K. CHAKRAVARTTI,
Sarishtadar, First Sub-Judge, Dacca.

Dacca, the 29th June 1908. (818-1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Muzaffarpur.

PRESENT:

D. H. Kingsford, Esq., I.C.S.

EXECUTION CASE No. 7 OF 1908.

Meghraj and others, decree-holders, *versus* Nand Kishore Narayan Sinha and others, judgment-debtors.

THE following properties will be put to sale by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court on the 15th July 1908 at 12 noon for the realization of Rs. 50,167-5 and subsequent costs :—

	Tauzi No.	Name of mauza.	Extent of share.	Pargana.	Thana.	District.	Government revenue.	Revenue of the share sought to be sold.	Area of the 16 annas.	Area of the share to be sold at auction.	Remarks.
			As.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	AC. DEC.	AC. DEC.	
1	4503	Srichandpur kathia, asli with dakhil.	16	Saraisa ..	Samastipur ...	Darbhanga ...	204 6 3	204 6 3	114 0·21	114 0·21	
2	3949	Ditto ditto ...	16	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	153 4 6	153 4 6	74 0·49	74 0·49	
3	2464/3	Taluka Gurmia Nathu Lal Chaudhuri with Panapur, and Biro Sheo and Panapur Kalleyan and Harpur, Nowgir *ali s* Mahomedpur, asli with dakhli.	16	Chakla Garjowl, pargana Bisara.	Lalganj ...	Muzaffarpur...	618 14 11	169 5 2	.....	468 ·77	Let it be known that the jama sadar of the entire estate (taluka) and other villages is Rs. 618-14-11 and the jama sadar of tauzi No. 2464/3 of the judgment-debtors' share is Rs. 169-5-2. Gurmia has 331·63 acres and 46·27 acres in Harpur mauza and 97·7 acres in Panapur, in all 468·77 acres are to be sold at auction.
4	2464/1	Ghataro Gopi Nath appertaining to taluka Gurmia.	8	Ditto ...	Do ..	Ditto ...	618 14 11	97 8 0	.....	121 ·74	Let it be known that the jama sadar of the entire estate Gurmia is Rs. 618-14-11 and the jama sadar of the separate account, tauzi No. 2464/1, the share of the judgment-debtor is Rs. 97-8 and the area of mauza Ghataro Gopi Nath is 242·1 acres and the area of the share to be sold 121·74 acres or 8 annas share.
	20/B	Ataullapur Kesho and Pojhia and Brahampur mahal Anoga Altagma. which are recorded in the Register Ataullah Pant Bhakurahar, Gopal Bhakurahar and Ata Ullah Altagma, asli with dakhil. Revenue-free estate.	7	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	.....	.....	.....	226 ·36	This is the area of the share to be sold at auction. And as the estate is revenue-free there is no jama sadar.

Muzaffarpur Judge's Office, the 1st July 1908. (816—2) D. H. KINGSFORD, District Judge.

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Cuttack.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No. 604 OF 1907.

Romesh Chandra Mondle and others, decree-holders, *versus* Kanungoe Krishna Prosad Ray Bhramerber and others, judgment-debtors.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned property of the judgment-debtors will be sold for the realization of Rs. 78,430-12 in execution of a mortgage decree of the Sub-Judge's Court, Cuttack, by this Court at 12 o'clock noon, on the 15th day of July 1908 :—

Mahal Churamoni, tauzi No. 950 of the Balasore Collectorate, temporarily-settled estate, twelve annas share thereof under the sub-registry office Bhadrak, thana Basudebpur, subdivision Bhadrak, in the district of Balasore. The annual Government revenue of the entire estate is Rs. 2,228. Price Rs. 30,000.

J. N. MUKHERJI, Sub-Judge.

Cuttack, the 27th June 1908. (817—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

EXECUTION CASE No. 534 OF 1908.

Lalit Mohan Sircar, of Sukelpur, pargana Sunhat, decree-holder, *versus* Bhuyan Surendra Nath Singh Das Rana Bhim Mahapatra, of Jamkunda, pargana Satmalang. judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore in the Court premises on the 15th August 1908 for realization of Rs. 1,149-12-2 :—

Four annas share belonging to the judgment-debtor of the estate tapa Narayanpur, bearing tauzi No. 806 of the Balasore Collectorate station Baliapal. Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 4,217 and that payable for the above share is Rs. 1,054-4.

KALI DAS MUKHARJI, Munsif.

Balasore, the 6th July 1908. (830—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Bhagalpur.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 278 OF 1908.

The Eastern Mortgage and Agency Company, a Joint-Stock Company with limited liability incorporated and registered under the English Companies Acts, and having the Registered Office at No. 8, George Yard, Lambard Street, in the City of London, and carrying on business at No. 8, Clive Street, in the Town of Calcutta, under the agency of Messrs. Gillanders, Arbuthnot and Company of that place, plaintiffs, against (1) Babu Kishun Pershad Pandey, son of Babu Gurdyal Pandey, deceased, (2) Babu Chandra Narayan Pandey, adult son of the said Babu Kishun Pershad Pandey, (3) Babus Inder Narain Pandey, (4) Jatindra Narain Pandey, (5) Upendra Narayan Pandey, and (6) Babu Nependra Narain Pandey, minor sons of the said Babu Kishun Prashad Pandey, inhabitants of Ball, pargana Lakhonpur, district Bhagalpur, by caste Brahman, occupation zamindari, through Babu Shibnath Banerji, pleader, as per order, dated the 27th February 1906, defendants, 1st party.

Valued at Rs. 1,79,340-4-10.

NOTICE is hereby given that on 20th July 1908, the undermentioned properties of the abovenamed judgment-debtors will be sold by public auction in the Court of the Subordinate Judge, 1st Court of Bhagalpur, in pursuance of the decree obtained on 29th April 1907:—

LIST OF MORTGAGED PROPERTIES.

THE 1ST SCHEDULE, PART I.

Bhagalpur.

	Value at Rs.
(1) Eight annas of mauza Ranga, pargana Usta, tauzi No. 2800, in the district of Bhagalpur, sub-district Banka in thana of Amerpur, the sadar jama of the entire mauza being Rs. 555-8 (both asli and dakhli), jagir lands, hereditaments and premises described on the 1st and 2nd Schedules hereto, together with all lands, villages, farms, messuages, houses, buildings, gardens, orchards, fields, pastures, waste lands, alluvial lands, mines, minerals, bheels, jheels, khals, marshes, salt lands, forests, woods, underwoods, jungles, trees, hedges, ditches, fences, walls, roads, paths, passages, rivers, lakes, canals, wells, tanks, ponds, waters, lands covered with water, watercourses, and all and whatsoever which can or may pass under other description of jalkar and banker najrana and salamies and all and all manner of rights, liberties, easements and advantages and appurtenances whatsoever to the said mortgaged premises or any of them or any part or parts thereof respectively belonging and all the estate, right, title and interest of the said mortgagers	20,300
(2) Eight annas of mauza Kamarpur, pargana Jahangira, tauzi No. 749, in the district and sub-district of Bhagalpur, and thana of Kamergunge and Sultangunge, the sadar jama on the share being Rs. 91-15, ditto ditto ditto ...	15,450
(3) One-third, *i.e.*, 5 annas 4 pies of mahal Sathawan, pargana Pherkea, tauzi No. 2991, in the district of Monghyr, and sub-district and thana Gogri, ditto ...	4,275
(4) The entire 16 annas mahal Mathurapur, pargana Pherkia, tauzi No. 2280, in the district of Monghyr, sub-district thana Gogri, ditto ditto	4,275
(5) The entire 16 annas mahal Kotheria, pargana Pherkia, tauzi No. 2277, in the district of Monghyr and sub-district and thana Gogri, ditto	4,275
(6) The entire 16 annas mahal Bherso, pargana Pherkia, tauzi No. 2879 or 2880, in the district of Monghyr, and sub-district and thana Gogri, ditto ditto ..	4,275
(7) Three annas 4 pies share of mahal Goura Gopi, pargana Pherkia, tauzi No. 5661, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana Gogri, ditto ditto	4,275
(8) One anna 4 pies share of mahal Jalker Bhirso, pargana Pherkia, tauzi No. 4316, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana of Gogri, the sadar jama on Rs 3,45,678, being Rs. 2-3-11-4, ditto	4,275

PART II.

(1) Eight annas share of mahal Dharampur, tauzi No. 447 in pargana Lukhonpur, district Bhagalpur, sub-district and thana Amerpur, the sadar jama being Rs. 453-11, ditto	30,200
(2) Eight annas share of mahal Persotunpur, tauzi No. 208, in pargana and district Bhagalpur, sub-district Banka, thana Amerpur, the sadar jama being Rs. 23-8, ditto	1,650
(3) Five annas 4 pies mauza Khersope, kismat or Bhitokutso, tauzi No. 4054, in pargana and district Bhagalpur, sub-district Banka, and thana Amerpur, the sadar jama being Rs. 72-12, ditto	4,550
(4) Eight annas share of mahal Nagar, tauzi No. 310, in the pargana Colgong, district and sub-district Bhagalpur, and thana of Kotwali, the sadar jama being Rs. 34-3, ditto	3,350
(5) Eight annas share of Jaghor or Jagir Doorjon Sought, tauzi No. 3481 in pargana Kherhi, district and sub-district of Bhagalpur and thana of Komergunge or Sultangunge, the sadar jama being Re. 1-8	400
(6) Eight annas share of mahal Missirpur, tauzi No. 4588, district and sub-district of Bhagalpur, thana of Komergunge and Sultangunge, ditto	1,150
(7) Eight annas share of mahal Miserpur, tauzi No 4589, district and sub-district Bhagalpur and thana Komergunge and Sultangunge, the sadar jama of Nos. 6 and 7 together being Rs. 55, ditto	1,150
(8) Eight annas share of mahal Moldeh Bagha in pargana Lakhanpur, tauzi No. 56, district Bhagalpur, and sub-district Banka, and thana Amerpur, the sadar jama being Rs. 23-7, ditto	4,700
(9) Eight annas share of mahal Karsop, tauzi No. 3233, in district Bhagalpur, sub-district Banka, thana Amerur, the sadar jama being Rs. 40-14, ditto ...	4,600

PART II—*concld.*

	Value at Rs.
(10) Eight annas share in kismat Rudhpai, tauzi Nos. 68, 3483, 4595 and 4591 in pargana and district Bhagalpur, sub-district Banka, thana Amerpur, the sadar jama being Rs. 48-10, ditto	15,000
(11) Eight annas share of mahal Dhapra, tauzi No. 744, in the district and sub-district Bhagalpur, and thana Komergunge and Sultangunge, the sadar jama being Rs. 5-3, ditto	4,800
(12) Eight annas share of mahal Manikpur, tauzi No. 4472, in pargana Lakhonpur, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana Kharagpur, the sadar jama being Rs. 30-15, ditto	2,500
(13) Eight annas share of mauza Satkharia, tauzi No. 4480 or 4880 in pargana Lakhonpur, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana Kharagpur, the sadar jama being Rs. 27-9, ditto	2,900
(14) Eight annas share in mahal Sathara, tauzi No. 4500, in pargana Lakhonpur, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana Kharagpur, the sadar jama being Rs. 27-7, ditto	600
(15) Eight annas share of mahal Syed Nager, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana Kharagpur, on which no sadar jama is payable, ditto	50
(16) Eight annas share of Sikmi land of Bheri *alias* Bhupri (lakheraj) in pargana Havaili, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana Kharagpur, on which no sadar jama is payable, ditto	2,100
(17) The entire 16 annas of Arasi Kumar Lal Ali within mauza Tahawl, tauzi No. 3012 in pargana Kherhi, district and sub-district Bhagalpur, and thana Komergunge or Sultangunge, the sadar jama being Re. 1-6, ditto	650
(18) The entire 16 annas share of Bhagwankita (lakheraj) in mauza Basdebpur, district and sub-district Bhagalpur, and thana Kotwali, on which no sadar jama is payable, tauzi No 64, sadar cesses, being Rs. 37-8 cess, ditto	2,050
(19) Eight annas share of land of Mira chak within mauza Banipur, tauzi No. 797 in pargana Lakhonpur, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana Kharagpur, the sadar jama being Rs. 4-15, ditto	150
(20) Eight annas share of Sikmi mahal Murhari in pargana Haveli, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana Kharagpur, on which no sadar jama is payable, ditto	150
(21) Eight annas share of mauza Sikmi mahal Chakaita, pargana Haveli, district Monghyr, sub-district and thana Kharagpur, on which no sadar jama is payable, ditto	100
(22) Eight annas share of Jagir Attaulla within Bhikhanpur and Mokhonpur, tauzi No. 3995, district and sub-district Bhagalpur, and thana Sultangunge, the sadar jama being 4 annas, ditto	1,650
(23) An 8 annas share of Jagir Manullah Sepahi, in mauza Gigiassun, tauzi No. 2990, in pargana Khurla, district and sub-district Bhagalpur, and thana Kumergunge or Sultangunge, the sadar jama being Rs. 4 only, ditto	750
(24) An 8 annas share of Jagir Kazi Subedar in mauza Nowlassi, in tauzi No. 1481 in pargana Jahangira, district and sub-district Bhagalpur, thana Kumergunge or Sultangunge, the sadar jama being Rs. 3-9, ditto	300
(25) An 8 annas share in Arasi Deodho, tauzi No. 576, in pargana Lakhanpur, district and sub-district Bhagalpur, and thana Kumergunge and Sultangunge, the sadar jama being Rs. 24-12, ditto	1,500

SCHEDULE I.

PART III.

Serial No.	NAME OF KAMOTS.	District.	Sub-district.	Thana.	Nature of holding.	Value.
						Rs.
1	Lands of Chaker Mursha, pargana Lukhonpur $\frac{B}{13}$.	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	Sultangunge	Permanent right of occupancy held under Raja Padmanand Singh of Banaili at annual rent of Rs. 40-3-6.	2,000
2	Lands in mauza Deodhry Bath, pargana Lukhonpur, 98 bighas.	.....	.....	.....	Bhoili tenure under Raja Padmanand Singh.	
3	Mauza Bath and Herbanspur.	.....	.....	.....	Bhoili tenure under Raja Padmanand Singh and Hari Mohan Thakur.	2,000
4	Mauza Deodah, pargana Lukhonpur.	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto ...	
5	Mauza Eajni, pargana Lukhonpur.	.....	.....	.....	Ditto ditto ...	
6	Garden containing Bombay mango trees in mauza Bath, containing an area of 18 cottahs.	.....	.....	.....	Held under Raja Padmanand Singh at an annual rent of Rs. 15-3-9.	2,000
						1,54,200

Bhagalpur, the 29th June 1908. RAJENDRA NATH DATTA, Subordinate Judge, 1st Court. (809—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of SALIGRAM, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 13th day of July instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

M. K. Bose, Attorney. (823 -1)

In the matter of MUTTY LALL, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 13th day of July instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (824 -1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1908.

In the matter of Dwarika Nath Kundu, of Navadwip, thana Kotwali, district Nadia, debtor.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 21st May 1908, against Dwarika Nath Kundu, son of late Sagor Kundu, of Navadwip, thana Kotwali, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the said petition and hearing the said debtor it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor hereby adjudged insolvent.

J. N. GHOSH, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 20th June 1908. (821—1—804)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 37 OF 1908.

Ram Chand Sarder, of Napukuria, pargana Mayaria, thana Jayanagar, insolvent

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed applicant was declared an insolvent on the 3rd day of June 1908, and his discharge is suspended for five years.

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 29th June 1908. (812—1—805)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 19 OF 1908.

Romjan Mandal, of Jayapore, thana Barasat, at present residing at Narayanpore, thana Habra, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed applicant was declared an insolvent on the 15th day of June 1908. There are no assets to deal with.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd July 1908. (827—1—806)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 49 OF 1908.

Surendra Nath Kowar, of Cossipore, thana Cossipore, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

ON the 15th June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the above applicant be heard on the 20th July 1908, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd July 1908. (825—1—807)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1908.

Umesh Chandra Kowar, of Cossipore, thana Cossipore district 24-Parganas, applicant.

ON the 15th June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the above applicant be heard on the 20th July 1908, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd July 1908. (826—1—808)

GOPAL KRISHNA PAL, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (767—4—714)

MR. P. K. MITTER, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (806—4—757)

SAYED ENAYET KARIM, B.L., Pleader, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court. (774—4—758)

SHAIKH MUHAMMAD ABDUL HAKIM, B.L, Pleader, Bankipore, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (755 -4—763)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908 :—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add 880	To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.
3.	Balia	...	„ 889	
4.	Bhimpore	...	„ 1992	
5.	Munair	...	„ 2458	
6.	Masandha	...	„ 4368	
7.	Phulwari	...	„ 5058	
8.	Sunda	...	„ 5859	
9.	Shahjehanpore	...	„ 7305	
10.	Ghyaspur	...	„ 7692	
11.	Beswak	...	„ 9898	
12.	Bihar	...	„ 10516	
13.	Maldah	...	„ 11771	
14	Narhat	...	„ 11772	
15.	Pillich	...	„ 11823	
16.	Raggir	...	„ 12561	
17.	Samai	...	„ 12585	
18.	Sanaut	...	„ 12606	
19.	Telbara	...	„ 12606	
20.	Ukri	...	„ 13570	

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W/50 of 08/09	Pa/98 29299	500	Hajee Noor Mohamad Janas, 16, Armenian Street, Calcutta.
	„ 29300	500	
	„ 52703	500	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 27th June 1908.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified that Government estate No. 351, Jalkar Gonutia, of the district of Birbhum, situated in pargana Ichhapakhuria, thana Bolepur, with an annual revenue of Rs. 10, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at 1 P.M. on the 17th July 1908 before the Collector of Birbhum.

H. A. LANE, Depy. Collr., *for* Collector.

Suri, the 28th May 1908.

WANTED a temporary Professor of English for the Presidency College on a salary of Rs. 150 a month outside the graded service.

Preference will be given to a 1st class M.A. in English.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the Principal up to the 8th July next.

C. W. PEAKE,

Professor in charge, Presidency College.

Presidency College, Calcutta, the 22nd June 1908.

Wanted.

AN Assistant Estimator for this office on a salary of Rs. 30 rising to Rs. 40 in five yearly increments.

None need apply who has had no experience in estimating work.

Applications supported by copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned by the 20th July latest.

The age of the applicant should be stated.

L. D. CROSS, Executive Engineer,
Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur, the 6th July 1908.

Notice.

WANTED an apprentice for the Uluberia Subdivisional Office. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination. Applications with certificates required under Rule 2, Appendix B, page 83 of the Board's Rules, will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th July 1908.

RAKHAL DAS CHATTERJEE,
Subdivisional Officer.

Uluberia Subdivisional Office, the 23rd June 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Muhammadan graduate for the post of a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Muzaffarpur on Rs. 50 a month. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received in this office up to the 15th July 1908.

None need apply who do not intend to stick to the Department.

J. H. THICKETT,

Offg. Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.

Bengal Fisheries Inquiry Office.

WANTED a Third Clerk and Accountant for the Bengal Fisheries Enquiry Office at Rs. 50 (fifty) a month. None need apply who is not capable of useful Clerical as well as Account work. The post is a temporary one. Apply, with copies of testimonials, to

A. AHMAD,
Commissioner of Fisheries, Calcutta.

Calcutta, the 7th July 1908.

WANTED a competent Surveyor for the Gaya Municipality to help the Government Surveyor in preparing the drainage scheme of the town of Gaya. Salary Rs 100 a month. Applications with copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned by the 15th July 1908.

T. S. MACPHERSON,
Chairman, Gaya Municipality.

Gaya, the 27th June 1908. (805—2)

Wanted

A SURVEYOR for preparing a drainage scheme o the Ranchi Municipality on a consolidated pay of Rs. 100 per month. He will have to work under the Government Surveyor for a year or so. Candidates thoroughly qualified and having experience of drainage work need only apply. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned by the 15th July 1908.

BALKRISHNA SAHAY,
Vice-Chairman, Ranchi Municipality.

Ranchi, the 1st July 1908. (819—2)

WANTED a Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 by annual increments of Rs. 5. No one need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1906.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th July 1908.

W. D. RITCHIE,
Vice-Chairman, District Board.

District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, the 17th June 1908. (717—3)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Accountant for the District Board of Shahabad on a salary of Rs. 80 rising to Rs. 120 by an annual increment of Rs. 5. None need apply who has not passed the fourth grade Accountantship Examination under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901. Preference will be given to one who has experience of the District Board accounts.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 30th July 1908.

ANWAR AHMED,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Shahabad.

Arrah, the 1st July 1908. (815—3)

WANTED a Sub-Overseer on pay Rs. 35—1—40 and conveyance allowance Rs. 15 per mensem. Apply with copies of testimonials within 15th July to the undersigned.

BINAY KRISHNA MODAK,
District Engineer, Pabna.

Pabna, the 23rd June 1908. (760—2)

WANTED a passed and experienced Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Engineer's Office, Jalpaiguri on a monthly salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 70 by annual increments of Rs. 5.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 10th July 1908.

The selected candidate will have to furnish security of Rs. 500 and will be required to sign an agreement that he will remain for at least twelve months.

J. A. BEALE, District Engineer.

Jalpaiguri, the 15th June 1908. (710—3)

WANTED an Accountant and Head Clerk for the office of the District Engineer, Dinajpur, on a pay of Rs 60 rising to Rs 80 in ten years. Apply, on or before the 10th July, stating age and qualifications and with copies of testimonials, to the District Engineer, Dinajpur. (759—3)

WANTED by the District Board of Jessore an experienced Overseer on a salary of Rs. 45 rising to Rs. 60 by an annual increment of Rs. 3 and consolidated travelling allowance of Rs. 30 a month. None need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901, and has not sufficient experience in Road-works and is not a good rider or a cyclist. The selected candidate will have to join at once and furnish a security of Rs. 500; he will be confirmed on approved service after six months on probation. The candidates must state their age in the application which must reach the undersigned with copies of testimonials on or before the 20th July 1908.

A. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer, Jessore.

Jessore, the 22nd June 1908. (758—3)

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European Establishment:—

Mr. C. H. D. Moberly to act as Agent at Rangoon.
" D. S. McClure to act as Agent at Dacca.
" A. C. Brown to act as Cashier at Head Office.

By order of the Directors,

L. G. DUNBAR,

Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 7th July 1908.
(831—1)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of Thomas Edward Thomas, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with copy Will annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the 24th day of April last, been granted to Frederick Henry Eggar, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of July 1908, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Frederick Henry Eggar, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice, and notice is hereby further given that the said Frederick Henry Eggar will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution, such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of June 1908.

S. S. HODSON,

Royal Insurance Buildings,
Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,

Attorney for Frederick Henry Eggar, Administrator to the estate of the deceased. (709—3—710)

PROBATE of the will of Maharaja Bahadur Sir Jatindra Mohun Tagore, K.C.S.I., late of No. 12, Prosonno Coomar Tagore's Street, in the Town of Calcutta, has been granted by the High Court, Calcutta, to Maharaja Bahadur Sir Prodyot Coomar Tagore, Kt., Kumud Irocash Gangooly and Herbert Weston Sheppard Sparks, the executors named in the said Will.

ORR, DIGNAM & Co.,

Attorneys for the Executors.

Calcutta, the 29th June 1908. (778—2—767)

In the Goods of Maharaja Bahadur Sir Jatindra Mohun Tagore, K.C.S.I., deceased.

PURSUANT to section 139 of Act V of 1881 and section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Maharaja Bahadur Sir Jatindra Mohun Tagore, K.C.S.I., late of No. 12, Prosonno Coomar Tagore's Street, in the Town of Calcutta, deceased, should on or before 31st day of July 1908, send in particulars of such claims to Messrs. Orr, Dignam & Co. of No. 32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, Solicitors to the Executors, after which date no claims will be admitted and the assets of the estate of the deceased will be distributed.

ORR, DIGNAM & Co.,

Solicitors for the Executors.

32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 29th June 1908.
(777—2—768)

Lost.

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MONORANJAN HAJRA,

Husband of the proprietress, Howrah.
(822—3—803)

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The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1908.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 1st July 1908.*

BAY OF BENGAL—HUGHLI RIVER APPROACH.

General Instructions.

No. 271 (first publication).—The following "directions" are laid down for guidance of masters of vessels, pilots and others in supersession of the instructions on pages 215, 216 and 217 of the third edition of the Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, and Bengal Government Notice No. 257, dated 6th July 1905 :—

Steam pilot vessels—Cruising station, Sandheads.

The steam pilot vessels are three-masted vessels painted white with yellow funnel.

On an inward-bound vessel being sighted, a square blue flag is hoisted at the main when the pilot vessel is underweigh; if the pilot vessel is at anchor, in addition a blue pennant is hoisted at the mizzen; at night the Regulation lights for steam pilot vessels are exhibited, also a flare up is shown.

During the south-west monsoon the steam pilot vessels cruize about 8 miles south to south-west of the Eastern Channel light in very strong winds and heavy sea about 10 miles. During the north-east monsoon they cruize or anchor about 2 to 3 miles S. by W. to S.W. of the Eastern Channel light vessel.

Pilotage is compulsory for all merchant vessels over 100 tons. If a pilot is not taken at the cruising station considerable loss of time is likely to occur before obtaining one on the river.

Approach—Directions.—Steam vessels arriving at the Sandheads and finding the steam pilot vessel, at the station, should close with her and lie to about 300 yards distant, under her stern, in the same direction the steam pilot vessel is heading, and in such a manner as to make a lee for the pilot boat, when a pilot will be supplied.

To avoid delay, approaching steam vessels at night should, when about half-a-mile off the steam pilot vessel, indicate their gross tonnage by the following steam whistle signals:—

Over 3,400	tons gross	...	One short blast.
Between 2,800 and 3,400	,,	...	Two short blasts.
,, 1,800 and 2,800	,,	...	Three short blasts.
Under 1,800	,,	...	Four short blasts.

Sailing vessels should signal net tonnage.

Sailing vessels should make the pilot station signal for a pilot, and on the approach of the steam pilot vessel heave to, and a pilot will then be sent.

During bad weather when boating is not safe, or when there are no pilots available, the steam pilot vessels during the day will not show the square blue flag at the main, and at night will not exhibit the Regulation lights or flare up for a steam pilot vessel.

Sailing vessels should not run on the station at night or in threatening weather.

The steam pilot vessels are in telegraphic communication (wireless) with Calcutta; the necessary forms can be obtained from the pilot boat.

In August, September and October, no pilots being available, sailing vessels are signalled to keep to windward; in this case it is advisable to keep the Eastern Channel light vessel well in sight, drop a kedge if wind falls light to prevent drifting off the station.

Caution—Should it be necessary when approaching the Sandheads to anchor from any cause, if possible anchor outside a line joining Eastern Channel and Mutlah light vessels, in not less than 15 fathoms mud.

A vessel will ride easier and bring less strain on her cable if anchored in depths of 15 to 20 fathoms than in less depths, especially in an estuary. In the greater depths the cable, with a good scope of chain, is never quite taut, therefore not so liable to part; the sea has less force than in shoal water.

AUSTRALIA—Torres strait—Inner route.

Cape Bowling Green lighthouse—Apparatus removed and a temporary light to be exhibited.

No. 272 (first publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 4 of 1908) that the sea having encroached on the site of Cape Bowling Green lighthouse to such an extent as to justify the removal of the apparatus, a temporary light will be exhibited from the flagstaff, but, as such is only visible for a short distance, masters of vessels navigating that vicinity should not approach to the westward of the track recommended,

Charts affected, No. 348; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

AUSTRALIA—Torres strait—Inner route.

Cape Bowling Green lighthouse—Exhibition of temporary light.

No 273 (first publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given further notice (No. 5 of 1908) that the temporary fixed light now exhibited from Cape Bowling Green is visible from seaward about 9 miles. This light will be exhibited until further notice.

Chart affected, No. 348; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay Coast.

Arnala—Light temporarily discontinued.

No. 274 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 65 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars	...	The white fixed light with a red sector established at Arnala will be temporarily discontinued from the 20th to the 30th June 1908, both days inclusive.
Position	...	Latitude 19° 27′ N., Longitude 72° 44′ E.
Charts temporarily affected.		No. 1012, Arabian Sea. ,, 826, Karachi to Vengurla. ,, 2736, Gulf of Cutch to Viziadrug. ,, 736, Maroli to Arnala Island. ,, 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.
Publications	...	List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, page 41. West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 1898, page 227.
Authority	...	Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Opium and Abkari Bombay.

St. L. S. Warden, Comdr., r.i.m.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 3rd July 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Tasmania, north coast.

Emu bay—Shoals in approach.

No. 275 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 855 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—Shoals of the undermentioned description exist in the approach to Emu bay, as follows :—

Position.—Burnie breakwater light.

Lat. 41° 3¼′ S., long. 145° 57¼′ E.

a. Rocky patch.

Position.—$7\frac{9}{10}$ cables N. 31° W. from Burnie breakwater light.

Depth.—$2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Description.—Rock covered with sand.

b. Rocky patch.

Position.—One mile N. 17° W. from Burnie breakwater light, 3 cables N. 24° E. from patch (*a*) given above.

Depth.—5 fathoms.

Description.—Rock covered with sand.

Caution.—It is dangerous to pass southward of the 5-fathom patch when rounding Blackman point.

Variation.—9° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1079, Tasmania (Plan, Emu bay).

,, 1695*b*, Bass strait.

Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 618.

Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*, Hydrographic Note, 17th April 1908.

JAPAN, WEST COAST—Kiusiu Shimabara Kaiwan.

Mi ike Ko—Light established.

No. 276 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 856 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On 1st April 1908, a light of the undermentioned character was established in Mi ike Ko, Shimabara gulf, as follows :—

Position.—On North jetty head.

Lat. 33° 0′ 15″ N., long. 130° 23′ 20″ E.

Name.—Mi ike Ko.

Character.—*White occulting every nineteen seconds*, thus :—

Light,	Eclipse,
15 secs.	4 secs.

Elevation.—45 feet. 34 feet above the ground.

Sectors.—*Red* from N. 37° W., through north, to N. 3° E.

White from N. 3° E. to N. 18° E.

Red from N. 18° E., through east and south, to S. 53° W.

Visibility.—White light, 10 miles.

Red light, 7 miles.

Light power.—White light, 95 candles. Red light, 38 candles.

Description of Building.—Iron cylindrical pillar, painted white.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 358, Kiusiu and Nipon.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 207.

Sailing Directions for Japan, Korea, etc., 1904, page 545.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1164 of 1908.

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—Gulf of Tokyo approach.

No jima Saki—Interval of fog-signal altered.

No. 277 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 857 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May 1908 and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive on No jima Saki would be altered from fifteen minutes to the interval given below.

Position.—Lat. 34° 54½′ N., long. 139° 52¾′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Chart affected.—No. 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1075.

Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 377.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.) Notice, No. 492 of 1908.

JAPAN—Yezo, south coast.

Fukuyama Bijochi fog-signal—Interval altered.

No. 278 (first publication)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 858 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive on Benten jima, Fukuyama, would be altered from fifteen minutes to the interval given below.

Position.—Lat. 41° 25¼′ N., long. 140° 5′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Charts affected.—No. 1663, Plan of Fukuyama Bijochi.
„ 2441, Tsugaru strait.
„ 3409, Sendai bay to Tsugaru strait.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1085.
Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 695; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.), Notice No. 492 of 1908.

JAPAN—Yezo, west coast.

Inaho Zaki fog-signal—Interval altered.

No. 279 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 859 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May 1909 and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive on Inaho zaki, Okushirito, would be altered from twenty minutes to that given below.

Position.—Lat. 42° 15′ N., long. 139° 33′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Charts affected.—No. 3438, Oshima to Furubira wan.
„ 452, Yezo island.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1122.
Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 705; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.) Notice, No. 492 of 1908.

JAPAN—Yezo, south coast.

Mororan ko fog signal—Interval altered.

No. 280 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 860 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May 1908 and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive signal on Daikoku jima, Mororan ko, would be altered from twenty minutes to the interval given below.

Position.—Lat. 42° 21′ N., long. 140° 55′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Chart affected.—No. 3507, Mororan ko.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1102.
Sailing Directions for Japan, 1904, page 726; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.) Notice, No. 492 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—Sandwich islands, Hawaii.

Kealakekua and Kailua bays—Intended lights.

No. 281 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 866 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—About 1st July 1908 lights of the undermentioned characters will be established in Kealakekua and Kailua bays, Hawaii, as follows :—

1. Kealakekua bay.

Position.—About $1\frac{6}{10}$ cables south-west of Cooks monument.

Lat. 19° 28¾′ N., long. 156° 2¾′ W.

Name.—Napupu.
Character.—*White fixed.*
Elevation.—90 feet; 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—A mast, painted grey; small white house with red roof.

2. Kailua bay.

Position (assumed).—Kaliliki point.

Lat. 19° 38¼′ N., long. 156° 0′ W.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—60 feet; 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—A mast, painted grey; small white house with red roof.

Note.—It is presumed that the above lights will replace the occasional red lights at present exhibited.

Charts affected.—No. 1377, Harbours, &c., in the Sandwich islands (Hilo bay).
„ 1510, Sandwich islands.
„ 3102, Hawaii to lat. 6° 15′ N.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, Nos. 843*a*, 843.
Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, pages 206, 205; Supplement, 1908.

Authority.—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 1651, 1652.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—Sandwich islands, Maui.

Kauiki head—Light established.

No. 282 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 867 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On 1st June 1908 a light of the undermentioned character would be established on Kauiki head, Maui, as follows :—

Position (assumed).—On Puu kii islet, 2¼ cables N. 20° E. from Kauiki head ▲ (392 feet).

Lat. 20° 45¾′ N., long. 155° 58¾′ W.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—90 feet; 40 feet above the ground.
Order.—Lantern.
Structure.—Mast, painted grey; small white house with red roof.
Variation—10° E.
Charts affected.—No. 1490, Plan of Kapuaokahi bay.
„ 1510, The Sandwich islands.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, page 117.
Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, page 210.

Authority.—United States Commerce Notice, No. 1653 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—Sandwich islands, Maui and Kauai.

Nakalele, Makahuena, Kahala, Kokole—Establishment of lights.

No. 283 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 868 of 1908), are republished :—

Particular.—Lights of the undermentioned characters will be established on Maui and Kauai, as follows :—

a. Nakalele head.

Position.—On northern extremity.

Lat. 21° 2′ N., long. 156° 37′ W.

Character—White fixed.
Elevation.—90 feet, 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house with red roof.

b. Makahuena (Makanuena) point

Position.—On low hill, about half a cable northward of point.
Lat. 21° 52′ N , long. 159° 27′ E.

Character—Red fixed

Elevation.—109 feet, 37 feet above the ground.

Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house, red roof.

c. Kahala (Kanala) point.

Position.—On low point.
Lat. 22° 8¼′ N., long. 159° 18½′ W.

Character.—Red fixed.

Elevation.—52 feet, 40 feet above the ground.

Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house, red roof.

d. Lae o Kokole (Konole point.)

Position.—On low point.
Lat. 21° 58′ N., long. 159° 46′ W.

Character.—Red fixed.

Elevation.—55 feet, 40 feet above the ground.

Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house, red roof.

Remarks.—All the above are lantern lights, and would be established on 1st June, with the exception of (*a*) Nakalele, which will be exhibited on 1st July.

Chart affected.—No. 1510, The Sandwich islands.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, pages 117, 119.
Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, pages 212, 233, 235, 237.

Authority.—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 1654, 1655, 1656, 1657 of 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Rangoon river.—Replacing of the Fairway lighted buoy by an iron conical buoy.

No. 284 (first publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, has given notice dated 29th June 1908 that the lighted buoy at the Fairway has been removed for repairs and has been replaced by an iron conical buoy with horizontal black and white stripes.

F. Dobson, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Caution—Report of dismasted sailing ship "Fathal Rahaman."

No. 262 (second publication).—A telegraphic communication, dated 23rd June 1908, has been received from the Port Officer, Akyab, intimating that the Master of the S.S. *Oolobaria* reports having passed the dismasted sailing ship *Fathal Rahaman* on the 21st idem in lat. 17° 29′ N., long. 93° 40′ E. apparently drifting N. E. and dangerous to navigation.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Gulf of Aden.

Morbut shoal light boat—Replaced by a red conical buoy.

No. 263 (second publication).—The Bombay Government has given Notice (No. 60 of 1908) that the light boat moored off the Morbut shoal has on the 12th June 1908 been replaced by a red conical buoy exhibiting at night two red lights six feet apart.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Removal of buoys between Alibág and Bhatkal for the south-west monsoon.

No. 264 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 198, dated 15th May 1908, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given Notice (No. 61 of 1908) that the undermentioned buoys were removed from their positions on the dates noted against each :—

Alibág Buoy	16th May 1908.
Bánkote Buoys	10th „ „
Ambulgad Reef Buoy (Jaitapur)	16th „ „
Chaldea Rock Buoy	16th „ „

Bubra Buoy ...	...	...	16th May 1908.
Málwan Outer Rock Buoy	...	...	18th „ „
Johnstone Castle Rock Buoy	...	...	19th „ „
Málwan Harbour Buoys	...	...	19th „ „
Vengurla Outer Rock Buoy	...	...	17th „ „
Vengurla Harbour Buoy	...	...	18th „ „
Murdeshwar Buoy ...	...	...	17th „ „
Bhatkal Buoy ...	...	...	16th „ „

AFRICA, SOUTH—Cape Colony.

Simon's bay—Position of moorings altered.

No. 265 (second publication) —The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 821 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned moorings in Simon's bay have been moved one cable S. 77° E, and relaid in the following position.

Position.—960 yards N. 62° E. from the head of the Admiral's jetty.

Lat. 34° 11′ S., long. 18° 26¼′ E.

Moorings —Penelope No. 11.

Variation.—29° W.

Chart affected —No. 1849, Simon's bay.

Publications.— Africa Pilot, part II, 1901, page 345.

Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 83.

Authority.—Chart Depôt, Hydrographic Note, No. 20 of 1908.

CHINA—Canton river.

Collinson reach barrier—Character of light altered.

No. 266 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 822 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On the 15th April 1908, the red fixed light on Collinson reach barrier would be replaced by a light of the undermentioned character.

Position.—Northern section of barrier, southern end.

Lat. 23° 4′ 40″ N., long 113° 27′ 40″ E.

Character—Red group occulting, showing two short eclipses in quick succession.

Elevation.—18 feet.

Order.—Dioptric, 6th order.

Structure.—White rectangular hut, 20 feet high, surmounted by a bell.

Fog-Signal.—A bell struck once *every six seconds.*

Chart affected.—No. 1742, Second bar Pagoda to Whampoa.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 769.

China Sea, Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 99; Supplement, 1907.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice, No. 451 of 1908.

CHINA SEA AND SOUTH COAST.

Kwang Chau Wan—Alteration in buoyage and beacons.

No. 267 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 823 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The buoyage and beaconage in Kwang Chau Wan have been altered as follows:—

Position.—Lin Fa Than northern pyramid, lat. 21° 6½′ N., long. 110° 23¾′ E.

1. Buoys.

Buoy.	Position on Chart	Alteration.
Red conical ...	$2\frac{6}{10}$ miles S. 62° E. from Lin Fa Than pyramid.	Withdrawn.
Red conical ...	$1\frac{6}{10}$ miles S. 87° E. from Lin Fa Than pyramid.	Moved 2½ cables N. 31° W. from position on chart.
Red conical ...	$1\frac{8}{10}$ miles N. 5° E. from Lin Fa Than pyramid.	Moved 1¼ cables N. 51° W. from position on chart.
Black Pillar ...	9½ cables S. 25° E. from fort Bayard.	Moved $1\frac{4}{10}$ cables N. 49° E. from position on chart.

2. Beacons.

Beacon.	Position.	Remarks.
Northern pyramid	On Lin Fa Than	Not easily distinguished.
White pyramid	West point, Tatchin island ...	Does not exist.
Leading beacons	Port Beaumont, Tatchin island ...	Do not exist.
Flagstaff ...	Port Beaumont, Pak hai island ...	Does not exist, but the tower on which it stood is conspicuous.

Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3486, River Matsho.
,, 3349, Approach to Kwang chau wang.
Publication.—China Sea Directory vol. II, 1906, pages 544, 545, 546.
Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 755 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Taiwan (Formosa), west coast.

Anpei—Light and position altered.

No. 268 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 824 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st April 1908, a light of the undermentioned character would be established at Anpei.

Position.—On north-west side of tree on hill (87 feet).

On chart No. 1926, lat. 23° 0½′ N., long. 120° 10′ E.

Character.—*White fixed.*
Elevation.—77 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles from N. 8° W., through north and east, to S. 80° E.
Structure.—Brick cylindrical tower, painted white, 17 feet from base to centre of lantern.
Light discontinued.—The former white fixed light 2 cables north-westward from the above would be discontinued on the same date.
Note.—The Astronomical position of this light in the title of chart No. 1926 has been altered to lat. 23° 0′ 5″ N., long. 120° 9′ 20″ E., to agree with the position on the Japanese chart.
Variation.—Nil.
Charts affected.—No. 1926, Anpei anchorage.
,, 2409, West coast of Formosa.
,, 1968, Formosa island and strait.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1903, No. 943.
China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 244.
Authority.—Formosa Notice, No. 52 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, EAST COAST.

Surabaya approach, West Gat entrance—Temporary light buoys placed.

No. 269 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 825 of 1908), are republished : —

Particulars.—Light-buoys have been placed in connection with current observations on either side of the leading line at the entrance to West gat, Surabaya :—

Position.—West gat pilot vessel, lat. 6° 52′ S., long. 112° 43¾′ E.

Caution.—The positions of the above buoys are not given. Mariners are therefore cautioned not to deviate from the leading line.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 934, Surabaya strait.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 122.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 918 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—AUCKLAND APPROACH.

Rangitoto beacon light—Misleading position of, on certain charts.

No. 270 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 827 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On certain copies of Admiralty Chart No. 1896, on which the position of the lights are shown in colours, the colour indicating the position of the *white occulting* light on the western end of Rangitoto island has inadvertently been placed about 6 cables north-eastward of the beacon, whereas the light is shown from the beacon, which is situated in the undermentioned position.

Position.—On the western extremity of the islet off the western point of Rangitoot island.

Lat. 36° 47′ S., long. 174° 49¼′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 1896, Auckland harbour.

Authority.—Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

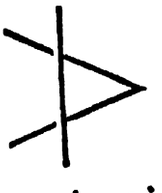
Sandoway anchorage—Buoy withdrawn.

No. 251 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 500, dated 9th November 1907, issued by this office, the Port Officer, Akyab, has given notice (No. 1 of 1908) that the Sandoway anchorage buoy, iron, red, conical, has been withdrawn from the position and will not be relaid in future.

INDIA, WEST—SIND COAST.

Delta of the Indus—Beacons re-erected.

No. 252 (third publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No 57 of 1908) of the re-erection of the following beacons:—

Locality.	Original position.		Present position (approximate).		Height in feet.	Remarks.
	Latitude N.	Longitude E.	Latitude N.	Longitude E.		
At the mouth of the Kober Creek.	23° 58′ 43″	67° 29′ 59″	23° 58′ 50″	67° 27′ 45″	49	
At the mouth of the Mull Creek.	23° 53′ 8″	67° 49′ 57″	23° 53′ 30″	67° 40′ 35″	54	

The beacons consist of single spars with planks fixed at the top, shaped as shown in the column of remarks.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Shantung, Kyau Chau bay approach.

Tai Kung Tau—Light established.

No. 253 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 763 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Towards the end of May 1908, a light (unwatched) of the undermentioned character will be established in the approach to Kyau Chau bay.
Position.—On the summit of Tai kung tau, lat. 35° 57′ 40″ N., long. 120° 29′ 20″ E.
Character.—Red fixed.
Elevation.—421 feet.
Visibility.—4 miles.
Description of Structures.—Iron cylindrical tower, black, 26 feet high.
Charts affected.—No. 857, Kyau Chau bay.
„ 1255, Kyau Chau to Miau tau strait.
„ 3480, Shangtung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 1262, Hongkong to Liautung gulf.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 185.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 526.

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1032 of 1908.

JAPAN SEA—Russian Tartary, America bay.

Cape Povorotni—Fog siren and bell discontinued.

No. 254 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 764 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The fog siren and bell at cape Povorotni lighthouse are reported to have been discontinued; the only fog signal on the cape now is that described below.
Position.—Lat. 42° 40¼′ N.; long. 133° 2¾′ E.
Description of Fog Signal.—A gun fired in answer to vessel's signals.
Charts affected.—No. 3198, Askold island to cape Povorotni.
„ 2511, Strelok Bay to Mosolova point.
„ 2405, Kuril islands.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1157.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 198.

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1036 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—New Guinea, north coast—Admiralty islands.

Nares harbour—Shoal reported in—.

No. 255 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 769 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A shoal of the undermentioned description is reported by the Master of the S.S. *Sumatra* to exist in Nares harbour.
Position.—With south-eastern point of Tracey island S. 29° W., distant half a mile. Western extremity of D'Entrecasteaux island N. 52° W.

Lat. 1° 55¼′ S., long. 146° 36¼′ E.

Description.—A dark coral patch.
Variation.—5° E.
Note.—As no depth is given, this danger has been marked on the charts as

„ ⊕ *Sumatra* P.D."

Chart affected.—No. 769, Plan of Nares harbour.
Publication.—Pacific Islands, vol. I, 1900, page 402.
Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1042 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Rugged islands.

South-west Horn—Fog signal established.

No. 256 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 775 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A fog signal of the character given below has been established on the Rugged islands in the South approach to the Yang tse Kiang.

Position.—South-west Horn lighthouse, lat. 30° 35¾′ N., long. 121° 58′ E.

Character.—Two guns, with an interval of 3 minutes between them, will be fired when vessels by their signals or otherwise are known to be in the vicinity. This signal will be repeated if necessary after an interval of 12 minutes.

Charts affected.—No. 1124, Video to cape Yang tse.
„ 1199, Kue shan islands to Yang tse Kiang.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 806*a*.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 370.

Notice to Mariners No. 121 of 1908. (*This office No. 72 of 22nd February 1908.*)

Authority.—Shanghai Notice, No. 313 of 1908.

KOREA, WEST COAST.

Chemulpho anchorage—Light-buoy established.

No. 257 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 776 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A light-buoy of the description given below has been established in Chemulpho anchorage.

Position.—Moored in a depth of 2¾ fathoms off the south-western end of the shoal (An Kol), extending from the inner harbour of Chemulpho, at a distance of 9$\frac{5}{10}$ cables S. 25° W. from So Wolmi lighthouse.

So Wolmi lighthouse, lat. 37° 27¾′ N., long. 126° 36′ E.

Note.—The buoy has been placed on the chart in the above position and marked "Posn. approx."

Description.—Black conical, surmounted by a lantern exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twelve seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
8 secs.	4 secs.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1270, Approach to Chemulpho anchorage with plan.
„ 1258, Approaches to Seoul.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, Korea, etc., 1904, page 61; and Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Seoul Notice, No. 37 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Java, east coast—Bali strait.

Banjuwangi—Amended position of buoy marking shoal

No. 258 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 777 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The buoy marking the shoal in Banjuwangi road is situated in the undermentioned position, and not in that previously given.

Position of Buoy.—Moored in a depth of 4 fathoms at a distance of 6$\frac{4}{10}$ cables

N. 30° E., from the flashing light.

Lat. 8° 12′ S., long. 114° 23′ E.

Description of Buoy.—Small black conical.
Position of Shoal.—On the northern side of the buoy.
Depth.—12 to 13 feet.
Variation.—1° E.
Chart affected.—No. 932, Plan of Banjuwangi.
Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 144; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 684 of 1908. (*This office No. 250 of 4th June 1908.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 869 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—South island, east coast.

Waiau-ua river—Shoal in approach.

No. 259 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 778 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A shoal of the undermentioned description exists in approach to Waiau-ua river, off the Cheviot coast.

Position.—With Medina river N. 80° W., distant 3 miles.

Extremity of Amuri bluff N. 9° W.

Lat. 42° 43′ 15″ S., long. 173° 30′ 0″ E.

Depth.—4 fathoms.
Description.—Half a mile in extent in a north and south direction, and marked by kelp.
Variation.—15° E.
Charts affected.—No. 2529, Cape Campbell to Banks Peninsula.
„ 3629, Hokitika to Otago harbour.
Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 272; Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 21 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Kangaroo island.

Cape Couëdic—Intended light.

No. 260 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 788 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—During the year 1909, a light of the character given below will be established on the south coast of Kangaroo island as follows:—
Position.—On Cape Couëdie.

Lat. 36° 4′ 10″ S., long. 136° 42′ 20″ E.

Character.—*White group flashing*, showing groups of two flashes *every two minutes.*
Elevation.—340 feet.
Visibility.—26 miles.
Charts affected.—No. 2389*a*, Gulfs of St. Vincent and Spencer.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 259.

Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 303.

Authority.—Marine Board, Port Adelaide, 11th March 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—Dobba island, south.

Mohammerah bar—Existence of good water.

No. 261 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 190, dated the 1st May 1908, issued by this Office, the British Resident in the Persian gulf has given further notice, dated 7th June 1908, that there is now good water in the fairway used by vessels before the shoal formed in the Shat-el-Arab.

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER, BENGAL, FOR THE YEAR 1907.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT—SANITATION.

Darjeeling, the 29th June 1908.

RESOLUTION—No. 561T.—San.

READ—

The Report of the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, for the year 1907.

READ ALSO—

The Triennial Report on Vaccination in Bengal for the years 1905-1906 to 1907-1908.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. C. Clarkson, I.M.S., was in charge of the Department throughout the year 1907, and the present reports are submitted by him.

2. *Climatic conditions.*—The total rainfall of the year was below the normal throughout the Province, except in Orissa, where it was abnormal. It was not, however, so much the shortage in total fall that adversely affected the people as the very unequal distribution, and the cessation of rain at an unusually early date.

3. *Births and Deaths.*—Excluding the district of Angul, to which the system of registration of births and deaths has not yet been extended, the number of births registered in the Province was 1,905,425, as compared with

1,885,725 in the preceding year, or 37·70 per mille of population, against 37·32 per mille returned in 1906. The total number of deaths was 1,906,192, as compared with 1,823,243 in the previous year and an average of 1,749,995 in the five years 1902—1906. The ratio of deaths per mille was 37·72, against 36·08 in the previous year and 34·63, the average of the previous quinquennium. In remarkable contrast with these figures are those returned for the jails of the Province, in which the death-rate per mille decreased from 24 in 1905 to 17·5 in 1907. The jail statistics testify, as the Inspector-General of Prisons has stated, to what can be done by persistent and common sense attention to sanitation. The largest increase in deaths occurred under fever, cholera and plague. The Sanitary Commissioner attributes the rise in mortality to the greater unhealthiness of the year. He remarks that the very high prices of food grains that prevailed affected general health in many districts by compelling the poorer classes to have recourse to unsuitable food which lowered their vitality, so as to render them more susceptible to fever and other prevailing diseases and more liable to succumb to them. On the other hand, the fact that the total number of deaths from fever was considerably less than in 1905, the increase in the total number of births and the figures of infant mortality tend to show that these causes did not operate universally. The experiment of testing the accuracy of the vital statistics was continued throughout the year in certain parts of the Burdwan district, with the usual result, viz., that in a number of cases the entries as to the cause of death were found to be inaccurate.

4. *Cholera.*—The mortality from cholera was the highest recorded since 1901, the total number of deaths reported being 205,702, against 192,596 during the preceding year, and 138,999, the average of the previous quinquennium. The Sanitary Commissioner attributes this rise in mortality in a great measure to the pollution of the water-supply and to the use of unwholesome food by the poorer classes in consequence of the high prices prevailing. The disease was most virulent during the last five months of the year, especially in September. While no part of the Province enjoyed complete immunity, the districts of Champaran, Darjeeling, Sambalpur, Singhbhum and Ranchi were comparatively free from the disease. Orissa suffered most severely, the three districts of Cuttack, Balasore and Puri together reporting more than one-fourth of the total deaths in the whole Province. From the Cuttack district alone, 31,805 deaths were reported, of which three-fourths occurred during the months of August, September and October, when the insanitary conditions that supervened on the heavy floods must have largely conduced to the spread of the disease. The Lieutenant-Governor notices with satisfaction that the treatment of wells with permanganate of potash was successfully adopted in many parts of the Province and that the people are gradually learning to appreciate this method of disinfection.

5. *Plague.*—There was a rise in the mortality from plague, as compared with the previous year, the number of deaths recorded being 83,602, against 59,619 in 1906 and 126,084 in 1905. As usual, the disease was most prevalent from January to May. More than 90 per cent. of the total number of deaths occurred in the Patna Division, the districts worst affected being Saran (30,007 deaths), Patna (21,858 deaths), Shahabad (10,067 deaths) and Gaya (7,645 deaths). Evacuation of houses continued to be the measure chiefly relied on, and most largely resorted to, by the people themselves; but there are indications that the prejudice against inoculation is gradually weakening, though this measure is still regarded with disfavour by the great mass of the people. In Calcutta 3,123 persons, and in the rest of the Province 2,766 persons, were inoculated, as compared with 101 and 1,777, respectively, in the previous year. Chemical disinfection has practically been abandoned. Rat extermination as a preventive measure was carried on in several places with comparative success, the incidence of plague being less severe than in other localities where no such measures were taken. During the year the Lieutenant-Governor convened a special conference to consider the most appropriate lines of action in view of the experience of the last ten years; and, as a result, a special leaflet was drawn up by the

Sanitary Commissioner and distributed, after translation into the several vernaculars, throughout the plague affected portions of the Province. Sir Andrew Fraser was gratified to find that in the Saran district an attempt had been made to enlist the sympathies of the people themselves on the side of remedial measures, by taking advantage of the new Chaukidari Union System and enrolling the Presidents and the members of these Unions as local committees for the purpose. His Honour would like to see similar methods adopted in this respect in other districts, with a view to working through the local leaders of the people themselves, and in mutual confidence.

6. *Fever.*—The total number of deaths from fever was 1,171,540, as compared with 1,132,579 in 1906 and 1,214,487 in 1905. Even allowing for the tendency to report as due to fever deaths from various other diseases the symptoms of which cannot be correctly diagnosed by the local chaukidars, this mortality, which represents upwards of 60 per cent. of the total deaths from all causes, must be regarded as very serious. The districts which suffered most were Birbhum, Purnea, Palamau, Nadia, Monghyr and Murshidabad, which recorded a mortality, respectively, of 38·27, 36·96, 33·19, 32·38, 32·02 and 31·23 per mile. Calcutta and Puri again showed the smallest proportion of deaths from this cause. Looking to the different Divisions, Bhagalpur now heads the list with a ratio of deaths per thousand of 30·49, while Orissa (12·18) as usual stands quite apart with scarcely half the average ratio for the whole Province. The spread during the year of a malignant type of fever like a wave over the Birbhum district calls for special investigation; and the Lieutenant-Governor awaits the result of the enquiry which is to be made by the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Metropolitan and Orissa Circle, during the ensuing fever season. The seriously high mortality that has been reported during successive years from the Purnea district also demands the special attention of the Sanitary Commissioner. Among urban areas, Murshidabad has shown the highest mortality for the last three years in succession. The Sanitary Commissioner should, during his next visit to this town, enquire fully into the complaint made by the Civil Surgeon that no means have been provided for draining the pits and hollows by the side of the new railway embankment. The anti-malarial measures referred to last year continued to be carried on in a systematic manner at Ranaghat and Jagdispur and in certain selected areas of the North Barrackpore Municipality. The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to learn that several Municipalities have, at the Sanitary Commissioner's suggestion, undertaken anti-malarial measures, in many cases with useful results.

7. The report of the Drainage Committee, appointed by Government to investigate the prevalence and causes of malaria and to what extent it is due to obstructed drainage, was received during the year, and the orders of Government passed thereon. Action has already been taken in respect of most of the recommendations made. The Government of India has just sanctioned the deputation of a special I.M.S. officer for the purpose of conducting a systematic and continuous enquiry into the causes of malaria and the extent to which it prevails; while the question of creating a special engineering division for the examination of the drainage conditions of specified areas is still under the consideration of that Government. The Lieutenant-Governor has sanctioned a scheme prepared by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals for the deputation of a large number of selected Civil Hospital Assistants during the fever season to distribute medical aid in specially malarious tracts. A leaflet containing instructions for self-treatment with quinine, and stating where the pice packets can be obtained, has recently been widely distributed in English and in the vernaculars. His Honour desires to invite the attention of the Sanitary Commissioner to the account, given in paragraph 63 of the annual Report on the Jails in this Province for 1907, of the excellent results achieved in the jails by administering doses of quinine during the fever season. Sir Andrew Fraser considers that this and other experience point to the expediency of the Sanitary Department making an earnest effort to popularise as widely as possible the use of quinine as a febrifuge amongst the mass of the people. The question of adopting special measures in this direction will be taken up

separately in consultation with the Sanitary Commissioner and the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals.

8. *Dysentery and Diarrhœa.*—The number of deaths registered under this head was 51,670, against 48,920 in the preceding year. As remarked by the Sanitary Commissioner, the causes which contributed to cholera also helped to swell the death-rate from these diseases. As usual, the Orissa Division showed the heaviest death-rate and the Bhagalpur Division the lightest. Of individual districts, Howrah again heads the list, a position which it has maintained since 1902. No attempt has been made to assign any reason for this coincidence.

9. *Respiratory diseases.*—The total mortality from this cause was 15,039, against 12,825 in 1906. There has been a gradual increase under this head during the past few years, which is most probably due to more careful reporting. The largest number of deaths was, as usual, returned from Calcutta (5,007).

10. *Injury.*—During the year 25,283 deaths were reported under this head, against 26,695 in 1906, and an average of 24,366 in the five years 1902-1906. Of these, 3,170 were due to suicide, 1,571 to wounds, 11,327 to accidents, and 9,215 to snake-bite. In 18 districts 215 cases of snake-bite were treated, 17 with antivenene and 198 with permanganate of potash. With the former mode of treatment 70 per cent. of cases were successful, and with the latter over 88 per cent. ended in recovery. These results must be regarded so far as they go as highly satisfactory; and the Lieutenant-Governor warmly approves of the recommendation made by the Sanitary Commissioner that permanganate lancets should be widely distributed throughout the districts, so that persons bitten by venomous snakes may be able to avail themselves of the treatment without undue delay. The Sanitary Commissioner will be requested to submit separate proposals, with an estimate of cost, towards this end. Though the mass of the uneducated population still have faith in the charms and incantations of *ojhas* and quacks, still if it can be demonstrated to them that the lancet treatment is infinitely more efficacious they will gradually take to it.

11. *Sanitary Improvements.*—Sir Andrew Fraser has read with pleasure the account given in section IX of the report of the action taken by District Boards and Municipalities in the promotion of sanitary measures. The large increase in expenditure of over four lakhs of rupees by municipal bodies under important heads of sanitation is evidence of the growing interest taken in these matters. In view of the large number of septic tank installations that have been set up in the riparian Municipalities, Government has recently decided to appoint a special Inspector, whose duty it will be to inspect these installations periodically, and take samples of the effluent for bacteriological examination.

12. *Sanitary Board.*—During the year the Sanitary Board prepared preliminary estimates for water supply schemes for Burdwan and the Akra Brick Factory, and detailed estimates for a scheme for Puri and for remodelling the Bhagalpur scheme. The detailed scheme for a water-supply for Monghyr was also completed during the year. The details of the Gaya water-supply scheme were under preparation. Besides these, eleven drainage and three water-supply schemes for various Municipalities were considered by the Board. Among the former, the most important were the Hooghly-Chinsura, Howrah, Puri and the Nawi and Sunthi Rivers Drainage projects. The last named, which is estimated to cost nearly 6 lakhs of rupees, has been taken up under the Bengal Sanitary Drainage Act. The tract of country to be benefited by the scheme comprises an area of 70 square miles, and includes the Barasat Municipality. The water-works schemes were for Darjeeling, Howrah and Kurseong.

13. *Vaccination.*—The report on vaccination is for the triennial period 1905-1906 to 1907-1908, and is a record of steady progress, notwithstanding the prevailing high prices and the consequent reluctance on the part of poorer classes to offer their children for vaccination owing to their inability to pay the fees. In Cuttack vaccination has, under the Lieutenant-Governor's orders, been given free during the current year to those unable to pay for it. Several useful reforms were introduced into

the Vaccination Department during the triennial period under review, which have tended to better work and greater efficiency. The pay of the subordinate inspecting staff has been increased; arrangements have been made to give the inspecting and vaccinating staff instruction in the most approved modern methods of vaccination at selected centres; and the system of granting rewards to vaccinators has been generally introduced. Antiseptic vaccination has been employed throughout the province; and the change has been attended with satisfactory results. In order to prevent the deterioration of lymph which was noticed last year, the lymph is now supplied direct to the vaccinators from the Calcutta Depôt. On account of the abnormally high mortality from small-pox in Orissa, special measures have been adopted for pushing vaccination, and a Special Inspector has been appointed for the Division.

14. The Lieutenant-Governor's acknowledgments are due to Colonel Clarkson and his subordinates for their administration of the Department; and His Honour notices the good work done by Captain Munro in connexion with certain special enquiries.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT ON THE REFORMATORY SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR 1907.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EDUCATION.

Darjeeling, the 2nd July 1908.

RESOLUTION—No. 1316T.—G.

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The Annual Report on the Reformatory Schools at Alipur and Hazaribagh for the year 1907.

The number of boys admitted to the Reformatory Schools rose from 95 in 1905 to 146 in the year under review. In accordance with the orders of Government contained in paragraph 4 of Resolution No. 977, dated the 11th July 1901, the Boards of Management examined the lists of admissions with the object of ascertaining whether there were any cases which could have been more suitably dealt with under the provisions of section 562, Criminal Procedure Code, or section 31 of the Reformatory Schools Act (VIII of 1897). As a result of this scrutiny, 7 boys were released from the Alipur School; but in the case of the Hazaribagh School no exception was taken to the decisions of the convicting courts. The judicial returns for the year under review show that 396 youthful offenders were discharged on probation under section 562, Criminal Procedure Code; while 45 were released after admonition or made over to their guardians under section 31 of the Reformatory Schools Act. The corresponding figures for 1906 were 282 and 60 respectively. The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to note that Magistrates are making more use of their powers under section 562, Criminal Procedure Code. The number of boys in the two schools at the close of the year was 416; viz., 207 at Alipur and 209 at Hazaribagh. Of these 260 were Hindus, 139 Muhammadans, 9 Christians, and 8 aborigines.

2. The number of admissions to hospital rose from 61 in 1906 to 118 in 1907 in the case of the Alipur School, and from 58 to 114 in the case of the Hazaribagh School. At Hazaribagh chicken-pox and malarial fever were the principal cause of this increase. These diseases were also prevalent among the general population of the town of Hazaribagh. At Alipur beri-beri broke out in an epidemic form on the 5th September. The total number of cases was 50 with 2 deaths. There is every reason to believe that the disease was not brought about by the condition of the school, but was introduced from outside. The sanitary arrangements of the school were as good as circumstances allowed, and the food and water-supply were both excellent. The unsatisfactory character of the cubicles, however, probably assisted in the propagation of the disease. The evacuation of the cubicles and worksheds and the removal of the boys into camp prevented further spread of the epidemic, which died out on the 8th of November. The proposal to remove the Reformatory to Hazaribagh has since been sanctioned by the Government of India. The amalgamation of the two schools will shortly be carried out, and it can confidently be expected that the health of the boys will improve in the better climate of Hazaribagh. There was no death in the Alipur Reformatory School except the two from beri-beri, and the only death in the Hazaribagh School was due to accidental drowning. There was again a distinct and satisfactory improvement in discipline, the number of punishments falling from 201 to 113. This improvement is especially marked at Hazaribagh, where the figures fell from 149 to 54. There was no remarkable variation in the number of marks obtained by the boys for good conduct and industry, and their average earnings were very much the same as in the previous year. Due attention was paid to physical drill and gymnastics at both the schools. At the Alipur School the band continued to make satisfactory progress, and lessons in fire drill and in first aid to the injured were regularly given during recreation hours.

3. As regards general education the results in both schools were satisfactory. At Hazaribagh 19 boys reached the upper and 25 the lower primary standard. At Alipur the upper primary standard was abolished,

but 38 boys passed the lower primary stage. At this school additional optional instruction in Bengali and Hindi was provided in the case of Indian boys, and in English in the case of European and Eurasian boys and of such Indian boys as had passed the lower primary examination and were working as compositors. The general instruction of the boys was tested by half-yearly and yearly examinations, and the Head Master of the Calcutta School of Art examined the drawing classes, which were attended by 16 boys. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to notice that two boys are now being taught type-writing. The arrangements for the religious teaching of the Hindu, Muhammadan and Christian boys were satisfactory.

4. As usual the boys were instructed as far as possible in their caste trades, agricultural work being taken up at Hazaribagh and industrial work at Alipur. At the latter school arrangements for the examination of the industrial work were further improved; and the classes were divided into elementary, intermediate and advanced. Out of 209 boys in the school, 135 appeared at the industrial examination and 101 passed. This result is exceedingly satisfactory. At the Hazaribagh School good progress was made in farming and market-gardening, the average number of boys under training rising from 79 in 1906 to 104 in 1907.

5. During the three preceding years 166 boys were discharged from the Alipur School and 157 from the Hazaribagh School. Out of 144 who had learnt trades at the school enquiries show that only 36 are following such trades, while 47 are following other callings. Of the 157 Hazaribagh boys, 103 had been taught agriculture, but it has been found that only 52 out of this number are following that pursuit. These figures cannot be considered satisfactory. It is hoped that the scheme for the improvement of the agricultural classess at Hazaribagh which is now under the consideration of Government will lead to better results in this respect. Of the 323 boys released from the two schools, 223 were found to be leading honest lives, the figures for Hazaribagh being slightly better than those for the Alipur School. It must be remembered however that at Alipur a more difficult class of boys has to be dealt with. It is gratifying to notice that good progress has been made in the efforts to trace discharged boys, only 49 out of the total of 323 remaining untraced.

6. During the year under review, the number of boys under license from the Alipur School was 56 as against 49 in the preceding year. Of these only 3 ran away from their employers and only 2 were sent back to school for misconduct and laziness. At the end of 1907, only two boys were out on license from the Hazaribagh School as against 23 in the preceding year. The Director of Public Instruction will be asked to explain why more use was not made of the license system at this school.

7. The question of providing better means for securing the welfare of boys discharged from the reformatory schools has recently been under the Lieutenant-Governor's consideration. It is hoped that a system will shortly be introduced under which regular allowances will be paid for a term of 3 years to well-behaved boys after their release. The payment of these allowances will make it easy to keep in touch with the boys, and will, it is hoped, reduce the number of failures. It is also proposed to appoint a special staff to visit released boys from time to time, to watch their careers, and to help them to find honest employment.

8 It is probable that the failure of the boys to follow the trades in which they have received instruction in the schools is due to some extent to defects in the method of surveillance. The appointment of a special supervising staff with knowledge of and sympathy for the boys should be productive of great good, if their work is assisted by the practical interest and support of local zamindars and capitalists.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

H. C. STREATFEILD,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 6th July 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	1·10	7	7	Rainfall at Katwa 0·37, Kalna 1·52, and Raniganj 0·17 inches. Rain immediately wanted for seedlings. Weather slightly cloudy. Weeding of jute and early rice going on. Condition of jute and sugarcane fair. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·17	7	6¾	Rainfall at Rampurhât 0·38 inch. Weather seasonable. Ploughing of fields continuing. More rain wanted for sowing of paddy. Prospects of sugarcane not good. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	0·93	6½	7	Rainfall at Vishnupur 1·07 inches. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice going on. Sugarcane doing well. Recipients of gratuitous relief—362 men, 953 women and 339 children—total 1,654. People attending four test-works on the 3rd—45 men, 54 women and 1 child—total 100. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 5 to 6½ seers a rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE .	3·58	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 1·05, Tamluk 0·71 and Ghatal 1·68 inches. Sowings of broadcasted paddy finished. Transplanting begun. Jute in Ghatal only 25 per cent. of the normal area sown. *Bhadoi* crops almost completely sown. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Contai and Ghatal and at 6 seers at Tamluk.
5	HOOGHLY ...	3·30	7	6	Rainfall in the district general. Weather cloudy. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Condition of jute, sugarcane and vegetables fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	3·62	6½	7	Sky cloudy. Weather still unsettled. Considerable damage to crops by recent rain. Paddy being resown in lands from where the water has been drained off. Condition of agricultural stock good.
7	24-PARGANAS	4·41	7¾	7¾	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 6¾ seers at Basirhat, 7⅜ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 7 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	2·19	6⅜	6⅜	Rainfall at Ranaghat 0·48, Chuadanga 0·12, Meherpur 0·49 and Kushtia 0·59 inches. Prospects of standing crops good. Weeding of paddy and jute continuing. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity apprehended. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder barely sufficient. Persons attending test-work on 29th—2,158 men and 16 women—total 2,174. Casual relief being distributed.

›.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
)	MURSHIDABAD	0 41	7	7	Rainfall at Lalbagh 0·08, Kandi 0·23, and Jangipur 0·16 inch. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of standing crops improved by recent rain. *Aus* paddy and jute doing well. Lands being prepared and cultivated for *aman* paddy. Transplantation commenced in places. Stocks of food-grains not likely to last till next harvest. Prices of food-grains continuing high. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. No coolies employed in District Board works.
)	JESSORE ...	2·65	7⅛	7⅛	Rainfall at Jhenidah 0·20, Magura 0·90, Narail 1·45 and Bangaon 0·56 inches. Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Sowing of *aus* and *aman* paddy and of jute completed. Stocks of food-grains getting exhausted. High prices continuing. Burma rice being imported. Prices of food-grains stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. 623 persons employed on District Board test-works and 1,711 persons given gratuitous relief.
	KHULNA ...	0·90	8½	8½	Rainfall general. Weather cloudy and rainy. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine or scarcity at present. Prospects of crops not unfavourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
	PATNA ...	1·12	7½	7½	Weather hot and cloudy. *Bhadoi* sowings being retarded for want of rain. More rain urgently wanted for sowing of paddy. Sugarcane doing well. Prices stationary. Food-stocks likely to be sufficient if not largly exported. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. *Makai* not available.
	GAYA ...	2·25	8* 8½†	8½* 8½†	Weather hot, at the begining of the week and cloudy with showers later. Sugarcane doing well. Transplantation of *marua* and sowing of other *bhadoi* crops and winter paddy retarded in places for want of rain. Rain on the 5th proving beneficial for *bhadoi* and paddy sowings. Prices almost stationary with a slight rise at the Sadar subdivision. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock good.
	SHAHABAD ...	0·61	8 10†	8	Rainfall at Bhabhua 0·21 inch. Sugarcane doing well. Rain urgently wanted for *bhadoi* and paddy seedlings. Prices of food-grains stationary. Stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	SARAN ...	1·54	8 10½*	8 10½*	Rainfall at Siwan 0·60 inch. Weather hot. Sowings of maize, *marua*, *kodo*, *arhar* and paddy going on. Rain at the end of the week helpful for agricultural operations, but more rain wanted. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Food stock resources external. No apprehension of scarcity. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0·20	8 11*	...	Rainfall at Bettiah 0·58 inch. Rainfall, though not general, beneficial to standing crops Sowing of *bhadoi* crops and of paddy going on. Sowing of jute nearly finished. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·30	8½ 10½*	8½ 10½*	Rainfall at Hajipur 0·01 and at Sitamarhi 0·10 inch. Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Sowing of paddy, *rahar*, maize and other *bhadoi* crops going on in some places. More rain urgently wanted. Stocks of staple food-grains sufficient as yet. Scarcity not apprehended. Agricultural stock in fair condition. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice and maize selling at 7½ and 9¾ seers per rupee, respectively, at Hajipur, and at 8 and 11 seers per rupee respectively at Sitamarhi.
18	DARBHANGA ...	1·10	8¼ 11½*	8¼ 12*	Weather hot. Rain badly needed everywhere. Some rain on the 5th, but more is wanted Sowings of *bhadoi* crops and winter paddy retarded to some extent for want of rain. No apprehension of scarcity. Stocks sufficient. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water available.
19	MONGHYR ...	0·61	7½ 9½*	7½	Weather unseasonable. Sowings of *bhadoi* crops in progress. Rain badly needed. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease in mild form reported from Tegra thana.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	1·63	8 3/16 12 2/8*	8 3/16 12 2/8*	Weather hot and cloudy. Crops much benefited by the recent rain. More rain wanted Sowing of *bhadoi* crops and of paddy retarded for want of rain. Cattle-disease reported from four villages in the Supaul subdivision and from one village in the Banka subdivision. Prospects favourable.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
21	PURNEA ...	Inches. 0·29	8	8	Weather hot and sometimes cloudy. More rain very badly wanted. Standing crops withering in places for want of sufficient moisture. Transplantation of paddy at a stand still. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 8½ seers per rupee at Kishanganj and Araria.
22	DARJEELING ...	2·88	7 10*	7 10*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize growing well and being harvested. Potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy being sown. Winter rice and *bara marua* being transplanted. Terai—Ploughing of lands for winter rice and sowing of paddy for seedlings going on. Condition of standing crops fair. Agricultural stock in good condition.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	Nil	6¼ 9*	7½ 8*	Rainfall at Deoghur 0·17, Golda 0·13, Jamtara 0·77, and Pakour 1·08 inches. More rain wanted. Ploughing and sowing going on. Cultivation of jute continues. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	4·26	7½	7⅛	Rainfall at Jajpur 2·99, Kendrapara 1·09 and Banki 1·40 inches. Weather seasonable. *Bali* paddy, *mandia*, jute, *saradh* paddy and *arhar* in normal growth in some places and in other places being sown. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of cattle good. 800 men, 2,068 women and 4,751 children—total 7,619—receiving gratuitous relief. 424 men, 707 women and 1,097 children—total 2,228—on test-works. Kendrapara crop report not received.
25	BALASORE ...	1·49	7½	7½	Rainfall at Bhadrak 1·84 inches. Weather cloudy. Ploughing and sowing of paddy continuing. Puddling and transplanting commenced. Sugarcane and jute thriving. Weeding of jute commenced. Other crops doing well. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some parts of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal and Bastu thanas. Fodder and water available. 288 men, 1,693 women and 2,709 children—total 4,690—at Bhadrak, and 86 men, 323 women and 354 children—total 763—at Sadar receiving gratuitous relief. 361 men, 275 women and 406 children—total 1,042—attending test-works at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	2·54	6	5½	Rainfall at Phulbani 1·37 inches. Sowing operations in progress. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common and cheapest rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee in Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief in Angul—64 men, 146 women and 256 children—total 466—and 104 men, 137 women and 74 children—total 315—in Khondmals. Persons attending test-works—105 men, 96 women and 26 children—total 227—in Angul. 312 men, 181 women and 116 children—total 609—in Khondmals.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	4·20	7	7⅛	Ploughing and sowing continuing. Sugarcane thriving. Cotton being gathered. Persons attending test-works—men 601, women 249 and children 978—total 1,828. Receipients of gratuitous relief—men 439, women 1,353 and children 1,242—total 3,034. Men 96, women 1 and children 9—total 106—attending piece-works.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	6·36	8½	8½	Winter and autumn paddy being sown. Sowings of maize and *bhadoi til* completed. Condition of standing crops and of sugarcane good. Stocks of food-grains and fodder and water supply sufficient. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. No cattle-disease.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	3·49	7½* 8†	...	Weather seasonable. Sowings in progress. Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 771, women 2,028 and children 1,147—total 3,946. Persons relieved on District Board works—men 110, women 94 and children 150—total 354. Persons doing piece-works—124.
30	RANCHI ...	3·21	8*	8*	Weather seasonable. Sowings continuing. Prospects of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 4½ seers per rupee at Gumla. Persons attending test-works—men 2,649, women 4,000 and children 2,464—total 9,113. Report of gratuitous relief received from nine circles showing—men 144, women 332 and children 75—total 551.
31	PALAMAU ...	0·99	7⅝	7⅝	Weather seasonable. Agricultural operations commenced everywhere. More rain wanted throughout the district. Sugarcane doing well. Local grain-stocks insufficient. Agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water generally available. Some cattle-disease. Gratuitous relief being given on a reduced scale.
32	MANBHUM ...	1·56	7½	7½	Rainfall at Gobindpur 0·86 inch. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Sowing of autumn rice continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Gobindpur. Stocks of food-grains adequate at present. No sign of scarcity. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	...	...	6	Report not received.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
34	Cooch Behar	1·58	8-8/-	8 8/-	Weather cloudy. Weeding of jute finished. Transplantation of *haimantik* paddy continuing. Prospects and condition of standing crops fair. No apprehension of famine or scarcity.
35	Feudatory States, Orissa.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

	Inches.
Athmallik ...	5·67
Nilgiri ...	3·39
Daspalla ...	6·68
Mourbhanj ...	1·71
Talcher ...	6·22
Keonjhar ...	3·06
Baramba ...	14·80
Hindol ...	12·11
Narsingpur ...	9·32
Dhenkanal ...	12·11
Ranpur ...	4·67
Bonai ...	8·84
Nayagarh ...	6·30
Pal Lahera ...	7·00
Boad ...	5·86
Athgarh ...	13·00
Kalahandi ...	6·03
Rairakhol ...	12·41
Patna ...	7·30
Sonpur ...	8·13
Gangpur ...	4·43

Sowing of paddy in progress in all States. Preparation of lands for cotton in progress in Talcher. Condition of sugarcane good in the States of Athmallik, Keonjhar, Hindol, Daspalla, Narsingpur, Patna, Kalahandi, Rairakhol, Ranpur, Boad, Dhenkanal, Nayagarh and Talcher. Agricultural stock, fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 6 seers in Athmallik, Athgarh and Rairakhol, to 9 seers in Sonpur, Kalahandi and Talcher and 11 seers in Patna.

* The report is for the week ending the 27th June 1908.

General Summary.—During the week under report, heavy showers fell in Sambalpur, the 24-Parganas, Cuttack and Puri, as well as in Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, Hazaribagh and Ranchi. The fall was moderate in Nadia, Jessore, Gaya, Darjeeling and Angul, and in the rest of the Province, it was light. Sugarcane is doing well. Weeding of jute still continues Sowings of *bhadoi* crops and of *aghani* paddy are still going on, but they are being retarded for want of rain in many parts of Bihar. More rain, it is reported, is still wanted for paddy sowings in Burdwan, Birbhum and Palamau. In Purnea, the standing crops are withering for want of moisture Damage has been done to crops by the late rainfall in Howrah. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. The price of common rice has risen in Bankura, Howrah, Patna, Gaya, the Santhal Parganas and Puri, and has fallen in Birbhum, Hooghly and Angul. Elsewhere, in the Province, it is stationary. No anxiety is felt for the supply of fodder and water. Cattle-disease prevails in Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Ranchi, Palamau and Manbhum. The test-works in Bankura, Nadia, Jessore, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 18,528 persons. The total number of persons gratuitously relieved was 24,749 which included 16,887 souls from Orissa.

Department of Agriculture, Bengal,
Calcutta, the 7th July 1908.

N. N. BANERJEI,
for *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.*

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quart e

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Common Rice.						Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoi* eum).		
									Average.			Cheapest.								
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. C
Burdwan Division	1	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	7 0	...	7 0	7 8	6 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Birbhum ...	7 8	7 8	9 0	...	...	..	6 12	6 12	...	6 12	6 12	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bankura ...	8 0	8 0	11 0	...	...	..	6 8	7 4	...	7 0	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore ...	8 0	8 0	10 0	...	.	...	6 6	6 12	...	7 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	..	..	..
	5	Hooghly ...	...	...	8 8	...	.	...	6 0	6 4	..	6 8	6 8	7 4	...		...	...	..	...
		Howrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 6	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	...		...	...	...	...
Presidency Division.	7	24-Parganas ...	7 8	7 8	10 0	.		...	6 12	6 12	..	7 4	7 0	7 8	...		..			...
	8	Calcutta ...	7 12	7 8	9 12	11 0	11 0	13 0	6 4	6 6	...	7 12	8 0	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	9	Nadia ...	8 0	8 4	12 5	10 0	10 12	15 4	6 2	6 0	...	6 7	6 8	6 12	...	..	...	...		
	10	Murshidabad	8 6	8 0	10 0	12 8	13 0	14 0	6 0	6 0	...	7 0	7 0	6 8	...	..	...	.	...	.
	11	Jessore ...	6 8	6 14	8 0	7 8	7 4	8 0	6 15	6 10	...	7 0	6 15	7 2	...	...	...	.	.	
	12	Khulna ...	...	...		...	...	...	6 8	7 0	...	8 8	6 8	8 0	...	...	.	...		
		BIHAR.																		
Patna Division.	13	Patna ...	8 12	8 12	11 8	12 8	12 8	14 0	7 4	7 4	...	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	...	...	...
	14	Gaya ...	7 12	7 12	10 4	10 8	10 0	12 5	6 12	6 12	...	7 0	7 4	8 3	8 0	9 0	13 5	..	..	...
	15	Shahabad ...	8 8	8 8	11 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	7 3	7 3	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...		...	..	...
	16	Saran ...	8 8	9 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	7 0	7 0	...	8 0	8 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Champaran ...	9 0	9 0	9 0	13 8	13 12	13 8	7 8	7 8	...	8 0	8 0	7 12	...	..	..	...	...	...
	18	Muzaffarpur ...	8 8	8 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	6 0	7 0	...	8 8	8 8	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	19	Darbhanga ...	8 12	8 12	11 6	13 3	13 3	13 3	6 9	6 9	...	8 4	8 4	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 16½ seers (karkatch); Asansol 20 seers; Kalna 22½ seers (karkatch); Ranigunj 21 seers.
B. At Palanpurhat the retail price of salt per rupee is 20 seers.
C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt (panga) is 21 seers per rupee.
D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 20 seers; Tamluk 20 seers; Ghatal 21½ seers.
E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Arambagh 18 seers.
F. At Uluberia the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).
G. In the mart in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 21 seers (karkatch); Barasat 16 seers; Bacuria 21½ seers; Nograhat not received; Barrackpore 16 seers (karkatch).
H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 16 seers (panga); Chuadanga 16 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers; Ranaghat 18 seers (crushed).

tion Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 30th June 1908.

S OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.

RUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).		GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).		INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).		ARHAR (*dál*) OR THUR, CAJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).		SALT.		SALT.			
Next preceding return.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
										A					
		9 4	9 4	12 0				6 8	7 8	8 4	19 0	19 0	18 12	1 12 0	1 12 9	2 4 0	
											Panga.						
		8 4	9 0	11 4				6 0	6 0	6 12	16 0	16 0	15 12	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	
											Karkatch.						
		8 0	8 8	11 8				7 0	7 8	8 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3
											Panga.						
		7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	10 0 to 12 0				6 8	6 8	7 0	D Bombay 18 8	18 8	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	4
											Crushed 20 0	20 0	20 0	2 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	
											Bombay Crushed						
...		8 0	8 0	8 8				6 4	6 8	7 6	E 18 0	16 0	17 0	2 3 0	2 4 0	2 3 0	5
											Panga.						
...		8 0	8 0	12 0				6 8	7 0	8 0	F 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	6
											Panga.						
		9 0	9 0	12 4				8 0	8 0	7 8	G 24 0	24 0	21 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 12 0	7
											Panga.						
7 0	8 8	8 8	12 4	0 0	...			7 0	7 0	7 0	18 0	18 0	0	1 15 0	1 15 0	1 13 0	
											Karkatch.						
		8 0	9 2	11 8	...	...		6 7	6 8	7 0	16 0	16 0	17 8	1 13 0	1 13 0	2 0 0	9
											I						
		10 0	10 0	13 0	...	...		6 12	7 8	7 0	18 0	18 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	10
											Panga.						
		9 0	8 14	11 4				10 0	10 0	11 4	J 20 0	20 0	20 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	11
											Karkatel.						
		9 0	9 0	10 0	...	...		6 8	7 0	8 0	K 16 0	16 0	13 0	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	12
											Panga.						
Not sold.	6 0	10 8	11 0	14 0	Not sold.	11 0	12 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	L 19 0	19 0	17 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 4 0	13
											Panga.						
0	8 0	10 4	9 8	9 8	12 5	8 8	9 0	12 5	6 8	6 12	7 11	M 19 8	19 0	8 7	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 4 0	14
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...	...	10 0	10 8	14 0	...	...		8 8	8 8	8 0	20 0	20 0	9 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 9	15
											Panga.						
Not available	8 0	10 4	10 8	13 0	10 4	10 8	12 0	9 4	9 12	8 8	O 20 0	19 0	18 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	2 2 0	16
											P						
1 8		11 0	14 4	12 8	11 0	11 8	11 8	8 0	8 8	7 8	17 0	17 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	17
											Panga.						
		10 0	10 0	11 0	10 4	10 0	12 0	8 8	9 0	7 8	Q 19 0	19	16 4	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 6 9	18
2 2	13 3		11 0	11 0	12 9	12 1	12 0	12 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	19 12	19 12	15 0	2 0 3	2 0 3	2 10 0	

1. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 18 seers; Lalbagh 16 seers; and Kandi 20 seers.
J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 17½ seers; Magura 16 seers; Bangaon 18 seers; and Narail 14 $\frac{3}{16}$ seers (panga).
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 20 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinajpore 16 seers; and Bihar 18 seers (panga).
M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad report not received; Jehanabad 20 seers; and Nawadah 19 seers.
N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhabhua 19 seers; and Sasaram 20 seers.
O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20 $\frac{1}{16}$ seers (panga); Gopalganj 19 seers (panga).
P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 18 seers per rupee.
Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 18 seers; Hajipur 16 seers.
R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur report not received; Madhubani 16½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarter

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Common Rice. Average.			Common Rice. Cheapest.			Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*)			Bajra or Cumb (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. C
		BIHAR—*concluded.*																		
Bhagalpur Division.	20	Monghyr ...	9 4	9 8	10 4	12 8	13 0	18 0	7 2	7 4	...	7 4	7 8	7 8						
	21	Bhagalpur	8 14	8 14	10 11	12 10	12 10	13 14	7 9	7 9	...	8 3	8 3	7 9						
	22	Purnea ...	9 8	9 8	10 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	8 8	8 8	7 0						
	23	Darjeeling...	6 0	6 0	5 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	6 0	{6 0 to 7 0}	...	7 0	7 0	6 12						
	24	Santhal Parganas.	7 0	6 8	8 8	8 0	9 0	11 0	5 4	6 8	...	6 4	7 4	7 9						
		ORISSA.																		
Orissa Division.	25	Cuttack ..	7 14	7 14	11 13	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	7 14	7 14	9 3						
	26	Balasore ...	7 0	6 10	11 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 0	...	7 12	7 8	8 4						
	27	Angul ...	5 0	5 0	6 0	...	...	...	5 8	6 0	...	5 8	6 0	10 0						
	28	Puri ...	7 3	7 14	11 2	...	...	...	7 3	6 9	...	7 8	6 14	9 3						
	29	Sambalpur...	8 0	8 0	11 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	...	8 8	9 0	9 0						
		CHOTA NAGPUR																		
Chota Nagpur Division.	30	Hazaribagh	7 4	7 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	11 8	6 8	6 8	...	7 8	7 8	7 12						
	31	Ranchi ...	{6 6 to 8 0}	{7 0 to 8 0}	{8 0 to 9 0}	8 0	8 0	16 0	6 4	6 4	...	8 0	8 0	8 0						
	32	Palamau ...	7 14	7 5	11 13	10 2	11 4	13 8	7 5	7 5	...	8 7	8 3	7 14						
	33	Manbhum ..	7 0	7 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	7 0	7 0	...	7 8	7 8	8 0						
	34	Singhbhum	7 8	7 4	11 0	...	...	...	5 8	6 0	...	7 0	7 0	8 0						

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 20 seers ; Jamui 20 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 16½ seers ; Madhipura 13 seers ; Sapaul 20 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers ; Basantpur 16 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 13 seers ; Siliguri 16 seers
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara 18 seers ; Godda 16 seers ; Deoghar 20 seers ; Pakour 18 seers and Rajmahal 20 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 6th July 1908.

tation Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 30th June 1908 —concld.

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAHS.

MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).			KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*adi*) OR THUR, CAJJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS. SALT.			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Cl	S. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
			...	...	...	10 0	10 8	13 0	9 4	Not sold.	11 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	S 19 0	18 12	18 12	2 0	Panga, 2 4 0	2 4	20
			..	...		9 8	9 8	12 0	12 10	11 6	12 0	7 10	8 3	8 4	T 18 12	18 12	17 10				21
			...	...	...	8 12	8 8	11 6	Not in stock.	Not in stock.	10 0	6 12	6 8	7 0	U 3 0	12 0	14 0	1 3	Panga, 3 1 3	2 8	22
4	11 4	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	V 13 0	13 0	13 0	0 0	3 0 0	3 0	23
						9 0	9 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	6 0	6 0	12 0	W 16 0	16 0	14 0	8 0	Karkatch 8 0	2 12	24
						Biri or kalai. 9 3	9 3	12 8	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	12 8	A 22 0	22 0	22 0	13 0	Karkatch, 1 13 0	1 8	
						Chhola. 8 0	9 0	11 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	7 0	Y 20 0	20 0	18 0	13 0	Panga, 1 14 0	2 2	
						Biri. 9 0	9 0	10 0													
						Biri. 6 8	8 0	11 4 0	...	...	...	6 8	8 0	14 0	Z 16 0	16 0	10 8	2 6 0	Karkatch. 2 6 0	3 0	27
						Biri. 9 8	9 13	11 13	...	...	...	6 9	6 3	7 3	a 26 0	24 8	24 0	8 0	1 10 0	1 10	28
						8 0	8 0	11 8	...	..	...	6 0	6 0	7 0	b 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 4	29
9 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	10 0	8 0	8 4	10 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	2 8 0	Panga, 2 8 0	2 12	30
10 0	15 8	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 0	9 0	10 0	8 0	9 0 to 10 0	4 12 to 7 4	5 0 to 6 8	6 4 to 8 0	c 17 0	18 0	10 0	2 4 0	Panga, 3 0	3 8	31
							9 7	12 6	9 0	9 0	11 4	7 5	7 5	8 7	12 6	16 9	15 12				32
			...			8 8	8 8	11 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	d 16 0	16 0	18 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 2	33
			...			8 0	8 4	11 4			...	6 8	6 4	11 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 8 0	8	34

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga); Jajpur 16 seers (panga).
Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 20 seers (panga).
Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 16 seers (karkatch); Phulbani 12 seers
a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 25 seers.
b. Bargarh return not received.
c. Dumka return not received.
d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gobindapur 13 seers; Jhalida 16 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., i

PRICE PER MAUND O

Number	MARTS.	RICE (BEST SORT).			COMMON RICE.						WHEAT (*Triticum sativum*).		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	Calcutta ..	7 2 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	...	4 11 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	3 14 0
2	Burdwan ...	6 10 6	6 5 0	6 19 6	6 4 0	5 4 0	...	6 0 0	5 10 0	5 9 6	...	...	...
	Midnapore .	6 8 0 to 6 10 0	6 10 0	6 2 0	6 1 0	5 12 0	...	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	...	...	...
4	Patna ..	9 0 0	9 0 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	...	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 6 0
5	Muzaffarpur ..	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 3	...	...	..	4 10 6	4 11 6	5 11 6	4 11 6	4 10 6	3 10 0
6	Bhagalpur .	6 5 0	6 5 0	6 6 0	...	...	.	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 1 6	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 11 3
7	Cuttack ..	7 3 0	7 3 0	6 1 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	...	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	3 6 0
8	Sambalpur ..	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	...	4 7 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	3 4 0
9	Ranchi ..	8 0 0	8 0 0	6 2 0	6 1 0	6 5 0	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 11 0	5 0 0 to 6 4	5 3 6	4 12 6 / 5 9 0

No.	MARTS.	INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR DAL OR TUR—CAJJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			LINSEED.			MUSTARD AND RAPESEED.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	4 0 0	4 4 0	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	7 0 0	6 12 0	5 12 0
2	Burdwan ...	—	...	—	6 0 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0
3	Midnapore ...	-	...		5 12 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 4 0	4 14 0	7 2 0 Black mustard. 6 14 0 Rapeseed.	7 2 0 Rapeseed. 6 14 0	6 8 0 / 6 0 0
4	Patna ...	Not sold	3 10 0	3 2 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 6 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	3 14 6	4 0 0	3	4 10 6	4 7 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	3 2 6	3 8 6		5 4 0	4 14 0	4 13 6	5 10 6	5 13 0	5 5 0	6 5 0 Mustard. 6 7 0 Rapeseed.	6 1 0 Mustard. 6 3 6 Rapeseed.	5 8 9 / 5 15 3
7	Cuttack ...	...	...		3 12 8	3 12 8	3 3 0				6 13 0	6 13 0	6 1 6
8	Sambalpur ...	...	...		6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	7 4 0	7 4 0	5 12 0
9	Ranchi ..	...	...		5 8 0 to 8 8 0	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 6 0	8 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	8 0 0 to 8 8 0	8 8 0	6 0 0 to 6 10 0

undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 30th June 1908.

PY STANDARD SEERS.

ELEY (*Hordeum vulgare*).			JUAR OR CHOLUM (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			Number
st preceding turn.	orresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
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											4 8 0	4 8 0	3 2 0	2
											0 4 12 0 to 0 5 0 0	3 2 0 to 3 8 0		3
0 3 2 0	2 12 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	2 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	4
0 3 1 3	2 13 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 5 0	5
0 3 2 6	2 13 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 6	4 3 0	3 5 0	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rs. or K'Pai. 1 5 7	4 5 7	3 3 0	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 4 0	8
0 5 0 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	9

IL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (UNGINNED).			JUTE.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
7 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 12 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	18 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	8 0 0		1
—	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	...							2
...	...	5 0 0 to 5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	...	...	...		3
7 0 0	6 8 0	4 12 0 to 5 12 0	5 8 0	3 6 0	18 0 0	16 0 0 to 19 0 0	18 0 0	5 8 0	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	7 0 0		4
...	...	3 12 0	3 5 3	3 10 0	...	...						5
		4 13 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...		6
0 6 8 0	6 0 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	3 8 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	...	...	...		7
0 6 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	8 0 0		8
	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	22 0 0	...	...	...		9

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.

PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

Numb	Marts.	Ghi (clarified butter).						Tobacco Leaf.						Hides (cow).						Grass.					
		...ding to current ...			...ding to ... year.			...ding to current ...			...ding to ... year.			...ding to current ...			...ding to ... year.			...ding to current ...			...ding to ... year.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1	Calcutta ...	43 0 0			43 0 0			8 0 0			8 0 0			99 0 0			400 Per 100 pieces			475 0 0			1 8 0			1 6 0
2	Burdwan ...	39 0 0			40 0 0			17 0 0																	
	Midnapore ...	7 0 0 to 39 0 0			7 0 0 to 39 0 0			16 0 0			9 12 0			Malkokhoti 9 12 0			9 0 0			Uncleaned per piece. 2 8 0 to 3 4 0			2 4 0 to 3 0 0			2 8 0 to 3 8 0
											Pulu... 11 12 0			11 12 0			9 4 0			Cleaned per piece 2 12 0 to 3 8 0			2 8 0 to 3 4 0			2 12 0 to 3 12 0
	Patna ...	57 8 0 to 90 0 0			56 0 0 to 85 0 0			40 0 0			2 0 0 to 4 0 0			1 12 0 to 4 0 0			2 0 0			30 0 0 to 33 0 0			...			0 8 0			0 10 0			0 4 0
	Muzaffarpur ...	35 9 0			35 9 0			12 10 0			16 0 0			26 0 0			36 0 0			...			...			...			...		
6	Bhagalpur ...	44 0 0			42 0 0			45 1 0			11 0 0			10 0 0			7 0 0			...			...								
	Cuttack ...	47 9 0			47 9 0			41 11 6			6 4 0			6 4 0			6 1 6			30 0 0			30 0 0			39 0 0			0 8 0			0 8 0			0 7 0
	Sambalpur ...	39 0 0			39 0 0			12 8 0			16 0 0			16 0 0			20 0 0			31 0 0			40 0 0 Per pieces.			40 0 0 Per lb.			...			...			...
	Ranchi ...	40 0 0			42 8 0			30 0 0 to 53 0 0			10 0 0 to 16 0 0			16 0 0 to 16 0 0			20 0 0 to 20 0 0			2 0 0 to 2 8 0			3 0 0			0 8 0 to 0 10 0			0 8 0			0 12 0			0 5 0

CALCUTTA,
The 6th July 1908.

undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 30th June 1908—concld.

PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

Straw.				Juar stalks.			Iron.			Firewood.			Salt.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Num
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
0 0	1 0 0	1 4 0					6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	1 13 0	1
													Panga.			
8 0	0 8 0	0 10 0								0 9 0	0 9 0	0 6 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 11 0	
													Panga.			
0	0 5 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 12 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 4 0	
													Bombay Panga.			
													Crushed.			
													1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	
Sold	0 10 0	0 8 0		...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0		4 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 4 0	
													Panga.			
						8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 3	2 1 6	2 1 6	2 6 9		
													Panga.			
						5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	0 6 6	0 6 6	0 5 0	1 14 9	1 15 3	2 0 6		
													Karkatch.			
9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0				4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 8 0	7	
									0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 4 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 4 0	8	
													Panga.			
4 0	1 6 0	1 2 0				6 0 0	6 0 0	7 4 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 6 6	2 4 0	2 5 0	3 8 0	9	

N. N. BANERJEI,

for *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.*

Nc

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block

Whence imported	Food-grains								Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Nos.	Mds	Mds
Bardwan	5,929	783	6,400	.....	.....	972	.....	7,372	871	18,235	70	673
Birbhum	14,925	1,692	16,107	42	.....	1,784	.....	17,933	.....	1,855	1,086	.....
Bankura	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	.....	.....
Midnapore	112,994	497	113,215	16	80	.....	.....	114,512	1,339	17,985	2,189	.....
Hooghly	56,975	2,511	57,563	.....	2	3,333	151	61,080	52,330	2,017,548	1,342	210
24-Parganas	205,914	15,827	215,681	.....	14	838	.....	216,533	165,648	6,203,831	.....	12
Nadia	372	514	693	8,601	252	118,585	68,991	186,925	56,413	7,112	11,381	393
Murshidabad	7,118	.....	7,118	453	...	17,530	2,105	26,372	15,119	1,225	1,065	734
Jessore ...	35	.....	35	.....	...	6,879	.....	6,915	25,065	1,260	661	129
Khulna	2,275	2,297	3,711	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,711	21,178	245	383	507
Total Bengal ...	405,418	24,121	420,624	9,112	37	152,040	61,247	643,305	348,600	8,269,345	18,146	2,708
BIHAR												
Patna	34	.....	34	.....	.....	3,078	2,475	32,687	.....	540	38,679	25,107
Gaya	24	.....	24	8	.....	1,837	.....	4,013	.....	1,155	18,800	1,950
Shahabad	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,055	.....	5,055	.....	700	9,924	1,125
Saran	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	324	148	464	.....	315	6	6,149
Champaran	7	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	544	551	.....	560	19,870	20,903
Muzaffarpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	268	1,841	2,159	.....	665	54,150	15,346
Darbhanga	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	663	663	.....	700	52,438	14,474
Monghyr	9	.....	9	429	.....	17,570	9,170	27,354	.....	70	21,045	41,420
Bhagalpur	85	.....	85	1,532	.....	1,228	7,014	13,759	11,721	490	3,788	60,351
Purnea	.....	51	52	148	.....	516	2,568	3,201	70,071	210	175	58,497
Santhal Parganas ...	208	.....	208	17,511	.....	1,283	1,357	27,157	7,460	105	3,052	25,063
Darjeeling	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	6,216	34,615	140	.....
Cooch Behar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	32,693	.....	.....	7,024
Total Bihar ...	452	51	461	19,261	...	35,959	26,140	121,171	137,871	40,425	270,105	276,550
ORISSA												
Cuttack	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,200	221	1,521	1,637	2,580		
Balasore	523	.....	523	.....	.....	.....	.....	523	6,670	2,055		
Tributary States ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105		
Total Orissa ...	523	.....	523	.....	.....	1,200	221	2,044	8,307	4,740		
CHOTA NAGPUR												
Hazaribagh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	111	235	346	.....	630	497	
Palamau	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,005	.....	
Manbhum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	420	31	
Singhbhum	9	.....	9	.....	67	109	.....	185	.....	.....	148	
Total Chota Nagpur	9	.....	9	.....	67	220	235	531	.....	2,005	716	
Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	406,422	24,172	421,617	28,373	445	225,848	87,843	764,080	494,778	8,316,376	288,967	286,317
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
Burma	1,246,272	646,253	1,650,325	.....	1,273	17,782	12,082	1,681,962	.....	18,300	.....	.....
E. B. and Assam ...	122,700	3,752	126,037	8,563	1,518	18,429	5,910	164,459	902,197	112,025	37,943	120,151
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	5	.....	5	113,880	8,859	30,077	18,169	202,140	773	8,920	23,082	294,408
Punjab ...	196	.....	196	23,198	.....	4,514	2,378	31,285	.....	14,385	.....	2,799
Sind and British Baluchistan	15	.....	15	31,844	.....	.....	.....	31,859	.....	70	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	1,040	396	1,287	54,229	.....	7,960	.....	63,476	.....	.....	2,281	12
Bombay	7	.....	7	10	.....	.....	292	309	.....	.....	.....	612
Madras	4,882	.....	4,882	.....	.....	21,346	26,612	52,840	.....	.....	.....	1,034
Rajputana and Central India	.....	.....	.....	1,611	.....	.....	.....	1,611	.....	.....	424	1,630
Nizam's Territory ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,406	1,406				
GRAND TOTAL (1908 ...	1,781,619	674,632	2,203,284	291,938	*7,123	329,952	156,125	2,988,422	1,397,708	8,494,970	331,297	806,023
GRAND TOTAL (1907 ...	1,185,566	239,619	1,337,297	418,905	4,248	556,274	57,082	2,372,498	1,081,770	12,067,142	634,344	725,688
GRAND TOTAL (1906 ...	1,243,054	291,521	1,389,567	83,374	12,217	330,262	38,116	1,949,536	816,899	9,059,327	626,419	254,359

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

I

by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in April 1908

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar: Refined	Sugar: Unrefined	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Tobacco: Manufactured	Whence imported
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
	14	.....	4,537,861					.....	Bardwan
	...	91						.....	Birbhum
	57	.....						130	Bankura
	361	14	450			6,864	8	53	Midnapore
	530	.....	1,777			5,170	4,796	361	Hooghly
	2,898	.....	8,195		40,912	938	1,713	774	24-Parganas
	107	.....			22	9,180	1,757		Nadia
	82	817							Murshidabad
	784	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,969	1,083	.....	Jessore
	323	.....	.....	.....	203	450	.....	.....	Khulna
..	4,956	927	4,549,283	..	41,235	48,575	9,341	1,338	Total Bengal
									BIHAR
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,034	232	Patna
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,014	Gaya
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	414	270	.....	.....	Shahabad
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,340	.....	.....	Saran
.....	.....	1,051	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	Champaran
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	545	683	.....	Muzaffarpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	1,059	.....	Darbhanga
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	267	82	36	Monghyr
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bhagalpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,527	284	Purnea
.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sonthal Parganas
1,073	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	Darjeeling
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	56	.....	Cooch Behar
1,073	2	1,075	.....	3	414	2,528	24,391	1,644	Total Bihar
									ORISSA
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cuttack
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Balasore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mourbhanj State
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Total Orissa
									CHOTA NAGPUR
.....	.....	.....	136,208	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Hazaribagh
.....	.....	.....	361	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Palamau
..	.....	.....	5,932,240	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Manbhum
...	360	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Singhbhum
	360	.....	6,068,808	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Total Chota Nagpur
1,073	5,056	2,009	10,647,121	3	41,649	51,103	33,732	2,982	Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
									OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
	6,544	.....	.....	.....	1,356	.....	864	147	Burma
1,096	15,862	274	1,214	.....	.....	.....	17,564	.....	E. B. and Assam
.....	9,944	.....	.....	.....	4	1,762	45	43	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
...	3,925	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Panjab
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47	Sind and British Baluchistan
...	7,718	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	Central Provinces and Berar
.....	8,685	.....	.....	.....	335	.....	105	3	Bombay
.	2,261	.....	...	.....	7,200	.....	120	87	Madras
.....	713	.....	45,291	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
2,169	88,091	2,274	10,693,626	3	50,544	52,865	52,433	3,318	1908 } GRAND TOTAL
7,810	88,636	1,751	11,409,213	3·6	39,321	48,294	71,167	4,238	1907 }
4,073	93,440	838	12,805,039	5	14,983	51,400	43,621	2,526	1906 }

No. II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in April 1908

Routes	Food-grains						Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice	Paddy*	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.	Mds	Mds
By boat	337,997	15,781	183	41	23,018	241	235,664	7,947,399	7,016	2,575
,, river steamer	1,159	31	.....	.....	2,613	.....	182,795	19,880	17,286	103,012
rail — E. I. Railway	25,739	3,105	191,988	5,407	123,879	48,833	60,838	48,160	274,307	545,379
rail — E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	87,609	3,752	13,889	1,525	131,260	65,533	833,535	363,790	28,694	43,354
rail — A.-B. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	525	.....	.....
rail — B.-N. Railway	6,771	474	54,024	147	11,164	19,798	3,342	15,401	3,394	12
rail — D.-S. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	455	.....	.....
rail — Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways	331	27	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	1,925	.....	.....
,, road ...	73,500	5,137	.....	.....	395	.....	65,329	78,292	.....	45
,, sea ...	1,248,543	646,325	31,854	.....	36,719	21,718	6,305	19,150	.....	1,640
Total ... 1908 ...	1,781,649	674,632	291,938	7,123	329,052	156,125	1,587,708	8,494,976	331,297	696,023
Total ... 1907 ...	1,185,536	239,619	418,995	4,248	556,273	57,682	1,081,770	12,097,142	652,324	715,083
Total ... 1906 ...	1,249,054	224,821	83,374	15,217	330,263	33,116	816,889	9,039,327	526,419	254,339

Routes	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	
By boat									
,, river steamer ...		4,821	29	1,214	.....		641	1,807	319
rail — E. I. Railway		14,005	117	7,309,612	3	418	4,024	4,125	1,084
rail — E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)		1,915	2,128	1,176	.....		16,221	37,581	244
rail — A.-B. Railway		163	.....	.....	.....				
rail — B.-N. Railway		8,510	.....	3,371,002	.....			225	150
rail — D.-S. Railway		.....	.....	.....	.....				
rail — Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways		.....	.....	.....	.....				
road		1,478	.....	9,012	.....	40,320	10,201	2,783	1,185
sea		24,538	.....	.....				864	276
Total ... 1908 ...		58,691	2,274	10,693,626	3	50,544	52,363	52,433	3,318
Total ... 1907		88,636	1,751	11,409,213	360	39,321	48,294	71,267	4,216
Total ... 1906		93,440	838	12,865,099	5	14,983	51,400	49,621	2,526

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunnycloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

No. III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in April 1908

		COTTON PIECE GOODS		COTTON YARN		Salt	Kerosene oil
		European	Indian	European	Indian		
From Foreign Countries—		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom		1,38,35,568	.....	12,873	.....	327,696	
Other countries		2,60,075	.....	437	.....	1,021,661	130,287
	Total	1,41,04,643	.....	13,310	.....	1,349,357	130,287
Coastwise—							
From British ports in—							
Eastern Bengal and Assam		500	730	.....	.....		
Bombay		.....	10,26,091	.....	10,879	13,799	
Madras		832	61,724	.....	.....	709	
Burma		9,206	22,160	.....	.....		216,768
	Total	10,538	11,10,695	.....	10,879	14,418	216,768
Total	1908	1,41,15,241	11,10,695	13,310	10,879	1 363,775	347,055
	1907	2,07,43,143	6,91,619	14,278	10,039	1,425,940	543,755
	1906	1,68,67,30,386	3,34,734	16,299	13,344	1,027,361	195,053

No. IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in April 1908

	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
To British ports in—										
Bengal	21,809	21,274	35,165	.....	.....	.....	.....	35,107	.....	900
Eastern Bengal and Assam ..	4	.....	4	8	1,232	1,047	.....	2,311	.....	7,720
Bombay	8,455	.....	8,455	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,455	.....	1,766,450
Sind and British Baluchistan.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	478,200
Madras	.....	.....	.....	188	2,571	5,349	201	8,309	.....	1,853,950
Burma	2,492	.....	2,492	940	15,512	20,829	5,218	44,991	16	2,418,200
To Indian ports not British—										
Kathiawar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Pondichery ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,800
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,700
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	22,800
Total ..	32,760	21,274	46,056	1,136	19,337	27,225	5,419	99,171	31	6,512,150
To Foreign countries—										
United Kingdom	41,203	.....	41,203	.....	.....	3,906	.....	45,109	337,214	2,884,450
Other countries	297,151	16	297,167	.....	3,201	12,038	2,537	314,937	1,036,338	53,196,875
Total ...	338,354	16	338,370	.....	3,201	15,944	2,537	360,046	1,393,552	56,081,325
Total ... 1908 ...	371,114	21,290	384,420	1,136	22,538	43,229	7,956	459,277	1,393,583	62,593,475
Total ... 1907 ...	666,404	.....	666,404	6,936	38,232	135,417	9,487	856,503	530,020	77,573,770
Total ... 1906 ..	965,035	905	965,940	3,775	31,807	82,154	5,544	1,088,880	876,601	43,127,080

	Linseed	Mustard seed	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar: Refined	Sugar: Unrefined	Tobacco: Unmanufac.	Tobacco: Manufac.
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British ports in—											
Bengal	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	789	.....	.....	.....	31	.....
Eastern Bengal and Assam ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,653	.....	2,468	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	.....	.....	1,005	.....	.....	2,193,093	.....	191	.....	.....	38
Sind and British Baluchistan.	.....	.....	22	.....	.....	1,166,472	.....	.....	.....	.....	7
Madras	.....	4,341	224	.....	.....	864,796	.....	373	.....	.....	154
Burma	61	.....	708	114	13	911,454	.....	1,249	1,113	6,060	245
To Indian ports not British—											
Kathiawar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	154,350	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,722	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	61	4,341	2,019	114	13	5,009,411	.....	4,279	1,113	6,091	444
To Foreign countries—											
United Kingdom	95,362	23,136	1,342	1,729	152	.....	1,910	.....	.....	.....	118
Other countries	11,111	35,837	1,945	19,774	1,087	1,694,801	1,019	2,046	.....	3,513	249
Total ..	96,473	58,973	3,287	21,503	1,239	1,694,801	2,929	2,046	... ..	3,513	367
Total ... 1908 ..	96,534	63,314	5,306	21,617	1,252	7,304,212	2,929	6,325	1,113	9,604	811
Total ... 1907	325,587	114,206	12,391	87,340	1,687	3,089,618	1,824	9,574	3,318	15,646	933
Total ... 1906 ...	297,428	43,974	18,669	90,035	1,347	6,573,121	1,906	2,857	1,824	3,359	513

No V

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in April 1908

Whither exported	Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny bags†
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
Bengal	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Bardwan	1,92,522	17,470	83	429	29,233	115	.....	13,507
Birbhum	1,07,625	4,455	59	1,301	13,739	3	.....	5,300
Bankura	50,081	605	.....	774	9,763	.....	.....	630
Midnapore	2,01,948	94,178	720	1,508	46,058	171	9,273	7,171
Hooghly	1,60,254	81,829	596	24	19,821	3,274	6,903	27,743
24-Parganas	1,88,480	89,577	304	99	14,863	13,806	15,650	30,523
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60,841	.....
Nadia	3,85,475	42,691	410	957	15,715	850	7,989	105,787
Murshidabad	82,778	1,265	.....	384	19,489	62	3,010	13,790
Jessore	5,618	81,771	44	337	12,602	1,641	3,174	2,750
Khulna	18,716	71,170	5	141	5,302	2,560	1,034	700
Total Bengal	13,33,497	4,85,008	2,223	5,954	188,086	22,482	107,924	[illegible]
Bihar								
Patna	4,12,615	1,430	267	509	26,807	1	.....	87,080
Gaya	310,456	1,705	7	1,053	8,941	.....	.....	3,927
Shahabad	19,24,077	4,850	6	153	15,115	26	.....	25,020
Saran	3,46,786	1,045	.....	88	11,084	8	1,433	108,220
Champaran	5,28,977	3,135	27	294	15,800	18	5,777	115,360
Muzaffarpur	8,20,277	890	1	76	20,052	105	6,295	4,040
Darbhanga	6,68,500	25,685	.....	75	19,084	12	8,834	98,735
Monghyr	4,14,137	2,530	12	704	10,763	6	627	8,740
Bhagalpur	5,96,989	16,885	34	1,130	23,055	.....	1,252	87,815
Purnea	2,97,691	1,815	74	898	36,788	.....	5,415	67,477
Santhal Parganas	2,11,167	3,165	59	1,281	13,734	22	.....	54,215
Darjeeling	1,10,269	13,090	2	314	3,447	2	2,115	5,145
Cooch Behar	71 104	3,575	.....	23	2,978	100	450	700
Total Bihar	67,34,651	80,410	420	6,658	227,597	300	32,218	761,060
Orissa								
Cuttack	75,605	1,430	.....	337	396	27	.....	.....
Balasore	61,792	65	280	2,262	18,350	3	.....	960
Puri	18,901	.....	.....	374	10	5	.....	.....
Sonepur	8,063	223	.....	103	.....	42	.....	1,900
Mayurbhanj State	9,112	.....	.....	.....	2,475	8	.....	245
Total Orissa	1,73,563	1,708	280	3,076	21,231	85	.....	3,105
Chota Nagpur								
Hazaribagh	29,181	2,255	.....	380	13,880	50	.....	1,085
Ranchi	25,082	4,180	.....	23	7,128	.....	.....	1,855
Palamau	29,765	.....	.....	55	4,977	.....	.....	1,400
Manbhum	70,403	.....	.....	848	15,676	68	335	3,815
Singhbhum	7,605	.....	.....	76	14,791	25	.....	2,310
Gangpur (Tributary State)	1,148	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	1,900
Total Chota Nagpu	1,63,384	6,435	.....	1,382	58,452	148	335	12,425
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	83,99,495	5,73,561	2,932	17,070	495,966	23,015	140,477	882,525
Other Provinces and Places								
Burma	65,561	16,856	251	6,770	.....	.....	.....	2,448 260
E. B. and Assam	27,20,682	441,255	7,253	6,834	3,07,476	9,836	96,318	239,585
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	38,52,634	87,167	179	509	40,716	889	24,445	213,220
Punjab	11,36,874	3,135	549	57	.....	347	.....	428,225
Sind and British Baluchistan	580	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	482,485
Kashmir Territory	215	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	1,20,806	1,440	66	8	734	61	21	97,125
Bombay	6,748	278	.....	404	.....	.....	.....	2,108,155
Madras	93,661	2,795	7	956	.....	.....	.....	2,084,235
Rajputana and Central India	2,15,629	779	64	1	.....	8	.....	23,030
Nizam's Territory	4,033	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48,685
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	93,135
Alleppey	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,500
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,500
Pondichery	3,827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,800
Grand Total 1908	1,66,73,305	10,78,075	11,281	32,609	934,952	34,156	261,261	9,255,763
1907	1,54,05,979	6,32,894	15,437	35,309	1,170,076	41,985	322,412	11,672,161
1906	1,80,58,542	4,99,208	19,336	30,183	1,232,093	37,134	256,5591	9,416,342

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Represents the trade registered at the traffic registering stations only
‡ Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No. VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. V were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in April 1908

Routes		Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny-bags†
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
By boat		59,900	1,65,200	852	.....	114,545	14,990	83,921	32,405
,, river steamer		19,92,611	1,19,318	6,896	3,012	264,735	2,209	66,956	98,000
,, rail	E. I. Railway	57,67,105	44,005	351	7,043	139,950	691	.....	536,235
	E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	21,07,854	3,34,125	868	5,130	188,039	1,292	109,485	282,695
	A.-B. Railway	75,840	2,14,852	341	2,050	1,089	384	312	14,245
	B.-N. Railway	4,57,175	11,938	69	4,342	72,215	223	356	111,900
	B. and N.-W. Railway	42,99,542	56,870	95	764	134,304	517	33,343	523,915
	O. and R. Railway	9,09,718	4,345	13	13	.....	.....	15,340	59,535
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Shoakhala Light Railways	68,305	.....	211	.....	1,594	179	.....	1,330
	Miner Railways	5,86,358	13,778	628	1,114	2,918	665	440	261,835
,, road		1,70,611	95,848	447	79	9,095	13,806	1,208	21,378
,, sea		1,18,288	17,170	531	8,562	6,479	.....	.....	6 612 130
Total ...	1908 ...	1,66,73,305	10,78,075	11,231	33,609	934,952	34,156	261,971	8,235,763
	1907 ...	1,54,05,979	6,32,894	15,437	35,399	1,170,076	41,985	323,413	11 672,101
	1906 ...	1,90,58,542	4,99,296	19,336	80,133	1,232,693	37,134	256,559	9 416,342

* The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

July 4th, 1908

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 4th July 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 4th July 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 6th July 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tonnage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tonnage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	317	44,530	662	444	1,50,515	1,310
Jute	61	15,800*	316	23	22,275†	209
Firewood	36	29,145	453	9	2,560	33
Other articles	705	2,57,150	2,875	479	1,52,984	1,352
Total	1,119	3,46,625	4,306	955	3,28,334	2,904

* Weight by canal measurement, 20,937½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 27,587½ do.

CALCUTTA,
The 7th July 1908.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

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Canals.	1908-09.						1907-08.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Orissa Canals.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.
Taldanda Canal System ...	1,621	4,082	8,026	61,604	996	1,891	2,196	2,330	10,604	18,774	824	837
Kendrapara ditto ...	3,073	9,201	5,084	37,579	2,171	5,253	3,076	6,8 2	12,721	90,151	2,458	5,611
High Level, Range I	78	2,498	.....	24,744	32	1,416	... ..	1,562	.....	17,448	.....	1,214
High Level, Range II	.....	489	.....	3,803	.....	141	.....	1,249	...	16,734	.....	373
High Level, Range III	2	26	.....	1,435	.....	18	... ..	189	90	2,589	.....	51
Jajpur Canal ...	23	305	.....	2,058	3	42	.....	263	.....	17,830	... ..	87
Total Orissa Canals	4,797	16,601	13,110	131,223	3,202	8,761	5,272	12,415	23,415	163,526	3,282	8,173
Midnapore Canal ...	9,314	16,902	745	4,645	2,978	6,184	9,035	17,570	3,765	10,517	3,940	7,683
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	6,809	12,609	255	1,010	5,206	9,781	10,917	21,160	150	1,512	8,064	15,441
Sone Canals.												
Patna Canal System ...	19	557	48,088	246,157	48	729	1,753	3,530	170,631	433,885	2,091	4,258
Arrah ditto ...	211	261	310,021	486,834	891	1,223	203	423	280,588	697,354	727	1,796
Buxar ditto ...	211	240	66,289	77,118	266	304	1,430	2 3.4	63,975	207,075	1,260	2,298
Total Sone Canals ...	441	1,058	454,398	810,109	1,205	2,256	3,386	6,287	515,194	1,338,314	4,078	8,352
Grand Total ...	21,361	47,170	68,508	946,997	12,591	26,982	28,610	57,432	542,524	1,513,869	19,364	39,649

Calcutta,
The 6th July 1908

A. N. Das,
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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of May 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1908-09.						1907-08.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C ft.	Rs	Rs.	Tons.	Tons	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	34,860	70,702	3,763	7,845	20,863	44,930	39,629	66,770	5,770	7,005	19,788	42,687
Tolly's Nala	21,742	9,716	...	950	6,453	12,057	18,280	35,762	200	375	5,267	10,692
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	56,602	110,418	3,763	8,795	27,316	56,987	48,909	102,532	5,970	7,380	25,055	53,379
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,819	5,849	2,045	6,425	1,101	2,145	7,061	13,011	3,215	9,355	2,635	5,071
Nadia Rivers ...	2 989	6,420	450	860	1,026	2,292	4,987	10,915	647	911	1,715	3,743
Grand Total ...	62,410	122,687	6,258	16,080	29,443	61,424	60,957	126,458	9,832	17,646	29,405	62,193

Calcutta,
The 6th July 1908.

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 28th June to 4th July 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rains.	Weather.
1908.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches.	
June	28th	144·6	6·6	29 535	86·3	91·9	10 7	81·2	81·2	1·019	79·8	84	SSW and S by W	147	0·07	Partially cloudy.
,,	29th	151·0	5·8	·522	84·1	90·3	11 9	78·4	79 9	0·982	78·7	86	S by E and SSE	101	Nil	Partially cloudy, o, d, g, p, t, <.
,,	30th	135·4	4·1	·546	83·8	88·1	8·1	80·0	80·2	·984	78·7	84	SE by S, ESE and SSE.	111	2·05	Partially cloudy, p
July	1st	149·0	6·9	·571	85·0	91·1	11·7	79·4	79 7	969	78·3	86	SSE, ESE and SE.	134	0 30	Partially cloudy, d, p.
,,	2nd	148·4	6 4	·590	83·7	89 8	11·6	78 2	79·3	·940	77·3	82	SE, ESE and SSE	107	0·20	Partially cloudy, d, p.
,,	3rd	152·2	5·8	·583	85·4	91·6	11·9	79·7	79·8	·979	78 5	88	SE by E and SSW	82	0·13	Partially cloudy, o, g, d, t, p.
,,	4th	149·4	3·4	·599	86·2	91·9	10·9	81·0	80·7	·997	79·1	85	S by E and S by W.	131	0 81	Partially cloudy.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·566
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·533
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		39·0
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		94·2
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		84·9
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·6
The extreme variation of temperature		13·7
The maximum temperature		91·9
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		11
		%
The mean relative humidity		85
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		85
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 28th June to 4th July 1908		3·56
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		3·48
The total fall from 1st January to 4th July 1908		33·27
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		24·18

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsen's Barograph and Thermograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; g, dark, gloomy; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder; <, thunderstorm.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 6th July 1908.*

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EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the five weeks ending 29th February 1908 as compared with the same period of 1907.

Staples.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	7,215	7,486	6,956	7,613	.....	127	259	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,33,37,224	15,33,326	1,97,62,745	23,18,342	64,25,521	7,85,016	.....	.....
Cotton—								
(1) Raw	2,13,069	105,880	1,52,841	56,668	.....	.....	60,228	49,212
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	3,648	3,572	4,368	4,112	720	570	.....	.....
(b) Ditto, Indian	34,806	13,380	49,462	16,781	14,656	3,395	.....	.....
(c) Piece-goods, European	1,58,813	1,58,071	1,85,764	1,67,171	26,951	9,100	.....	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian	13,114	11,778	17,053	10,559	1,939	.....	.....	.....
(e) Others	6,560	3,623	6,661	3,714	101	91	.....	1,214
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	15,610	8,801	12,796	6,578	.....	.....	2,814	 2,223
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	153	102	29	22	.....	.....	124	80
2.—Non-intoxicating	5,967	5,149	7,232	6,486	1,265	1,337	.....	.....
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	997	622	861	977	.....	355	106	.....
2.—Cutch	1,251	552	2,598	962	1,347	410	.....	.....
3.—Indigo	501	529	2,816	2,459	2,312	1,930	.....	.....
4.—Myrabolams	11,171	2,478	45,000	12,226	33,829	9,748	.....	.....
5.—Tanning barks	14,016	1,324	36,526	2,389	22,510	1,056	.....	.....
6.—Turmeric	14,770	9,678	11,844	5,524	.....	.....	2,932	3,154
7.—Others	20,990	8,935	28,199	11,060	7,209	2,125	.....	.....
Fodder—								
1.—Oilcake	70,589	12,743	1,74,399	21,311	1,03,810	8,568	.....	.....
2.—Hay, straw and grass	60,527	9,088	1,19,458	12,913	59,131	3,825	.....	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	14,777	10,267	29,936	10,811	15,159	544	.....	.....
Grain and Pulse—								
1.—Gram and pulse	4,70,069	1,17,671	6,89,451	1,74,181	4,19,382	56,510	.....	.....
2.—Jowar and bajra	3,28,216	61,345	3,29,754	56,525	1,548	.....	.....	4,820
3.—Rice in the husk	4,19,237	48,109	1,71,008	24,693	.....	.....	2,48,919	23,416
4.—Rice not in the husk	5,90,264	88,955	24,44,201	7,53,238	18,53,237	6,64,280	.....	.....
5.—Wheat	5,38,805	74,792	2,80,628	72,116	.....	.....	2,44,272	2,676
6.—Wheat flour	2,69,474	54,525	1,42,829	43,805	.....	.....	1,26,645	10,720
7.—Others	1,76,945	54,844	2,95,272	55,706	1,18,427	862	.....	.....
Hides and Skins—								
1.—Hides of cattle	71,874	46,012	1,37,438	77,080	65,564	31,068	.....	.....
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	18,091	9,666	34,797	17,103	16,706	7,457	.....	.....
Horns	14,684	10,284	2,631	1,945	.....	.....	11,993	9,239
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	94,497	26,549	1,47,737	30,645	52,240	4,096	.....	.....
Jute—								
1.—Raw	4,32,304	81,332	3,66,422	69,552	.....	.....	65,912	11,780
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	80,370	38,452	82,907	38,793	2,537	341	.....	.....
Lac	56,328	35,777	96,419	51,906	40,091	16,029	.....	.....
Leather—								
1.—Unwrought	3,051	2,786	3,161	5,128	110	2,342	.....	.....
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	2,347	2,476	1,393	997	.....	.....	954	1,479
Liquors—								
1.—Ale and Beer	12,364	5,325	14,715	5,169	2,351	.....	.....	156
2.—Wines and spirits of all kinds, including country spirit	8,253	7,187	9,007	7,475	754	338	.....	.....
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	1,524	334	592	68	.....	.....	1,222	266
Metals—								
1.—Brass, unwrought	624	193	6,757	3,529	6,133	3,336	.....	.....
2.—Do., wrought	17,674	9,333	23,668	11,088	6,064	1,755	.....	.....
3.—Copper, unwrought	13	1	198	181	185	180	.....	.....
4.—Do., wrought	2,713	2,067	2,479	1,636	.....	.....	234	431
5.—Iron and steel—								
(1) Unwrought (dust, slag, pig and old for remanufacture)	54,147	8,216	52,492	8,654	.....	438	1,655	.....
(2) Wrought—								
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel	1,34,267	35,069	2,07,361	47,830	73,094	12,768	.....	.....
(b) Machinery and mill work	22,441	14,830	24,271	16,658	1,830	1,828	.....	.....
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery	42,251	23,446	73,777	37,376	35,760	14,130	.....	.....
6.—Metallic ores	60,251	2,912	1,05,334	6,083	45,423	3,171	.....	.....
7.—Zinc and spelter	2,144	1,267	7,610	5,135	5,466	3,868	.....	.....
8.—Others	10,744	7,222	16,847	6,984	98	.....	.....	238
Mineral substances—								
1.—Marble and stone	5,27,299	42,934	5,13,451	44,380	.....	6,455	16,630	.....
2.—Chalk and lime	2,23,725	19,022	3,94,941	41,571	1,70,216	22,542	.....	.....
3.—Others	2,283	1,641	6,703	4,514	4,074	2,873	.....	.....
Oils—								
1.—Kerosene	2,01,413	79,783	2,16,039	83,516	15,226	3,733	.....	.....
2.—Castor	3,866	1,661	1,529	1,482	663	.....	.....	179
3.—Cocoanut	4,744	1,444	6,743	2,246	1,999	802	.....	.....
4.—Mustard and rape	9,164	2,721	21,261	6,398	12,107	3,677	.....	.....
5.—Others	6,994	2,749	14,832	5,811	6,068	3,062	.....	.....
Oilseeds—								
1.—Castor	23,978	5,822	76,280	18,963	52,305	13,141	.....	.....
2.—Karthunte	812	248	10,241	2,551	9,429	2,303	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	83,575	24,495	68,751	15,286	.....	.....	17,827	8,209
4.—Poppy	743	163	2,922	769	2,179	606	.....	.....
5.—Rape and mustard	1,43,683	74,410	1,84,718	41,260	41,035	5,844	.....	.....
6.—Til or jinjli	1,22,067	24,037	1,05,781	22,208	.....	.....	1,05,873	22,765
7.—Others	1,46,304	28,670	1,68,914	26,121	12,010	.....	.....	8,549
Opium	355	380	666	691	311	302	.....	.....
Paper and pasteboard	24,290	10,102	29,300	18,955	5,010	2,853	.....	.....
Provisions—								
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	10,008	8,326	18,381	9,345	1,473	919	.....	.....
2.—Ghee	29,060	37,101	50,500	46,946	20,344	9,845	.....	.....
3.—Potatoes	1,06,838	19,817	1,92,725	38,660	85,687	18,843	.....	.....
4.—Others	38,701	21,286	70,219	50,327	31,509	29,041	.....	.....

Staples.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight	Weight	Freight	Weight.	Freight	Weight.	Freight
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	9,507	3,584	434	77			9,073	3,507
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	12,411	350	243	129			12,168	221
3.—Materials—								
(*a*) Steel rails and fish-plates	37,781	21,788	1,395	231			36,386	21,557
(*b*) Sleepers and keys of steel and st-iron	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*c*) Others	1,12,262	32,387	5,59,588	66,014	4,47,326	33,627		
Salt	5,59,404	99,320	6,77,447	1,23,297	1,17,953	23,977		
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	32,635	19,181	78,403	33,023	45,768	13,842		
2.—Other saline substances	34,598	9,532	55,034	12,607	20,436	3,075		
Silk—								
1.—*Raw*—								
(*a*) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*b*) Indian	2,289	864	2,555	1,229	266	365	.....	.....
2.—*Piece-goods*—								
(*a*) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*b*) Indian	193	357	135	173	.....	.....	58	184
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	32,802	23,848	45,331	31,685	12,529	9,837	.....	.....
2.—Cardamoms	812	.....	500	442	.....	.....	.....	485
3.—Chillies	32,220	9,802	34,509	17,680	2,289	7,878	.....	.....
4.—Ginger	2,520	1,348	2,242	1,104	.....	.....	.....	244
5.—Pepper	5,388	4,915	6,822	6,472	1,434	1,557	.....	.....
6.—Others	22,182	15,458	30,116	18,783	7,933	3,325	.....	.....
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	54,325	12,820	1,08,053	46,424	1,13,728	33,604	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(*a*) Sugar	3,62,155	96,[illegible]36	3,2[illegible],259	1,07,367	.....	10,701	33,896	.....
(*b*) *Gur, rab*, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce	4,83,074	77,483	5,02,905	82,792	19,231	5,309	.....	.....
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	4,732	2,949	2,356	1,535	.....	.....	2,376	.....
Tobacco	29,846	13,467	43,911	21,170	14,065	7,703	.....	.....
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	1,51,816	18,004	2,47,402	27,772	95,586	9,768	.....	.....
2.—Manufactures	18,951	7,533	26,761	10,283	7,810	2,750	.....	.....
Wool—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Raw	3,484	1,440	5,136	4,029	1,652	2,589	.....	.....
2.—Manufactured—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*a*) Carpets and rugs	1,183	1,589	1,847	2,071	664	482	.....	.....
(*b*) Piece-goods, European	122	2[illegible]	210	99	88	76	.....	.....
(*c*) Ditto, Indian	336	384	8[illegible]9	415	473	31	.....	.....
(*d*) Other sorts of manufactures	1,138	680	1,874	1,275	736	595	.....	.....
All other articles of merchandise—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Bones	81,767	15,221	1,29,807	33,129	48,040	17,835	.....	.....
2.—Firewood	1,44,995	7,319	1,82,710	9,145	35,715	1,826	.....	.....
3.—Indigo seed	17,989	3,479	9,308	1,961	.....	.....	8,621	1,519
4.—Paints and colours	2,249	1,910	3,503	2,788	1,254	878	.....	.....
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	333	124	7,373	1,809	7,034	1,685	.....	.....
6.—Others	13,51,945	4,09,442	6,23,610	3,77,987	.....	.....	22,335	31,455
Total	2,32,92,206	41,06,812	3,25,04,840	58,57,535	92,11,034	17,50,723	.....	.....
Military stores	32,131	66,339	40,633	61,583	8,502	.....	.....	4,756
Coal for railway	11,98,524	87,336	22,46,082	1,43,071	10,47,558	55,735	.....	.....
Railway materials	25,78,304	60,971	23,66,411	82,763	.....	21,782	2,11,893	.....
Live-stock	.....	48,927	.....	37,304	.....	.....	.....	11,623
Total	3,71,01,955	43,70,386	3,71,57,966	61,82,246	1,00,56,011	18,11,861	.....	.....

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for *Acting Chief Auditor*

TRAFFIC AUDIT OFFICE, GOODS DIVISION, CALCUTTA, *the 3rd July 1908.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th June 1908 on 2,287·05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	635,316	5,22,576 0 0	67,13,239 0	10,61,239 0 0	35,755 0 0	16,19,570 0 0	156,824	221,534	378,358
Or per mile of railway ..		228 7 11		464 0 4	15 10 1	708 2 4	...	...	...
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year	13,297,469*	1,19,17,786 0 0*	17,28,96,233 0†	2,75,33,055 0 0†	9,76,718 0 0‡	4,04,17,509 0 0‡	3,795,135§	5,383,711§	9,178,844
Total for 24½ weeks ...	13,932,785	1,24,40,312 0 0	17,96,09,472 0	2,85,94,294 0 0	10,02,473 0 0	4,20,37,079 0 0	3,951,957	5,605,245	9,557,202
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	588,738	5,04,165 0 1	68,83,775 20	10,74,943 5	40,495 3 0	16,19,603 8 7	151,958	211,559	363,512
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	220 12 10	...	470 12	17 11 9	709 5 0		...	...
Total for corresponding 24½ weeks of previous year	13,744,926	1,27,95,411 12 4	17,16,38,106 10	2,81,11,664 11 9	9,12,385 2 0	4,18,19,461 9 1	3,796,738	5,144,593	8,941,331

* Added No. of passengers 27,779 and deducted Rs. 2,531
† ,, Mds. 1,51,238 and ,, ,, 8,375
‡ ,, ,, 983
} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 9th May 1908.

§ Audited figures up to 9th May 1908

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*2,287·05	First 11 days of Jan. ...	685,522	6,38,380	1,08,16,017	18,49,635	66,133	25,54,157	1,117	586,113	4 5 9
*2,287·05	Week ended 18th ,, ...	453,317	4,10,749	75,46,502	10,78,557	37,152	15,26,439	667	376,073	4 0 11
*2,287·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	479,877	4,77,497	72,10,947	11,15,195	37,830	16,30,532	713	386,250	4 3 7
*2,287·05	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	648,579	6,60,256	73,09,583	11,78,729	39,932	18,78,897	822	389,247	4 13 3
*2,287·05	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	642,223	6,29,554	67,78,774	11,47,209	40,138	18,16,892	794	385,503	4 11 4
*2,287·05	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	522,987	5,20,704	72,61,797	14,52,102	46,759	18,19,565	796	393,022	4 10 0
*2,287·05	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	587,955	5,55,293	76,82,961	12,53,245	43,823	18,50,361	809	389,806	4 10 1
*2,287·05	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	575,504	5,60,715	76,27,244	12,71,065	45,554	18,77,334	821	402,273	4 10 8
*2,287·05	,, ,, 7th March ...	622,809	5,44,939	73,95,192	11,25,979	43,982	17,14,900	750	388,454	4 6 8
*2,287·05	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	568,430	5,44,733	77,15,217	10,78,964	34,757	16,58,454	725	378,642	4 6 1
*2,287·05	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	476,2 5	4,34,610	74,70,[illegible]	11,14,188	40,627	15,89,375	695	393,365	4 0 8
*2,287·05	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	510,075	5,15,047	83,92,115	12,84,537	39,655	18,39,239	804	408,375	4 8 1
*2,287·05	,, ,, 4th April ...	500,984	4,78,644	72,47,146	11,38,395	41,344	16,58,383	725	400,507	4 2 3
*2,287·05	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	555,498	4,58,862	70,20,324	11,18,150	44,802	16,51,814	722	401,209	4 1 10
*2,287·05	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	564,435	4,75,875	69,77,157	11,24,125	44,489	16,44,489	719	407,089	4 0 6
*2,287·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	568,033	4,88,360	75,13,562	11,73,035	40,576	17 02,371	744	380,993	4 5 10
*2,287·05	,, ,, 2nd May ...	585,352	5,15,484	71,40,804	11,61,525	36,720	17,18,909	752	383,332	4 7 9
*2,287·05	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	651,105	5,20,184	77,93,573	12,33,859	42,015	17,95,058	785	388,284	4 10 0
2,287·05	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	639,060	4,94,064	74,27,730	12,16,366	39,589	17,50,589	765	390,641	4 7 8
2,287·05	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	600,864	4,85,264	65,97,738	11,22,637	39,767	16,47,668	720	380,089	4 3 9
2,287·05	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	573,079	4,70,039	71,11,066	11,39,194	41,398	16,50,631	722	380,785	4 5 4
2,287·05	,, ,, 6th June ...	604,448	4,98,286	74,06,411	11,61,256	42,429	17,01,971	744	380,888	4 7 6
2,287·05	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	670,897	5,30,647	74,54,432	11,62,396	37,538	17,39,581	761	378,047	4 9 7
2,287·05	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	635,316	5,22,576	67,13,239	10,61,239	35,755	16,19,570	708	378,358	4 4 6
	Totals up to date ...	13,932,785	1,24,40,312	17,96,09,472	2,85,94,294	10,02,473	4,20,37,079	748	9,557,202	4 6 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,247·80	First 12 days of Jan.	992,007	11,09,370	1,01,63,203	18,34,140	55,167	30,62,686	1,365	580,048	5 4 6
2,243·80	Week ended 19th ,,	888,083	10,32,791	93,67,603	16,04,771	35,156	26,72,718	924	361,980	5 11 8
2,243·80	,, 26th ,,	597,707	6,24,088	63,30,451	10,96,747	31,056	17,59,611	784	352,754	4 15 10
2,243·80	,, 2nd Feb.	467,981	5,57,616	71,21,149	12,0[illegible]	38,256	17,98,273	801	344,668	5 3 3
2,243·80	,, 9th	519,449	4,40,138	64,71,708	11,01,865	36,066	15,84,369	706	353,025	4 7 10
2,243·80	16th	552,677	4,99,267	65,28,730	9,64,579	35,741	15,01,587	669	358,995	4 2 11
2,243·80	23rd ,,	524,576	5,40,246	65,21,875	10,57,[illegible]70	36,745	16,34,561	728	344,302	4 11 11
2,243·80	2nd March	488,803	4,21,504	61,56,676	10,72,050	37,303	15,30,947	682	343,714	4 7 3
2,243·80	9th ,,	550,007	4,75,876	67,89,405	10,90,0[illegible]	34,636	16,05,597	716	353,874	4 8 7
2,243·80	16th ,,	478,013	4,51,651	63,19,971	10,64,[illegible]48	35,475	15,51,564	691	359,186	4 5 1
2,243·80	23rd ,,	420,091	3,35,343	68,71,273	10,28,416	32,385	14,56,144	649	342,753	4 4 0
2,243·80	30th ,,	452,988	4,83,087	73,76,[illegible]22	12,[illegible]4,[illegible]1	33,085	16,16,531	720	374,823	4 5 1
2,243·80	6th April	475,283	4,18,005	75,03,880	11 61,688	36,405	16,48,158	735	331,118	4 9 0
2,243 80	13th ,,	529,774	4,09,563	79,60,472	12 36,537	38,103	17,44,369	777	362,754	4 12 11
2,277·80	20th ,,	546,291	4,02,347	72,93,642	12,28,250	38,020	17,39,226	764	368,291	4 11 7
2,283·34	27th ,,	554,708	4,55,288	72,40,004	12 75,379	39,035	17,09,302	774	382,057	4 10 1
2,283·34	4th May	503,218	4,72,270	74,14,148	12,56,946	40,542	17,07,787	774	376,653	4 11 1
2,283·34	11th ,,	586,084	4,38,789	72,25,507	12,19,762	37,274	16,93,825	743	379,025	4 7 7
2,283·34	18th ,,	574,060	4,57,230	74,01,913	12,54,141	37,427	17,28,828	757	380,153	4 8 9
2,283·34	25th ,,	586,929	4,45,070	83,45,841	12,17,[illegible]5	36,674	17,09,[illegible]49	749	372,[illegible]5	4 3 6
2,283·34	1st June	598,155	5,04,005	72,73,981	11,97,123	36,050	17,37,178	761	374,043	4 10 4
2,283·34	8th ,,	598,233	5,20,028	72,35,010	11,83,[illegible]21	38,845	17,52,193	767	367,484	4 11 3
2,283·34	15th ,,	602,040	5,03,015	73,88,401	11,[illegible]6,331	35,489	17,34,755	759	373,804	4 10 2
2,283·34	22nd ,,	588,738	5,04,165	68,83,775	10,74,943	40,495	16,19,603	709	363,512	4 7 3
	Totals up to date ...	13,744,926	1,27,95,411	17,16,38[illegible]09	2,81,11,665	9,12,385	4,18,19,461	749	8,941,331	4 10 10

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th June 1908 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	21,731	5,170 0 0	10,483 0	455 0 0	8 0 0	5,633 0 0	1,343	154	1,496
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	232 9 1	.....	20 7 6	0 5 9	253 6 4	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year	726,974*	1,81,335 0 0*	5,16,960 0†	19,328 0 0†	198 0 0‡	2,00,861 0 0	33,0035§	3,565§	36,568
Total for 24½ weeks ...	748,705	1,86,505 0 0	5,27,443 0	19,783 0 0	206 0 0	2,06,494 0 0	34,345	3,719	38,064
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	24,183	5,291 6 1	13,805 0	472 15 0	7 6 6	5,771 11 7	961	225	1,186
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	238 0 5	.....	21 4 5	0 5 4	259 10 2	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 24½ weeks of previous year	729,831	1,80,768 10 8	5,20,560 10	19,510 10 0	235 14 9	2,00,515 3 5	24,813	5,543	30,356

* Added No. of passengers 1,013 and added Rs. 153 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ende
† Do. Mds. 1,179 „ deducted „ 230 } May 1908.
‡ Do. „ 6 }
§ Audited figures up to 9th May 1908.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	First 11 days of Jan.	32,963	7,903	26,088	1,850	8	8,961	403	2,378	3 12 4
*22·23	Week ended 18th	21,907	4,695	13,262	378	11	4,994	225	1,498	3 5 4
*22·23	25th „	22,720	5,056	28,894	982	10	6,048	272	1,498	4 0 7
*22·23	1st Feb.	40,013	10,477	20,135	847	1	11,325	509	1,740	6 5 10
*22·23	8th „	57,813	16,164	24,135	847	11	17,022	766	2,088	8 2 5
*22·23	15th „	25,779	6,057	39,019	974	6	7,037	317	1,896	4 11 3
*22·23	22nd „	33,136	8,953	34,240	903	7	9,053	407	1,434	6 5 0
*22·23	29th „ ...	27,651	6,422	39,413	1,167	9	7,598	342	1,496	5 1 3
*22·23	7th Mar. ...	52,829	14,739	15,153	675	6	15,421	694	1,884	8 2 10
*22·23	14th „	29,794	6,577	28,967	965	8	7,550	340	1,276	5 14 8
*22·23	21st „ ...	29,738	7,049	28,701	1,203	11	8,262	372	1,430	5 12 5
*22·23	28th „ ...	24,593	5,589	28,905	1,124	11	6,728	304	1,502	4 4 11
*22·23	4th April ...	29,495	7,792	30,513	1,226	9	9,027	406	1,502	6 0 3
*22·23	11th „ ...	43,643	12,143	24,890	1,005	11	13,160	592	1,540	8 8 9
*22·23	18th „ ...	49,563	14,037	15,915	640	9	14,676	660	1,736	8 7 3
*22·23	25th „ ...	23,696	5,315	17,109	679	7	6,001	270	1,496	4 0 2
*22·23	2nd May ...	23,013	5,318	18,227	702	7	6,027	273	1,496	4 1 0
*22·23	9th „ ...	26,947	6,965	16,741	592	14	7,561	341	1,492	5 0 10
22·23	16th „ ...	20,883	6,546	15,620	696	8	7,240	326	1,496	4 13 5
22·23	23rd „ ...	22,588	4,835	13,622	510	10	5,355	241	1,496	3 9 3
22·23	30th „ ...	21,907	4,927	14,447	712	9	5,648	250	1,496	3 11 4
22·23	6th June ...	26,189	6,208	16,596	759	8	6,975	314	1,496	4 10 7
22·23	13th „ ...	34,022	8,578	12,232	658	7	9,243	416	1,496	6 2 10
22·23	20th	21,731	5,170	10,483	455	8	5,633	253	1,496	3 13 3
	Totals up to date ...	748,705	1,86,505	5,27,443	19,783	206	2,06,494	378	38,064	5 6 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. 1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 12 days of Jan. ...	37,960	8,088	37,748	1,261	11	10,260	462	2,070	4 15 4
22·23	Week ended 19th	32,893	8,005	19,302	235	14	8,314	374	1,278	6 8 1
22·23	26th „	25,733	6,286	19,227	418	13	6,717	302	1,186	5 10 7
22·23	2nd Feb.	34,966	8,536	14,881	696	10	9,242	414	1,190	7 11 10
22·23	9th „	25,132	6,376	17,764	546	14	6,935	312	1,190	5 1 3
22·23	16th „	47,072	12,390	16,074	693	6	13,095	585	1,674	7 13 5
22·23	23rd „ ...	28,698	6,510	23,208	822	11	7,343	330	1,190	6 2 9
22·23	2nd Mar. ...	28,962	6,723	25,593	908	16	7,737	348	1,188	6 8 2
22·23	9th „	28,273	7,335	31,746	1,007	12	8,354	375	1,190	7 0 6
22·23	16th „	26,865	6,183	26,083	902	15	7,100	324	1,102	6 8 0
22·23	23rd „	24,135	5,810	27,490	1,107	5	7,012	315	1,166	6 0 3
22·23	30th „	27,134	6,396	28,192	1,149	6	7,542	339	1,144	6 9 6
22·23	6th April	33,130	9,042	29,870	1,200	6	10,248	461	1,186	8 10 3
22·23	13th „	42,062	13,690	22,479	868	4	14,558	655	1,454	10 0 2
22·23	20th „	51,123	14,582	18,149	747	5	15,334	691	1,454	10 8 11
22·23	27th „	27,170	6,425	18,344	972	12	7,409	333	1,190	6 3 7
22·23	4th May	28,959	7,568	15,559	609	10	8,187	368	1,190	6 14
22·23	11th „	27,948	6,515	17,179	777	8	7,300	328	1,186	6 2 6
22·23	18th „	27,629	6,194	20,146	695	11	6,900	310	1,186	5 13 1
22·23	25th „	24,569	5,572	49,165	1,281	11	6,864	309	1,188	5 12 5
22·23	1st June	24,718	5,459	23,690	776	11	6,246	281	1,190	5 4 0
22·23	8th „	29,381	6,981	13,987	483	12	6,476	291	1,190	5 7 1
22·23	15th „	23,456	4,980	17,180	635	7	5,631	254	1,190	4 11
22·23	22nd „	24,183	5,291	13,805	473	7	5,771	260	1,186	4 13 10
	Totals up to date	729,831	1,80,768	5,20,560	19,511	236	2,00,515	305	30,356	6 9 8

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th June 1908 on 162·36 miles ope

	Coaching Traffic. No. of	Coaching receipts.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Weight carried.	Receipts.	Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run Coaching.	Merchan-	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	34,645	25,280 0 0	1,67,996 0	11,839 0 0	60 0 0	37,179 0 0	11,672	5,271	16,943
Or per mile of railway	...	155 11 3	...	72 14 8	0 5 11	228 15 10			
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year.	714,407*	5,32,310 0 0*	59,70,365 0†	4,41,803 0 0†	1,375 0 0‡	9,75,488 0 0	278,176§	134,342§	412,518
Total for 24½ weeks	749,052	5,57,590 0 0	61,38,361 0	4,53,642 0 0	1,435 0 0	10,12,667 0 0	289,848	139,613	429,461
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	37,349	23,278 4 10	2,07,845 30	21,866 11 0	43 0 0	45,187 15 10		4,812	16 537
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...		143 6 0		134 10 10	0 4 3	278 5 1			
Total for corresponding 24½ weeks of previous year ..	986,390	7,01,119 5 0	63,21,326 30	4,43,781 7 9	2,324 2 10	11,46,124 15 7	274,003	128,15	402,158

* Added No of passengers 636 and deducted Rs. 2,425 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week
† Do. Mds. 1,43,860 ,, added ,, 8,171 } ended 9th May 1908.
‡ Do. ,, 5
§ Audited figures up to 9th May 1908.

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	30,141	22,330	3,56,576	26,451	104	48,945	301	25,451	1 14 9
*162·36	Week ended 18th ,, ...	23,823	15,731	2,80,201	16,063	59	31,824	196	17,138	1 13 9
*162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	25,899	16,899	2,90,213	19,832	61	36,792	227	18,200	2 0 4
*162·36	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	25,193	16,969	2,47,099	19,080	60	36,059	222	17,108	2 1 9
*162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	25,703	18,006	2,74,281	18,733	65	36,805	227	16,196	2 2 9
*162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	26,118	17,429	2,75,384	17,462	61	34,922	215	16,819	2 1 3
*162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	28,591	20,404	2,13,444	21,138	48	41,590	256	16,709	2 7 10
*162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	28,845	19,137	2,83,824	21,805	59	40,991	251	17,147	2 6 1
*162·36	,, ,, 7th Mar. ...	30,611	19,732	2,91,091	23,684	52	43,468	268	16,946	2 9 1
*162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	31,809	21,962	2,96,265	20,569	47	42,578	263	17,042	2 6 10
*162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	30,501	22,680	2,93,831	22,085	55	44,820	276	17,748	2 8 5
*162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	31,870	26,439	2,30,473	17,143	60	43,692	269	17,631	2 7 8
*162·36	,, ,, 4th April ...	37,359	31,446	4,43,419	36,813	94	68,753	423	18,882	3 10 3
*162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	34,671	25,702	1,70,713	12,676	78	38,456	237	18,710	2 0 11
*162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	29,327	22,672	3,06,290	24,020	39	46,731	288	18,577	2 8 3
*162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	29,934	24,010	3,16,083	22,275	57	46,342	285	17,531	2 10 3
*162·36	,, ,, 2nd May ...	34,400	26,614	2,52,842	19,389	52	46,045	277	17,971	2 8 0
*162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	38,922	30,278	2,92,846	20,623	54	50,955	314	18,824	2 11 4
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	32,348	26,078	1,58,494	11,782	51	37,910	234	17,554	2 3 7
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	33,284	24,437	1,85,921	14,309	68	38,864	239	17,219	2 4 1
162·36	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	32,634	26,371	1,62,508	13,119	70	40,055	247	16,988	2 5 9
162·36	,, ,, 6th June ...	32,655	29,461	1,66,308	11,970	66	41,497	256	17,635	2 5 5
162·36	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	36,369	27,523	1,65,061	11,094	65	38,682	238	17,233	2 3 11
162·36	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	34,645	26,280	1,67,996	11,839	60	37,179	229	16,943	2 3 1
	Totals up to date ...	749,052	5,57,590	61,38,361	4,53,642	1,435	10,12,667	254	429,461	2 5 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concld. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 12 days of Jan. ...	124,110	93,029	4,09,041	27,407	164	1,20,600	780	31,317	4 0 9
162·36	Week ended 19th ,, ...	127,159	68,812	2,94,412	24,225	234	93,269	574	27,697	3 5 11
162·36	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	20,644	20,179	2,87,754	17,188	163	37,530	231	14,250	2 10 2
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Feb. ...	23,100	20,350	3,05,445	14,613	77	35,040	216	14,514	2 6 8
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	67,288	45,890	2,84,394	16,015	342	62,347	383	14,074	4 6 9
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	26,682	17,300	1,09,651	16,904	54	33,358	205	13,644	2 7 1
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	26,603	23,915	2,43,316	13,697	109	37,721	245	13,415	2 15 4
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Mar. ...	26,760	18,504	2,79,638	16,410	67	34,990	216	13,338	2 8 3
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	34,546	23,936	2,14,736	16,088	49	40,075	247	13,395	2 15 10
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	34,518	24,177	2,15,285	17,672	82	41,931	258	14,301	2 13 1
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	29,739	20,867	2,47,757	21,525	44	42,436	261	14,660	2 14 4
162·36	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	29,269	24,632	2,34,105	22,015	39	46,687	288	16,688	2 13 0
162·36	,, ,, 6th April ...	35,586	27,496	3,59,480	23,317	160	50,873	313	16,980	3 3 3
162·36	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	32,691	25,074	1,92,503	14,850	112	40,016	246	16,387	2 7 1
162·36	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	32,718	25,070	1,93,139	17,389	62	42,427	261	16,115	2 10 1
162·36	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	30,246	21,705	2,37,913	18,412	53	40,169	247	15,543	2 9 4
162·36	,, ,, 4th May ...	33,235	23,932	2,90,288	18,081	68	42,081	259	16,441	2 8 11
162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	31,576	21,013	1,55,455	11,850	60	33,539	207	17,017	1 13 11
162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	31,740	23,888	2,52,809	16,901	53	39,842	245	17,404	2 4 8
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	32,182	23,927	2,50,463	16,314	53	39,294	242	17,360	2 4 3
162·36	,, ,, 1st June ...	31,038	23,854	3,30,635	18,421	54	41,329	255	16,675	2 7 8
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	36,792	31,133	2,81,256	19,876	39	51,048	314	17,127	2 15 8
162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	38,170	25,540	2,94,098	20,780	55	46,375	286	16,317	2 13 3
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	37,349	23,278	2,07,846	21,867	43	45,188	278	16,537	2 11 9
	Totals up to date ...	986,390	7,01,119	63,21,327	4,43,783	2,324	11,46,125	284	402,158	2 13 7

* Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 20th June 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	53,000	36,530 0 0	2,66,000 0	46,000 0 0	5,500 0 0	86,000 0 0	15,697	22,506	38,203
Or per mile of railway ...	76·82	47·53	345·01	59·66	6·54	111·73	20·44	29·19	49·63
For previous 24 weeks of half-year	2,607,526	10,69,812 0 0	66,24,781 0	9,25,112 0 0	1,02,357 0 0	20,97,281 0 0	379,724	490,321	870,045
Total for 25 weeks ...	1,660,526	11,06,342 0 0	68,90,781 0	9,71,112 0 0	1,07,857 0 0	21,83,281 0 0	395,421	513,427	908,848
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	55,200	31,898 0 0	3,34,849 0	53,612 0 0	11,037 0 0	97,447 0 0	14,488	17,991	32,479
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	71·87	41·53	434·30	69·54	15 48	1126·35	18·86	23·33	42·19
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,579,839	9,97,439 0 0	78,97,372 0	11,11,389		22,45,886 0 0	345,452	473,447	818,899

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

Receipts for week ending 20th June 1908.			Receipts for week ending 22nd June 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 20th June 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 22nd June 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
771				97,447	126·55	771	9,[illegible]55	...	771	10,06,247	...		

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 20th June 1908 on 1,797 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs (a)	Mds.	Rs (b)	Rs.	Rs.		(c)	
Total traffic for the week on 1,797 miles open	462,290	1,90,490	9,33,370	1,27,960	23,340	3,41,700	54,998	47,796	102,791
Or per mile of railway	257·26	106·03	519·40	71·21	12·99	190·20	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year (d)	8,439,786	35,54,756	2,76,34,150	38,60,551	6,07,258	80,22,565	1,336,311	1,129,825	2,466,136
Total for 24½ weeks ...	8,902,076	37,45,246	2,85,67,520	39,88,511	6,30,598	83,64,355	1,391,306	1,177,621	2,568,927
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,638 miles open	376,865	1,44,719	18,31,071	1,93,378	23,966	3,62,063	52,015	(e) 51,326	103,941
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	221·04	85·23	783·91	113·80	14·11	213·23	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	8,251,107	35,17,345	3,25,68,338	46,23,383	6,92,614	88,33,342	1,269,173	1,250,642	2,519,815
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		3·46		2·68	·23	3·96			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		2·75		3·77	·23	3·14			

(a) General increase principally due to heavy coolie traffic *vid* Katihar.
(b) Decrease mainly under foreign inward due to grain traffic to Bengal in 1907.
(c) Includes 2,960 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes audited figures up to week ending 2nd May 1908.
(e) Includes 3,938 miles of ballast trains

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3741A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3551A.—The 9th July 1908.*—Babu Prasanna Kumar Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, who was employed on settlement duty in the Burdwan district, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district, with effect from the 1st July 1908.

Burdwan.

No. 3557A.—The 10th July 1908.—Babu Sharat Chandra Sen Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Champaran district, on relinquishing charge of his special Land Acquisition work in the districts of Bhagalpur and Monghyr.

Champaran. Bhagalpur. Monghyr.

No. 3574A.—The 10th July 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Latif Alam, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Hazaribagh district.

Patna. Hazaribagh.

No. 3634A.—The 13th July 1908.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabatti, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district on relinquishing charge of his Settlement duties in Bihar.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3654A.—The 14th July 1908.—Babu Manmatha Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Sambalpur district, on being relieved of his appointment as Special Excise Deputy Collector, Ranchi.

Sambalpur. Ranchi.

This cancels the order of the 27th May 1908, posting Babu Manmatha Nath Sen to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district.

Murshidabad.

No. 3660A.—The 14th July 1908.—The order of the 6th July 1908, transferring Babu Nabin Chandra Kar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, to the head-quarters station of the Sambalpur district, is cancelled.

Bankura. Sambalpur.

No. 3663A.—The 14th July 1908.—Maulvi Bazl-ul Karim, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Nadia district.

Nadia.

This cancels the order of the 6th July 908, posting Maulvi Bazl-ul Karim to the head-quarters station of the Bankura district.

Bankura.

No. 3687A.—The 14th July 1908.—Lieutenant H. L. Fraser, 10th (Prince of Wales's Own Royal) Hussars, is appointed to be Private Secretary to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, with effect from the afternoon of the 8th July 1908.

Calcutta.

No 3736A.—The 14th July 1908.—The Probationary Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors and are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Mr. J. M. Christian	...	... Patna.
Babu Nritya Lal Mukharji	...	... Nadia.
„ Akhauri Gopi Kishor Lal	...	... Palamau.
Mr. I. Y. Downing ...	...	... Purnea.

EDUCATION.—*No. 788A.D.—The 16th May 1908.*—Mr. O. Paul Monckton, B.A., is appointed temporarily to the Indian Educational Service, and to act as a Professor in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, during the absence, on deputation, of Dr. C. E. Cullis, or until further orders.

Sibpur. Howrah.

No. 3689A.—The 14th July 1908.—The late Mr. George Robertson Watt, who was appointed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to be a member of the Indian Educational Service and posted to Bengal, acted as a Professor in the Presidency College from the 22nd May to the 11th June 1908.

Calcutta.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 1871A.D.—The 30th June 1908.*—The Rev. Dr. H. B. Cogan, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is appointed to act as Junior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, with effect from the afternoon of the 2nd July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may assume charge of the duties.

Calcutta.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 3605A.—The 11th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Izhar Husain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purnea, is promoted substantively to the sixth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, with effect from the date of his reversion to Bengal.

Purnea.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3652A.—The 14th July 1908.*—The order of the 3rd July 1908, granting privilege leave for three months to Babu Akshay Kumar Sur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is cancelled.

Murshidabad.

No. 3713A.—The 14th July 1908.—Kumar Girindra Narayan Deb, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for thirty-five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 25th June 1908.

24-Parganas.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3719A.—The 14th July 1908.*—Babu Shyama Das Mukharji, Professor, Presidency College, is allowed leave for two months, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Calcutta.

EXCISE.—*No. 3595A.—The 11th July 1908.*—Mr. C. H. Crosse, Special Excise Deputy Collector, Manbhum, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Manbhum.

POWERS.

No. 3608A.—The 11th July 1908.—Mr. Emmanuel Cyril Prabal, Deputy Collector, Puri, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Puri.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 8th July 1908:—

No. 2659A.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Srish Chandra Ray, Munsif of Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th July 1908, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 2660A.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Nagendra Nath Bhattacharji, Munsif of Hathazari, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave for one month, viz., eight days under article 260, six days under article 274, and the remaining period under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 18th May 1908.

No. 2921G.—The 1st July 1908.—The services of the Rev. H. B. Cogan, D.D., Chaplain of Dacca, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 2nd July 1908.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3725A.—The 14th July 1908.—Babu Manmatha Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, having passed an examination in the Mundari language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 28th May 1895, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000 (one thousand).

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2444For.—The 13th July 1908.—In supersession of the Notification No. 1349T.R. dated the 27th June 1908, combined leave for six months (three months' privilege leave and three months' medical leave), under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, is granted to Mr. A. H. Mee, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, in charge of Angul Division, with effect from the 8th June 1908.

Angul.

Mr. R. G. A. Hannah, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, Puri Division, will hold charge of the Angul Division, in addition to his own duties, till further orders.

No. 2460L.R.—The 13th July 1908.—Babu Nilmoni De, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Bhagalpur, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, from the 10th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

Bhagalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2359L.A.—The 8th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the District Board, Howrah, for construction of an inspection bungalow at Shampur, in the village of Shampur, pargana Mandalghat, district Howrah, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 1 cottah 10 chataks and 34 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Howrah.

North—By Jharoo Chandra Perel's land,
East—By Madhab Chandra Porel's land,
South—By road to thana,
West—By Local Board road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Shampur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Howrah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2360L.A.—The 8th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for Equitable Coal Company's siding, Nos. 7 and 8 pits, Jamooria Colliery, off Toposi-Baraboni Loop, in the village of Jamooria, pargana Shergurh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 25 bighas 8 cottahs and 5·33 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and south by the garden lands of Hari Pal and Ganga Pal, cultivated lands of Haray, Chatterjee, Gokul Ghosal, Jadab Vandari, Protap Vandari, Saroda Vandari, Ramjan Musalman, Hari Mondal, Mathan Mukherjie, Kali Prosonna Laik, Murari Banerjie, Jagoo Mondal, Karali Chakrabarty, Sristidhar Mondal, Jadab Adhikari, Ram Chandra Roy, Keneram Bagdi, Bonowari Das, Sitaram Adhikari, khas danga, Gopal garia tank, Dumuria tank and Dasher bandh tank, on the east by the East Indian Railway Company's land, and on the west by the cultivated land of Suchand Pathar, is required within the aforesaid village of Jamooria.

Burdwan.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2419 L.A.—The 11th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a cross dam over the Arapanch khal, in the villages of Radhanagar (Goletala) and Natagachi (Addy's Abad), pargana Medan Molla, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 bighas 17 cottahs 9 chitaks 5 square feet of standard measurement—

24-Parganas.

Plot I.—North, west and south by the village land of Radhanagar (Goletala), and on the east by the Arapanch khal,

Plot II.—North, east and south by the village land of Natagachi (Addy's Abad), and on the west by the Arapanch-khal,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Radhanagar (Goletala) and Natagachi (Addy's Abad).

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, 13, Kyd Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2422 L.A.—The 11th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Slaughter-house off Halliday Street, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, part of No. 112-1, Harrison Road, in Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 6 cottahs, is required. The boundaries of the land are as follows:—

24-Parganas.

North—By the remaining portion of No. 112-1, Harrison Road.
South—By No. 110-2, Harrison Road, the Municipal Slaughter-house.
East and West—By public road.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Corporation.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2427 L.A.—The 11th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the extension of Chaiturdih siding for Lachipur Coal Company, in the village of Chaiturdih, pargana Nowaghor, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land with a width of 100 feet, more or less, running from north to south and passing through the village of Chaiturdih, measuring, more or less, 14 bighas 8 cottahs 14·22 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Chaiturdih.

Manbhum.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Resident Engineer, East Indian Railway, Dhanbaid, and that of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Manbhum.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2429 L.A.—The 11th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a cholera shed with an approach road in the village Bongaon,

Jessore.

pargana Khoshdaha, district Jessore, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 cottahs 12·88 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north, east and west by land of Babus Srinath Pal Chaudhury and Nafar Chandra Pal Chaudhury, and on the south by approach road to Bongaon Railway station, is required within the aforesaid village of Bongaon.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Collector of Bongaon.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2438L.A.—The 13th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Barasat-Basirhat Light Railway Company, for a public purpose, viz., for Taki and Hashnabad yards with approaches of the Barasat-Basirhat Light Railway extension, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land about 7,450 feet long varying in width from 25 feet to 300 feet, (measuring, more or less, 29 bighas 1 cottah and 6 chitaks of standard measurement,) and passing through or by the villages of Thoobha, Rajipur and Naskarnagar, parganas Agarpara and Maihati, district 24-Parganas, is required within the aforesaid villages of Thoobha, Rajipur and Naskarnagar.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Messrs. Martin & Co., 6 & 7, Clive Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2441L.A.—The 13th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for extra siding accommodation for stacking empties at Ondal in the village of Ramprasadpur, pargana Shergurh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 21 bighas 9 cottahs 13·77 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and east by the East Indian Railway Company's land, on the south by the khas danga land, two tanks belonging to Chaitan Dass, road leading to level crossing No. 122, Sarma bandh and paddy lands of Bepin Laik, Ishan Laik, Godai Babu, Nanda Babu, Beni Babu, Paran Mondol and Benode Goswami, and on the west by the paddy lands of Benode Goswami, is required within the aforesaid village of Ramprasadpur

Burdwan.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, H.-K. Railway, Hooghly, as well as in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2461L.A.—The 13th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway Company, Limited, for Golabari station on the Barasat-Basirhat Light Railway, in the village of Tegharia, pargana Anwarpur, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the District Board road,
East—By the remaining land of Gohlam Rahaman Mandal,
South—By the remaining land of Gohlam Rahaman Mandal, Montaz Sarkar and Sasi Bhusan Chatterjee,
West—By the remaining land of Sasi Bhusan Chatterjee.

is required within the aforesaid village of Tegharia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Messrs. Martin and Company, 6 and 7, Clive Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 2463L.A.—The 13th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of two retied lines of embankment at Narainpur in miles 187 and 188 of Schedule D Embankment No. 90, in the villages of Lakhinaraynpur and Narainpur, pargana Medan Molla, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 68 bighas 5 cottahs 7 chitaks and 20 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Plot I—North and south by the land of Lakhinaraynpur, and east and west by the Government embankment land,

Plot II—North by the Government embankment and village land of Narainpur, east by the village land of Narainpur, and south and west by the village land of Narainpur,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Lakhinarayanpur and Narainpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, 13, Kyd Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE.
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 2465L.A.—The 13th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for extending Birati station yard, in the village of Birati, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 15 cottahs 6 chitaks 27 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north and west by the Eastern Bengal State Railway land, and on the east and south by the remaining land belonging to Basiraddin Mandal and Golapnabi Mandal, is required within the aforesaid village of Birati

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Ranaghat District, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Puri.

No. 2487—The 14th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Puri Lodging-house Committee for a public purpose, viz., for the site of the rest-house which Seth Dooly Chand proposes to erect for the use of the public in the village of Dolmandap Sahi, pargana Kahang, zilla Puri, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·110 acre of standard measurement, bounded on the north by plots Nos. 5, 7, 8 and 15, belonging to Mahunt Jagannath Ramanuj Das (called Narendra Mahalla), on the south by plots Nos. 33 and 34, belonging to Narayan Khuntia and others, known as Parihary Nijog; on the east by Seth Dooly Chand's Rest-house (plots Nos. 16 and 18 already acquired), and on the west by plot No. 1 (drain) and beyond that by plot No. 2 (Bardand), is required within the aforesaid village of Dolmandap Sahi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Puri.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION No. $\frac{3}{E\,9}$.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PROVINCIAL SURVEYS, BENGAL.

MR. B. F. COOPER, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, 3rd grade, attached to No. 6 Party (Eastern Bengal), Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for two months on medical certificate, with effect from 1st June 1908, under Article 260, Civil Service Regulations.

F. C. HIRST, CAPTAIN, I.A.,
Offg Superintendent of Provincial Surveys, Bengal.

HAZARIBÁGH, *the 11th June 1908.*

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

REGISTRATION.

No. 2906.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Sarada Charan Gan, Sub-Registrar, Kaliganj, in the district of Khulna, was granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd May to the 13th June 1908, both days inclusive.

Khulna.

No. 2908.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Chuni Lal Sil, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Burdwan, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj, in the district of Khulna, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent.

Burdwan. Khulna.

No. 2910.—The 9th July 1908.—Maulvi Mihir Ali Mallik, Sub-Registrar, Tengra, in the district of 24-Parganas, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 28th April 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

24-Parganas.

No. 2912.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Sita Nath Bose is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Tengra, in the district of 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 2914.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Girija Nath Ghose is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Paikgacha, in the district of Khulna, with effect from the afternoon of the 26th May 1908, during the absence, on deputation, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 2916.—The 9th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Saiyid-ul-Aziz, Sub-Registrar, Muzaffarpur, is appointed temporarily, with effect from the 11th June 1908, to act as Sub-Registrar, Lalganj, in the same district, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 2878.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Abinash Chandra Mitra, District Sub-Registrar, Bankura, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 21st April 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Bankura.

No. 2880.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Charu Chandra Mitra, Sub-Registrar, Maimari, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar, Bankura, with effect from the 12th May 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent District Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

Burdwan. Bankura.

No. 2882.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Krishna Kali Dutt is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Memari, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th May to the afternoon of the 25th June 1908.

Burdwan.

No. 2884.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, Sub-Registrar, Nundigram, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub Registrar of Contai, in that district, with effect from the 9th June 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 2886.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Madhusudan Das, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Nandigram, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 7th June 1908, during the Sub-Registrar's absence on deputation as Sub-Registrar of Contai.

Midnapore.

No. 3049.—The 14th July 1908.—Babu Bijay Lal Ghose, Sub-Registrar, Mollahat, in the district of Khulna, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 20th March 1908.

Khulna.

No. 3092.—The 14th July 1908.—Under the provisions of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act, III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the opening, temporarily for three months, of an office of Joint Sub-Registrar at Jajpur, in the district of Cuttack, having concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registrar of Jajpur. This Notification will take effect on and from the date of the opening of the office.

Jajpur.

H. C. STRATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 446-O.—The 11th July 1908.—Mr. W. B. Talbot, Assistant Opium Agent, Chapra, on leave, reported his departure from India on the forenoon of the 15th June 1908.

Saran.

No. 450-O.—The 10th July 1908.—Mr. J. C. Sarkies, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Lucknow, is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1908.

Lucknow.

No. 451-O.—The 13th July 1908.—Mr. P. P. Donlea, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed, until the return of Mr. A. H. Biss from leave, to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Aliganj, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. L. L. Reed.

Aliganj (Siwan).

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1137Medl.—The 11th July 1908.—Assistant Surgeon Chandra Kanta Chakravarti, attached to the Chapra Dispensary, held medical charge of the Civil station and Jail, Saran, in addition to his own duties from the 25th March to the 24th April 1905.

Saran.

No. 1150Medl.—The 11th July 1908.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Hari Mohan Sen is promoted to the senior grade.

No. 1169Medl.—The 11th July 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Sharat Chandra Datta, attached to the Charitable Dispensary at Purnea, held medical charge of the Civil station of that district, in addition to his own duties, from the afternoon of the 21st to the forenoon of the 26th June 1908.

Purnea.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3742A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1721A.D.—The 24th June 1908.—Babu Kanti Chandra Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Bhagalpur, with effect from the 2nd July 1908.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3641A.—The 15th July 1908.—Babu Shiba Nandan Prasad, B.L., is appointed to act as an Additional Munsif in the district of Darbhanga, but for the present to be on deputation to Samastipur, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Thakur Dayal, or until further orders.

Darbhanga.

No. 3691A.—The 14th July 1908.—Babu Krishna Sahay, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Muzaffarpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Motihari, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ashutosh Ghosh (No. I), or until further orders.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3717A.—The 14th July 1908.—Babu Surendra Nath Ray, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Lal Bihari Chatarji, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

LEAVE.

No. 3723A.—The 30th June 1908.—Maulvi Wali Muhammad, Munsif of Katihar, in the district of Purnea, is allowed leave for twenty days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th July 1908.

Purnea.

No. 3724A.—The 1st July 1908.—Babu Banamali Sen, Munsif of Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th August 1908, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

24-Parganas.

The 1st July 1908.—Babu Bijay Gopal Chatarji, Munsif of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for forty-two days, viz., three days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Jessore.

No. 3538A.—The 8th July 1908.—Babu Nistaran Banarji. Subordinate Judge, is allowed furlough for three months, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in combination with the privilege leave granted to him under the order of the 25th April 1908.

No. 3703A.—The 6th July 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Ghosh (No. I), Munsif of Motihari, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3704A.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Lal Bihari Chatarji, Munsif of Midnapore, is allowed leave for two weeks, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th July 1908.

Midnapore.

No. 3705A.—The 10th July 1908.—Babu Thakur Dayal, Additional Munsif of Samastipur, in the district of Darbhanga, is allowed leave for thirty days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he was relieved.

Darbhanga.

No. 3706A.—The 13th July 1908.—Babu Ram Lal Das, Munsif of Patna, is allowed leave for four days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 3rd June 1908.

Patna.

POWERS.

No. 3551A.—The 9th July 1908.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Banarji, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Burdwan district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Burdwan.

No. 3567A.—The 10th July 1908.—Babu Sharat Chandra Sen Gupta, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Champaran district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Champaran.

No. 3580A.—The 10th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. E. A. Oakley, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Purnea, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Purnea.

Mr. E. A. Oakley is also vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 3628A.—The 11th July 1908.—Babu Dhirakshan Singh, Deputy Magistrate, Manbhum, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Manbhum.

No. 3634A.—The 13th July 1908.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabatti, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3671A.—The 14th July 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Sarkar, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Khulna, is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Khulna.

Khulna.

No. 3715A.—The 14th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. J. Byrne, I.C.S., a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Ranchi, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Ranchi.

Mr. Byrne is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and also, under section 407 (2) of that Code, with power to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes.

No. 3721A.—The 14th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Har Sahay Lal, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Champaran, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Champaran.

Babu Har Sahay Lal is also vested with powers under section 153 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 3727A.—The 14th July 1908.—Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub section (2), section 8, of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to invest Babu Ram Sadan Bhattacherji, Deputy Magistrate, Murshidabad, with the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of the said section.

Murshidabad.

No. 8736A.—The 14th July 1908.—The officers, named below, who have, under the order of this date, been appointed as substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrates of the eighth grade, and posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class :—

Mr. J. M. Christian	Patna.
Babu Nritya Lal Mukharji	Nadia.
,, Akhauri Gopi Kishor Lal	Palamau.
Mr. I. Y. Downing	Purnea.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS

No. 1985J.—The 7th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Baranasi Prasad Singh to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Begusarai Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr.

Monghyr.

No. 2010J.—The 8th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Malik Mukhtar Ahmad and Babu Amar Nath Singh to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Bihar Independent Bench, in the district of Patna.

Patna.

No. 2033J.—The 8th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Bijay Lal Datta to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Basirhat Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Basirhat subdivision of that district and is empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24-Parganas.

RESIGNATION.

No. 2088J.—The 11th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Maulvi Saiyid Riza Kuli Khan of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Jamui Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr.

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H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2142J.—The 13th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-section (2), of the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased, in supersession of the notification by the Government of Bengal, Revenue and General Departments, dated the 10th August 1871, to define the limits of the Alipore Cantonment (Indian Infantry Lines) as follows :—

No 1 boundary pillar is at the north-west corner of the Cantonment on the east side of the Kidderpore Road and at the entrance to the Officers' Mess.

From No. I boundary pillar to the north-east corner of porch of No. 2 Budge Budge Road, bearing is true north 238°-24′. From same pillar to south-west corner, officers' stables bearing is 98°-58′ true north.

From this pillar to north west corner of north Gate Post true bearing 78°-14′, distance 67 feet.

From this pillar to south-west corner of "pukka" stables "Woodlands" residence distance 148 feet, bearing true north 48°-41′.

Boundary Pillars.	Description.	Forward bearing from True North.		Direct Horizontal distance in feet.
		Degrees.	Minutes.	
1—2	From No. 1 the boundary runs along the east side of the Kidderpore Road and in a southerly direction to No 2.	191	22	690
2—3	From No. 2 the boundary still runs in a southerly direction and alongside the Kidderpore Road to No. 3 which is at the junction of Kidderpore Road and Alipore Lane. From No. 2 boundary pillar to No. 2 boundary pillar of Regimental bazar, distance 81 feet, bearing 113°-10′ true north.	190	4	638

Boundary pillars.	Description.	Forward bearing from True North		Direct Horizontal Distance in feet.
		Degrees.	Minutes.	
3—4	From No. 3 the boundary runs in an easterly direction along Alipore Lane on north side of drain to No. 4 which is close to the gate to Band-Master's house.	108	9	151½
4—5	From No. 4 the boundary runs in an easterly direction on the north side of drain along Alipore Lane to No. 5 which is near culvert over drain.	109	50	278½
5—6	From No. 5 the boundary runs in an easterly direction on north side of drain along Alipore Lane to No. 6.	104	41	567½
6—7	From No. 6 the boundary runs in a south-easterly direction on north side of drain to No. 7, which is at corner of the wall of private residence where it meets Alipore Lane.	128	9	99½
7—8	From No. 7 the boundary runs in an easterly direction along the face of the same wall of private residence noted above to No. 8, which is at a corner where two walls of private residence join.	92	14	496
8—9	From No. 8 the boundary runs along wall of same private residence in a northerly direction to No 9, which is at a corner where two walls of private residence join.	8	33	140
9—10	From No. 9 the boundary runs in an easterly direction towards Alipore Road to No. 10, which is on the west side of drain along Alipore Road.	92	26	171½
10—11	From No. 10 the boundary runs in a northerly direction on west side of drain running along Alipore Road to No. 11 which is at the corner of hedge of private residence "Woodlands" on west side of drain.	7	26	1,436
11—12	From No. 11 the boundary runs in a westerly direction on the south side of nullah running along boundary fences of private residence "Woodlands" to No. 12, which is at the back of servants' quarters.	275	23	773½
12—13	From No. 12 the boundary runs in westerly direction, keeping on the south side of above nullah to No. 13, which is south of the above nullah, and at a corner where fence of private residence "Woodlands" meets Kidderpore Road.	275	6	820
13—1	From No. 13 the boundary runs in south-westerly direction to No. 1.	233	8	103

No. 2143J.—The 13th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-section (2), of the Cantonments Act, 1898 (XIII of 1898), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased, in supersession of the notifications by the Government of Bengal, in the Judicial Department, cited in the margin, to define the limits of the Alipore (Hospital) Cantonment (the Indian Cavalry Lines and the Hospital for Indian Troops) as follows:—

Notification dated the 23rd November 1875.
Notification No. 130J., dated the 10th January 1898.

No. 1 pillar is situated north of culvert at junction of Alipore Road and road to Meteorological Observatory.

From centre of No. 1 pillar to centre of north gate pillar is four feet and to Zoological Compound wall 6 feet 10 inches. The magnetic bearing from No. 1 pillar to outer edge of northernmost pillar of Upper Verandah "Belvedere" is 112°-4′ and to north-east corner of masonry obelisk at base is 313°-10′..

Magnetic variation 1·25 East.

Boundary pillars.	Description.	Magnetic bearing		Distance in feet.
		Degrees.	Minutes.	
1—2	From pillar No. 1 the boundary follows road in a straight line between pillar No. 1 to pillar No. 2, which is against the Zoological Garden Compound wall and 18′ to the North from centre of road.	298	15	149
2—3	From pillar No. 2 the boundary follows road to pillar No. 3, which is situated near south-west corner of Meteorological Observatory wall.	310	27	533
3—4	From pillar No. 3 the boundary continues along road to pillar No. 4, which is situated north of culvert in road leading into Native Cavalry Lines.	264	56	991
4—5	From pillar No. 4 the boundary runs parallel to Diamond Harbour Road to pillar No. 5, being situated east of Diamond Harbour Road side drain and just south of followers' quarters.	181	50	481
5—6	From pillar No. 5 the boundary continues almost due south to pillar No. 6, which is situated on the north of Sterndale Road at its junction with the Diamond Harbour Road.	188	10	15[illegible]
6—7	From pillar No 6 the boundary runs along south edge of Tank to pillar No. 7, being about 6 feet from a large Simal tree.	104		16
7—8	From pillar No 7 the boundary continues parallel to Sterndale Road to pillar No. 8, being situated at south-east corner of Dhoby's Tank.	91	22	41
8—9	From pillar No. 8 the boundary still runs parallel to road to pillar No. 9, being 37 feet to north measured from centre of road.	91	19	413
9—10	From pillar No. 9 the boundary still runs parallel to road to pillar No. 10, which is at corner of Alipore and Sterndale Roads.	91	14	538
10—1	From pillar No. 10 the boundary runs almost due north along Alipore Road side drain to No. 1 pillar as described before.		20	

H. C. Streatfeild,
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DECLARATION.

No. 2102J.—The 11th July 1908.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government under the provisions of Act 1 of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885 for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Loyabad siding, which takes off the Dhanbaid-Katras Branch at mile 172 furlong 4 and feet 517, and whereas coal mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Barakar Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seam known as No. 14 seam, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Barakar Coal Company, Limited, have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which

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the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act, XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Barakar Coal Company, Limited, in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.—

(*a*) No coal shall be extracted to the north of the red line R. L. on the plan L.A.M.A. No. 31B;

(*b*) To the south of the red line, galleries may be driven in approximately the direction of the strike line, provided that the centre line of the most northerly gallery to be driven shall be 60 feet from the centre of the gallery immediately north of the red line R. L. and the remaining galleries shall be 60 feet from each other centre to centre.

(*c*) All such galleries shall not exceed 8 feet in width and 8 feet in height, provided that in the whole distance from R. L. to the south boundary of the land acquired, two galleries may be driven 12 feet wide by 10 feet high;

(*d*) These restrictions apply to No. 14 seam only and to the area edged with pink on the plan L.A.M.A. No. 31B, and the Barakar Coal Company, Limited, shall give notice of their intention to work any other seam under the above area, or to work coal under any other area of acquired land—

and that in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L.A.M.A., No. 31B, signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

H. C. STREATFEILD,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2135J.—The 13th July 1908.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government, under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz, for such portion of the Surataur Siding of the East Indian Railway, which takes off the Damuda Branch at mile 175·2577, as is shown on the plan L.A.M.A. No. 4 (*c*), and whereas coal-mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Standard Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seam known as No 14A seam, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likley to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Standard Coal Company, Limited, have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

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Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Standard Coal Company, Limited, in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.:—

(*a*) no galleries shall be driven except immediately under such galleries as have been driven in No. 15 seam, or will be driven in No. 15 seam in accordance with Notification No. 331 of the 16th January 1905, gallery under gallery and pillar under pillar. Such galleries shall not exceed 10 feet in width and the thickness of the seam in height;

(*b*) no gallery shall be driven under such galleries in No. 15 seam, which are coloured yellow on the plan L.A.M.A. No. 4 (*c*);

(*c*) such staple pits as are required may be sunk from one seam to the other, but only from an existing gallery in No. 15 seam or any gallery in No. 15 seam, which may hereinafter be driven in accordance with Notification No. 331 of the 16th January 1905, and no staple pit shall be sunk from any gallery in No. 15 seam which is coloured yellow on the plan L.A.M.A. No. 4 (*c*) ;

(*d*) these restrictions shall apply to No. 14A seam only, and to the area edged with pink on plan L.A.M.A. No. 4 (*c*), and the Standard Coal Company, Limited, shall give notice of their intention to work any other seam under the above area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land ;

and that in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L.A.M.A. No. 4 (*c*) signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

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POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Balasore. *No. 2140P.—The 13th July 1908.*—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Prabhakar Naik, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XA, Borsor, in thana Dhamnagar, in the district of Balasore, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Prabhakar Naik for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

Hooghly. *No. 2143P.—The 13th July 1908.*—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Shaikh Musl-ud-din Sarkar, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of the Balligori Union of the Tarakeswar Independent outpost, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Nirad Baran Ray, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Shaikh Musl-ud-din Sarkar for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

Monghyr. *No. 2091P.—The 11th July 1908.*—The Notification No. 5564J., dated the 20th December 1904, published at pages 1853 to 1855, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, declaring, under section 4, clause 1 (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, certain police outposts in the district of Monghyr to be police-stations for the local areas therein specified, in so far as it relates to the Nawadih outpost, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2092P.—The 11th July 1908.—Under section 4, clause 1 (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor declares the Nawadih Independent outpost, in the district of Monghyr, to be a police-station for the local areas specified below:—

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	Boundaries.	Names of villages included in jurisdiction.
	Boundaries of Union 7.	
Nawadih Independent outpost.	*North*—Tapakhaniri, police-station Kataria, district Bhagalpur. Pasraha, ditto Gurha, ditto Lahernia, ditto Pilhua, ditto *East*—Ahra, police-station Kataria, district Bhagalpur. Khasna, ditto Goraina, ditto Pipradih, ditto Chanduari, ditto Bharsar, ditto Bhandra, police-station Chakai. Basatpur, ditto *South*—Birajpur, police-station Chakai, district Bhagalpur. Dhamania, ditto Baghwa, ditto Amadar, ditto *West*—Nargango, police-station Chakai, district Bhagalpur. Pachkathia, ditto	(1) Dario, (2) Dhanna, (3) Dumri, (4) Mahansri, (5) Gandar, (6) Soro, (7) Mansingh Chak *alias* Churchitt, (8) Sahar Phorka, (9) Huthia, (10) Ramdaspur, (11) Singhari, (12) Dhiba, (13) Dadpur, (14) Khanraya Jamo, (15) Machandra, (16) Dhamna, (17) Keshopur, (18) Mohanpur, (19) Kanhai Phorka, (20) Khesho Phorka, (21) Ghutway, (22) Mangrar Laluka, (23) Simurtala, (24) Lohabone, (25) Jhajha station, (26) Dookli, (27) Bazar Tailwa, (28) Gondalwari, (29) Dumukwa, (30) Chamuraidih, (31) Gadi Tailwa, (32) Gouri Bahiar, (33) Ghusitari, (34) Nawadih, (35) Chowdharwa, (36) Dhobi Tola, (37) Simultala, (38) Sia Tanr, (39) Pandua, (40) Dhadri, (41) Bangama, (42) Gopla Muran, (43) Barandhia, (44) Manjhiakura, (45) Barbia Buri, (46) Patharchatti, (47) Arpathal, (48) Mandhar Din, (49) Padaria, (50) Nagway, (51) Asahna, (52) Gadia, (53) Slagpara, (54) Taran, (55) Damgitar, (56) Kharodha, (57) Nanhuasar, (58) Ghatari, (59) Battona Bazar, (60) Harlewa Tour, (61) Khaba, (62) Khurna, (63) Dhadhree, (64) Kanodi, (65) Salkhodih, (66) Nagway, (67) Bastiadih, (68) Tilona, (69) Burn Tour, (70 Kurwa, (71) Baghwa, (72) Tetihichak, (73) Nawsari, (74) Kenduar, (75) Upercherwa, (76) Dhadhri, (77) Chereia, (78) Nowka Ser, (79) Dhabatia, (80) Khurna, (81) Lilabaran, (82) Harhar, (83) Chamorwadih, (84) Tarwa, (85) Dahua, (86) Ghorparan, (87) Bechli Tour, (88) Patwa.

No. 2165P.—The 13th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 25 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that searches referred to in that section may in the town of Calcutta, as defined in section 3 of the Calcutta Police Act, 1866, and in the suburbs of Calcutta, as defined under section 1 of the Calcutta Suburban Police Act, 1866, be conducted by, or in the presence of, any Police-officer not below the grade of Sub-Inspector.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 30 of the said Indian Arms Act, 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that searches referred to in that section shall, in the town and suburbs of Calcutta, as defined as aforesaid, be made in the presence of a Magistrate or a Police-officer not below the grade of Sub-Inspector.

3. The following rules are hereby cancelled, in so far as they apply to the town and suburbs of Calcutta, as defined as aforesaid, namely:—

(1) rule 5 of the rules published under the notification, dated the 24th March 1879, at pages 267-69 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th March 1879;

(2) rule 5 (*a*) of the rules published under the notification, dated the 15th August 1879, at page 850 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th August 1879; and

(3) rule 5 (*a*) of the rules published under the notification, dated the 28th January 1889, at page 73 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th January 1889.

No. 2178P.—The 14th July 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the "Saifganj" police-station in subdivision Kissenganj of the district of Purnea shall henceforth be known as the "Katihar" police-station.

Purnea.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 9th July 1908.

No. 128.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 103 of the rules made by the Governor-General in Council, under section 33 of the Indian Electricity Act (III of 1903), and published as Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 122, dated the 11th September 1906, in Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th idem, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint Mr. R. J. Browne as the Electric Inspector for the province of Bengal.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 131.—Babu Shailendra Nath Banarji, Assistant Engineer, passed the colloquial examination in Hindustani on 25th June 1908.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 9th July 1908.

No. 129.—Babu Raghabananda Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, Revenue Division, Orissa Canals, is granted, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from 6th July 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 10th July 1908.

No. 130.—Corrigendum.—In Bengal Government Notification No. 126, dated the 7th July 1908, *for* "Gnish" *read* "Srish."

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

WATER-RATE RULES FOR THE TEUR (MADHUBAN) CANAL.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 8.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 78 and 99 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to make, with effect from the 1st August 1908 the following water-rate rules and to fix the undermentioned rates to be charged for water supplied from the Teur (Madhuban) Canal, in supersession of those now in force.

A draft of these rules and rates was published at pages 1086—1102, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th June 1908 as Notification No. 7, dated the 6th idem.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL CONDITIONS.

1. The revenue administration of the Teur (Madhuban) Canal is vested in the Superintending Engineer of the Gandak Circle. The Divisional Canal Officer is responsible for maintaining the Canal in an efficient condition, for the distribution of water to the lessees, and for the closing of the outlets in rotation when required; he is further responsible for the assessment of water-rates.

2. The Collector of the district is responsible for the collection of water-rates.

3. Except as provided in the Act and in these rules, no appeal shall lie from an order passed by a Canal Officer, but the Subdivisional Canal Officer shall modify any order passed by him in accordance with the order of the Divisional Canal Officer, and the Subdivisional Canal Officer or Divisional Canal Officer shall modify any order passed by him in accordance with the orders of the Superintending Canal Officer, who shall exercise a general control over the proceedings of all Canal Officers.

4. In appeals to the Collector under section 91 of the Act other than those especially provided for in rule 16, the Collector may require the Superintending Engineer to state his opinion in writing, which opinion shall form part of the record of the proceedings of the case.

ON APPLICATIONS.

5. Any person who requires a lease for water may apply to—

(*a*) the Sectional Officer, or
(*b*) the Subdivisional Canal Officer.

These preliminary applications must be made in writing and may be on plain paper. The person receiving them shall enter on the back any further data required.

ON LEASES AND PERMITS.

6. Leases for a term of 3 years may be granted under the following conditions :—

(i) The lands to be irrigated must constitute a block with defined boundaries and be so situated that adjoining lands will not ordinarily or probably be irrigated with water supplied.
(ii) All the irrigable lands within the limits of the block must be included.
(iii) Sufficient distributing channels must be provided to enable the irrigation to be carried on without waste of water.
(iv) No lease will be granted when the water must cross unleased lands unless there is a channel which will, in the opinion of the Subdivisional Canal Officer, convey the water across the intervening land without waste.

Applications for leases for a term of years will be received up to 1st May in each year. It shall be within the discretion of the Divisional Canal Officer to accept or decline applications for such leases if presented at a later date.

7. The Divisional Canal Officer shall issue permits for leases for a term of years to the lessee through the Subdivisional Canal Officer.

8. When water is required, pending the completion of a lease for a term of years, the Subdivisional Canal Officer may, on application, grant a season lease which will be cancelled if the lease for a term of years is subsequently concluded.

9. Season leases for the supply of water for any crop may be granted, on application, by the Subdivisional Canal Officer.

10. When a lease is granted, an agreement shall be taken in forms given in Appendices I, III, IVA, IVB, VII and IX and a "permit" shall be given to the lessee or lessees in forms given in Appendices II, IV, IVC, X and XI.

11. Water for filling tanks may be supplied when available for cash paid in advance; the water taken into the tanks may be used for irrigation or any other purpose (forms of application and permit are given in Appendices V and VI).

ON WATER-RATES.

12. The following rates will be charged for water supplied, whether taken by lift or flow:—

	Rs.	A.	
I.—Leases for a term of 3 years, 16th June to end of February in each year	1	0	per acre.
II.—Season leases, 16th June to 31st October ...	2	0	„ „
III.—Season leases, 1st November to end of February ...	1	0	„ „
IV.—Season leases, 1st March to 15th June ...	2	0	„ „
V.—For one or more waterings supplied between 1st March and 15th June	0	12	for each watering.
VI.—Water supplied to tanks	1	0	per 10,000 c. ft.

ON DEMAND STATEMENTS.

13. The statement of the amounts due for the water-rates leviable under these rules shall be prepared under the supervision and signature of the Divisional Canal Officer in such form as shall, from time to time, be sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor. A *parcha* showing the area and amount assessed against each cultivator shall be sent to him through the cultivator's representative when or before the demand statement is sent to the Collector for realization. Persons charged under rule 33 shall be served as soon as the charge is made, by post or otherwise, with a statement showing the amounts charged.

14. The rates for water supplied on a lease for a term of years between the 16th June and the end of February shall be payable in two equal instalments, falling due respectively on the 1st January and 1st February following, but all sums of Rs. 10 and under shall become due on the 1st January and be payable in one instalment.

The rates of water supplied on season leases between the 16th June and 31st October shall be payable in two equal instalments falling due respectively on the 1st January and 1st February following, but all sums of Rs. 10 and under shall become due on the 1st January and be payable in one instalment.

The rates for water supplied on season leases between 1st November to end of February shall fall due on the 1st April following.

The rates for water supplied on season leases between 1st March and 15th June shall fall due on the 1st July following.

The rates for water to be supplied to tanks shall be payable before water is supplied.

15. Water-rates imposed under rule 33 shall fall due as soon as the assessment is made and shall be realised at once.

ON REMISSIONS.

16. Remission of water-rates, either in whole or in part, shall be granted as follows:—

(*i*) By the Divisional Canal Officer for errors in assessment or rates.

(*ii*) By the Divisional Canal Officer for injury to a crop on a leased area caused by a deficiency in the supply of water.

In the latter case a written application must be made at least 20 days before the crop is cut.

17. Remissions on other grounds than the above require the sanction of Government.

18. In cases where sums due on account of water-rates cannot be collected owing to the death, bankruptcy, or absconding of the defaulter, the amount which is not realisable may be written off as irrecoverable on the authority of the Superintending Canal Officer.

ON CULTIVATORS' REPRESENTATIVES.

19. In all applications and permits other than those relating to sale of water by volume, the names of one or more persons shall be entered as *lambardar* who will be responsible for discharging the duties mentioned below:—

I.—Obtaining signatures to applications and certifying to the correctness of the same.

II.—Attending and giving assistance in measuring land irrigated, or proposed to be irrigated.

III.—Giving timely information to the Canal Officer or subordinate of any insufficiency in the supply of water and promptly reporting when the irrigation of the leased area, on any channel, is complete.

IV.—Supervising the distribution of the water supplied through an outlet amongst the persons entitled thereto and reporting any misuse of the same.

V.—Being present when complaints are investigated by a Canal Officer, or subordinate, and giving information required in connection with the same.

VI.—Receiving *parchas* from the Canal Officer and distributing the same amongst the persons named therein.

VII.—Reporting before the 15th of October all cases in which crops have been injured by deficiency or irregularity of supply in the *kharif* season so that these cases may be investigated before water rates are demanded.

VIII.—Reporting to the Collector or to such officer as he may appoint, mutations in holdings in the case of leases for a term of years.

IX.—Assisting the Collector by pointing out the residences of the persons assessed and identifying them.

20. In the case of season leases the remuneration for performing the duties mentioned in the rule immediately preceding shall be two per cent. on the assessment (excluding fractions of a rupee) which shall be paid by the Canal Officer. The amount paid shall be calculated in rupees and annas only, pies being omitted.

21. In the case of leases for a term of years other than those entered into jointly with contractors the remunmeration to bepaid to the *lambardar* for performing the duties mentioned in rule 19 shall be three per cent. yearly on the assessment of the year (excluding fractions of a rupee) which shall be paid by the Canal Officer. The amount paid shall be calculated in rupees and annas only, pies being excluded.

22. The *lambardar* will be appointed by the Subdivisional Officer in consultation with the applicants for the lease and must be a substantial person having a beneficial interest in part of the land to be irrigated. There is no objection to different *lambardars* being appointed to represent sections of the applicants or two or more persons being jointly appointed as *lambadar* on behalf of the whole of the applicants. In case the Subdivisional Canal Officer cannot agree with the applicants in the appointment of *lambardar*, he shall nominate a *lambardar* for approval by the Divisional Canal Officer.

In those cases where an application is made by a contractor and cultivators jointly for a lease for a term of years the *lambardar* shall be nominated by the contractor.

23. The Divisional Canal Officer may, for reasons which appear to him to be sufficient and which must be recorded, remove a *lambardar* from his appointment, and in that case a new *lambardar* shall be appointed in the manner prescribed in the rule immediately preceding.

24. The fees to be paid to *lambardars* will only be disbursed if the duties specified have been satisfactorily performed. The Divisional Canal Officer may retrench the whole or any part of the fees payable for reasons to be recorded in writing. In calculating the fees payable, fractions of one anna will be excluded.

Intermediary agency.

25. Leases for a term of years will be entered into with associations of cultivators as specified in these rules ; and also on the joint application of the cultivators and of some person hereinafter called the contractor who shall collect and pay to Government all sums due under the agreement on account of water-rates. The joint agreement shall be in the form given in Appendix VII to these rules. The contractor must have a beneficial interest in some part of the land included in the application extending for the full term of the lease.

26. Contractors are authorised to collect water-rates from the cultivators who have signed the application and from their successors in interest in the land included in the block at the rates fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor.

27 A contractor (or in case there be more than one, each contractor severally) shall use due diligence in the collection of the water-rates specified in the agreement from the cultivators who have applied for the water supply. In the case of his failure after due diligence to collect, he shall within thirty days of the rates becoming due submit to the Collector a list showing the names of the defaulters with the sums due from each, and the Collector shall thereupon proceed to realize the amount due from the said defaulters according to law.

28. A contractor (or in case there be more than one, each contractor severally) shall be responsible for all sums payable on the agreement except such sums as he may satisfy the Collector that he has been unable to collect after using due diligence and shall be entitled to a commission of 5 per cent. on all sums collected by himself.

29. In the case of a lease entered into under an application in the form given as Appendix I, a contractor may subsequently be appointed by the Collector with the written approval of the Divisional Canal Officer. Such contractor must for the whole term of the lease have a beneficial interest in some part of the land included in the application and must sign an application in the form given as Appendix VIII. The appointment shall not be made unless the *lambardars* and leading cultivators give their assent in writing thereto and the Collector is satisfied that the appointment of a contractor is acceptable to the signatories to the lease.

30. The contractor appointed under rules 25 and 29 may, but shall not necessarily be *lambardar*. The *lambardar* will in all cases be appointed by the Canal Officer under the provision of rule 22 and shall be remunerated at the rate specified in rule 21 subject to the conditions mentioned in rule 24.

31. No steps shall be taken to prepare a joint application by cultivators and a contractor until the written assent of the Collector to the proposed contractor has been received, nor shall the Collector take any steps towards the appointment of a contractor under rule 29 until the written assent of the Divisional Canal Officer has been received. The Collector may, before approving of a contractor under this rule, require him to give security for the due performance of the contract.

32. A contractor may resign his interest in the lease by giving notice to the Divisional Canal Officer three months at least before the 16th June next following, in which case his connection with the lease shall cease from that date and the Subdivisional Canal Officer shall proceed to appoint a *lambardar* under rule 22 and the Collector to realize water-rate due directly from the lessees.

The Divisional Canal Officer may, at the instance of the Collector, remove any contractor who fails to use due diligence in making collections. In such cases three months' notice at the least before the 16th June next following shall be given and the removal shall take effect from that date. The Collector may, under the conditions and procedure specified in rule 29, appoint a new contractor in place of a contractor who has resigned or who has been removed.

ON UNAUTHORISED IRRIGATION.

33. For the unauthorised use of canal water a rate of Rs. 5 per acre shall be charged; this rate may, however, be reduced at the discretion of the Divisional Canal Officer.

34. When it comes to the knowledge of the Subdivisional Canal Officer that canal water has been taken in an unauthorized manner, he shall hold a local investigation, and, if he considers that the land deriving benefit is liable to assessment, he shall serve a notice on the persons concerned, fixing a date for hearing objections. Any objections made shall be taken down and the whole record forwarded to the Divisional Canal Officer for disposal.

35. The Divisional Canal Officer after hearing any objection that may be raised shall if he is of opinion that the land should be assessed, fix the rates allowed under rule 33 and return the record to the Subdivisional Canal Officer who shall then complete the assessment. Water-rates shall not be charged where the unauthorized irrigation has occurred through the act, neglect or default of a Canal Officer or subordinate. It is not an unauthorized use of water during the *kharif* season to receive or to lead water on to unleased lands which may have been supplied to lands under lease in excess of requirements.

36. Applications for leases may be subsequently received from villages in which unauthorized irrigation has occurred, and these villages may be granted leases; in such cases the persons assessed under rule 33 shall also pay the water-rates due in respect of the lease subsequently granted, provided that the total of these two rates shall not exceed the maximum rate chargeable under rule 33. In such cases of double assessment the Divisional Canal Officer may remit, in whole or in part, the rates assessed under rule 33.

ON PENALTIES AND CANCELLING OF LEASES.

37. Should it be proved, after due enquiry, that the supply of water given to any area leased for a term of years is habitually wasted or used for the irrigation of lands not under lease, it shall be competent for the Superintending Canal Officer to direct that the lease shall be cancelled with effect from the 1st June next following.

38. The Superintending Canal Officer may, with the concurrence of the Collector, direct the Divisional Canal Officer to—

(I) Cease to issue permits for the irrigation of lands in villages where there have been constant difficulties in realising water-rates until all the arrears of water-rates due are paid up; and also, if specially so ordered, until half the amount due under new applications is paid in advance. An order under this rule shall be in force for the time stated therein, which shall not exceed three years.

(II) Cancel any lease for a term of years, if on the 1st June water-rates to the extent of half the demand for one year are in arrears.

(III) Cancel any lease the lands covered by which cannot be irrigated from the canal except by passing water over an unleased area.

MISCELLANEOUS.

39. No person shall, without the written permission of the Divisional or Subdivisional Canal Officer, pass or cause any animal or vehicle to pass along or across any of the works, channels, or banks of a canal or drainage work after he has been desired to desist there from except by means of such bridges, fords, and ferries and their approaches as have been provided for the purpose. Any person who after due warning breaks this rule may be proceeded against under section 93, clause (9) of the Bengal Irrigation Act, III of 1876.

40. Unless specially exempted by the Lieutenant-Governor from the operations of these rules no officer employed on the canal shall have any interest in the distribution of water from it, or purchase or bid for any Government property sold thereon, either in his own name or in the name of another, or jointly or in shares with others.

APPENDIX I.

APPLICATION FOR A LEASE FOR A TERM OF YEARS.

WE, the undersigned, of mauza , pargana , thana , apply for water to be supplied from distributary of the Teur (Madhuban) Canal, for a term of years, commencing on the 16th June and ending end of February . The supply of water is required for the irrigation of the block of land formed by our holdings as specified below.

(2) We agree that the amounts due shall be payable to the Collector of Champaran or to such person as he may appoint on the 1st January and 1st February, or if the charge is Rs. 10 or under, on 1st January of each year, and shall be payable independently of our requiring water in any particular year or not.

(3) We also agree to be bound by the rules published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for , pages , Notification No.

(4) We agree that this application shall not be deemed to have been completed until all the irrigable fields within the block have been signed for, and that failing such completion any season lease which may have been granted shall be enforced.

(5) We agree that the areas and amounts as given in the statement below are correct at the commencement of the lease, and in token of agreement we attach our individual signature or mark.

(6) Our heirs and representatives shall be bound by the terms of this agreement in case of our decease.

SCHEDULE No. I.

Boundary .. { *North*— *South*— *East*— *West*—

Serial number.	Name of the party by whom kabuliat is executed.	Residence of lessee.		Land. (a)	Rate.	Demand.	Signature of lessee.	Date of signature.
		Mauza.	Pargana.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

(a) Areas to be given in acres with a note to shew the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

APPENDIX II.

PERMIT FOR A LEASE FOR A TERM OF YEARS.

Number of application and date—

Block number—

Village—

Pargana—

Thana—

Name of distributary—

(*a*) Area to be irrigated—

Date of supply—16th June to end of February in each year.

Water-rates due—

Duration of permit—

Name of representative—

This permit is issued under section 75 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876 for the irrigation of the area mentioned above. It is subject to the provisions of all rules passed under the Act, and is liable to be cancelled, if on the 1st of June in any year water-rates to the extent of half the demand for one year are in arrears, or if water, which it is expressly agreed is supplied for the sole purpose of irrigating the land mentioned there, is habitually misused or wasted. Water-rates will be charged whether in any particular year water is or is not actually required.

Area of land in acres. (*a*)	Boundary.	Name of crop.	Term of kabuliat and block number.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5

(*a*) A note should be given to show the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

Canal Officer.

APPENDIX III.

(Kharif season.)

APPLICATION FOR A SEASON LEASE.

Mauza , *pargana* , *distributary*

(1) We, whose names are attached, apply for water to be supplied from the above-mentioned distributary from the 16th June to 31st October for the irrigation of the block formed by our holdings as specified below.

(2) The approximate area to be irrigated by each applicant is stated in the schedule following, and each of us agrees to pay water-rates on the area in our occupation as found by actual measurement at the rate of Rs. per acre.*

(3) This application is made under the rules passed under Act III (B.C) of 1876.

We agree to abide by all the rules passed under the Act.

We agree to pay the whole of the water-rates due on the application on or before the 1st January and 1st February next, or if Rs. 10 and under, on or before the 1st January.

The following are the boundaries of the block :—

North—

South—

East—

West—

Signature of applicant.	Date.	Signature of applicant.	Date.
1	2	3	4

* A note should be given to shew the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

APPENDIX IV.

PERMIT FOR A SEASON LEASE.

Number of application and date—

Name of village—

Name of pargana—

Name of distributary

Area* to be irrigated, more or less—

Dates of supply—

Water-rates due—

Name of representative—

This permit is issued under section 75 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876 for the irrigation of the area mentioned above. It is expressly agreed that water is supplied for the sole purpose of irrigating the land mentioned in the application. Water-rates will be charged on the areas in the occupation of each applicant within the block as ascertained by actual measurement.

* Areas to be given in acres with a note to show the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

Subdivisional Canal Officer.

APPENDIX IVA.

(RABI SEASON.)

APPLICATION FOR A SEASON LEASE.

Mauza , *Pargana* , *Distributary*

1. We, whose names are attached, apply for water to be supplied from the above-mentioned distributary from the 1st November to end of February for the irrigation of the areas mentioned below.

2. The approximate area to be irrigated by each applicant is stated in the schedule following, but each of us agrees to pay water-rates at Rs. per acre on the actual area in our application, as found by measurement, with the proviso that only areas actually irrigated will be assessed.

3. We agree, as far as is possible, to prevent water supplied being wasted or used in an unauthorised manner.

4. This application is made under the rules passed under Act III (B.C.) of 1876. We agree to abide by all the rules passed under the Act.

5. We agree to pay the water-rates due on this application on or before the 1st April.

Name of cultivator.	Description of crops.	Area more or less to be irrigated. (*a*)	Signature of cultivator.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5

(*a*) Areas to be given in acres with a note to show the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

I hereby certify that the signatures above are genuine, and that the areas mentioned are approximately correct.

Signature of Representative.

APPENDIX IVB.

(HOT-WEATHER SEASON.)

APPLICATION FOR A SEASON LEASE.

Mauza , *Pargana* , *Distributary*

1. We, whose names are attached, apply for water to be supplied from the above mentioned distributary from the 1st March to 15th June for the irrigation of the area mentioned below.

2. The approximate area to be irrigated by each applicant is stated in the schedule following, but each of us agrees to pay water-rates at Rs. per acre on the actual area in our occupation as found by measurement, with the proviso that only areas actually irrigated will be assessed.

3. We agree, as far as is possible, to prevent water supplied being wasted or used in an unauthorised manner.

4. This application is made under the rules passed under the Act.

We agree to abide by all the rules passed under the Act.

5. We agree to pay the water-rates due on this application on or before the 1st July next.

Name of cultivator.	Description of crops.	Area more or less to be irrigated. (*a*)	Signature of cultivator.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5

(*a*) Area to be given in acres with a note to show the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

I hereby certify that the signatures above are genuine, and that the areas mentioned are approximately correct.

Signature of Representative.

APPENDIX IVC.

(RABI AND HOT-WEATHER.)

PERMIT FOR A SEASON LEASE.

Number of application and date—

Name of village –

Name of pargana—

Name of distributary—

Area* to be irrigated more or less—

Date of supply—

Water-rates due—

Date of payment—

Name of representative –

This permit is issued under section 75 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876 for the irrigation of the area mentioned above. It is subject to the provisions of all rules passed under the Act. It is expressly agreed that water is supplied for the sole purpose of irrigating the land mentioned in the application. The area actually irrigated will be measured and charged, and the applicants undertake to, as far is as in their power, prevent water being wasted or applied to the irrigation of land not included in the application. Any claims for remission of water-rates must be made 20 days before the crop is cut.

* Areas to be given in acres with a note to show the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

Subdivisional Canal Officer.

APPENDIX V.

APPLICATION FOR WATER FOR A TANK.

We, the undersigned, hereby apply for water to be supplied from Distributary for the purpose of filling the tanks mentioned below.

We hereby tender Rs. for cubic feet of water.

Position of outlet.

Name.	Residence.	Tank to be filled.
1	2	3

Certificate of Subordinate.—I hereby certify that feet depth of water was supplied in the tank which represents cubic feet.

Date *Sectional Officer.*

APPENDIX VI.

PERMIT AND RECEIPT FOR PAYMENT OF WATER FOR A TANK.

Received from of the sum of Rs. on account of water to be taken from Distributary for filling in tank as per details below :—

Number of application and date—

Name of village—

Name of pargana—

Name of distributary

Position of outlet—

Depth of water to be supplied—

Average superficial area—

cubic feet of water to be supplied —

Date of supply—

Amount paid for water—

Date of payment—

Date *Subdivisional Canal Officer.*

APPENDIX VII.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR A LEASE FOR A TERM OF YEARS JOINTLY WITH A CONTRACTOR.

Mauza , *Pargana* , *Distributary* .

1. We, whose names are attached, apply for water to be supplied from the above-mentioned distributary from 16th June to the end of February of each year for years for the irrigation of the block formed of our holdings as specified below.

2. The area to be irrigated by each applicant is stated in the schedule following and each applicant agrees to pay water-rates on the area recorded against his name at the rate of Rs. per acre.* This sum will be payable independently of our requiring water in any particular year or not.

3. The application is made under section 74 of Act III (B.C) of 1876,* and the rules issued under it.

4. We agree to pay the water-rate due on this application in one *kist* on or before the 1st February.

5. The permit granted may be cancelled by the Divisional Canal Officer under the sanction required by rule 38—

(I) If after the lapse of one month from the latest date of payment the water-rates due on this application (except such as are irrecoverable under rule 18) are in arrears.

(II) If water supplied for irrigating the land mentioned in the application is habitually wasted or misused, it being expressly agreed that water is supplied for the sole purpose of irrigating the land mentioned in the application.

6. We desire under rule 25 that shall be appointed as contractor to whom we agree to pay water-rates as they become due so long as he is authorised by proper authority to receive the same. Should the contractor resign or be removed, we engage to pay water-rates to the Collector or to some person authorised by him to receive the same.

SCHEDULE.

Name of cultivator.	Area to be irrigated in acres.*	Signature or mark of cultivator.	Signature of witness to cultivator's signature.
1	2	3	4

7. I agree to become contractor under rules 25 to 32 for the collection of all sums payable under this application and to be bound by all rules passed under Act III (B.C.) of 1876. I will abide by the rules mentioned and all others passed under the Act, and give every assistance in my power to the Collector in any legal proceedings that may be instituted for the recovery of water-rates under this application.

* A note should be given to show the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

APPENDIX VIII.

(REFERRED TO IN RULE 29.)

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS A CONTRACTOR.

1. I apply to be appointed a contractor under rules 25 to 32 for the collection of all sums payable on applications of

Mauza , *Pargana* , &c.

2. I will abide by the rules mentioned above and by all others passed under the Act, and give every assistance in my power to the Collector in any legal proceedings that may be instituted for the recovery of water-rates under this application.

APPENDIX IX.

Form of application for one or more waterings during the hot weather season when the supply is intermittent.

Mauza , *Pargana* , *Distributary* .

1. We, whose names are attached, apply for water to be supplied from the above-mentioned distributary for the irrigation of the areas mentioned below.

2. The approximate area to be irrigated by each applicant is stated below, but each of us agrees to pay water-rates at 12 annas per acre for each watering received between 1st March and 15th of June, on the actual area in our occupation, as found by measurement with the proviso that only areas actually irrigated will be assessed.

3. We agree to prevent, as far as possible, water supplied being wasted or used in an unauthorized manner.

4. This application is made under and subject to the rules passed under Act III (B.C.) of 1876, and we agree to abide by, and to be subject to, these rules.

5. We agree to pay the water-rates due on this application on or before the 1st of July next.

Name of cultivator.	Description of crop.	Area more or less to be irrigated in acres.*	Signature or marks of cultivator.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5

* A note should be given to show the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

I hereby certify that the signature or marks above are genuine and that the areas mentioned are approximately correct.

Signature of Lambardar.

APPENDIX X.

PERMIT FOR A LEASE FOR A TERM OF YEARS JOINTLY WITH A CONTRACTOR.

Number of application and date—
Block number—
Village—
Pargana—
Thana—
Name of distributary—
Area to irrigated—
Date of supply—16th June to end of February in each year.
Water-rates due—
Duration of permit—
Name of contractor—

This permit is issued under section 75 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876 for the irrigation of the area mentioned above. It is subject to the provisions of all rules passed under the Act and is liable to be cancelled, if on the 1st of March in any year water-rates are in arrears, or if water, which it is expressly agreed is supplied for the sole purpose of irrigating the land mentioned there, is habitually misued or wasted. Water-rates will be charged whether in any particular year water is or not actually required.

Area of land in acres.*	Boundary.	Name of crop.	Term of a kbuliat and block number.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5

* A note should be given to show the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

Canal Officer.

APPENDIX XI.

(HOT-WEATHER SEASON.)

PERMIT FOR ONE OR MORE WATERINGS WHEN THE SUPPLY IS INTERMITTENT.

Number of application and date—

Name of village—

Name of pargana—

Name of distributary—

Area* to be irrigated, more or less—

Dates of supply—

Water-rates due—

Name of lambardar—

This permit is issued under section 75 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876 for the irrigation of the area mentioned above. It is expressly agreed that water is supplied for the sole purpose of irrigating the land mentioned in the application. Water-rates will be charged on the areas in the occupation of each applicant within the block as ascertained by actual measurement.

*Areas to be given in acres with a note to show the equivalent in the local measure of an acre.

Subdivisional Canal Officer.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 14R.—The following notification issued by the Railway Board is republished for general information:—

No. 190, dated the 30th June 1908.

No. 1165R.T., dated Simla, the 25th June 1908.

RESOLUTION—By the Railway Board.

Adoption on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway of (i) *the amendments in rule 14, Chapter III, Part II, and in Appendix A, Part II, and* (ii) *the amendment in rule 14, Chapter III, Part II, of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway.*

READ—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).
Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905.
Railway Board's Notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and Railway Board's circular No. R.T. $\frac{89\text{-A.}}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906.
Railway Board's Notification No. 228, dated the 19th September 1907, and Railway Board's resolution No. 997R.T., dated the 12th September 1907.
Railway Board's Notification No. 50, dated the 21st February 1908, and Railway Board's circular No. 363R.T., dated the 18th February 1908.
Railway Board's Notification No. 96, dated the 27th March 1908, and Railway Board's resolution No. 553R.T., dated the 19th March 1908.

READ ALSO—

Letter No. 673R., dated the 26th March 1908, from the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Railway Department.
Railway Board's letter No. 665R.T., dated the 16th April 1908, to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Railway Department.
Letter No. 1098R., dated the 11th June 1908, from the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Railway Department.

RESOLUTION.—The General Manager of the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway has recommended the adoption on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway of the following amendments in Part II of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway, which rules were sanctioned for adoption on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway in Railway Board's resolution No. 553R.T., dated the 19th March 1908:—

(*i*) the amendments in rule 14, Chapter III, Part II, and in Appendix A, Part II, promulgated with Railway Board's resolution No. 997R.T., dated the 12th September 1907, and published under their notification No. 228, dated the 19th September 1907; and

(*ii*) the amendment in rule 14, Chapter III, Part II, promulgated with Railway Board's resolution No. 363R.T., dated the 18th February 1908, and published under their notification No. 50, dated the 21st February 1908.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No 801, dated the 24th March 1905, read in the preamble above, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-sections (1) and (4), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the amendments in the said Part II of the General Rules, cited in paragraph 1 above, on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the amendments cited in paragraph 1 above, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this resolution be communicated to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Railway Department, and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2, Calcutta, for information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 15R.—Maulvi Muhammad Fazl-ur-Rahman, Sub-Deputy Collector, whose services were placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, was employed in the acquisition of lands for the Tirhut State Railway and for the Tribeni and Dhaka canals in the district of Champaran from the 22nd November 1907 to the forenoon of the 1st May 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 16R.—Babu Har Sahay Lal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, is appointed to acquire lands required for the Tirhut State Railway and for Tribeni and Dhaka Canals in the district of Champaran, with effect from the 1st May 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 11th July 1908.

No. 75Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that Mr. A. B. Duncan, of the Clive Jute Mills Company, Limited, who has been nominated by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to represent that body on the Smoke-nuisances Commission, in place of Mr. R. Robertson, resigned, is appointed, under section 4, sub-section (4) of the Bengal Smoke-nuisances Act, 1905, to be a member of the Commission.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 76Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 36 of the Indian Steam-ships Act, 1884, and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rule in substitution of rule 32 of the rules to regulate the granting of Certificates of Competency to Engineers of sea-going steam-ships, sanctioned in Notification No. 46Marine, dated the 7th April 1905.

Rule.

32. Service performed in sea-going pilot vessels when on their station, or when going to or returning from the same, may be accepted under the following conditions:— Service boats.

Two months of such service is only equivalent to one month's qualifying service. Candidates for second class certificates may perform all their sea service in sea-going steam pilot vessels, but they must have been on regular watch on the main engines of a vessel of not less than 66 nominal horse-power. Candidates for first class certificates must prove, in addition to service on regular watch as senior Engineer in charge of the main engines of a steam pilot vessel of not less than 99 nominal horse-power, at least six months qualifying service at sea in a foreign-going vessel.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 77Marine.—Mr. E. R. R. Roberts, Leadsman Apprentice, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, leave on medical certificate for six months in extension of the leave for six months granted to him in terms of this Department Notification No. 102Marine, dated the 29th November 1907.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 78Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 51 and 51A of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884 (VI of 1884), as amended by the Indian Steam-ships Law Amendment Act, 1890 (III of 1890) the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules for the protection of passengers in river steamers against the spread of plague and other dangerous epidemic disease by persons travelling in such steamers as issued under the Notification of this Government No. 16Marine, dated the 5th March 1907:—

Amendments.

Rule 1 (1) (a).—To this rule, the following sentence shall be added:—

"In the case of plague, steps should be taken immediately to get rid of any fleas that may be present in the clothing, bedding, and, if considered necessary, in the baggage of the patient by the complete immersions in boiling water of all articles capable of affording lodgment for fleas."

Rule 6 (1).—The words "wrapped in a cloth soaked in a strong solution of cyllin and" shall be inserted between the words "shall be" and "made over" in line 1.

Rule 6 (2).—The clause "if they have not already been disinfected as directed in rule 1 (*a*)" shall be introduced in the beginning of the rule.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

The 14th July 1908.

No. 79Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 1 of the Bengal Steam-Boilers and Prime-Movers Act, 1879 (Act No. III of 1879), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend that Act to the town of Monghyr, with effect from the 1st of August 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 132.—This Department Notification No. 118, dated the 23rd June 1908, transferring Babu Hari Das Bhaduri, Supervisor, from the Arrah Division to the Orissa Circle, is hereby cancelled.

No. 133.—This Department Notification No. 119, dated the 23rd June 1908, transferring Babu Surendra Nath Sarkar, Overseer, from the Sambalpur Division to the Sone Circle, is hereby cancelled.

No. 134.—Babu Ram Bishnu Karmakar, Overseer, 2nd grade, Champaran Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month, with effect from 23rd June 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3743A.

No. 3572A.—The 10th July 1908.—In modification of the order of the 18th February 1908, Babu Manindra Nath Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Manbhum, is allowed combined leave for nine months, viz., privilege leave for four days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 9th March 1908, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

Manbhum.

No. 3577A.—The 10th July 1908.—Babu Gaur Kishor Das, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Hazaribagh district, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Hazaribagh.

No. 3599A.—The 11th July 1908.—Babu Indu Shekhar Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Presidency Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district

Presy. Divn. Murshidabad.

No. 3650A.—The 14th July 1908.—Babu Haripada Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector Madhipura, Bhagalpur, is transferred to the Deoghur subdivision of the Sonthal Pargana district.

Bhagalpur. Sonthal Pargs.

No. 3693A.—The 14th July 1908.—Mr. H. McPherson, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he makes over charge of his duties as Assistant Settlement Officer, Ranchi.

Ranchi.

No. 3697A.—The 14th July 1908.—Maulvi Khundkar Ali Tahir, Sub-Deputy Collector Bhagalpur Division, is posted to the Madhipura subdivision of the Bhagalpur district.

Bhagalpur Divn. Bhagalpur.

No. 3699A.—The 14th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Khalil Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, Patna, is transferred to the Dinapore subdivision of that district.

Patna.

No. 3701A.—The 14th July 1908.—The officers named below are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class:—

Babu Sudhir Kumar Sen Gupta,	Sub-Deputy Magistrate,	Khulna.
„ Nripendra Nath Maitra,	ditto,	Murshidabad.
„ Haripada Ray,	ditto,	Jangipur, Murshidabad.

No. 3710A.—The 14th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Abdullah, Sub-Deputy Collector, Patna Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Muzaffarpur district.

Patna Divn. Muzaffarpur.

No. 3729A.—The 14th July 1908.—Babu Jogeswar Nath Mattay, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jamtara, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3731A.—The 14th July 1908.—In modification of the orders, dated the 13th June 1908, Babu Narendra Kumar Bose, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Purnea district.

Purnea.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2184D., dated Darjeeling the 4th July 1908.—3rd grade Assistant Surgeon Rajendra Chandra Barory is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the afternoon of the 25th June 1908.

No. 2194D., dated Darjeeling, the 6th July 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Rajendra Kumar Ray is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the 25th June 1908.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION.

BABU ASHUTOSH SARKAR, Officiating Sub-Judge, Khulna, is appointed to be a District Delegate under section 235A of Act X of 1865 and section 52 of Act V of 1881 within the local limits of his jurisdiction.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT, ENGLISH DEPARTMENT, CIVIL,
The 8th July 1908.

Dates of the 4th and 5th Criminal Sessions for the year 1908.

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
Fourth Sessions.	Wednesday.	12th August.
Fifth Sessions.	Monday.	23rd November.

By order,

HIGH COURT CROWN OFFICE, N. HALDAR,

The 3rd July 1908. *Offg. Clerk of the Crown.*

Sheriff's Office, the 15th July 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1908 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the twelfth day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute

P. C TAGORE, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৮ সাল তারিখ ১৫ই জুলাই।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৮ সালের ১২ই, আগষ্ট বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৮ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

পিঃ সিঃ ঠাকুর শরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 9th July 1908.—Babu Parmananda is appointed, on probation for one year, to be an Assistant Master in the Arrah Zilla School and substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment, *vice* Babu Jogendra Nath Ganguli, transferred.

The following arrangements are sanctioned consequent on the deputation of Babu Narendra Nath Ganguli, Assistant Master, Hare School (class VII,, to the Training class opened in connection with Hindu and Hare Schools :—

Babu Kshetra Gopal Chakravarti, B.A., Second Clerk, Office of the Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class II of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Hare School and in classs VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment, *vice* Babu Narendra Nath Ganguli.

The 10th July 1908.—Babu Haran Chandra Gupta, an Assistant Master in the Balasore Zilla School (class VI), is appointedito act as an Assistant Master in the Hindu School, on the pay of his own grade, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Bidhu Bhusan Sen Gupta.

Babu Kali Prosad, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Purnea (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), was absent on leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th June 1908.

Babu Parmanand Tewari, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Muzaffarpur (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for 21 days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES, INDIA.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

NOTICE.

AN examination for candidates requiring first and second Class Coal Mine Managers Certificates of Competency under the rules applying to coal mines will be held at the Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles Club, Asansol, on the 5th, 6th and 7th August 1908.

Only persons who have had practical experience in a coal mine are eligible for the examination (*vide* Rules 32 and 33). The necessary instructions will be supplied to intending candidates on application to the Department of Mines, 9, Dacre's Lane, Calcutta.

Applications will be received up to the 15th July 1908 inclusive.

J. R. R. WILSON,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd May 1908.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

NOTICE.

No. 3409B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Member in charge.

AN examination of the Patna and Benares Provision Opium of season 1906-07 will be held at the New Opium Godowns, No. 14, Strand Road, on Monday, the 20th July 1908, at 11 A.M. Merchants, dealers and others interested in opium are invited to attend.

Samples of the opium examined will be given to merchants and dealers only, in small tins, which must be placed on the table, *labelled with the names* of the persons requiring the sample.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA, *Secretary.*

MISC. REVENUE DEPT., OPIUM (SALE) BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 3rd July 1908.*

No. 3283B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 4th August 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of 1905-06 ...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of 1,739 chests of season 1905-06 and 211 chests of season 1906-07	1,950
Total ...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application in the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th August 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th August 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M of Thursday, the 20th August 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next, on or about the dates

specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 1st September 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 13th October "	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total	7,800	7,800	15,600

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th June 1908.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Monday, the 31st August 1908, has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. V of the Gaya Municipality, in the district of Gaya, in the place of Babu Ram Bahadur Lal, deceased.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, for *Addl. Commissioner of the Patna Divn.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 8th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 19th September 1908, is fixed as the date for holding an election in the newly created Ward No. VI, Rash-Khola of the South Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to elect a Commissioner for that Ward, as sanctioned by Government Notification No. 523T.M., dated the 27th June 1908.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 10th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 5th of September 1908, has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. D of the Jamalpur Municipality in the place of Babu Poonit Lall Munder, removed.

PRABODH CHANDRA CHATARJI, for *Commr. of the Bhagalpur Divn.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 11th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held in Ward No. III of the Maniktola Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, Babu Anath Nath Mallick has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Apurba Chandra Biswas, resigned.

M. N. GHOSH, *Personal Assistant,* for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Jamo, in the district of Saran :—

1. Shaikh Ghulam Ali.
2. Babu Rajeshwari Saran Singh.
3. Babu Chaturi Singh.
4. Mr. Hutchins.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Addl. Commissioner of Patna.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 6th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI MUHAMMAD SIDIQUE is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Motihari, in the district of Champaran *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Amir, transferred.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Addl. Commissioner of Patna.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 6th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Committee for the management of the Dispensary at Raipur, in the district of Bankura, appointed under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under this office notification dated the 21st December 1906, published at page 46 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part I of the 2nd January 1907, is dissolved.

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Offg. Commissioner on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 7th July 1908.*

ERRATUM.

IN the notification of the 11th June 1908, regarding the appointment of members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Santipur, in the district of Nadia, published at page 1147, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th June 1908, *for* "Munshi Abdul Khalique" *read* "Munshi Abdul Kader."

M. N. GHOSH, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th July 1908.*

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 1908.

PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 4th July 1908.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6123—17, dated Simla, the 30th June 1908.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives published with the Notification in this Department, No. 4555—4 (Explosives), dated the 31st May 1907:—

In schedule A under the heading "Materials required. (*a*) Test-paper":

(1) the words and figures "weighing, air-dry, about 6·5 grammes per 100 square inches", shall be omitted;

(2) for the word "cork" the word "corked" shall be substituted.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 11th July 1908.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

NOTIFICATION.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 8th July 1908.

No. 338.—The Reverend Herbert Martin has been appointed a Chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical establishment to fill an existing vacancy.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 10th July 1908.

No. 2815-I.C.—Erratum.—For Babu Shib Chandra Banerji, in Foreign Department Notification No. 2613-I.C., dated the 26th June 1908, *read* Babu Shib Chandra Chatarji.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 10th July 1908.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 584.—William Monod Crawford, I.C.S., to be Captain, *vice* Bompas, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 6th May 1908.

A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 1908.

PART I

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Bankura.

No. 1000M.—The 10th July 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in compliance with an application made under that section by the Commissioners of the Bankura Municipality in the district of Bankura, to extend the provisions of sections 242A and 256B of the said Act, to the above Municipality, including the area comprising mauzas Kethiardang, Demurari, Gopinathpur, Murra and Ladiha situated within the Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

24-Parganas.

No 1013M.—The 11th July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Siva Das Ray Chaudhuri to be the Chairman of the Baruipur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Durga Das Ray Chaudhuri.

Purnea.

No. 1016M.—The 11th July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. W. Bowley to be Chairman of the Katihar Municipality, in the district of Purnea, *vice* Mr. O. G. Robinson, resigned.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 1021M.—The 10th July 1908.—Whereas a notification, No. 645M., dated the 23rd March 1908, was published at page 44, Part 1B of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to modify Government Notification No. 755M., dated the 9th February 1905, published at page 31, Part 1B of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem extending the provisions of Part IX of the aforesaid Act to the Sitamarhi Municipality, in the district of Muzaffarpur, so as to withdraw the areas specified in the margin from the operation of the said provisions of the law, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified, for general information, that in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 223 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sitamarhi Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the withdrawal of the said areas within the Municipality from the operation of the above provisions of the Municipal Act.

Mehtar Tola—Sitamarhi,
Dhanuk Toli,
Goal Toli,
Banaudhia Toli (Court Bazar),
Dusadh Toli,
Tatwa Toli (Bhaledepur),
Kasui Tola Baba,
Murlia Chak (the whole).

Patna.

No. 1031M.—The 11th July 1908.—In accordance with the provisions of clause (*c*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Bihar Municipality, in the district of Patna, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor is

pleased to declare his intention to include within the said Municipality the local areas comprising 1⅛ square miles contiguous to the present limits of the said Municipality and covered by the following mahallas:—

No. of ward.		Areas to be included in it.
1.	Ward No. I	Paharpura, Dargah, Jhinnagar, Alinagar, Mirganj.
2.	,, ,, II ...	Patuana
3.	,, ,, III ...	Asanagar,
4.	,, ,, IV ...	Salimpur, Sahdih and Emadpur.

I.—The following are the boundaries of the areas to be included:—

WARD No. I.

Paharpura.

North—Moulna Barah and Sultan Chak.
South—Mauza Bijban.
East—Bari Dargah.
West—The river Panchanch.

Dargah.

North—The river Panchanch.
South—Mahal Mehadaur.
East—Road and Jhingnagar.
West—Sultanchak, Mahua Barah and Paharpura.

Jhinnagar.

North—The river Panchanch.
South—Alinagar.
East—Mirjumlah Rozah Bedar
West—Road and Bari Dargah.

Alinagar.

North—Jhingnagar.
South—Mirganj.
East—Rouzah Bedar and Tungi.
West—Mehdaur.

Mirganj.

North—Alinagar.
South—Land of mauza Tungi.
East—Nabinagar.
West—Mahal Mehdaur.

WARD No. II.

Patuana.

North—Branch of the river Panchanch.
South—Mirdad Mahalla.
East—Rajah Kuan.
West—Mahallah Chajjoo.

WARD No. III.

Asanagar.

North—District Board Road from Karoabagh to Nagarnohsa and Futwah
South—The river Panchanch and mauza Beabani.
East—The river Panchanch.
West—Mauza Kakhsa and Mandach.

WARD No. IV.

Salimpur and Sahdih.

North—Mauza Pichasa.
South—Mauza Doia and the river Panchanch.
East—Branch of the river Panchanch.
West—Mauza Hingapura and Doia.

Emadpur.

North—Local Board Road to Imamganj.
South—Branch of the river Panchanch.
East—Mauza Raja Kuan.
West—Mauza Lohgani.

2. The revised boundaries of the Bihar Municipality after the inclusion of the aforesaid local areas will be as follows:—

North—Mauzas Pichasa, Sahokar, Khizarchak, Khaji Etwar Sarai and Imamganj.
South—Land of mauza Tungi, mahal Mehdaur and mauza Bijban.
East—Branch of the river Panchanch and mauza Raja Kuan.
West—Mauzas Hinganpura and Doia, Khaksa and Mandaoh. The road round the southern portion of the Bihar Hill, the road from the Bihar Hill eastward along which the Baktiarpur-Bihar Light Railway Hill siding is laid up to the branch of the Panchanch river, then the west bank of the Panchanch river southward to the place where the District Board Bihar-Ekangar road crosses this portion of the Panchanch river, then the line drawn from this point to the north-east corner of the low land called Hauz Bahar, then the Hauz Bahar, then the District Board Bihar-Giriak Road, as far as the south bank of the Panchanch river where this road crosses.

NOTE.—The mauzas named above in the definition of the revised boundaries of the Municipality are all outside the limits of the Municipality.

3. Any rate-payer of the said Municipality or any inhabitant of the local areas which it is proposed to include therein, who objects to the said inclusion, should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate to the undersigned within six weeks from the publication of this notification.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Midnapore.

No. 1029L S.-G.—The 11th July 1908.—In Government Notification No. 929L.S.-G., dated the 29th June 1908, published at page 95, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 1st July 1908, containing the names of the elected and appointed members of the District Board of Midnapore, *for* "Mr. H. R. D. Oldham," one of the appointed members of the Board, *read* "Mr. H. R. D. Oldman."

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

IN compliance with section 565 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1899, the following revised draft by-laws under clauses 9 and 10 of section 559 of the said Act, specifying the manner in which house-drains and privies are to be connected with the Municipal drains and prescribing the procedure to be followed by owners and occupiers of houses in connecting house drains and privies with the Municipal drains are republished for general information in supersession of those published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 6th November 1907.

Any person having any objection to the proposed revised by-laws should submit the same in writing to the Chairman of the Corporation on or before 17th August 1908.

The type plans which will be annexed to the by-laws under section 559 (9) may be inspected at the Secretary's office any working day during office hours.

Draft By-laws under section 559 (9).

1. The connection of any house-drain or privy with the Municipal drain shall be made only by Licensed Plumbers employed by the Corporation for that purpose and in a manner substantially in accordance with the Type Plans annexed hereto.

2. Any person who shall commit a breach of any of the provisions of the foregoing by-law shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and in the case of a continuing breach, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

Draft by-laws under section 559 (10).

1. Every owner or occupier of any premises who desires to connect his house-drains or privies with the Municipal drain shall apply to the Engineer in the annexed form and shall with his application, deposit the fee for such connection, as prescribed below, and submit a plan of his house-drainage on a scale of 8 feet to the inch.

2. Before making such application he shall complete the drains which he wishes to connect with the Municipal drain as far as the master-trap and one pipe's length beyond.

3. The owner or occupier shall afford every reasonable facility to the Engineer to inspect the drain as regards its construction, materials and dimensions before making any connection with the Municipal drain and shall carry out such directions as the Engineer may give.

4. Connection with the Municipal drain will be made within seven days from the date of approval of the plan by the Engineer, to be signified by a certificate in writing in the form hereto annexed.

In the event of connection not being given, the fee deposited shall be refunded in full to the person depositing the same.

5. Schedule of fees for connections with the Municipal drain :—

	Rs.
(*a*) For a manhole connection fee	4
(*b*) For a lamphole ,, ,, ...	5
(*c*) For a brick sewer ,, ,, ...	6
(*d*) If a pit is required ,, ,, ...	17

(*e*) Extra fees will be charged to cover special charges, that is, the restoration of a paved footpath.

(*f*) If the connection crosses a tramline an extra fee of Rs. 5.

6. Any person who shall commit a breach of any of the provisions of the foregoing by-laws shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 20, and, in the case of a continuing breach, to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach.

Application for house-drainage connection with the Corporation sewers.

The undersigned residing at _____ being the $\frac{\text{owner}}{\text{occupier}}$ of the premises situated at _____, hereby applies for permission to connect the house-drain of the said premises with the Municipal drain in _____.

The sanitary arrangements and drains of the said premises up to the boundary of the street have been executed by _____, a licensed plumber, in accordance with the annexed plan and are open to the inspection of the officers of the Corporation.

A fee of Rs. _____ calculated on the scale prescribed below is deposited herewith.

Signature of Applicant _____

Information to be filled in by the licensed plumber who executed the house-drainage.

Level of invert of sewer at point nearest to master-trap _____.

Distance of master-trap from centre of sewer at its nearest point _____.

Diameter of house-drain _____.

Level of invert of house-drain in master-trap _____

Distance of nearest manhole from a point in the sewer immediately opposite the master-trap _____

Signature of Plumber _____

Address _____

NOTE.—The information regarding size and level of sewer may be obtained from the office of the District Engineer.

Certified that Rs. _____ has been received as fee for the above connection and deposited in the Treasury.

Signature of Head Clerk _____

Date _____

Certified that the house-drains of the above premises have been inspected and approved by me and the connection may be made to an $\frac{\text{existing}}{\text{new}}$ junction _____ feet _____ inches from manhole.

The fee deposited is correct.

Signature of District Engineer _____

Date _____

Connection made and road restored.

Signature of Foreman

Date

SCALE OF FEES FOR CONNECTION.

	Rs.
(*a*) For a manhole connection	4
(*b*) For a lamphole ,, ...	5
(*c*) For a brick sewer ,, ...	6
(*d*) If a pit is required ,, ...	17

(*e*) Extra fees will be charged to cover special charges, that is, the restoration of a paved footpath.

(*f*) If the connection crosses a tramline an extra charge of Rs. 5.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 7th July 1908.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Secretary to the Corporation of Calcutta.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTICE.

THE half-yearly examination for teachers of English subjects will be held by the undersigned at the Ram Mohun Roy Seminary in Bankipore. The examination for teachers of vernacular subjects will be held at the Patna Training School by the Head-master of that institution in the presence of the Additional Inspector of Schools. The examination will be held on Thursday, the 27th August 1908, from 10-30 A.M. to 3-30 P.M., and will be continued, if necessary, from day to day until finished.

The candidates for examination in English subjects must have passed Entrance, or some higher examination of the University; and the candidates for examination in Vernacular subjects must have at least passed the Middle Vernacular Examination. Experienced teachers who have not passed any University examination may be examined by the undersigned if he thinks fit. Special application must be made before the examination.

The examination will be mainly practical, and will consist of—

(*a*) Practical examination in class control, the candidate being required to keep a class of at least a dozen boys attentive and fully occupied throughout a lesson.

(*b*) A practical test of teaching ability, the candidate being required to give a lesson on the following subjects:—

English subjects.	Vernacular subjects
1. English Literature.	
2. Arithmetic and Algebra, or either.	1. Hindi Literature.
3. English History or Indian History.	2. Arithmetic or Euclid, or Practical Geometry, or Indian History.

(*c*) An oral examination on the Art of teaching object-lessons, class management, organisation and discipline.

Candidates for English subjects are recommended to study Salmon's "Art of Teaching" or Landon's "Principles of Teaching," specially those portions dealing with general method; and those of Vernacular subjects should read the "Senior and Junior Teachers' Manuals," by Babu D. N. Neogy.

The candidates must apply by the 20th August 1908 at the least, giving the following particulars:—

(1) Name in full; (2) name of father in full; (3) name of native village and district; (4) name of school in which at present employed; (5) number of years he has served as a teacher; (6) whether he has passed the Entrance Examination or higher examination; (7) year of passing the Entrance Examination; (8) designation and full address; (9) candidates are required to bring their University or other certificates with them to the examination.

BANKIPORE,
The 7th July 1908.

BHAGAVATI SAHAY,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.

NOTIFICATION.

THE half-yearly examination in the Art of Teaching for Teachers of English subjects employed in Government and Aided Schools in the Presidency Division will be held at the Bow Bazar High School at 85, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta, on the 19th August next. The half-yearly examination for Teachers of Vernacular subjects will be held at the Calcutta Training School on the 21st idem.

Teachers who intend to present themselves at the examination are requested to send (at least 15 days before the examination) a statement containing the following information, and should also bring with them their University or other certificates on the day of the examination :—

1. Name (in full).
2. Name of father (in full).
3. Name of native village and district.
4. Last University examination passed.
5. Year of passing.
6. Signature of the applicant.
7. Designation and full address.

The candidates will be expected to give two lessons on such subjects as English, Bengali, History, Geography, Arithmetic, Euclid, Algebra, etc.; they should also be familiar with the Art of Teaching, and with the subjects treated in Teachers' Manuals.

CALCUTTA,
The 9th July 1908.

P. MUKHERJI,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICE.

Pleadership and Muktarship Examinations, 1909.

PLEADERSHIP and Muktarship candidates for 1909 are hereby informed that they will be examined in the Civil Procedure Code (Act XIV of 1882), and not from the New Civil Procedure Code (Act V of 1908), which will come into force, from January 1909.

CALCUTTA,
The 10th July 1908.

W. GRAHAM,
Secretary, Pleadership and Muktarship, Examination Board.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA will deliver his next lecture on English Constitutional History at the Senate House, College Square, on Friday, the 17th July, at 4 P.M.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 13th July 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

1. The first five Chapters of *Mahavamsa* are to be read for the B.A. Honours Examination in Pali in 1909 instead of the whole of work as was previously announced.

2. The following standard works in Uriya to be read as models of style are prescribed for the Intermediate Examination in Arts and Science in 1909 and 1910 :—

Charupath, Part III, translated by Bichhanda Patnaik.
Bibasini, by Ramsankar Ray.
Dakhinatya Bhraman, by Sasibhusan Ray.
Adiparba of Mahabharata (Anukramanika and Parbasangrah adhyaya), translated by Govinda Chandra Mahapatra.

3. The following standard works in Uriya to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style are prescribed for the B.A. Examination in 1909 and 1910 :—

Mahájátra, Cantos I—IV, by Radhanath Rai.
Raghuvansa, translated by Bichhanda Patnaik.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 14th July 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops:—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine, and
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 13th July 1907.

P. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE

PANDIT THAKUR PRASAD VYAKARANACHARYYA, University Lecturer, will deliver his Lectures on Panini, Sankhya-Pravachana and Yoga at the Sanskrit College, in accordance with the following time-table:—

Panini—On Wednesdays, from 1 to 2 P.M.; Thursdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.
Sankhya-Pravachana and Yoga—On Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 3 to 4 P.M.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 14th July 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

PANDEYA RAMAVATOR SARMA, SAHITYACHARYYA, M.A., Srigopal Basu Mallick Fellow, will deliver a lecture in English on *Mukti* or Salvation according to the Vedanta Philosophy at the Senate House, College Square, on Tuesday, the 23rd July next, at 6 P.M. The lecture is open to the public.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 14th July 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.



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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification of sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Puri will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 20th July at 12 A.M. for arrears of land revenue and other demands, which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and all other shares not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1/2	Killah Marichpur, pargana Marichpur.	3,328 13 4	.....	14a. 9p. 15k. 2b.	Musamat Deokali Kawaur and others.	3,080 2 4	.....	718 12 6
120	Ma. Bagha, pargana Oldhar.	540 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Taponidhi Harakrishna Bhagirathi Goswami.	.....	273 0 0	.....
147/2	Ma. Harakrishnapur, pargana Mahang.	2,143 0 0	.....	4a.	Bhicari Misser	535 12 0	.....	268 0 0

Puri Collectorate, the 15th June 1908.

A. B. MAITRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Balasore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st July 1908 at 11 A M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. (A)	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
376	Killa Ambahatta, ph. Ambahatta killa.	6,102 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raja Shyam Chunder Mardaraj Hari Chandan, killa of Nilgiri, killa Nilgiri and others.	.....	135 0 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
377 Ij.	Kf. killa Ambahatta, ph. ditto.	895 13 11	Share ...	11a. 11p.	Dadhibahan Das and others of Panichhatra, ph. Banchas.	667 3 9	.....	198 9 7 1908 A. kist.
949 Ij.	Tk. Krishnapura, ph. Ankura.	18,341 0 0	Do. ...	10a. 8p.	Nilmadhab Parhi and others of Eram, ph. Ankura.	12,227 5 4	.....	1,838 12 4 1908 A. kist.
949 1	Ditto ...	18,341 0 0	Do. ...	5a. 4p.	Bhagaban Mahanty of Bharpur, ph. Ankura, and others.	6,113 10 8	.....	1,294 5 4 1908 A. kist.
950	Tk. Churamoni, ph. ditto.	2,223 0 0	Whole ..	.....	Srimatya Chandramone Dei, mother and guardian of Kanungo Krishna Prasad Ray Bhrawarbar of Churamoni, ph. Ankura.	.....	1,074 8 0 1908 A. kist	.....
953	Ma. Arnan, ph. Ankura.	752 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Mathura Mohan Parhi of Eram, ph. Ankura, and others	.....	133 5 3 1908 A. kist.	.....
955	Ma. Parhuan, ph. ditto.	1,400 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Nilmadhab Parhi of ditto, ph. ditto, and others.	.....	241 1 1 1908 A. kist.	.....
958	Ma. Suan Iswarpur, ph. ditto.	766 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Sudarsan Prosad De of Barobati, ph. Sunhat.	.....	382 13 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
576 Ij.	Tk. Purusottampur, ph. Balikhand.	5,666 0 0	Share ...	13a. 17kt. 1b. 3g. 3k. ...	Romesh Chandra Misra of Purusottampur, ph. Balikhand, and others.	4,029 13 1	.....	1,854 14 3 1908 A. kist
576 1	Ditto ...	5,636 0 0	Do. ...	2a. 11p. 2kt. 14b. 16g. 1k.	Ch. Raghunath Nisanka Mahapatra and others of Purusottampur, ph. Balikhand.	1,037 2 11	.....	418 10 6 1908 A. kist.
577	Tk. Bari, ph. Balikhand.	4,828 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Janaki Ballabh Mandhata Mahapatra and others of Iram, ph. Ankura.	.....	1,801 15 3 1908 A. kist.	.....
578	Tk. Sabang, ph. ditto	2,294 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Swaranamayee Dasi of Kowpur, ph. Randiaorgora.	.....	882 2 11 1908 A. kist.	.....
931	Tape Mallanch, ph. Banchas.	1,570 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Bhagaban Chandra Das and others of Borobati, ph. Sunhat.	.....	789 5 10 1908 A. kist.	.....
669	Tk. Kundi, ph. Basta Haveli.	1,115 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Lala Ramnath Ray of Lukh Mannath, ph. Chak Ismailpur and others.	.....	537 4 0	.....
1085 1	Tk. Guruprasad. ph. Bayang.	2,103 0 0	Share ...	3a. 11p. 11kt. 15b. 18g. 1k.	Radhashyam Das of Kantapari, ph. Dhamnagar.	531 5 10½	.....	31 7 9½ 1908 April kist.
982	Tk. Harisingpur, ph. Bhera.	4,339 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Radha Kanta Ray Mahasay of Kowpur, ph. Randiaorgora and others.	.....	708 6 9 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	.....
985 Ij	Tk. Birbarpur, ph. ditto.	2,305 0 0	Share ...	3a. 7p. 7kt. 3b. 9g. 17067 / 340560 bid.	Adhikari Niladri Das and others of Mangalpur samil Gandharbapukhri, ph. Bhera.	534 0 8	.....	10 1 7 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
986 Ij.	Ma. Damoderpur, ph. ditto.	2,159 0 0	Do. ...	9a. 3p. 6b. 8g. 15887 / 34560 bid	Ganesh Prasad Panda of Begunia, ph. Balikhand, and others	1,248 6 4½	.....	171 5 9½ 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
907	Tk. Daranda, ph. Daradachour.	656 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ch. Golak Narain Paharaj Mandhata of Gor Irda, ph. Daradachour.	.....	238 11 7 1908 A. kist.	.....
906	Ma. Jamsuli, ph. ditto.	951 15 6	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	256 7 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
746	Tk. Bardhanpur, ph. Dasmalang.	661 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Radhashyam Das of Barobati, ph. Sunhat and others.	.....	280 3 6 1908 A. kist.	.....
229 Ji.	Tk. Malda, ph. Dhamnagar.	3,770 1 1	Share ...	13a. 10p. 19kt. 12b. 15g. ...	Dhruba Mahapatra and others of Kurigan, ph. Dhamnagar.	3,270 0 0½	.....	583 8 5½ 1908 A. kist.
238	Tk. Jahangir, ph. ditto.	4,460 6 6	Whole ...	.....	Radhashyam Das of Kantapari, ph. Dhamnagar, and others.	.....	211 11 7 1908 A. kist.	.....
1515 Ji.	Tk. Benotara, pl. Kaima.	1,053 0 0	Share ...	12a. 8p. 12kt. 8b.	Hadibandhu Chowdhury of Jagulai Elaka, Panchmuka, ph. Killa Kanika and others.	837 0 10	.....	333 10 9½ 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
1531	Tk. Darba, ph. Kaima.	660 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Chow. Dibya Sinha Narendra Mahapatra and others of Kamardihi, ph. Kaima.	.....	169 0 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
1532	Tk. Trilochan Darba, kt. tk. Darba, ph. ditto.	602 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Dibya Sinha Narendra Mahapatra and others of ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	112 0 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
1623	Ma. Chandanpur, ph. Kaima.	1,819 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Dinabandhu Bal of Bartana Elaka Panchmuka, Killa Kanika.	.....	89 13 5 1908 A. kist.	.....
1341 6	Ma. Kasba Kamarda, ph. Kamardachour.	3,505 0 0	Share ...	8a. 7p. 5kt. 15b. 15g. 9k. 1kt. 4b. 18g. 1kt. 2b. 7g. 2k. 9b. 7g. 3k.	Jogendra Narain Paharaj Mandhata and others of Gar Erda, ph. Dararachour.	803 15 5½	.....	246 3 6½ 1908 A. kist.
1344 3	Kusuda, ph. Kamardachour.	1,693 0 0	Do. ...	8a.	Srichandan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Ray of Gar Rautrapur, ph. Sahabandat.	846 8 0	.....	236 8 0 1908 A. kist.

Taust No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. (A)	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1345	Ma. Khairda, ph. Kamardachour.	Rs. A. P. 2,709 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Chow. Radhashyam Ray of Bansadina, ph. Kamardachour, and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 117 3 9 1908 A. kist.	Rs. A. P. .....
1135/5	Tk. Gokula Nandapur, ph. Katisahi.	3,440 1 6	Share ...	5a. 4p.	Bhagaban Chandra Das and others of Barobati, ph. Sunhat.	1,146 11 2	.....	516 0 6 1908 A. kist.
737/1	Patna Raghrindabon, ph. Khajuri.	1,243 0 0	Do. ...	10a.	Sundarson Prasad De of Barobati, ph. Sunhat.	776 14 0	.....	62 11 9 1908 A. kist.
314	Tk. Kasba, ph. Manjuri.	2,399 12 2	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Gandharbika Dei, mother and guardian of Chowdhuri Jadunandan Dhakin Ray Mahapatra of Jagarnathprasad, ph. Manjuri.	.....	1,188 14 4 1908 A. kist.	.....
713/1½	Tk. Dhara, ph. Mulgoan.	1,022 0 0	Share ...	14a. 9p. 16kt.	Harendra Narain Ray Mohashy of Lakhanath, ph. Chak Issa Mailpur and others.	944 13 1	.....	127 11 7 1908 A. kist.
1126	Tk. Bhagawanpur, ph. Nungleswar.	796 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ch. Giridhari Singh and others of Patara, ph. Nungleswar.	.....	264 3 9 1908 A. kist.	.....
1474	Ma. Debkumar, ph. Napo kismat.	960 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ban muli Charan Ghosh of Debkumar, ph. kt. Napochore and others.	.....	93 13 8 1908 A. kist.	.....
725/1½	Tk. Baita, ph. Nunkhand.	1,004 0 0	Share ...	11a. 4p. 12kt. 9b. 2g. 3k. 1½bid.	Dwarikanath Kar and others of Barobati, ph. Sunhat.	714 7 3½	.....	35 7 7½ 1908 A. kist.
2	Tk. Randhia, ph. Randiorgora.	5,648 13 4	Whole ...	.....	Radhakanta Ray Mohashay and others, at present of Naripur, ph. Randiorgora.	.....	2,824 15 11½ 1908. A kist.	.....
3	Tk. Sarpanga, ph. ditto.	1,429 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Makbul Rahman Ahmed of Issufpur, ph. ditto, and others.	.....	235 4 3 1908 A. kist.	.....
8	Ma. Charampa, ph ditto.	781 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Mohamod Abdul Rab and others, of Baliorda, ph. Randiargora.	.....	350 6 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
11	Ma. Charnyah, ph. Randiaorgora.	805 7 9	Do. ...	...	Mahanta Susibhusan Goswami and others of Santhia, ph. Randiaorgora.	.....	74 13 10 1908 A. kist.	.....
12	Kt. tk. Sarmanga, ph. ditto.	800 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Sayed Mohamed Issuf Ali and others of Issufpur, ph. Randiaorgora.	.....	250 0 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
13	Ditto ...	876 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Shaikh Latifur Rahoman Ahmed of Issufpur, ph. Randiaorgora, and others.	.....	273 11 11½ 1908 A. kist.	.....
16	Kt. tk. Madhab Nagar, ph. ditto.	512 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Dattari Behera of Kundala, ph. Randiaorgora and others.	.....	16 5 1 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	.....
6	Tappe Narainpur, ph. Satmalang.	4,217 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Bhuyan Surendra Nath Sing Das Ranbhim Mohapatra of Jamkunda, ph. Satmalang.	.....	1,152 0 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
2/1	Tk. Harisankarpur, ph. Senaut.	7,456 10 11	Share ...	3a. 3p.	Sibaprasad Ray Mahapatra and others of Hattuli, ph. Senaut.	1,514 10 3	.....	147 1 1½ 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
1/2	Ditto ...	7,456 10 1	Do. ...	2a. 9p.	Ch. Haribar Santra Mahapatra of Hattuli, ph. Senaut.	1,281 9 10	.....	103 12 5½ 1908 A. kist.
1	Tk. Talpada, ph. ditto.	4,679 0 0	Whole ..	.....	Ch. Harakrishna Mahapatra, of Iram, ph. Ankura, and others.	.....	113 12 6 1908 A. kist.	.....
1	Patna Gajendrapur, ph. Senaut.	745 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Moonshi Makbul Raheman Ahmed of Issufpur, ph. Randiaorgora, and others.	.....	575 6 9 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	.....
	Tk. Bilna, ph. Senaut	1,084 0 0	Share ...	11a.	Moonshi Latifur Raheman Ahmed of Issufpur, ph. Randiaorgoda, and others.	745 4 0	.....	302 0 8 1908 A. kist.
—	A. D., ma. Dolesahi, ph. ditto.	9,889 0 0	Do. ...	13a. 5p. 12kt. 9g. 1k. ...	Dullabhanand Das and others of Barang, ph. Senaut.	8,325 5 1	.....	3,684 9 10½ 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
—	Patna Mursadnagar, ph. ditto.	2,216 0 0	Do. ...	7a. 1p. 12kt. 13b. 17g. 2k. 2kt. 10b.	Tinkouri Debya of Halisahar Choudhuripara, dist. Chabis Parganas.	988 7 6	.....	32 0 2 1908 A. kist.
—	Ditto ...	2,216 0 0	Do. ...	7a. 1p. 12kt. 13b. 17g. 2k. 2kt. 10b.	Asutosh Ray Choudhuri and others of Belgharia, ph. Chabis Parganas, Calcutta.	989 7 6	.....	46 12 4 1908 A. kist.
3	Khg. ma. Barikpur, ph. Senaut.	558 0 0	Whole ...		Munshi Shaik Latifur Rahman Ahmad of Issufpur, ph. Randiargora and others.	.....	58 0 5 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	.....
—	Tk. Ramkrishnapur, ph. Senaut.	896 0 0	Share ...	11a. 1p. 16kt. 3b. 17g. 2k. 1½bid.	Sheik Fakir Mahamad of Gojidarada, ph. Senaut and other.	624 7 4	.....	65 1 10 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.
1	Kt. khg. ma. Barikpur, ph. Senaut.	537 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Sheik Latifur Raheman Ahmed of Issufpur, ph. Randiargora.	.....	97 8 1 1907 N. and 1908 A. kist.	.....
1	Ml. Bishnupur, ph. Sahabandar.	3,816 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Srichandan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Ray of Gar Rautrapur, ph. Sahabandar.	.....	827 0 0 1908 A. kist.	.....
8	Tappe Purusando, ph. Soso.	9,258 0 0	Share ...	15a. 14kt. 3b. ...	Balabhadra Prasad Das Rajkumar Barigangan Bhuyan Mahapatra of Gopinathpur, Killa Mangalpur.	3,713 9 3	.....	317 5 7½ 1908 A. kist.
	Tk. Rahasbiharipur, ph. Soso.	831 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Lakshmidhar Mahapatra and others of Fatepur, ph. Soso.	.....	50 6 3 1908 A. kist.	.....
	Tk. Hirapur, ph. Talsabang.	1,389 0 0	Share ...	6a. 7p. 8b.	Gobind Chandra Mahapatra of Patna, Baghrindaban, ph. Khejuri, and others.	874 15 1½	.....	122 7 5 1908 A. kist

(A) All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Balasore Collectorate, the 3rd July 1908.

B. C. Sen, Collector.

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Muzaffarpur.

PRESENT:

D. H. Kingsford, Esq., I.C.S.

EXECUTION CASE No. 7 OF 1908.

Meghraj and others, decree-holders, *versus* Nand Kishore Narayan Sinha and others, judgment-debtors.

THE following properties will be put to sale by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court on the 15th July 1908 at 12 noon realization of Rs. 50,167-5 and subsequent costs :—

Serial No.	Tauzi No.	Name of mauza.	Extent of share.	Parganа.	Thana.	District.	Government revenue.	Revenue of the share sought to be sold.	Area of the 1/ annas.	Area of the share to be sold at auction.	REMARKS.
			As.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	AC. DEC.	AC. DEC.	
1	4503	Srichandpur kathia, asli with dakhli.	16	Saraisa ...	Samastipur ...	Darbhanga ...	204 6 3	204 6 3	114 0·21	114 0·21	
2	3949	Ditto ditto ...	16	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	153 4 6	153 4 6	74 0·49	74 0·49	
3	2464/3	Taluka Gurmia Nathu Lal Chaudhuri with Panapur, and Biro Sheo and Panapur Kalleyan and Harpur, Nowgir *alias* Mahomedpur, asli with dakhli.	16	Chakla Garjowl, pargana Bisara.	Lalganj	Muzaffarpur...	618 14 11	169 5 2	.....	468 ·77	Let it be known that sadar of the enti (taluka) and othe is Rs. 618-14-11 and sadar of tauzi No. judgment-debtors' Rs. 169-5-2. Gur 331·43 acres and 4 in Harpur mauza acres in Panapur, in acres are to be auction.
4	2464/1	Ghataro Gopi Nath appertaining to taluka Gurmia.	8	Ditto ..	Do. ...	Ditto ...	618 14 11	97 8 0	.....	121 ·7½	Let it be known that sadar of the enti Gurmia is Rs. 618. the jama sadar separate account No. 2464/1, the shar judgment-debtor is and the area o Ghataro Gopi Nati acres and the are share to be sold 121· 8 annas share.
	20/B	Ataullapur Kesho and Pojhia and Brahampur mahal Anoga Altagma, which are recorded in the Register Ataullah Pani Bhakurahar, Gopal Bhakurahar and Atu Ullah Altagma, asli with dakhli. Revenue-free estate.	7	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	.....	.....	.....	226 ·36	This is the area of to be sold at auct as the estate is re there is no jama sad

Muzaffarpur Judge's Office, the 1st July 1908. (816—2) D. H. KINGSFORD, District Juc

THE publication of abstract of the Estates Partition Fund, made on page 548, Part II of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 20th May 1908, is hereby cancelled, and revised figures as noted below are substituted :—

FORM II.

(INSTRUCTIONS 97 AND 120.)

Abstract of the Estates Partition Fund of District Darbhanga for the year 1907-08, prepared as required by section 42 of Act V (B.C.) of 1897.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance at credit of the Fund on 1st April 1907 ...	24,489	8	2
Receipts for the year	12,051	6	8
Disbursements during the year	18,988	0	2
Balance at credit on 31st March 1908	17,552	14	8

DURGA PRASAD, for *Collector*.

LAHERIA SARAI, *the 4th July 1908*.

(834—1)

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 7th July 1908.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,62,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 78,87,594 1 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,16,69,541 0 0	1,95,57,135	1	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	16,33,87,516	2	8
Bank Post Bills, &c.	8,72,917	6	6
Sundries	23,94,797	4	0
Rupees ...	22,24,62,865	15	0

ASSETS.

	Rs	A.	P.
Government securities	2,91,37,431	0	0
Other authorised investments ...	29,12,512	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,53,91,519	2	4
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,02,79,397	14	6
Bills discounted and purchased	2,36 14,127	15	11
Balances with other Banks	15,15,602	10	11
Bullion			
Dead Stock	18,80,828	3	1
Stamps	16 617	14	11
Sundries	8,37,287	0	2
	14,55,25,413	13	10
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs 4,00,19,613 5 10			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... † ,, 3,69,17,338 11 4	7,69,36,952	1	2
Rupees ...	22 24,62,865	15	0

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 2,01 810 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 4.07,197 8 0
,, 6.09,007 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL.
Calcutta, 9th July 1908.
(837—1)

Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 41·31.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

MEMORANDUM.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	
Government Balance at Head Office	8,58,387	Increase.
Ditto at Branches ...	4,44,751	Do.
Other Deposits	25,19,551	Decrease.
Post Bills	1,44,479	Do.

ASSETS.

	Rs.	
Bank's Investments	26,420	Increase.
Loans ...	10,43,695	Decrease.
Accounts of Credit	8,64,496	Do.
Mercantile Bills	13,79,255	Do.
Cash at Head Office	6,04,781	Increase.
Do. at Branches	4,12,695	Do.

Percentage 41·31.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 7th July 1908.

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In the Court of Rai Durga Dass Basu Bahadur, Subordinate Judge, Second Court, Patna.

EXECUTION CASE No. 77 OF 1908.

Babu Saroda Pershad Ghose, decree-holder, *versus* (1) Mathura Pershad Singh, (2) Badri Narayan Singh, (3) Gouri Narayan Singh, (4) Rudar Narayan Singh, (5) Rajinder Narayan Singh, minors, through Mathura Pershad Singh, (6) Harihar Pershad Singh, (7) Bhaskar Pershad Singh, minor, through Harihar Pershad Singh, (8) Sheo Narayan Singh, (9) Purendra Narayan Singh, judgment-debtors.

THE following property of the abovenamed judgment-debtors will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court in the verandah of the Second Munsif's Court, Patna, at Bankipore, in the above execution case on the 17th day of August 1908, at 12 o'clock noon for the realisation of the judgment-deb', the sum of Rs. 9,572-7-3 only :—

Tauzi No.	Name of village with pargana and zilla.	Jama sadar.	Thana.	Sub-division.	Share mortgaged.
230	Sheikhopore Indout *alias* Mayi, pargana Bismak, zilla Patna.	Rs. A. P. 1,067 11 9	Hilsa	Bihar	Twelve annas out of sixteen annas share.

DURGA DASS BASU, Subordinate Judge.

Bankipur, the 4th July 1908. (836—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a decree and order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, made in suit No. 23 of 1907 (Sreemutty Probodh Kumary Dabee *versus* Sreemutty Narayani Dasheel), and dated, respectively, the 15th day of March 1907 and 25th day of March 1908, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room on Saturday, the 25th day of July 1908, at the hour of 12 o'clock, the following property of the defendant :—

Lot No. 1.—An undivided one-third part or share in all that the partly one- and partly two storied dwelling-house and *kutcha-pucca* tiled hut, together with the piece or parcel of rent-free land, whereon the same is erected and built, containing an area of 6 cottahs and 6 chitaks, a little more or less, being premises No. 48 (formerly No. 26) Ashutosh Dey's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded on the north partly by Ashutosh Dey's Lane, partly by waste land of Kristo Chandra Roy, partly by the dwelling-house of Grish Chandra Mahendry and partly by the tenanted house of Jadab Chandra Gossami, on the east by the dwelling-house of late Kassi Nath Mundol, on the south partly by Nundo Lal Mullick's lane and partly by the waste land belonging to late Shama Dassee, and on the west by a passage formed by a filled up Municipal drain.

The abstract of title and condition of sale may be seen at the Office of the said Registrar and also at the Office of Babu Sasi Sekhar Banerjee at No. 8, Old Post Office Street, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Sasi Sekhar Banerjee, Attorney-at-Law and Attorney for the Plaintiff.

High Court, Calcutta, Original Side, 11th June 1908.
(810—1—812)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to the decree and order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Jurisdiction, made in suit No. 384 of 1906 (wherein Shib Charan Law is the plaintiff and Chooni Lall Kar and others are defendants), and dated, respectively, 28th August 1906 and 20th January 1908, by the Registrar in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 1st day of August 1908, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following properties :—

Lot No. I.—Premises No. 3, Nundo Coomar Chowdhury's 2nd Lane, being a partly two- and partly three-storied brick-built dwelling-house with land whereon the same is built, containing by estimation 3 cottahs 12 chitaks and 27 square feet, more or less, being a part of and included in Holding No. 207 Block No. XIV, North Division, Calcutta, and bounded on the north by Nundo Coomar Chowdhury's 2nd Lane, on the east by a common passage, on the south by No. 4, Nundo Coomar Chowdhury's 2nd Lane, and on the west by a public lane, and for which an annual sum of Rs. 5-2-10 is payable to the Collector of Calcutta for the entire holding.

Lot No. II.—Premises No. 7-1, Nundo Coomar Chowdhury's 2nd Lane, being a one-storied brick-built tenanted house with land whereon the same is built and containing by estimation 2 cottahs, more or less, being part of and included in Holding No. 207, Block No. 14, North Division, Calcutta, and bounded on the north by Nundo Coomar Chowdhury's 2nd Lane, on the east by premises No. 7-2, Nundo Coomar Chowdhury's 2nd Lane, belonging to Kissori Pada Kur, on the south by No. 7-3, Nundo Coomar Chowdhury's Lane, and on the west by a common passage, and for which an annual sum of Rs. 5-2-10 is payable to the Collector of Calcutta for the entire holding

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar and at the office of Babu N. C. Mandal, Attorney-at-Law, No. 8-2, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

N. C. Mandal, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Jurisdiction, Calcutta, the 3rd June 1908. (811—1—816)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a decree and an order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, made in suit No. 302 of 1906 (Harendro Lal Ray *versus* Madhub Money Dasi and others), and dated respectively the 21st June 1906 and 28th May 1907, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 8th day of August 1908, at 12 o'clock noon, the following properties:—

Lot No. I.—All that the partly three-storied, partly two-storied and partly one-storied brick-built dwelling-house, together with a range of brick-built stables with tiles and other tiled huts, together with the piece or parcel of rent-free land containing by measurement 15 cottahs and 8 chittacks, more or less, being premises Nos. 2, 3 and 4, Bullaram Mozumdar's Street, and No. 11, Rossick Lall Ghose's Lane, formerly No. 5, Bullaram Mozumdar's Street, in Taluk Sutanutty in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by Russick Lal Ghose's Lane, on the east by the tenanted land of Rajah Sreenath Roy, on the south partly by No. 1-1, Bullaram Mozumdar's Street, and partly by Bullaram Mozumdar's Street, and on the west partly by Bullaram Mozumdar's Street and partly by Rossick Lal Ghose's Lane.

Lot No. II.—All that piece or parcel of rent-free land with a partly two-storied and partly one-storied brick-built dwelling-house, containing by measurement 2 cottahs 13 chittacks and 41 square feet, more or less, being premises No. 2, Russick Lal Ghose's Lane, in Sutanuty, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by premises No. 11, Kripa Nath's Lane, belonging to the estate of Saroda Prosad Dhole, deceased, on the east partly by premises No 12, Kripa Nath's Lane, and partly by premises No. 13, Kripa Nath's Lane, on the south partly by Russick Lal Ghose's Lane and partly by premises No. 3, Russick Lal Ghose's Lane, and on the west partly by premises Nos. 3, 4, and 5, Russick Lal Ghose's Lane.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's office in the Court-house or at the office of plaintiff's Attorneys, Messrs. G. C. Chunder & Co., at No 2, Old Post Office Street, in Calcutta on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

G. C. Chunder & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, 8th day of June 1908. (713—1—719)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of WILLIAM LENNOX HARWOOD, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 9th instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 20th day of July instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

P. N. Bannerjee, Attorney. (849—1)

In the matter of BALAI CHAND BURDHON, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 20th day of July instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (851—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Anukul Chandra Chatterji, of Salikha-Bandaghat, thana Golabari in Howrah, has been admitted by this Court as No. 22 of 1908, and that the 31st day of July 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge, Hooghly.

Chinsura, the 6th July 1908. (833—1—80*s*)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1908.

Banamali Mandal, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that Banamali Mandal, of Durgabari, Gangrai, thana Bishnupur, district 24-Parganas, was, on the 29th day of June 1908, declared an insolvent, and the 27th July 1908 is fixed for creditors to prove their debts.

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 7th July 1908. (838—1—811)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 40 OF 1908.

Upendra Nath Das, of 21-1, Ananda Gopal Palit's Road, thana Entally, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed applicant was, on the 29th June 1908, declared an insolvent. The 2.th July 19/8 is fixed for creditors to prove their debts.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 9th July 1908. (847—1—817)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bhagalpur.

PRESENT:

J. C. Twidell, Esq., C.S., District Judge.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1907.

Albert Barraclough, son of Joseph Barraclough, at present residing at Jamalpur, in the district of Monghyr, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that Albert Barraclough, the abovenamed petitioner, has, on the 13th May 1908, been declared an insolvent by this Court, and the Nazir of the Court has been appointed Receiver.

RAJENDRA NATH DATTA,

Sub-Judge, *for* District Judge.

Bhagalpur Judge's Office, the 8th July 1908. (835—1—810)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 11 OF 1908.

URDABH CHANDRA PASHARI, son of Gopal Chandra Pashari, of Ramkrishnapur in Howrah, was, on the 4th June 1908, adjudicated an insolvent. The 3rd August next has been fixed for framing a schedule of debts and creditors, when persons having claims against him are to prove them in this Court.

S. C. MALLICK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th July 1908. (845—1—814)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1908.

In the matter of Dwarika Nath Moitra, at present of Sujapur, Division Beldanga, district Murshidabad, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent, and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 24th July 1908.

C. W. E. PITTAR, District Judge.

Murshidabad District Judge's Office, the 7th July 1908. (839—1—819)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 7 OF 1908.

In the matter of Sasi Bhusan Roy, of Baraduari, Division Assanpur, district Murshidabad, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent, and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 24th July 1908.

C. W. E. PITTAR, District Judge.

Murshidabad District Judge's Office, the 7th July 1908. (840—1—820)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1908.

In the matter of Damodar Hazra, of Anandanagar, Division Beldanga, district Murshidabad, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent, and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 7th August 1908.

C. W. E. PITTAR, District Judge.

Murshidabad District Judge's Office, the 7th July 1908. (841—1—821)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 5 OF 1908.

In the matter of Kailash Chandra Shaha, of Danki, thana Alamdanga, district Nadia, debtor.

To

1. Krishna Prosad Halder, minor, represented by his certified guardian Sashimukhi Dasi, of Benodepur, police station Alamdanga,
2. Chiniruddi Pramanik, of Kushtea, police-station Kushtea,
3. Ram Das Shaha, at present of Alamdanga, police-station Alamdanga,
4. Ram Lal Shaha and others, of Alamdanga, police-station Alamdanga,
5. Krishna Behari Shaha, of Alamdanga, police-station Alamdanga,
6. Mutty Lal Pal, of Sutirbagan, Calcutta,
7. Trailakhya Nath Pal, of Hapshibagan, Calcutta,
8. Annada Charan Chakravarti, of Hapshibagan, Calcutta,
9. Purnahari Sadhu Khan, of Hapshibagan, Calcutta,
10. Nanda Lal Dey, of Posta, Darmahata Road, Calcutta.
11. Nanda Lal Ghosh, No. 53, Jorasanko, Calcutta,
12. Sarat Chandra Dan, of Hardi, thana Alamdanga, creditors.

WHEREAS the abovenamed debtor has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 14th May 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 8th day of August 1908 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows:—

		Rs.	A.
Creditor No.	1	1,500	0
	2	85	0
	3	425	0
	4	278	10
	5	207	0
	6	556	0
	7	126	0
	8	566	0
	9	252	0
	10	575	0
	11	325	0
	12	1,900	0
		6,784	10

J. N. GHOSH, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 10th July 1908. (662—1—818)

GOPAL KRISHNA PAL, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (767—4—714)

MR. P. K. MITTER, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (806—4—757)

SAYED ENAYET KARIM, B.L., Pleader, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court. (774—4—758)

SHAIKH MUHAMMAD ABDUL HAKIM, B.L., Pleader, Bankipore, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (755—4—763)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Asimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908 :—

1.	Asimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add	880
3.	Balia	...	„	889
4.	Bhimpore	...	„	1992
5.	Munair	...	„	2458
6.	Masandha	...	„	4368
7.	Phulwari	...	„	5058
8.	Sunda	...	„	5859
9.	Shahjehanpore		„	7305
10.	Ghyaspur	...	„	7692
11.	Beswak	...	„	9898
12.	Bihar	...	„	10506
13.	Maldah	...	„	11771
14.	Narhat	...	„	11772
15.	Pillich	...	„	11823
16.	Raggir	...	„	12561
17.	Samai	...	„	12585
18.	Sanaut	...	„	12605
19.	Telhara	...	„	12606
20.	Ukri	...	„	13570

(To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.)

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W/50 of 08/09	Pa/98 29299	500	Hajee Noor Mohamad Janas, 16, Armenian Street, Calcutta.
	„ 29300	500	
	„ 52703	500	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 27th June 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W/64 of 08/09	UA/65 97926	100	Karim Bux Haji, Shaheb Bazar, P. O. Ghoramara. Rajshahi.
	97927	100	
	97928	100	
	97929	100	
	UA/64 72353	100	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 8th July 1908.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified that Government estate No. 951, Jalkar Gonutia, of the district of Birbhum, situated in pargana Ichhapakhuria, thana Bolepur, with an annual revenue of Rs. 10, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at 1 P.M. on the 17th July 1908 before the Collector of Birbhum.

H. A. LANE, Depy. Collr., *for* Collector.

Suri, the 28th May 1908.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that the undermentioned treasure was found by Sakhi Chand Teli, of Sandhya Bazar, Sibpur, in the month of May 1908 :—

Description of the treasure.	Value.
	Rs.
A tin box containing silver coins ...	40

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector, Howrah, at his office on 16th December 1908 in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

B. K. BOSE, *for* Collector of Howrah.

Howrah Collector's Office, the 7th July 1908.

Wanted

NAZIR AND SUB-TREASURER for the Kishanganj subdivision on Rs. 20 rising to Rs. 30 by biennial increment of Re. 1. The selected candidate will have to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 750 in cash or Government Promissory notes.

Applications will be received up to the 26th instant.

A. H. VERNEDE, Collector.

Purnea, the 11th July 1908.

Wanted.

AN Assistant Estimator for this office on a salary of Rs. 30 rising to Rs. 40 in five yearly increments.

None need apply who has had no experience in estimating work.

Applications supported by copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned by the 20th July latest.

The age of the applicant should be stated.

L. D. CROSS, Executive Engineer,
Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur, the 6th July 1908.

Wanted

AN Assistant Estimator for the Office of the Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle, on Rs. 70 per month for six months, with prospect of being permanently appointed.

Candidates are requested to apply stating qualifications and age and sending copies of their testimonials.

Preference will be given to the students who have passed the B.E. or F.E. Examination of the Sibpur Engineering College and who have had some practical experience of Irrigation and Building works.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 5th August 1908.

K. BANARJI, B.A., A.M.I.C.E.,
Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle.

The 9th July 1908.

Wanetd

A HEAD CLERK AND SHARISTADAR for the Magistrate's office, Gaya, on a salary of Rs. 120—200 per month, on probation for six months, with prospect of being made permanent on the retirement of the permanent incumbent in January 1909. Candidates must have thorough experience of works of the Magistrate's office, be under 45 years of age and fit for hard work.

Applications will be received up to 25th July 1908.

Wanted also a Head Clerk for the Batwara office on a salary of Rs. 40. No one need apply who has not got experience of Collectorate work.

T. S. MACPHERSON,
Magistrate and Collector of Gaya.

Gaya Magistracy, the 12th July 1908.

Notice.

WANTED temporarily a Civil Court Amin for the district of Purnea on a salary of Rs. 50 per mensem besides usual travelling allowance. Applications will be received till the 25th instant.

F. S. HAMILTON,
District Judge

Purnea Judge's Office, the 11th July 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Hindu Tutor Guardian for the minor proprietor of the Tushbhandar Ward's estate, Senior Branch, on a salary of Rs 75 (rupees seventy-five only) per month besides free board and lodging.

The applicant should state in his application his age and caste, educational qualification, previous experience of the work, and should forward testimonials as regards character and respectability.

Applications should reach this office on or before the 26th July 1908.

J. VAS, Collector.

Rangpur Collectorate, the 7th July 1908.

(832—1)

Advertisement.

WANTED a Graduate Assistant Head Master strong in Mathematics for the Arambagh H. E. School on a salary of Rs. 50 a month. The selected candidate will have to join at once.

Apply sharp to

G. C. MUKHERJI.
Subdivisional Magistrate,
President, Arambagh (Hooghly).

Arambagh, the 9th July 1908. (848—1)

Wanted

A SURVEYOR for preparing a drainage scheme of the Ranchi Municipality on a consolidated pay of Rs. 100 per month. He will have to work under the Government Surveyor for a year or so. Candidates thoroughly qualified and having experience of drainage work need only apply. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned by the 15th July 1908.

BALKRISHNA SAHAY,
Vice-Chairman, Ranchi Municipality.

Ranchi, the 1st July 1908. (819—2)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Accountant for the District Board of Shahabad on a salary of Rs. 80 rising to Rs. 120 by an annual increment of Rs. 5. None need apply who has not passed the fourth grade Accountantship Examination under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901. Preference will be given to one who has experience of the District Board accounts.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 30th July 1908.

ANWAR AHMED,
Vice Chairman, District Board, Shahabad

Arrah, the 1st July 1908. (815—3)

Notice.

SEPARATE sealed tenders in form No. 2 are invited and will be received up to the noon of 24th July 1908 for the following works. Works are to be commenced as soon as ordered and completed by the end of February 1909. An earnest-money of Rs 50 for each of the works should be credited into the Howrah Treasury and the Treasury Chalan should accompany each tender:—

	Rs.
(1) Repairs to Howrah Jagatbullabpur road	695
(2) Repairs to Amta-Jhinkra Road	1,000
(3) Repairs to Bagnan-Fatehpur road	800
(4) Repairs to Duke road	1,000
(5) Repairs to Bagnan-Mankoor road	1,000
(6) Repairs to Domjur-Bowreah road	620

GYANENDRA NATH GANGULY,
District Engineer, Howrah.

The 11th July 1908. (846—1)

Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that unless the undermentioned burst bales of jute, which are lying in the Kidderpore Dock Sheds, are removed on or before the 28th July 1908 and all charges due thereon paid, they will be sold by public auction under section 118 of Act III of 1890 and the sale proceeds appropriated towards payment of the charges due:—

Marks.	Quantity.	Description.	Steamer's name.
Tilock M in a circle ...	5	Bales jute (burst).	S.S. "City of Manchester."
M in a double triangle.	6	Ditto ...	S.S. "Orseolo."
MR M, ...	3	Ditto ...	S.S. "Benlawers."
Pal M in a circle ...	3	Bales jute (burst) for examination.	Ditto.
Ditto ...	22	Ditto ...	S.S. "Goldenfels."
A C P M in a circle ...	2	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Bilas ;		Ditto	Ditto.

C. H. WINDLE, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 6th July 1908. (843—1)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 700, dated 3rd June 1908, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
161371	1865	Rs 1,000	Bhudev Haldar.

Name of the Proprietor—BHUDEV HALDAR
Residence—144, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta.
(842—1—813)

Lost

RECEIPTS numbered 3322 and 18642, dated 6th December 1907, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office. Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name
		Rs.	
086189	3½ per cent., 1842-43.	500	Beni Madh Dey.
024340	3½ per cent., 1864-65.	500	
024341	Ditto	500	
066557	3½ per cent., 1865.	500	
004021	Ditto	500	
004022	Ditto	500	
004023	Ditto	500	
004024	Ditto	500	

Name of the Proprietor—BENI MADHAB DEY.
Residence—14, Kasi Dutt's Lane, Calcutta.
(828—1—815)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 077097 of 1842-43 for Rs. 100 and 002175 of 1900-01 for Rs. 100 at 3½ per cent. each, originally standing in the name of Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to Sreemati Hari Mati Dassy, the proprietress, by whom they were never endorsed to any person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietress. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned securities.

MONORANJAN HAJRA,
Husband of the proprietress, Howrah.
(822—3—803)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

Name.	Post Box No.
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Abrecht & Co.	19
Arracan Co., Ld.	28
Agelasto & Co., A	37
Alliance Bank of Simla, Ld.	43
Army Department, Government of India ...	62
Allen Brothers & Co.	77
Atherton & Co., G.	88
Assmann & Co., F. A. D.	103
Arthur Koppel	109
Atlas Assurance Co., Ld.	123
Apcar & Co.	130
Acerboni & Co., F.	135
Anderson Wright & Co	140
Andrew Yule & Co	150
Allahabad Bank, Ld.	165
Artin & Co., Y.	167
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Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	40
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ld. ...	59
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Cohn Bros. & Fuchs	91
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The Hon'ble MR. S. P. SINHA and the Hon'ble MR. F. W. DUKE took their seats in Council.

STATEMENTS AS TO ANARCHISM.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE said:—"I beg leave to make a statement. I have been authorized by the members of the District Boards, the Local Boards, and the Municipalities of the Presidency Division 'to state that they view with abhorrence the anarchical crimes lately committed, that they are keenly alive to the great benefits of the British rule, and that they undertake to exert all the influence they possess on the side of order and peace in the country. They beg to assure the Government that the great mass of the people are loyal and wholly unaffected by *anti*-British agitations, and they trust that for the crimes of the few, the people of Bengal as a whole should not be objects of suspicion or in any way suffer; and that the Government will be pleased to go on in its beneficent course of furthering the progress of education, the development of agriculture and industries and of sanitation in the country, and grant a larger measure of self government which it might have been prepared to grant if the incidents of the last two or three years had not happened.'

"More than four hundred members of the Boards, being about 90 *per cent.* of the entire number, most of whom are elected, representatives of over one million of Bengalis, have given me authority in writing. Only two gentlemen have written to say that the statement was unnecessary, and resolutions of two or three public bodies have omitted the last few lines of the statement, though most of their members have individually given an unconditional authority.

"As a sample I beg leave to place before Your Honour a letter from the Vice-Chairman of the 24-Parganas District Board. 'Referring to your very laudable proposal to make a statement at the next meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council, I unhesitatingly beg to submit on my behalf and on behalf of the District Board, 24-Parganas, that we each and all of us dissociate ourselves from all anarchical movements of a microscopical minority which is looked upon with extreme abhorrence and hatred. It is incumbent on me to assure you that we have not the slightest sympathy with the political propaganda of *anti*-British fanatics who want to upset a settled Government and introduce chaos and disorder in the place of peace and prosperity, and I would earnestly request you to be so good as to represent the cherished views and sentiments of our Board at the next meeting of the Council'

"It is our fervent prayer that the Government will be graciously pleased to continue their beneficent course of furthering the progress of education, the development of agriculture and industries and of sanitation, and grant a larger measure of self-government."

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD said:—"With Your Honour's permission I want to make a statement on behalf of the whole of Bihar. I beg to assure Your Honour that the Biharis do not sympathize with the movement of the Anarchists—rather they view it with a feeling of deep abhorrence. They are of opinion that full patriotism is synonymous with full loyalty to Government. Government is bound to put down anarchy for the welfare of the people, and in taking any measure to suppress anarchism the Government is entitled to the full and earnest support of the people, and I hope the Indians will unhesitatingly and freely give such support."

The Hon'ble THE PRESIDENT said:—"I do not think it is necessary for any Hon'ble Member to state his own views, and unless any other Hon'ble Member has authority to state the views of others, it is perhaps unnecessary to prolong the discussion.

"I think that Hon'ble Members will agree with me that our colleague has rendered public service of some value in obtaining this expression of opinion from the members of the District Boards, Local Boards, and Municipalities who have selected him for nomination to this Council. As he has

stated, the members of these bodies are practically unanimous in their abhorrence of the crimes lately committed and attempted. They desire to assure the Government that the great mass of the people, whom they represent in the local bodies of the Presidency Division, are loyal and wholly unaffected by *anti*-British agitation; and they express the hope that the crimes of the few will not subject the people of Bengal to general suspicion, nor prevent the Government from pursuing its course of reform and efforts after improvement in administration.

"My hon'ble friend showed me last Thursday the mass of letters which he has received authorizing him to make the statement which he has made to-day on behalf of his constituents. Only two letters out of the hundreds which he showed me fail to express cordial sympathy with the sentiments of loyalty which his statement contains, and the writers of these letters only disagree so far as to say that they do not consider his statement necessary. I am glad that this view was found to be so very exceptional. It has been too long a reproach to men of moderate opinions that they have failed to see the necessity for speaking out in a manly and straightforward way. I hope that we are done with this. I have especially noticed the courtesy and eager cordiality, not to say enthusiasm, which the vast majority of these letters have evinced. They are written by Englishmen, Hindus and Muhammadans; and, whatever the race or religion of the writer, his entire sympathy with the statement which our hon'ble friend desired authority to make is manifested in the clearest manner.

"There were, I think, only two letters, in addition to the two already referred to, which did not accept the whole of the statement proposed. These were from two gentlemen who thought that the last part of the statement might be omitted. One of them explained that as a father and a teacher he had found that it was not well to 'punish and pet' at the same time. He therefore proposed that reform should be suspended until public order was completely restored. I was glad to see that this proposal was made by only two of those who replied to the Hon'ble Member's letter. It may not be a sound thing to punish and pet a child at the same time, but it is quite unsound to deprive one person of benefits because it is necessary to punish another.

"There is no intention on the part of Government to make concessions to disorder, but there is a determination not to allow the crimes of a few to divert it from its policy of just and progressive administration. I think that we have good reason to congratulate ourselves that the Secretary of State and His Excellency the Viceroy have both declared emphatically that they will not stay their hand in the work of reform, and in the just and beneficent rule of this country, because what we believe to be a very minute minority of the people has adopted a course of conduct which calls for the severest repression and punishment.

For my own part I feel that the police must be called on to take special precautions for the prevention of crimes contemplated by a section of the community, and that every effort must be made by the Government, in the interests of sound administration and in the interests of the people themselves, to crush and punish these efforts to disturb the public peace and to incite to, or to commit acts of lawless and wicked violence. But at the same time I cannot admit that my opinion of, or my regard for, the people of India as a whole has undergone any very serious change from the events which have occurred. I do not attribute these events to the people generally, and I decline to condemn the whole population for the crimes of a few.

"I earnestly trust that the clear declaration of loyalty and of regard for order which has been made here to-day, and which is now being made in so many parts of India, will prevent the people generally from being suspected of complicity in, or indifference to, those crimes. I trust also that it will tend to give more courage to those who have found it in the past somewhat difficult to speak for order and for peace and lead them to take up a stronger position in face of the noisy minority that advocate disorder and disloyalty."

QUESTION AND ANSWER.

LOCATION OF THE PROPOSED TRAINING COLLEGE.

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD said:—

In view of the facts that Bengal is far more advanced educationally than Bihar, and that the need of a Training College is not so great in Calcutta as in Bihar, will it please the Government to locate the proposed Training College for teachers at Patna or at Bhagalpur?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied:—

"The location of the proposed Training College has not yet been finally settled. The claims of Bihar will receive careful consideration."

THE BENGAL LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM moved that the Bill to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 be re-committed to the Select Committee for the incorporation of provisions relating to sanitation and provisions for preventing the diversion of the road-cess. He said:—

"It will be within the recollection of this Council that after the presentation of the last Report of the Select Committee on this Bill, the consideration of the measure was, in view of the opinion then expressed, postponed by His Honour the President in order that steps might be taken, with the sanction of the Government of India, to the insertion of provisions for (1) ear-marking the road-cess for the objects for which it is collected, and (2) giving Local Union Committees certain powers in respect of measures of sanitation, conservancy, drainage and water-supply, subject in certain cases to the control of the District Board and the Commissioner, and empowering them to supplement the funds available for such local improvements by permissive local taxation.

"The draft amendments have since been framed, and the sanction of the Government of India has been received to their introduction. I need say little in regard to the proposals for ear-marking the road-cess. The amendments suggested by this Government with this object, which involve amendment of sections 52, 53, 138 and Schedule II of the Act, have been accepted by the Government of India, on condition that power be expressly reserved to Government to condone any temporary or exceptional deviation from the rule. In regard to local sanitation, it is proposed, amongst other provisions, to allow a Union Committee to undertake works of sanitation *suo moto*, subject to the control of the District Board and of rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor; to deal with insanitary villages or insanitary blocks in villages, in accordance with a scheme to be approved by the District Board and the Commissioner; to employ special establishment for the cleansing of villages and to require occupiers of houses to cleanse their holdings; to control the construction of new buildings, and to supplement their income by levying light taxation from the owners or occupiers of property within the Union. Appeals to the District Magistrate and the Commissioner of the Division have also been provided for as a safeguard."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that the Hon'ble Mr. Greer, the Hon'ble Rai Kishori Lal Goswami Bahadur and the Mover be added to the Select Committee on the same Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Council was then adjourned to a date to be notified hereafter.

CALCUTTA;
The 14th July, 1908.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, *the 10th July 1908.*

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PERSIAN GULF—ARABIAN COAST.

Baharein Harbour—Shoal in approach.

No. 285 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 67 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned shoal is reported to exist in the approach to Baharein Harbour. Want of time would not permit its being examined.

Position.—About 22½ miles N. 45° E. (true) from Ras Tanura.

Latitude 26° 54′ N., Longitude 50° 28′ E.

Depth.—5 fathoms.

Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western sheet.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 146.

Authority.—H. M.'s "*Lapwing*," Hydrographic Note No. 1 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—ARABIAN COAST.

Koweit Harbour—Light established.

No. 286 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 68 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at Koweit as follows.

Position.—On the British Residency flagstaff.

Latitude 29° 23′ N., Longitude 47° 59′ 30″ E.

Character.—Red fixed.

Visibility.—5 miles.

Power or order.—6th order.

Charts affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western sheet.

,, 22, Koweit Harbour and approaches.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 153. Admiralty list of lights, Part VI, 1908, page 38.

Authority.—H. M.'s "*Lapwing*," Hydrographic Note No. 2.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red sea, eastern shore—Yenbo approach.

Thetis reef—Beacon re-erected.

No. 287 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 878 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 22nd January 1908, a beacon of the undermentioned description was erected in the approach to Yenbo, as follows:—

Position.—On Thetis reef.

Lat. 23° 38¾′ N., long. 38° 13¾′ E.

Description.—Iron cage beacon.

Elevation.—About 27 feet.

Chart affected.—No. 8*b*, Red Sea.

Publications.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 262; Supplement, 1904.

Authority.—H. B. M. Consul, Jeddah, 30th April 1908, through Foreign Office.

CHINA SEA—Cochin China.

Saigon river—Signals indicating submarine boat exercises.

No. 288 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 884 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned signals will be made when submarine boats are exercising in the Saigon river entrance.

Position.—Cape St. James lighthouse, lat. 10° 19¾′ N., long. 107° 5′ E.

Signals.—*a*. A square flag with 2 horizontal bands, red and yellow.
b. A red ball.

Exhibition of.—Signal (*a*) will be hoisted at the fore, and signal (*b*) aft, in place of the national flag on board the vessels convoying the submarine boats.

Signal (*a*) will also be hoisted at the semaphore on cape St. James.

Convoy.—Submarine boats when being exercised will always be accompanied by a torpedo boat, torpedo-boat destroyer, cruiser or other steam-vessel, stationed about 50 yards astern of the submarine.

Caution.—All vessels approaching must pass at least 50 yards astern of the convoy, and carefully observe the movements of, and any signals made from it.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages. 406, 407.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 838 of 1908.

F. Dobson, Comdr., r.i.m.,
Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

BAY OF BENGAL—HUGHLI RIVER APPROACH.

General Instructions.

No. 271 (second publication).—The following "directions" are laid down for guidance of masters of vessels, pilots and others in supersession of the instructions on pages 215, 216 and 217 of the third edition of the Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, and Bengal Government Notice No. 257, dated 6th July 1905 :—

Steam pilot vessels—Cruising station, Sandheads.

The steam pilot vessels are three-masted vessels painted white with yellow funnel.

On an inward-bound vessel being sighted, a square blue flag is hoisted at the main when the pilot vessel is underweigh; if the pilot vessel is at anchor, in addition a blue pennant is hoisted at the mizzen; at night the Regulation lights for steam pilot vessels are exhibited, also a flare up is shown.

During the south-west monsoon the steam pilot vessels cruize about 8 miles south to south-west of the Eastern Channel light in very strong winds and heavy sea about 10 miles. During the north-east monsoon they cruize or anchor about 2 to 3 miles S. by W. to S.W. of the Eastern Channel light vessel.

Pilotage is compulsory for all merchant vessels over 100 tons. If a pilot is not taken at the cruising station considerable loss of time is likely to occur before obtaining one on theriver.

Approach—Directions.—Steam vessels arriving at the Sandheads and finding the steam pilot vessel, at the station, should close with her and lie to about 300 yards distant, under her stern, in the same direction the steam pilot vessel is heading, and in such a manner as to make a lee for the pilot boat, when a pilot will be supplied.

To avoid delay, approaching steam vessels at night should, when about half-a-mile off the steam pilot vessel, indicate their gross tonnage by the following steam whistle signals:—

Over 3,400	tons gross	...	One short blast.
Between 2,800 and 3,400	,,	...	Two short blasts.
,, 1,800 and 2,800	,,	...	Three short blasts.
Under 1,800	,,	...	Four short blasts.

Sailing vessels should signal net tonnage.

Sailing vessels should make the pilot station signal for a pilot, and on the approach of the steam pilot vessel heave to, and a pilot will then be sent.

During bad weather when boating is not safe, or when there are no pilots available, the steam pilot vessels during the day will not show the square blue flag at the main, and at night will not exhibit the Regulation lights or flare up for a steam pilot vessel.

Sailing vessels should not run on the station at night or in threatening weather.

The steam pilot vessels are in telegraphic communication (wireless) with Calcutta; the necessary forms can be obtained from the pilot boat.

In August, September and October, no pilots being available, sailing vessels are signalled to keep to windward; in this case it is advisable to keep the Eastern Channel light vessel well in sight, drop a kedge if wind falls light to prevent drifting off the station.

Caution—Should it be necessary when approaching the Sandheads to anchor from any cause, if possible anchor outside a line joining Eastern Channel and Mutlah light vessels, in not less than 15 fathoms mud.

A vessel will ride easier and bring less strain on her cable if anchored in depths of 15 to 20 fathoms than in less depths, especially in an estuary. In the greater depths the cable, with a good scope of chain, is never quite taut, therefore not so liable to part; the sea has less force than in shoal water.

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT—INNER ROUTE.

Cape Bowling Green lighthouse—Apparatus removed and a temporary light to be exhibited.

No. 272 (second publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 4 of 1908) that the sea having encroached on the site of Cape Bowling Green lighthouse to such an extent as to justify the removal of the apparatus, a temporary light will be exhibited from the flagstaff, but, as such is only visible for a short distance, masters of vessels navigating that vicinity should not approach to the westward of the track recommended.

Charts affected, No. 348; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT—INNER ROUTE.

Cape Bowling Green lighthouse—Exhibition of temporary light.

No 273 (second publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given further notice (No 5 of 1908) that the temporary fixed light now exhibited from Cape Bowling Green is visible from seaward about 9 miles. This light will be exhibited until further notice.

Chart affected, No. 348; Australia Directory, vol. 2

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Arnala—Light temporarily discontinued.

No. 274 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 65 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars	...	The white fixed light with a red sector established at Arnala will be temporarily discontinued from the 20th to the 30th June 1908, both days inclusive.
Position	...	Latitude 19° 27′ N., Longitude 72° 44′ E.
Charts temporarily affected.		No. 1012, Arabian Sea. ,, 826, Karachi to Vengurla. ,, 2736, Gulf of Cutch to Viziadrug. ,, 736, Maroli to Arnala Island. ,, 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.
Publications	...	List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, page 41. West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 1898, page 227.
Authority	...	Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Opium and Abkari Bombay.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R I M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 3rd July 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Emu bay—Shoals in approach.

No. 275 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 855 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Shoals of the undermentioned description exist in the approach to Emu bay, as follows:—

Position.—Burnie breakwater light.

Lat. 41° 3¼′ S., long. 145° 57¼′ E.

a. Rocky patch.

Position.—$7\frac{9}{10}$ cables N. 31° W. from Burnie breakwater light.

Depth.—$2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Description.—Rock covered with sand.

b. Rocky patch.

Position.—One mile N. 17° W. from Burnie breakwater light, 3 cables N. 24° E. from patch (*a*) given above.

Depth.—5 fathoms.

Description.—Rock covered with sand.

Caution.—It is dangerous to pass southward of the 5-fathom patch when rounding Blackman point.

Variation.—9° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1079, Tasmania (Plan, Emu bay).

„ 1695*b*, Bass strait.

Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 618.

Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*, Hydrographic Note, 17th April 1908.

JAPAN, WEST COAST—Kiusiu Shimabara Kaiwan.

Mi ike Ko—Light established.

No. 276 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 856 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On 1st April 1908, a light of the undermentioned character was established in Mi ike Ko, Shimabara gulf, as follows:—

Position.—On North jetty head.

Lat. 33° 0′ 15″ N., long. 130° 23′ 20″ E.

Name.—Mi ike Ko.

Character.—*White occulting every nineteen seconds*, thus :—

Light,	Eclipse,
15 secs.	4 secs.

Elevation.—45 feet. 34 feet above the ground.

Sectors.—*Red* from N. 37° W., through north, to N. 3° E.

White from N. 3° E. to N. 18° E.

Red from N. 18° E., through east and south, to S. 53° W.

Visibility.—White light, 10 miles.

Red light, 7 miles.

Light power.—White light, 95 candles. Red light, 38 candles.

Description of Building.—Iron cylindrical pillar, painted white.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 358, Kiusiu and Nipon.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908. page 207.

Sailing Directions for Japan, Korea, etc., 1904, page 545.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1164 of 1908.

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—Gulf of Tokyo approach.

No jima Saki—Interval of fog-signal altered.

No. 277 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 857 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May 1908 and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive on No jima Saki would be altered from fifteen minutes to the interval given below.

Position.—Lat. 34° 54½′ N., long. 139° 52¾′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Chart affected.—No. 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1075.

Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 377.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.) Notice, No. 492 of 1908.

JAPAN—Yezo, south coast.

Fukuyama Bijochi fog-signal—Interval altered.

No. 278 (second publication) —The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 858 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive on Benten jima, Fukuyama, would be altered from fifteen minutes to the interval given below.

Position.—Lat. 41° 25¼′ N., long. 140° 5′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Charts affected.—No. 1663, Plan of Fukuyama Bijochi.
„ 2441, Tsugaru strait.
„ 3409, Sendai bay to Tsugaru strait.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1085.
Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 695; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.), Notice No. 492 of 1908.

JAPAN—Yezo, west coast.

Inaho Zaki fog-signal—Interval altered.

No. 279 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 859 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May 1909 and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive on Inaho zaki, Okushirito, would be altered from twenty minutes to that given below.

Position.—Lat. 42° 15′ N., long. 139° 33′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Charts affected.—No. 3438, Oshima to Furubira wan.
„ 452, Yezo island.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1122.
Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 725; Supplement 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.) Notice, No. 492 of 1908.

JAPAN—Yezo, south coast.

Mororan ko fog signal—Interval altered.

No. 280 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 860 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May 1908 and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive signal on Daikoku jima, Mororan ko, would be altered from twenty minutes to the interval given below.

Position.—Lat. 42° 21′ N., long. 140° 55′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Chart affected.—No. 3507, Mororan ko.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1102.
Sailing Directions for Japan, 1904, page 726; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.) Notice, No. 492 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—Sandwich islands, Hawaii.

Kealakekua and Kailua bays—Intended lights.

No. 281 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 866 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—About 1st July 1908 lights of the undermentioned characters will be established in Kealakekua and Kailua bays, Hawaii, as follows :—

1. Kealakekua bay.

Position.—About $1\frac{6}{10}$ cables south-west of Cooks monument.

Lat. 19° 28¾′ N., long. 156° 2¾′ W.

Name —Napupu.
Character.—*White fixed.*
Elevation.—90 feet; 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—A mast, painted grey; small white house with red roof.

2. Kailua bay.

Position (assumed).—Kaliliki point.

Lat. 19° 38½′ N., long. 156° 0′ W.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—60 feet; 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—A mast, painted grey; small white house with red roof

Note.—It is presumed that the above lights will replace the occasional red lights at present exhibited.

Charts affected.—No. 1377, Harbours, &c., in the Sandwich islands (Hilo bay).
„ 1510, Sandwich islands.
„ 3102, Hawaii to lat. 6° 15′ N.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, Nos. 843*a*, 843.
Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, pages 206, 205; Supplement, 1908.

Authority.—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 1651, 1652.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—Sandwich islands, Maui.

Kauiki head—Light established.

No. 282 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 867 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On 1st June 1908 a light of the undermentioned character would be established on Kauiki head, Maui, as follows :—

Position (assumed).—On Puu kii islet, 2¼ cables N. 20° E. from Kauiki head ▲ (392 feet).

Lat. 20° 45¾′ N., long. 155° 58¼′ W.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—90 feet; 40 feet above the ground.
Order.—Lantern.
Structure.—Mast, painted grey; small white house with red roof.
Variation—10° E.
Charts affected.—No. 1490. Plan of Kapueokahi bay.
„ 1510. The Sandwich islands.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, page 117.
Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, page 210.
Authority.—United States Commerce Notice, No. 1653 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—Sandwich islands, Maui and Kauai.

Nakalele, Makahuena, Kahala, Kokole—Establishment of lights.

No. 283 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 868 of 1908), are republished :—

Particular.—Lights of the undermentioned characters will be established on Maui and Kauai, as follows :—

a. Nakalele head.

Position —On northern extremity.

Lat. 21° 2′ N., long. 156° 37′ W.

Character—*White fixed.*
Elevation.—90 feet, 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house with red roof.

b. Makahuena (Makanuena) point

Position.—On low hill, about half a cable northward of point.
Lat. 21° 52′ N., long. 159° 27′ E.

Character—Red fixed.

Elevation.—109 feet, 37 feet above the ground.

Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house, red roof.

c. Kahala (Kanala) point.

Position.—On low point.
Lat. 22° 8¼′ N., long. 159° 18½′ W.

Character.—Red fixed.

Elevation.—62 feet, 40 feet above the ground.

Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house, red roof.

d. Lae o Kokole (Konole point.)

Position.—On low point.
Lat. 21° 58′ N., long. 159° 46′ W.

Character.—Red fixed.

Elevation.—55 feet, 40 feet above the ground.

Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house, red roof.

Remarks.—All the above are lantern lights, and would be established on 1st June, with the exception of (*a*) Nakalelo, which will be exhibited on 1st July.

Chart affected.—No. 1510. The Sandwich islands.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, pages 117, 119.
Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, pages 212, 233, 235, 237.

Authority.—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 1654, 1655, 1656, 1657 of 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Rangoon river.—Replacing of the Fairway lighted buoy by an iron conical buoy.

No. 284 (third publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, has given notice dated 29th June 1908 that the lighted buoy at the Fairway has been removed for repairs and has been replaced by an iron conical buoy with horizontal black and white stripes.

F. Dobson, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Caution—Report of dismasted sailing ship "Fathal Rahaman."

No. 262 (third publication).—A telegraphic communication, dated 23rd June 1908, has been received from the Port Officer, Akyab, intimating that the Master of the S.S. *Oolobaria* reports having passed the dismasted sailing ship *Fathal Rahaman* on the 21st idem in lat. 17° 29′ N., long. 93° 40′ E. apparently drifting N. E. and dangerous to navigation.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Gulf of Aden.

Morbut shoal light boat—Replaced by a red conical buoy.

No 263 (third publication).—The Bombay Government has given Notice (No. 60 of 1908) that the light boat moored off the Morbut shoal has on the 12th June 1908 been replaced by a red conical buoy exhibiting at night two red lights six feet apart.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Removal of buoys between Alibág and Bhatkal for the south-west monsoon.

No. 264 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 198, dated 15th May 1908, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given Notice (No. 61 of 1908) that the undermentioned buoys were removed from their positions on the dates noted against each :—

Alibág Buoy	16th May 1908.
Bánkote Buoys	10th „ „
Ambulgad Reef Buoy (Jaitapur)	16th „ „
Chaldea Rock Buoy	16th „ „

Bubra Buoy ...	16th May 1908.
Málwan Outer Rock Buoy	18th „ „
Johnstone Castle Rock Buoy	19th „ „
Málwan Harbour Buoys	19th „ „
Vengurla Outer Rock Buoy	17th „ „
Vengurla Harbour Buoy	18th „ „
Murdeshwar Buoy ...	17th „ „
Bhatkal Buoy ...	16th „ „

AFRICA, SOUTH—Cape Colony.

Simon's bay—Position of moorings altered.

No. 265 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 821 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned moorings in Simon's bay have been moved one cable S. 77° E., and relaid in the following position.

Position.—960 yards N. 62° E. from the head of the Admiral's jetty.

Lat. 34° 11′ S., long. 18° 26¼′ E.

Moorings.—Penelope No. 11.

Variation.—29° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1849, Simon's bay.

Publications.—Africa Pilot, part II, 1901, page 345.

Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 83.

Authority.—Chart Depôt, Hydrographic Note, No. 20 of 1908.

CHINA—Canton river.

Collinson reach barrier—Character of light altered.

No. 266 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 822 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On the 15th April 1908, the red fixed light on Collinson reach barrier would be replaced by a light of the undermentioned character.

Position.—Northern section of barrier, southern end.

Lat. 23° 4′ 40″ N., long 113° 27′ 40″ E.

Character—Red group occulting, showing two short eclipses in quick succession.

Elevation.—18 feet.

Order.—Dioptric, 6th order.

Structure.—White rectangular hut, 20 feet high, surmounted by a bell.

Fog-Signal.—A bell struck once *every six seconds.*

Chart affected.—No. 1742, Second bar Pagoda to Whampoa.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 769.

China Sea, Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 99; Supplement, 1907.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice, No. 451 of 1908.

CHINA SEA AND SOUTH COAST.

Kwang Chau Wan—Alteration in buoyage and beacons.

No. 267 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 823 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The buoyage and beaconage in Kwang Chau Wan have been altered as follows:—

Position.—Lin Fa Than northern pyramid, lat. 21° 6½′ N., long. 110° 23¾′ E.

1. Buoys.

Buoy.	Position on Chart	Alteration.
Red conical	$2\frac{8}{10}$ miles S. 62° E. from Lin Fa Than pyramid.	Withdrawn.
Red conical	$1\frac{8}{10}$ miles S. 87° E. from Lin Fa Than pyramid.	Moved 2½ cables N. 31° W. from position on chart.
Red conical	$1\frac{8}{10}$ miles N. 5° E. from Lin Fa Than pyramid.	Moved 1¼ cables N. 51° W. from position on chart.
Black Pillar	9½ cables S. 25° E. from fort Bayard.	Moved $1\frac{4}{10}$ cables N. 49° E. from position on chart.

2. Beacons.

Beacon.	Position.	Remarks.
Northern pyramid	On Lin Fa Than ...	Not easily distinguished.
White pyramid	West point, Tatchin island	Does not exist.
Leading beacons	Port Beaumont, Tatchin island	Do not exist.
Flagstaff ...	Port Beaumont, Pak hai island	Does not exist, but the tower on which it stood is conspicuous.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3186, River Mâtshe.
„ 3349, Approach to Kwang chau wang.

Publication.—China Sea Directory vol. II, 1906, pages 544, 545, 546.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 755 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Taiwan (Formosa), west coast.

Anpei—Light and position altered.

No. 268 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 824 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st April 1908, a light of the undermentioned character would be established at Anpei.

Position.—On north-west side of tree on hill (87 feet).

On chart No. 1926, lat. 23° 0½′ N., long. 120° 10′ E.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Elevation.—77 feet.

Visibility.—10 miles from N. 8° W., through north and east, to S. 80° E.

Structure.—Brick cylindrical tower, painted white, 17 feet from base to centre of lantern.

Light discontinued.—The former white fixed light 2 cables north-westward from the above would be discontinued on the same date.

Note.—The Astronomical position of this light in the title of chart No. 1926 has been altered to lat. 23° 0′ 5″ N., long. 120° 9′ 20″ E., to agree with the position on the Japanese chart.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 1926, Anpei anchorage.
„ 2409, West coast of Formosa.
„ 1968, Formosa island and strait.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 943.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 244.

Authority.—Formosa Notice, No. 52 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, EAST COAST.

Surabaya approach, West Gat entrance—Temporary light buoys placed.

No. 269 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 825 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—Light-buoys have been placed in connection withcurrent observations on either side of the leading line at the entrance to West gat, Surabaya :—

Position.—West gat pilot vessel, lat. 6° 52′ S., long. 112° 43¾′ E.

Caution.—The positions of the above buoys are not given. Mariners are therefore cautioned not to deviate from the leading line.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 934, Surabaya strait.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 122.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 918 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—AUCKLAND APPROACH.

Rangitoto beacon light—Misleading position of, on certain charts.

No. 270 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 827 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On certain copies of Admiralty Chart No. 1896, on which the position of the lights are shown in colours, the colour indicating the position of the *white occulting* light on the western end of Rangitoto island has inadvertently been placed about 6 cables north-eastward of the beacon, whereas the light is shown from the beacon, which is situated in the undermentioned position.

Position.—On the western extremity of the islet off the western point of Rangitoot island.

Lat. 36° 47′ S., long. 174° 49½′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 1896, Auckland harbour.

Authority.—Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London.

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Schedules of Estates under Charge of the Administrator-General of Bengal.

PREPARED FROM 1ST JULY TO 31ST DECEMBER 1907 UNDER SECTION 44 OF ACT II OF 1874.

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ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	Payments.			Parties to whom paid.
			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
Abraham, J. T., share account of the late Mr. M. C. David.	27th Sept. 1894	29th July 1907	1,400	.....	26 4 0	Transferred to the estate of Mr. M. C. David, being the balance of account closed 26th July 1907.
Barnes, Mrs. Anne Catherine	Taken charge. 12th June 1907	4th July 1907	.....	.....	474 5 10	Remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to Charles Bowlby and Pulteney E. Bowlby as executors of the will of deceased in England, being the balance of this estate closed June 1907.
Barsick, A., share account of the children of the deceased	15th Dec. 1896	26th Oct. 1907	.....	.....	403 14 11	Remitted by draft on the Bank of Bengal, Bombay, to Mrs. Grogory O. Apcar, care of H. B. M. Consul-General, Ispahan, the balance of this account closed 15th July 1907, payable as daughter and next-of-kin of the deceased.
Barton, Lieutenant R. E.	Taken charge. 24th April 1907	22nd Aug. 1907	....	.....	25 14 0	Remitted through the India Office to the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India in Council to be held by him for disposal in accordance with section 34 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act of 1893, being the balance of this estate closed August 1907.
Beanland, Mrs. M.	Taken charge. 11th July 1907	8th Aug. and 23rd Sept. 1907.	...	.....	228 10 10	Remitted by money-order to Messrs. David Flood Beanland, Jubbulpore, and John Green Beanland, Almora, being their respective one-fourth shares of the balance of this estate as childen and next-of-kin of deceased as per account closed 30th July 1907.
Blake, W. T.	9th April 1907	28th Nov. 1907	.....	.....	36 1 1	Remitted through the India Office to Dr. W. H. Blake, father of deceased, being the balance of this estate closed 19th November 1907, representing surplus of the funds remitted by him for payment of claims in full against this estate.

Bray, Revd. H. M.	26th Nov. 1906	15th Aug. and 26th Oct. 1907.	.....	.....	335	15	7	Ren ted through the India Office to Miss Rosa Bray and Miss L ·ay and by a draft on the Union Bank of Australia, Sydney iss Louisa Catherine Bray being their respective one-third sh of the balance of this estate as per account closed 14th August 1 payable to them as sisters and next-of-kin of the deceased.
Bryan, Mrs. M., share account of J. R. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased.	24th Oct. 1899	8th Oct. 1907	.....	.....	1,240	12	6	Re mitted by money-order to J. R. Morris as one of the childre Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased, being balance of this account closed 20th September 1907.
Bryan, Mr. M., share account of S. McGowan, one of the children of Mrs. M. F. McGowan, predeceased daughter of the deceased.	24th „ „	10th Dec. 1907	.....	.....	1,230	6	10	Re nitted by cheque to Mr. Sydney M children of the deceased, being the bal 21st November 1907.
Burge, Mrs. A.	27th July 1906	29th Aug. 1907	5,300	H. A. L. Ry. 5	60	6	5	De ivered and paid to Mrs. M. A. Cox through Messrs. Morgan & as the daughter and administratix to the estate of the deceas being the balance of this estate closed 9th August 1907.
Burkitt, J. T.	22nd April 1907	19th Sept. and 26th Oct. 1907.	.....	Burkitt Brothers Limited. 4	1,804	13	0	Transferred to the share accounts of Miss. Mabel Isabel Burkitt a Archibald William Burkitt as children and paid Mrs. L. E. Burk as widow of the deceased, being their respective one-third shares the balance of this estate closed 18th September 1907.
Campbell, Driver J. A	31st Aug. 1894	21st Aug. and 14th Dec. 1907.	.....	.....	1,952	4	3	Transferred to the estate of Mrs. E. A. Campbell as widow and remitt by money-order to Mr. J. A. Campbell as son of the deceased, bei their respective one-third and two-thirds share of the balance this estate closed 19th August 1907.
Catchpool, Miss F. M.	9th Dec. 1898	15th Aug. 1907	.....	.....	597	1	8	Remitted through the India Office to T. K. Catchpool, Esq., as execut to the deceased's estate in England, being the balance of this esta closed 14th August 1907.
Charriol, L. J. A.	30th May 1898	12th Dec. 1907	... ..	.....	1,769	1	0	Paid Mrs. H. Charriol, being the balance of this estate closed 13 November 1907, representing the deceased's share in the Tru Funds in the hands of the Trustees under the settlement mad his father, payable to her as widow and executrix to the est Pierc Charriol, who was an Assignee of the said funds.
Christian, C. W., share account of Archibald Christian, brother of the deceased.	4th Feb. 1884	4th Sept. 1907	.....	.....	72	10	10	Pa d Ar ld Christian s brother by ha blood and one of the of-k f the deceas d, being the bala e th a ount clos Sept r 1907.

ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	Payments.			Parties to whom paid.
			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
Cohen, Mrs. Sarah Malka	24th Nov. 1903	24th and 30th July 1907.	.....	.....	14,769 9 11	Transferred to the share accounts of Mrs. S. J. J. Judah Ezekiel and Miss Rebecca M. Ezekiel their respective one-fourth shares as mother and sister and paid Mr. Sassoon J. Cohen his one-half share as husband of the deceased of the balance of this estate closed 16th July 1907.
Collet. A. T.	8th April 1907	11th and 12th Dec. 1907.	.....	.....	13,053 12 7	Transferred to the share account of Miss D. E. T. Collet, and remitted to Mrs. A. E Collet, being their respective two-thirds and one-third shares as daughter and widow respectively of the deceased of the balance of this estate closed 10th December 1907.
Cooksey, W. R.	5th Feb. 1907	6th and 25th Sept. 1907.	28,300	.....	5,502 12 1	Transferred to the life interest account of H. C. Cooksey and share accounts of E. I. R. Cooksey, E. L. Cooksey and J. K. Cooksey and paid Mr. W. A, Cooksey, as children and next-of-kin of the deceased, being their respective one-fifth shares in this estate closed 3rd September 1907.
Curnow, J. M.	27th Feb. 1893	26th Sep 1907	.....	.....	2,615 2 6	Remitted through the India Office for payment to Mr. Michael Curnow Miss Margaret Ann Curnow, Mr. John Ford Curnow, Miss Catherine Curnow and Mr. Charles Mathew Curnow, being their respective one-fifth shares, as brothers and sisters of the deceased of the balance of this estate closed 13th September 1907.
DaCosta, J. H. N.	12th Sept. 1874	10th Oct. 1907	.....	.....	15,873 5 10	Paid Messrs. O. M. J. DaCosta and J. H. A. F. F. DaCosta through their constituted Attorney Mr. Allen Athur, being their respective one-half shares, as sons of the deceased, of the balance of the further assets of this estate closed 2nd October 1907 as per release executed by them jointly.

ant of property in Bow Bazar ..	7th Jan	3	7th Sept.	.....	.....	32,544	2	4	Transferred to the estates of J. H. N. DaCosta and F. S. L. Dela Harpe, being their respective one-half shares, as childen of the deceased, of the balance of the sale proc of the house No. 276, Bow Bazar Street, in terms of the dec of Court dated 23rd April 1907 as per account closod 28th Augus 907.
David, Mr. M. C.	1th July	90	27th Nov. 3rd Dec. 907.	.....	.....	1,246	5	3	Transferred to the share accounts of C. C. David, V. C. David, S. C. David and A. C. David, as childen of the deceased, being their respective one-fourth of two-thirds share of the balance of this estate, the remaining one-third share being paid to Mrs. G. C. David as widow of the deceased through her constituted Attorney Mr. E. O. Moses as per account closed 21st November 190
Deaves, Conductor J.	27th Feb	90	25th July 1907	3,000	.. ...	2,892	2	10	Transferred to the share accounts of S. F. Deaves, E. W. Deaves and N. P. Deaves, being their respective one-third shares, as children of the deceased, of the balance of this estate closed 15th July 1907, for payment to them on their attaining majority.
DeCruz, Charles, life-interest account of James Ellison, Jr.	9th Apri	888	19th Nov.	15,200	... ...	76	11	3	Transferred to estate Charles DeCruz share account of James Ellison, minor, being the balance of this account closed 13th November 1907.
Dela Harpe, Madame S. V (or L. F.)	9th Aug.	396	24th Sept.	.....	.....	15,660	15	2	Transferred to the estate of F. F. Dela Harpe deceased, as husband and sole residuary legatee under the will of the deceased, being the balance of this estate closed 24th September 1907.
DeTroy, Mrs. Ellen		874	26th ,,	.....	.. ...	254	13	5	Remitted by draft on the Bank of England to Mr. Henry Slater, New Zealand, as executor to the will of the deceased, being the balance of this estate closed 15th July 1907.
Dickinson, F. B., share account of Miss E. M. F. Dickinson, daughter of H. E. Dickinson, a predeceased brother of the deceased.	3rd June	904	10th ,,	4,700	.....	56	6	6	Transferred to the estate of Miss E. M. F. Dickinson, she having died on the 27th June 1907, being the balance of this account closed 9th September 1907.
Edwards, Mrs. S. F., account for F. J. Edwards residuary legatee under the will of the deceased	25th Ma	898	6th Dec.	6,000	.....	22	12	11	Delivered and paid to Mr. F. J. Edwards the residuary legatee under the will of the deceased, being the balance of this account closed 4th December 1907, as per separate release executed by him.
Elizabeth, Mrs. Grace	27th		2nd Oct.	48,600	.....	12	3	7	Delivered and paid to Messrs. M. V. Rodrigues and A. F. B. Mascarenhas as Trustees appointed by the order of Court dated 29th August 1907, to be held and applied by them according to the Trusts and directions contained in the will of the deceased, being the balance of this estate as per account closed 30th September 1907.

ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	Payments.			Parties to whom paid.
			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
Ezekiel, Judah, new account	18th April 1884	11th July 1907	.....	.....	27,610 1 4	Transferred to the estate of Sarah Malka Cohen and share account of R. M. Ezekiel, being their respective one-half shares payable to them as granddaughters of the deceased, of the balance of this account closed 10th July 1907.
Frost, J. A.	3rd Sept 1906	30th ,, ,,	.....	.....	96 0 6	Transferred to the share accounts of Mesdames Alice Grace Frost and Helen Frost, being their respective one-half shares of the balance of the further assets of this estate payable to them as daughters of the deceased as per account closed 30th July 1907.
Glover, T. B.	29th Aug. 1906	5th and 17th Dec. 1907.	.....	Sundry shares 19	84 11 9	The sum of Rs. 81-11-9 was remitted through the official agent at the India Office for payment to Mrs. I. M Glover, as the mother and administratix to the deceased's estate in England, and the 19 shares were transferred and delivered to Mr. E. Carmichael, Poona, under instructions from the Solicitors of the administratrix, being the balance of this estate closed 3rd December 1907.
Hein, Driver Paul	24th Nov. 1893	24th Oct. 1907	.....	.....	874 7 0	Paid Mrs. Pauline Hein as mother and sole next-of-kin of the deceased through the Imperial German Consulate-General for British India and Ceylon, being the balance of this estate closed 10th August 1907.
Hesselmeyer, Revd. C. H., share account of A. C. R. R. Hesselmeyer, one of the sons of the deceased.	6th March 1872	29th Aug. ,,	.....	.....	4,154 8 1	Remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to Mrs. Emily Hesselmeyer, the mother of A. C. R. R. Hesselmeyer, payable to her at his request, being the balance of this account closed 28th August 1907.

Jenkyns, William, share account of Alexander Jenkyns	20th July 1865	31st Oct. 1907	.....	.....	459 7 9	Remitted by draft on the Union Bank of Australia, Sydney, to the Official Assignee of the bankrupt estate of Alexander Jenkyns, being the balance of this account closed 2nd September 1907, payable to Mr. Alexander Jenkyns, a brother of the deceased.
Khettermoney Dutt	27th April 1899	9th and 12th Dec. 1907.	.....	.....	1,213 10 4	Paid to the Campbell Hospital, Medical College Hospital and Mayo Native Hospital, being the respective one-third shares of the further assets of the residuary estate as per account closed 13th November 1907, payable to each hospital in terms of the decree of Court dated 20th May 1903, in suit Fanindra Kumar Mitter and others *versus* Administrator-General of Bengal and others.
Khettermoney Dutt, legacy account of Shib Chandra Banerjee.	27th ,, ,,	13th Nov. 1907	.....	.....	1,213 10 4	Transferred to the estate of Mrs. Khettermoney Dutt, being the balance of this account closed 12th November 1907 for distribution amongst the residuary legatees in consequence of the legacy having been lapsed on the predecease of the legatee.
Lipman, M. P.	9th March 1907	23rd July ,,	.....	.....	236 10 5	Remitted through the India Office for payment to Mr. L. P. Lipman, Mrs. Sarah Soloman, Miss J. P. Lipman and Mrs. Eliza Solomon, being their respective one-fourth shares as brother and sisters of the deceased of the balance of further assets of this estate closed 23rd July 1907.
McElroy, James	8th July ,,	5th Dec. ,,	.....	.....	6,211 6 3	Remitted through the India Office for payment to William McElroy, Peter McElroy, Katherine Lightbound, Mary Fox and Eleanor Finney, the brothers and sisters of the deceased, their respective one-sixth shares and to C. M. L. McElroy, H. W. McElroy and R. M. McElroy, the nephews and niece of the deceased, their respective one-third of the remaining one-sixth share of the balance of this estate closed 28th November 1907.
Marcos, Mrs. M.	5th Feb. 1886	5th Aug. ,,	5,900	.....	778 7 10	Delivered and paid to His Grace the Archbishop of Calcutta, being the balance of this estate closed 25th June 1907, in accordance with the provisions of section XXVIII of the English Wills Act of 1837.

ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	Payments.			Parties to whom paid.
			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
McGinn, William, share account of C. B. McGinn, one of the children of the deceased.	30th June 1903	14th Aug. 1907	.....	.....	1,959 15 8	Paid Mr. B. L. McGinn, as one of the sons and legatees under the will of the deceased, being the balance of this account closed 18th July 1907 as per separate release executed by him.
Middleton, J. R.	1st „ 1865	10th Oct. „	.....	.....	25,311 15 8	Paid J. R. Middleton, C. E. Jones, Mrs. E. H. Borucka, W. C. Middleton Carter, (grandson of the deceased), Mrs. L. C. Middleton, Miss A. M. Middleton and G. M. Maunsell, children and grandson of the deceased, their respective one-seventh of one-half share of the balance of this estate closed 23rd September 1907, the other half share being paid to Mr. A. F. Grimley as administrator to the estate of T. B. Middleton, one of the children and next-of-kin of the deceased as per separate release executed by him jointly with all the beneficiaries of this estate.
Middleton, J. R., annuity account of Miss Middleton ...	1st „ „	25th Sept. „	100	.....	28 4 1	Delivered and paid to the Comptroller-General, being the balance of this account closed 12th September 1907 payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874 as unclaimed.
Musleah, Miss Ruth	8th May 1907	20th Nov. „	14,600	.....	349 15 6	Transferred to the separate account of David Musleah, son of the deceased, being the balance of this estate closed 18th November 1907 for transfer to the Official Trustee of Bengal.
Musleah, Miss Ruth, separate account of David Musleah, son of the deceased.	8th „ „	6th Dec. „	14,600	.....	334 15 6	Delivered and paid to the Official Trustee of Bengal, being the balance of this account closed 28th November 1907 to be held upon trust in terms of the will of the deceased as per separate deed of transfer, dated 28th November 1907.

Odenwald, Bandmaster F.	4th Jany. 1889	31st July and 1st Aug. 1907.	.....	.....	8,419 6 4	Transferred to the estate Bandmaster F. Odenwald share account of A L. Schulz, sister of the deceased, being her one-half share of the balance of this estate closed 24th July 1907, the other half being remitted through the India Office for payment to Mr. Karl Theodore Odenwald, brother of the deceased.
Odenwald, Bandmaster F., share account of A. L. Schulz, sister of the deceased.	4th „ „	14th Aug. „	4,200	.....	124 15 11	Transferred to the estate of A. L. Schulz, being the balance of this account closed 14th August 1907.
Paterson, R.	31st Jany. 1907	8th Aug. „	... ..	.....	6,488 4 11	Remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to Major H. A. L. Paterson as the administrator to the deceased's estate in England, being the balance of this estate closed 7th August 1907.
Payter, G. R.	12th June 1880	1st Aug. and 19th Dec. 1907,	.....	.....	1,475 5 10	Remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to Mr. G. A. Payter and Mrs. M. E. C. Currie, children of the deceased, their respective one-half shares of the surplus funds and further assets of this estate closed 29th July and 16th December 1907.
Percival, Mrs. G. P., share account of Miss Grace, I. L. Graham, one of the children of the deceased.	20th May 1904	11th Dec. 1907	.....	.....	2,261 4 4	Paid Miss G. I. L. Graham as one of the children of the deceased, being the balance of this account closed 7th December 1907 as per separate release executed by her.
Pilkington, Captain A. F.	22nd April 1907	22nd Aug. „	.....	.....	2,044 2 0	Remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India in Council to be held by him in accordance with section 34 of the Regulation under the Regimental Debts Act of 1893, being the balance of thisestate closed 20th August 1907.
Rainy, H. J.	1st Sept. 1903	30th July „	37,800	.....	22,447 9 8	Transferred to estates J. R. and H. J. Rainey, new account, under decree of Court, dated 3rd June 1907, being the balance of this estate closed 17th July 1907.
Rainy, J. R	11th Aug. „	30th „ „	24,200	.....	294 14 2	Ditto ditto as per account closed 17th July 1907.
Rainy, J. R. and H. J., Zemindary account ...	.....	30th „ „	75,300	.....	1,228 3 8	Ditto ditto as per account closed 27th July 1907.
Robertson, E.	11th Sept. 1905	23rd „ „	1,00,900	.....	263 7 11	Transferred to the estate of E. Robertson, life interest account of Mrs. R. V. Robertson or Agnes Robertson, widow of the deceased, being the balance of this estate closed 11th July 1907, for payment of income thereof to Mrs. R. V. Robertson as widow and life tenant under the will of the deceased.

ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	PAYMENTS.			PARTIES TO WHOM PAID.
			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
Schulz, A. L.	31st Aug. 1907	21st Nov. 1907	.....	.....	3,865 8 8	Remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to W. R. L. Schulz, Mrs. Bertha Ziesseweess and Mrs. Ida Bohusack, being their respective one-third shares as children and next-of-kin of the deceased of the balance of this estate closed 20th November 1907.
Scott, Mrs. Agnes, share account of Arthur Scott, son of the deceased.	16th March 1892	24th Sept. „	100	.....	84 6 1	Paid to the Comptroller-General, being the balance of this account closed 23rd September 1907 payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874 as unclaimed.
Shaw, Charles Henry Alexander	.....	8th Aug. „	.....	.....	31 5 6	Remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to Susi M. Alexander as widow of the deceased, being the balance of the further assets of this estate closed 7th August 1907.
Shaw, Edward John Alexander	11th June 1889	7th and 8th Aug. 1907.	.....	.....	96 15 0	Transferred to the estate of C. H. A. Shaw and remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to Mrs. H. P. Decie and Mrs. Alice Alexander, administratrix to the estate of her husband Godfrey William Alexander, being the respective one-third shares of the balance of this estate closed 5th August 1907 payable to the said C. H. A. Shaw, Mrs. H. P. Decei and Godfrey William Alexander as brothers and sister of the deceased.
Simpson, James	25th April 1906	5th Sept. and 6th Dec. 1907.	22,900	.....	525 5 6	Transferred to the estate of James Simpson share account of Peter Simpson, brother of the deceased, being the balance of this estate closed 4th September and 6th December 1907.

Strachan, Mrs. C., account of properties at Dinapore...	17th May 1386	29th Aug. 1907	.....	.....	6,544 12 5	Remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to William Charler Croome, Ecq., being the balance of this account closed 26th August 1907, representing surplus rent and proceeds of sale of Dinapore property bequeathed to Miss F. C. Strachan payable to him at her request.
Thurston, B.	30th July 1907	3rd and 10th Dec. 1907.	.....	.....	459 1 10	Paid Mr. R. W. C. Thurston, brother, and remitted to Mrs. Francis M. B. Donlan, sister, and to Mr. Alfred George Nibbet and Mr. Walter Percival Nibbet, step-brothers of the deceased, being their respective one-fourth shares of the balance of this estate closed 25th November 1907.
Treadwell, 2nd Lt. O. R. A.	24th May „	15th Aug. 1907.	.....	.....	784 9 1	Remitted through the India Office, London, for payment to the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India in Council to be held by him in acoordance with section 34 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act of 1893, being the balance of this estate closed 9th August 1907.
Walsh, John 1...	11th March 1881	24th July „	.....	.....	759 10 1	Paid Elizabeth Geralde as legatee under the will of the deceased by her constituted attorney, Manager, Russo-Chinese Bank, being the balance of this estate closed 19th July 1907 as per separate release executed by her.
Warrington, Mrs. J., account of business known as Mrs. Warrington & Co.	25th April 1907	15th July 1907	.....	.....	807 0 6	Transferred to the estate of Mrs. J. L. Warrington to meet the amount of Mrs. Porter's claim for Rs. 1,875 which had been paid from the general estate account.
Wyatt, Miss F. A.	22nd Aug. 1903	31st Oct., 2nd, 12th, 22nd and 26th Nov. and 9th Dec. 1907.	.....	.....	2,537 1 2	Remitted through the India Office, London, to A. G. Wyatt and J. C. Wyatt their respective one-fifth shares as brothers of the deceased, and paid Mrs. M. V. Secluna, Mrs. S. L. Kennedy, Mr. S. N. Simpson, Mr. A. E. Simpson and Mrs. C. E. Smith their respective one-sixth of one-fifth share as nephews and nieces of the deceased and transferred to the share account of Alice Dumaine, afterwards Der now Mrs. Mathaway, her one-fifth share as the only child of Mrs. Mary Wyatt, a deceased sister of the deceased, of the balance of this estate as per account closed 25th October 1907.
Badam Coomari Dasi, Sreematy	5th Sept. 1888	6th Dec. „	8,100	.....	8,966 4 4	Transferred to the estate of Girish Chandra Roy the sole residuary legatee under the will of the deceased, beiug the balance of this estate as per account closed 6th December 1907.
Badam Coomari Dasi, legacy account of Gopinath Roy	5th „ „	19th Dec. „	200	.....	49 11 7	Transferred to the estate of Girish Chandra Roy as one of the sons and heirs of Gopi Nath Roy, deceased, being the one-half share of the balance of this account closed 19th December 1907.

ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	Payments.			Parties to whom paid.
			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
Gobordhone Goswami, legacy account of Akhil Chandra Goswami.	1st July 1902	5th Oct. 1907	.....	.....	128 4 8	Paid Akhil Chandra Goswamy in terms of the decree, dated 25th May 1906, in suit No. 445 of 1903, being the balance of this account closed 28th September and 1st October 1907, representing the amount of legacy of Rs. 100, together with interest thereon left to him under the will of the deceased.
Gobordhone Goswami, legacy account of Makhan Ch. Goswami.	1st „ „	5th „ „	.....	.....	128 4 8	Paid Makhan Chandra Goswami in terms of ditto ditto being ditto representing ditto left to him under ditto.
Mirza Manwar Ally Begg	28th Feb. 1884	8th Aug. „	4,700	.....	141 14 1	Paid to the Comptroller-General, being the balance of this estate closed 5th August 1907 payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874 as unclaimed.
Nil Comol Roy	17th March 1890	28th Aug. „	8,500	.....	481 8 7	Transferred to estate Nil Comol Roy account of residuary estate, being the balance of this estate closed 27th August 1907.
Nobo Coomar Sett	20th Sept. 1883	10th Sept. „	15,300	.....	283 9 10	Transferred to estate Nobo Coomar Sett residuary account, being the balance of this estate closed 9th September 1907.
Obhoy Charan Sen, life interest account of Sreematy Kamini Moni Dasi, one of the daughters of the deceased.	6th Nov. 1872	9th and 28th Oct. 1907.	.....	.....	745 5 2	Paid Sreematy Atarmony Dasi, mother and heiress of Benode Behary Das, and transferred to the estate of Obhoy Charan Sen legacy account of Bepin Behary Das, being the respective one-half share of the balance of this account closed 5th October 1907 payable to the said Benode Behary and Bepin Behary Das as grandsons of the deceased.
Padam Chand Sett	8th July 1901	24th Sept. 1907	1,57,400	.....	354 14 0	Transferred to estate Padam Chand Sett, residuary account, being the balance of this account closed 23rd September 1907.

Radhakissen and Sreekissen	7th Feb. 1886	16th Sept. 1907	100	.....	18 4 10	Paid Joy Krishna as heir to this estate as per account closed 13th July 1907.
Rai Soshee Chander Dutt Bahadur, account of Shooresh Chandra Dutt.	26th Jany. 1886	16th Aug. „	20,400	.....	113 6 1	Delivered and paid to Srutish Chandra Dutt as committee appointed under order of Court, dated 17th April 1907, of the person and estate of Shooresh Chandra Dutt, a lunatic, being the balance of this account closed 12th August 1907.
Rajrajeshwary Dasi	Taken charge. 28th July 1857	6th July „	100	.....	11 7 4	Paid to the Comptroller-General for credit of Government, being the balance of this estate closed 2nd July 1907 payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874 as unclaimed.
Ramkali Mukerjee, life interest account of Sreematy Kaminy Devi, sister of the deceased.	1st April 1890	30th Sept. and 8th Oct. 1907.	.....	.....	462 3 2	Paid Baidya Nath Mukerjee and Sundarlal Missor, Assignee of Sasti Das Mukerjee, deceased, being their respective one-half shares as sons and residuary legatees under the will of the deceased of the balance of this account closed 24th September 1907 as per separate release executed by them jointly.
Sagore Dutt, account life interest for Atta beearer ...	29th Nov. 1886	6th Dec. „	3,000	.....	100 2 10	Transferred to estate Sagore Dutt account of residuary estate, being the balance of this account closed 5th December 1907, in consequence of the death of the life tenant.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal

SCHEDULE B of all sums of Moneys, Bonds and other Securities received by the Administrator-General on account of Estates not being HINDUS or MUHAMMADANS remaining under his charge, together with Payments made thereout, and the Balances, prepared from 1st July to 31st December 1907, under Section 44 of Act II of 1874.

ESTATES.	Date of administration.	Balance on 1st July 1907.				Receipts up to 31st December 1907.			Total.			Payments from 1st July to 31st December 1907.			Balance on 1st January 1908.			
		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
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Adams, General Sir J. W....	18 Feb. 91	400	...	86 5 3	0 0 0	0	...	7 0 0	400	...	93 5 3	0	...	0 8 6	400	...	92 12 9	0 0 0
——, Miss G. W.,—life-interest account of James Benjamine Kuller Bouchez	28 April 80	8500	...	24 4 8	0 0 0	100	...	148 12 0	8600	...	173 0 8	0	...	106 0 3	8600	...	67 0 5	0 0 0
Abraham, J. T. ...	27 Sept. 94	0	...	8759 13 2	0 0 0	0	...	15 5 0	0	...	8775 2 2	0	...	8775 1 2	0	...	0 1 0	0 0 0
Allen, Mrs. M. F. ...	5 May 99	0	...	171 14 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	171 14 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	171 14 0	0 0 0
Anderson, Mrs. B.—share account of Mrs. K. Graham, now Mrs. Johnson, daughter of the deceased ...	25 Aug. 80	5300	...	59 5 11	0 0 0	0	...	92 12 0	5300	...	132 1 11	0	...	92 12 0	5300	...	39 5 11	0 0 0
——, share account of Miss A. D. Anderson, now Mrs. Chichester, daughter of the deceased	Ditto ...	5300	...	112 14 9	0 0 0	0	...	92 12 0	5300	...	205 10 9	0	...	5 3 2	5300	...	200 7 7	0 0 0
Andrew, D.,—share account of A. S. Andrew, daughter of the deceased ...	2 Dec. 62	800	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	14 0 0	800	...	14 0 0	0	...	14 0 0	800	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Arratoon, L. ...	15 May 99	0	...	8 12 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	8 12 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	8 12 2	0 0 0
Athanass, Mrs. E.—account of legacy to widows and orphans ...	15 Dec. 48	2100	...	88 9 10	0 0 0	100	...	35 0 0	2100	...	123 9 10	0	...	98 10 10	2100	...	24 15 0	0 0 0
Atkinson, Mrs. M. E.—share account of A. E. I. Atkinson, son of the deceased ...	16 June 90	700	...	96 13 8	0 0 0	0	...	12 4 0	700	...	109 1 8	0	...	23 12 11	700	...	85 4 9	0 0 0
Augustin, C. F.—account of legacy for Masses ...	15 May 79	1000	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	17 8 0	1000	...	17 8 0	0	...	17 8 0	1000	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Austin, E. C. ...	Taken charge 1896	400	...	12 13 8	0 0 0	0	...	7 0 0	400	...	19 13 8	0	...	0 4 7	400	...	19 9 1	0 0 0

Allman, M. B. ...	. ...	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1000	...	1390	4	4	1000	...	1390	4	4	0	...	1156	3	6	1000	...	234	0	10	0	0	0
Allen, Mrs. M. F.—share account of Miss C. G. S. Allen, only child of the deceased ...	5 May 99	1700	...	63	5	9	0	0	0	0	...	29	12	0	1700	...	93	1	9	0	...	2	1	5	1700	...	91	0	4	0	0	0
Abraham, J. T.—share account of the late Mr. M. C. David ...	27 Sept. 94	1400	...	16	0	6	0	0	0	0	...	10	8	0	1400	...	26	8	6	1400	...	26	8	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Babonan, E. A.—life-interest account of Mrs. M. A. Johnson ...	14 Dec. 83	13300	...	247	5	0	0	0	0	0	...	232	12	0	13300	...	480	1	0	0	...	232	12	0	13300	...	247	5	0	0	0	0
Baldry, Mrs. M. ...	10 Aug. 05	1800	...	47	0	7	0	0	0	0	...	31	8	0	1800	...	78	8	7	0	...	21	3	1	1800	...	57	5	6	0	0	0
Babonan, E. A.—share account of Bridgetina Burnell ...	14 Dec. 83	0	...	33	6	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	33	6	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	33	6	10	0	0	0
Ballin, Mrs. A. M.,—account of house No. 36, Emambaug Lane ...	3 Aug. 63	0	...	46	6	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	46	6	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	46	6	3	0	0	0
Banerjee, Revd. Dr. K. M., —account of house No. 5, Grand Trunk Road, Howrah ...	5 June 85	0	...	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	13	0	1	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	13	0	1	0	0	0
———, account of house No. 6 (now No. 9) Grand Trunk Road, Howrah ...	Ditto ...	0	...	14	5	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	14	5	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	14	5	4	0	0	0
———, account of house No. 7 (now No. 10 now No. 4) Grand Trunk Road, Howrah ...	Ditto ...	0	...	572	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	960	0	0	0	...	1532	0	1	0	...	1082	11	11	0	...	449	4	2	0	0	0
———, account of house No. 7, Chowringhee Lane ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	0	105	3	1	0	...	2297	8	3	0	...	2192	5	2	0	...	2112	1	4	0	...	80	3	10	0	0	0
Botelho, James ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	5	12	0	0	...	5	12	0	0	...	2	8	10	0	...	3	3	2	0	0	0
Baxter *alias* Burnett, Mrs. E. ...	2 April 81	23000	...	161	12	8	0	0	0	0	...	402	8	0	23000	...	564	4	8	0	...	443	12	8	23000	...	120	8	0	0	0	0
———, account of sale-proceeds of Howrah property ...	Ditto ...	3100	...	25	7	5	0	0	0	0	...	54	4	0	3100	...	79	11	5	0	...	54	4	0	3100	...	25	7	5	0	0	0
Beadel, C. J.,—share account of the children of the deceased ...	9 Mar. 99	3400	...	60	14	3	0	0	0	0	...	59	8	0	3400	...	120	6	3	0	...	3	5	4	3400	...	117	0	11	0	0	0
Becher, William ...	21 May 74	3400	...	87	11	6	0	0	0	200	...	59	8	0	3600	...	147	3	6	0	...	196	11	0	3600	...	0	0	0	49	7	6

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		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
B																		
Beck, H.—account of life-interest for Mrs. A. C. Beck, widow of the deceased ...	13 April 89	1400	...	25 0 9	0 0 0	0	...	24 8 0	1400	...	49 8 9	0	...	24 8 0	1400	...	25 0 9	0 0 0
Berton, Alexander ...	Taken charge 1902	0	...	4 4 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 4 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 4 2	0 0 0
Burkitt, J. T.—share account of Miss M. J. Burkitt, minor daughter of the deceased ...	22 April 07	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	900	...	897 11 9	900	...	897 11 9	0	...	885 0 2	900	...	12 11 7	0 0 0
Boyce, Captain E. (Mariner) ...	18 Dec. 72	25500	...	50 13 10	0 0 0	0	...	446 4 0	25500	...	497 1 10	0	...	446 4 0	25500	...	50 13 10	0 0 0
———, W. C.,—account of legacy for William State Boyce, son of the deceased ...	12 Sept. 00	0	...	5 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 0 0	0 0 0
Bray, Revd. H. M. ...	26 Nov. 06	1200	...	4 15 1	0 0 0	0	...	1179 6 10	1200	...	1184 5 11	1200	...	1162 4 5	0	...	22 1 6	0 0 0
Bridgnell, J. M.—share account of C. Bridgnell, one of the children of the late J. L. Bridgnell ...	5 June 03	100	...	97 8 3	0 0 0	100	...	1 12 0	200	...	99 4 3	0	...	97 0 5	200	...	2 3 10	0 0 0
Crien, Sub-Conductor M. ...	Taken charge 10 April 66	600	...	8 4 4	0 0 0	0	...	10 8 0	600	...	18 12 4	0	...	10 8 0	600	...	8 4 4	0 0 0
Burkitt, J. T.—share account of A. W. Burkitt, minor son of the deceased ...	22 April 07	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	900	...	897 11 9	900	...	897 11 9	0	...	885 0 2	900	...	12 11 7	0 0 0
Brown, Bandmaster T. P. ...	29 April 07	0	...	14 8 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	14 8 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	14 8 0	0 0 0
———, share account of T. H. Brown, one of the minor children of the deceased	Ditto ...	600	...	53 15 4	0 0 0	0	...	10 8 0	600	...	64 7 4	0	...	1 5 5	600	...	63 1 11	0 0 0

——— share account of Miss E. F. K. Brown, one of the minor children of the deceased ...	29 April 07	600	...	53	15	4	0	0	0	0	...	10	8	0	600	...	64	7	4	0	...	1	5	4	600	...	63	2	0	0	0	0
———, share account of Mr. W. F. Brown, one of the minor children of the deceased. ...	Ditto ...	600	...	53	15	5	0	0	0	0	...	10	8	0	600	...	64	7	5	0	...	1	5	5	600	...	63	2	0	0	0	0
Bird, Lieutenant C G. ..	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	700	...	888	15	1	700	...	888	15	1	0	...	794	9	11	700	...	95	5	2	0	0	0
Bryan, Mrs. M, share account of G. W. Bryan, son of the deceased ...	24 Aug. 99	8900	...	59	14	3	0	0	0	200	...	155	12	0	9100	...	215	10	3	0	...	202	8	2	9100	...	13	2	1	0	0	0
———, share account of S. McGowan,, one of the children of Mrs. M. F. McGowan, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	1200	...	72	0	9	0	0	0	0	...	1186	8	8	1200	...	1258	9	5	1200	...	1258	9	5	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
———, share account of Violet McGowan, one of the children of Mrs. M. F. McGowan, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	1000	...	120	5	5	0	0	0	0	...	17	8	0	1000	...	137	13	5	0	...	0	15	8	1000	...	136	13	9	0	0	0
———, share account of P. or G. P.. McGowan, one of the children of late Mrs. A. G. McGowan, predeceased daughter of the deceased	Ditto ...	1200	...	71	15	10	0	0	0	0	...	21	0	0	1200	...	92	15	10	0	...	1	2	10	1200	...	91	13	0	0	0	0
———, share account of J. R. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased	Ditto ...	1200	...	72	0	2	0	0	0	0		1193	3	7	1200	...	1265	3	9	1200	...	1265	3	9	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bennett, C. F. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	169*	0	0	0	0	169*	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	169*	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bryan, Mrs. M., share account of H. A. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	24 Aug. 99	1200	...	72	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	21	0	0	1200	...	93	0	0	0	...	1	2	10	1200	...	91	13	2	0	0	0
———, share account of F. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	1200	...	72	0	4	0	0	0	0	...	21	0	0	1200	...	93	0	4	0	...	1	2	10	1200	...	91	13	6	0	0	0
———, share account of K. M. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased	Ditto ...	1200	...	72	0	4	0	0	0	0	...	21	0	0	1200	...	93	0	4	0	...	1	2	10	1200	...	91	13	6	0	0	0

* Sundry shares

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		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
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Bryan, Mrs. M.,—share account of E. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	24 Aug. 99	1200	...	72 0 2	0 0 0	0	...	21 0 0	1200	...	93 0 2	0	...	1 2 10	1200	...	91 13 4	0 0 0
Burge, Mrs. A. ...	27 July 06	6500	5*	123 9 8	0 0 0	0	...	1272 4 11	6500	5*	1395 14 7	6500	5*	1395 14 7	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Bignell, Lieutenant Hugh Glennie ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	2600	...	2762 8 11	2600	...	2762 8 11	0	...	2542 13 9	2600	...	219 11 2	0 0 0
Butterwick, Miss T. A. ...	9 May 06	1400	...	38 5 8	0 0 0	0	...	24 8 0	1400	...	62 13 8	0	...	1059 12 10	1400	...	0 0 0	996 15 2
Byrn, Mrs. C. A.,—share account of H. B. Byrn, one of the children and legatees under the will of the deceased ...	17 April 94	5700	...	55 2 3	0 0 0	0	...	99 12 0	5700	...	154 14 3	0	...	99 12 0	5700	...	55 2 3	0 0 0
Byrne, W. A.,—share account of H. B. Byrne, brother of the deceased ...	5 April 95	15300	...	52 10 4	0 0 0	0	...	267 12 0	15300	...	320 6 4	0	...	267 12 0	15300	...	52 10 4	0 0 0
Blake W. T. ...	19 April 07	300	...	519 3 10	0 0 0	500	...	1273 11 0	800	...	1792 14 10	800	...	1792 14 10	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Bates, Colonel C. E. ...	24 May 07	0	420†	271 0 9	0 0 0	22800	25†	4488 9 2	22800	445	4759 9 11	22800	125	4951 12 6	0	320	0 0 0	192 2 7
Burkitt. J. T. ...	22 April 07	2100	4	28 9 3	0 0 0	0	...	2949 9 8	2100	4	2978 2 11	2100	4	2972 2 11	0	...	6 0 0	0 0 0
Barton, Lieutenant R. E. ...	24 April 07	600	...	41 14 11	0 0 0	0	...	593 2 0	600	...	635 0 11	600	...	635 0 11	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Bagram, D. J. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	2 8 7	0	...	2 8 7	0	...	0 0 7	0	...	2 8 0	0 0 0
Braunerth, Nils Johan ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	15 0 0	0	...	15 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	15 0 0	0 0 0
Barsick, A.,—share account of the children of the deceased ...	15 Dec. 66	400	...	15 12 7	0 0 0	0	...	391 8 1	400	...	407 4 8	400	...	407 4 8	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Beaulaud, Mrs. M. ...	.....	200	...	36 13 7	0 0 0	0	...	197 8 4	200	...	234 5 11	200	...	234 5 11	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Babonon, E. A. ...	14 Dec. 83	0	...	28 4 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	28 4 4	0	...	28 4 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Barnes, Mrs. Anne Catherine ...	Taken charge 12 June 07	0	...	489 0 7	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	489 0 7	0	...	489 0 7	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0

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Baird, T. D.,—account of the Executors ...	11 May 88	0	240	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	6000	0	0	0	240	6000	0	0	0	240	0	0	0	0	0	0
Campbell, Driver J. A. ...	31 Aug. 94	2000	...	130	4	9	0	0	0	100	...	3201	7	4	2100	...	3331	12	1	2100	...	3331	12	1	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cooksey, W. R., life interest, account of H. C. Cooksey, son of the deceased ...	5 Feb. 07		...	0	0	0	0	0	0	7500	...	1450	15	7	7500	...	1450	15	7	0	...	1392	2	0	7500	...	58	13	7	0	0	0
———, share account of E. L. R. Cooksey, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	7100	...	274	10	7	7100	...	274	10	7	0	...	221	9	8	7100	...	53	0	11	0	0	0
Campbell, Major-General W. C.,—life-interest account of Narlu Begum and Mirza Kureem Beg ...	7 July 66	10800	...	242	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	189	0	0	10800	...	431	1	0	0	...	10	9	6	10800	...	420	7	6	0	0	0
Cowie, T. H. ...	27 May 90	500	...	64	13	4	0	0	0	0	...	8	12	0	500	...	73	9	4	0	...	0	5	9	500	...	73	3	7	0	0	0
Cooksey, W. R., share account of E. L. Cooksey, daughter of the deceased ...	5 Feb. 07	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	7600	...	266	14	4	7600	...	266	14	4	0	...	219	4	0	7600	...	47	10	4	0	0	0
———, share account of J. R. Cooksey, son of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	7600	...	254	7	8	7600	...	254	7	8	0	...	219	0	10	7600	...	35	6	10	0	0	0
Carson, H., separate account of Gholam Hyder Khan and his widow ...	24 Nov. 92	4400	...	0	0	0	9	9	3	0	...	77	0	0	4400	...	67	6	9	0	...	94	5	1	4400	...	0	0	0	26	14	4
Cartner, T.,—legacy account of Mrs. E. Dyer, daughter of the deceased ...	19 Nov. 61	10700	...	260	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	2339	15	4	10700	...	2599	15	4	2200	...	2460	1	7	8500	...	139	13	9	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Mrs. F. Worcester, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	10700	...	190	13	11	0	0	0	0	...	187	4	0	10700	...	378	1	11	0	...	187	4	1	10700	...	190	13	10	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Miss A. Cartner, now Mrs. Boyd, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	10700	...	187	5	6	0	0	0	0	...	187	4	0	10700	...	374	9	6	0	...	187	4	2	10700	...	187	5	4	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Miss F. Cartner, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	11700	...	221	1	6	0	0	0	0	...	204	12	0	11700	...	425	13	6	0	...	204	12	2	11700	...	221	1	4	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Miss E. Cartner, now Mrs. Wise, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	10800	...	181	15	6	0	0	0	0	...	189	0	0	10800	...	370	15	6	0	...	189	0	1	10800	...	181	15	5	0	0	0

* H.-A. L. Ry. Co., Ld., shares. | † Sundry shares.

ESTATES.	Date of administration.	Balance on 1st July 1907.				Receipts up to 31st December 1907.			Total.			Payments from 1st July to 31st December 1907.			Balance on 1st January 1908.			
		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	
				To Credit.	To Debit.												To Credit.	To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
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Campbell, Mrs. E. A ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	1200	...	1459 10 2	1200	...	1459 10 2	0	...	1224 6 1	1200	...	235 4 1	0 0 0
Catchpool, Miss F. M. ...	9 Dec. 98	600	...	45 7 9	0 0 0	0	...	592 13 2	600	...	638 4 11	600	...	638 4 11	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Catchick, C. A.,—life-interest account of Mrs. H. Masson, daughter of Mrs. M. Paul ...	18 Dec. 98	3200	...	105 7 1	0 0 0	0	...	56 0 0	3200	...	161 7 1	0	...	56 0 0	3200	...	105 7 1	0 0 0
Christian, C. W. ...	4 Feb. 84	0	...	290 11 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	290 11 5	0	...	290 11 5	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Crawford, H. E. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	19200	...	19827 6 8	19200	...	19827 6 8	0	...	21370 10 5	19200	...	0 0 0	1543 3 9
Charriol, L. J. A. ...	30 May 98	1700	...	153 11 2	0 0 0	100	...	1771 5 0	1800	...	1924 0 2	1800	...	1924 0 2	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Clement, J. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	20 14 6	0	...	20 14 6	0	...	0 15 2	0	...	19 15 4	0 0 0
Clough, Mrs. J. A. ...	22 Dec. 98	1400	...	26 13 11	0 0 0	0	...	24 8 0	1100	...	51 5 11	0	...	1 0 1	1400	...	50 5 10	0 0 0
——, legacy account of Miss D. S. Clough, minor daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	11600	...	91 8 1	0 0 0	200	...	203 0 0	11800	...	294 8 1	0	..	206 3 1	11800	...	88 5 0	0 0 0
——, legacy account of Miss M. K. Falconer, granddaughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	20	..	65 12 8	0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	69 4 8	0	...	0 3 1	200	...	69 1 7	0 0 0
Cohen, Mrs. R. ...	.....	700	...	30 2 10	0 0 0	0	...	12 4 0	700	...	32 6 10	0	...	0 8 2	700	...	31 14 8	0 0 0
——, Mrs. S. M. ...	24 Nov. 03	14 0	...	70 13 9	0 0 0	0	...	15185 15 2	1400	...	15256 12 11	1400	...	15256 12 11	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, Sarah Mulka, share account of Simah J. J. Judah Ezekiel, mother of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	400	...	89 15 0	0 0 0	0	...	3701 6 6	4 0	...	3791 5 6	0	...	0 6 3	400	...	3790 15 3	0 0 0
——, share account of Rebbeca Muzzletobe Ezekiel, sister of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	97600	...	102 6 9	0 0 0	5600	...	5463 10 6	103200	...	5566 1 3	0	...	5563 6 11	103200	...	2 10 4	0 0 0
——, S. S. D.,—life-interest account of S. S. Cohen, daughter of the deceased ...	1 Feb. 72	1700	...	0 0 0	133 0 7	0	...	424 12 0	1700	...	291 11 5	0	...	266 8 11	1700	...	25 2 6	0 0 0

—, Mr. S. J. S A., account of the five children of Mrs. S. S. Ezra, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	25 June 06	0		97	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0		0	0	0	97	4	8	0	0	0
ley, Captain J. T. ...	6 Dec. 06	5200		81	11	3	0	0	0	0	5090	5	7	5200			5200		5437	15	2	0	0	0	0	265	14	4
llins, Mrs. Relta—life interest account of Thomas Collins ...	10 Jan. 79	9400		90	3	2	0	0	0	0	104	8	0	9400		254	1	2	0		183	10	9	9400	71	0	5	0	0	0
orbyn, Revd. H. F. ...	11 June 04	0		32	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		32	1	6	0		0	0	0	0	32	1	6	0	0	0
owie, F. S. ...	17 May 04	0		247	8	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		247	8	0	0		0	0	0	0	247	8	10	0	0	0
owan, Mrs. S. M., separate legacy account of the nine children of Chester Dix ...	11 Nov. 91	400		46	12	10	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	400		53	2	0			0	6	3	400	53	6	7	0	0	0
—, Mrs. S. M.,— eparate legacy account of the six children of George Colville Frankum ...	Ditto ...	300		84	7	6	0	0	0	0	5	4	0	300		89					0	4	8	300	89	6	10	0	0	0
ranenburgh, D. E. ..	23 May 02	153100		876	8	11	0	0	0	2400	5154	4	0	155500		6030					6903	6	2	155500	0	0	0	872	9	3
———, Law Publishing Press ...	Ditto ...	0		3879	7	9	0	0	0	0	14255	9	9	0	..	8165					16159	9	10	0	2005	7	8	0	0	0
ollett, A. T. ...	8 April 07	4700		0	0	0	200	0	8	8400	22064	12	5	13100	.7	1864					21849	10	9	0	15	1	0	0	0	0
——, share account of Miss Dorothy Ellen Ferera Collett, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	9000	8719	3	1	9000		8719	3	1	0		8838	4	0	9000	0	0	0	19	0	11
arton, Mrs. Catherine Ella	10 Sept. 06	32800		0	0	0	332	13	11	0	32518	15	1	32800		32186	1	2	32800		31185	4	4	0	1000	12	10	0	0	0
hristian, C. W., share account of Gordon Christian, brother of the deceased ...	4 Feb. 84	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	10	10	0		72	10	10	0		0	0	0	0	72	10	10	0	0	0
——, share account of Miss Elizabeth Christian, sister of the deceased	Ditto ...	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	10	10	0		72	10	10	0		0	0	0	0	72	10	10	0	0	0
——, share account of Miss Ivy Christian, sister of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	10	11	0		72	10	11	0	..	0	0	0	0	72	10	11	0	0	0
ooksey, W. R. ...	5 Feb. 07	28300		199	4	7	0	0	0	0	7826	11	11	2830		8026	0	6	2830	6	7158	2	0	0	867	14	6	0	0	0
aster, E. C. ...	28 April 04	10000		469	5	11	0	0	0	1700	1684	15	0	11700		2154	4	11	0		2061	9	7	11700	92	11	4	0	0	0
bisholm, E. M. F. (formerly Shaw) ...	28 May 07	0	Taken charge	59	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		59	10	10	0		0	0	0	0	59	10	10	0	0	0
ump, Joseph	27 May 71	18600		0	0	0	234	11	0	0	325	8	0	18600		90	13	0	0		360	7	4	18600	0	0	0	269	10	4
orria, Senora Guilhernine Rosa ...	10 June 07	3300		49	0	2	0	0	0	0	252	0	8	3300		301	0	10	200		215	6	1	3100	85	10	9	0	0	0
arstairs, F. F. S. ...	13 May 07	200		46	9	10	0	0	0	300	432	1	6	500		478	11	4	0		382	12	7	500	95	14	9	0	0	0
arnow, J. M.	27 Feb. 93	1400		97	9	4	0	0	0	0	2640	11	8	1400		2738	5	0	1400		2738	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D																														
aCosta, Mrs. C. ...	8 Mar. 02	0		3	14	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		3	14	5	0				0		3	14	5	0	0	0
——, J., share account of the property in Bowbazar	7 Jan. '39	37000		644	14	9	0	0	0	0	38006	5	2	37000		38651	3	11	37000		38651		1		0	0	0	0	0	0
——, Henry Nathanial...	.....	0		66	6	0	0	0	0		16436	4	2	0		16502	10	2	0		16502		2		0	0	0	0	0	0

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		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.		To Debit.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
D																			
DeCruz, Charles, share account of James Ellison, Minor ...	9 April 88	0	...	0 0 0		0 0 0	15200	...	76 11 3	15200	...	76 11 3	0	...	0 0 0	15200	...	76 11 3	0 0 0
———, Mrs. E. H. ...	3 Sept. 03	3000	...	33 5 6		0 0 0	0	...	52 8 0	3000	...	85 13 6	0	...	227 3 0	3000	...	0 0 0	141 5 6
———, life interest account James Ellison, junior ...	9 April 88	15200	...	76 11 3		0 0 0	0	...	266 0 0	15200	...	342 11 3	15200	...	342 11 3	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Dela Harpe, Frederick Francis Edward ...	30 Aug. 06	1200	...	39 9 2		0 0 0	0	...	16858 3 11	1200	...	16897 13 1	1200	...	15241 6 6	0	...	1656 6 7	0 0 0
———, Madame S. V. (or L. F.) ...	9 Aug. 06	0	...	0 0 0		0 0 0	0	...	16487 9 2	0	...	16487 9 2	0	...	16487 9 2	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
DeSanto, Frank ...	30 April 04	0	...	267 3 2		0 0 0	0	...	165 0 0	0	...	432 3 2	0	...	264 4 1	0	...	167 15 8	0 0 0
DeSilva, Clement,—legacy account of Charles Ramsay Ballantine ...	16 Dec. 95	200	...	94 7 7		0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	97 15 7	0	...	0 3 1	200	...	97 12 6	0 0 0
———, Domingo Manuel	10 Nov. 57	700	...	46 1 2		0 0 0	0	...	12 4 0	700	...	58 5 2	0	...	0 14 11	700	...	57 6 3	0 0 0
———, Mary,—share account of Thomas Paul DeSilva ...	2 Dec. 56	700	...	79 1 3		0 0 0	0	...	12 4 0	700	...	91 5 3	0	...	0 10 11	700	...	90 10 4	0 0 0
DeSousa, Sir Walter E. ...	5 Sept. 79	236500	...	806 5 10		0 0 0	0	...	5586 2 7	236500	...	6452 8 5	202000	...	6130 4 5	34500	...	322 4 0	0 0 0
———, legacy account of R. Turnbull ...	Ditto ...	200	...	80 3 7		0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	83 11 7	0	...	0 2 11	200	...	83 8 8	0 0 0
ance, Mrs C. ...	3 Aug. 01	400	...	49 11 4		0 0 0	0	...	7 0 0	400	...	56 11 4	0	...	0 4 7	400	...	56 6 9	0 0 0
ear, Hershell ...	14 Nov. 87	0	...	93 13 10		0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	93 13 1	0	...	25 3 3	0	...	68 10 7	0 0 0
ickinson, Miss Emily Maud F. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0		0 0 0	4700	...	321 12 10	4700	...	321 12 10	200	...	294 12 9	4500	...	27 0 1	0 0 0
———, F. B.,—share account of Miss E. M. F. Dickinson, daughter of H. E. Dickinson, a predeceased brother of the deceased ...	3 June 04	4709	...	46 7 9		0 0 0	0	...	10 8 0	4709	...	56 15 9	4709	...	56 15 9	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0

Deverinne, J. S. ...	23 Nov. 06	6900	...	45	6	9	0	0	0	0	...	2350	7	6	6900	...	2395	14	3	2000	...	2225	12	5	4900	...	170	1	10	0	0	0
Deaves, Conductor F.,—share account of S. F. Deaves, one of the children of the deceased ...	97 Feb. 07	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1900	...	997	4	11	1900	...	997	4	11	0	...	910	7	0	1900	...	86	13	11	0	0	0
——, Conductor F. ...	Ditto ...	6400	...	0	0	0	18	2	4	0	...	3023	6	1	6400	...	3005	3	9	6400	...	3005	3	9	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, share account of Miss E. W. Deaves, one of the children of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1900	...	997	4	11	1900	...	997	4	11	0	...	910	7	1	1900	...	86	13	10	0	0	0
——, share account of N. P. Deaves, one of the children of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1900	...	997	5	0	1900	...	997	5	0	0	...	910	7	0	1900	...	86	14	0	0	0	0
Dolby, Mrs. M. A., legacy account of J. R. Dolby, one of the grand children of the deceased ...	9 Jan. 05	7100	...	16	2	5	0	0	0	100	...	124	4	0	7200	...	140	6	5	0	...	104	0	11	7200	...	36	5	6	0	0	0
——, legacy account of Miss L. M. Dolby, one of the grand-children of the deceased ...	9 Jan. 05	7100	...	16	2	5	0	0	0	100	...	124	4	0	7200	...	140	6	5	0	...	103	14	5	7200	...	36	8	0	0	0	0
Doucett, Mrs. L. G. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	1	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	1	3
——, G. M., account of Miss A. Doucett ...	8 Feb. 05	14100	...	258	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	286	1	7	14100	...	544	1	8	0	...	285	8	0	14100	...	258	9	8	0	0	0
Dudley, Agnes Jane ...	25 April 07	200	...	61	3	11	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	64	11	11	0	...	0	2	11	200	...	64	9	0	0	0	0
DeTroy, Mrs. Ellen ...	1874	200	...	61	3	11	0	0	0	0	...	197	11	0	200	...	258	14	11	200	...	258	14	11	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Duncan, David,—share account of Mr. F. Duncan McLaren, son of the predeceased sister, M. Duncan or McLaren ...	28 April 96	100	...	82	4	4	0	0	0	0	...	1	12	0	100	...	84	0	4	0	...	0	1	7	100	...	83	14	9	0	0	0
Dunne, Richard ...	19 Sept. 78	4000	...	38	3	8	0	0	0	100	...	80	8	0	4700	...	118	11	8	0	...	100	7	1	4700	...	18	4	7	0	0	0
——, Mrs. Susan ...	28 Nov. 91	0	...	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	50	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	50	0	0	0	0	0
Dobson, John ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	1	0	7300	...	7792	2	3	7300	...	7792	1	3	300	...	7484	1	3	7000	...	308	0	0	0	0	0
David, Mr. M. C.,—share account of C. C. David, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	...	207	11	6	200	...	207	11	6	0	...	194	14	7	200	...	12	12	11	0	0	0
——, share account of V. C. David, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	...	207	11	6	200	...	207	11	6	0	...	194	10	8	200	...	13	0	10	0	0	0
——, share account of S. C. David, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	...	207	11	7	200	...	207	11	7	0	...	194	14	7	200	...	12	13	0	0	0	0
——, share account of A. C. David, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	...	207	11	7	200	...	207	11	7	0	...	194	14	7	200	...	12	13	0	0	0	0
——, M. C. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1500	...	1601	0	10	1600	...	1601	0	10	1600	...	1601	0	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Erskine, J. M. ...	.....	0	...	37 4 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	37 4 5	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	37 4 5	0 0 0
Edwards, Mrs. Sarah Franklin, account for F. J. Edwards, the residuary legatee under the will of the deceased	25 Mar. 98	6500	...	407 15 1	0 0 0	0	...	596 6 3	6500	...	1004 5 4	6500	...	1004 5 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Ezekiel, Judah, share account of R. M. Ezekiel, minor grand-daughter of the deceased ...	18 April 84	325500	...	6807 8 9	0 0 0	25400	...	26689 8 8	350900	...	33497 1 5	0	...	33069 15 6	350900	...	427 1 11	0 0 0
Ezekiel, Judah, account for the annuity of Mulka, grand-daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	31800	...	151 1 0	0 0 0	0	...	477 0 0	31800	...	628 1 0	0	...	26 11 9	31800	...	601 5 3	0 0 0
——, new account ...	Ditto ...	28300	...	0 0 0	268 11 0	0	...	27943 2 2	28300	...	27674 7 2	28300	...	27674 7 2	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, account of the bequest for religious and charitable purposes ...	Ditto ..	131800	...	3861 13 0	0 0 0	0	...	1977 0 0	131800	...	5841 13 0	0	...	110 12 9	131800	...	5731 0 3	0 0 0
Elizabeth, Mrs. Grace ...	27 Mar. 37	48900	...	76 14 5	0 0 0	0	...	681 12 8	48900	...	758 11 1	48900	...	758 11 1	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
F																		
Fagan, C. W.,—share account of Miss E. Fagan ...	8 Jan. 57	49700	...	0 0 0	412 9 5	0	...	869 12 0	49700	...	457 2 7	0	...	869 12 0	49700	...	0 0 0	412 9 5
Feol, F. J.,—share account of E. H. Feol, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	29 May 03	1200	...	66 1 11	0 0 0	0	...	21 0 0	1200	...	77 1 11	0	...	1 2 10	1200	...	75 15 1	0 0 0
Fergusson, F. R. M., legacy account for the grave, funeral expenses, and repairs of the family graves ...	2 June 99	1500	...	45 3 5	0 0 0	0	...	26 4 0	1500	...	71 7 5	0	...	1 7 6	1500	...	69 15 11	0 0 0

Ferrao, Mrs. R. A. ...	15 April 32	700	...	19	14	4	0	0	0	0	...	12	4	6	700	...	32	2	4	0	...	0	11	3	700	...	31	7	1	0	0	0
Field, G. W.,—life-interest account of the three survivors of the children of the deceased ...	5 Dec. 81	10600	...	241	18	4	0	0	0	0	...	185	8	0	10600	...	427	5	4	0	...	184	6	4	10600	...	242	15	0	0	0	0
FitzGerald, A. G. ...	23 July 99	200	...	82	6	5	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	85	14	5	0	...	0	2	3	200	...	85	12	2	0	0	0
FitzPatrick, Miss Anne,—life-interest account of Miss F. J. Pearson ...	3 May 83	15000	...	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	...	262	8	0	15000	...	264	8	3	0	...	262	8	0	15000	...	2	0	3	0	0	0
French, Major G. B. ...	22 Feb. 05	0	...	2	8	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	8	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	8	3	0	0	0
Frost, J. A. ...	3 Sept. 06	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	99	0	0	0	...	99	0	0	0	...	99	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
———, share account of Miss A. G. Frost, one of the children of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	4300	...	19	12	4	0	0	0	100	...	123	4	3	4400	...	143	0	7	0	..	100	1	3	4400	...	42	15	4	0	0	0
———, share account of Miss M. H. Frost, one of the children of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	4300	...	19	12	5	0	0	0	100	...	123	4	3	4400	...	143	0	8		...	100	1	3	4400	...	42	15	5	0	0	0
Fraser, Mrs. E. V. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1600	...	1681	7	8	1600	...	1681	7	8	0	...	1588	11	11	1600	...	92	11	4	0	0	0
G																																	
Garrett, Robert Birch, share account of Mrs. H. E. Garrett ...	24 Aug. 67	37700	...	132	11	8	0	0	0	0	...	659	12	0	37700	..	792	7	8	0	...	659	12	0	37700	...	132	11	8	0	0	0
Gasper, M. P. ..	20 June 91	47500	100	0	0	8	127	4	11	0	...	831	4	0	47500	100	703	15	1	0	...	948	6	7	47500	100	0	0	0	244	6	6
Gilbert, E. L. ...	29 Aug. 01	35700		248	0	10	0	0	0	0	...	624	12	0	35700	...	842	12	10	1700	...	815	10	1	34000	...	27	2	9	0	0	0
Glover, T. B. ...	29 Aug. 06	4900	27	0	0	0	167	9	2	0	...	13274	9	7	4900	27	13107	0	4	4900	27	13107	1	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	1	0
Goode, Mrs. H.,—legacy account of A. Maitland ...	30 Mar. 68	4200	...	82	5	2	0	0	0	0	...	73	8	0	4200	...	155	13	2	0	...	4	1	1	4200	...	151	11	3	0	0	0
Gordon, John.—share account of W. Spencer, C. W. Webster, B. Mary, B. M. Helen, and E. F. Gordon, children of the deceased, and predeceased brother, William Gordon ...	28 Jan. 75	0	...	27	10	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	27	10	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	27	10	6	0	0	0
Goss, T. S.,—share account of C. S. Diamond, grandson of the deceased	17 Feb. 04	15000	...	82	7	6	0	0	0	0	...	262	8	0	15000	...	344	15	6	0	...	315	1	4	15000	...	29	14	2	0	0	0
——, Mrs. Delia,—share account of C. S. Diamond, grandson of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	11300	...	0	0	6	41	10	8	0	...	197	12	0	11300	...	156	1	4	0	...	131	3	3	11300	...	24	14	1	0	0	0
Gregory, J. A.—legacy account of P. E. Humphries ...	3 Dec. 95	16200	...	15	1	7	0	0	0	0	...	306	0	0	16200	...	321	1	7	0	...	306	0	0	16200	...	15	1	7	0	0	0

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G																		
Gregory, J. A., legacy account of Miss L. M. Lane ...	3 Dec. 95	1500	...	0 0 0	6 9 2	0	...	26 4 0	1500	...	19 10 10	0	...	27 4 0	1500	...	0 0 0	7 9 2
———, legacy account of the three children of Mrs. J. E. Humphries (niece of the deceased), account of Tangra property ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0 0 0	47 9 6	0	...	1020 0 0	0	...	972 6 6	0	...	502 7 6	0	...	469 15 0	0 0 0
Green, Thomas, share account of Miss M. M. E. Green, one of the children of the deceased ...	5 Aug. 03	800	...	48 1 9	0 0 0	0	...	14 0 0	800	...	62 1 9	0	...	0 12 7	800	...	61 5 2	0 0 0
———, Mrs. M. V.,—share account of Miss M. M. E Green, one of the children of the deceased ...	11 May 03	300	...	48 14 3	0 0 6	0	...	5 4 0	300	...	54 2 3	0	...	0 4 8	300	...	53 13 7	0 0 0
Greenway, A. A. A. ...	4 Sept. 06	400	...	3 4 9	0 0 0	0	...	7 0 0	400	...	10 4 9	0	...	0 8 7	400	...	9 12 2	0 0 0
Greenwood, Miss C. T. ...	19 Nov. 02	500	...	51 12 2	0 0 0	0	...	8 12 0	500	...	60 8 2	0	...	0 5 9	500	...	60 2 5	0 0 0
Gaskell, A., share account of Miss L. E. Gaskell, one of the children of the deceased ...	21 Nov. 06	100	...	42 2 7	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	43 14 7	0	...	0 1 8	100	...	43 12 11	0 0 0
———, share account of F. A. Gaskell, one of the children of the deceased	Ditto ...	100	...	42 2 6	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	43 14 6	0	...	0 1 8	100	...	43 12 10	0 0 0
———, share account of Miss A. A., Gaskell, one of the children of the deceased	Ditto ...	100	...	42 2 6	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	43 14 6	0	...	0 1 8	100	...	43 12 10	0 0 0
———, share account of S. F. Gaskell, one of the children of the deceased	Ditto ...	100	...	42 2 6	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	43 14 6	0	...	0 1 8	100	...	43 12 10	0 0 0
Garth, G. L. ...	... ...	25500	24	246 11 7	0 0 0	0	20	16266 0 2	25500	44	16512 11 9	0	...	16762 9 6	25500	44	0 0 0	249 13 9

Hague, G. P.,—share account of T. L. Hague, brother of the deceased ...		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0			0	0	1	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Haley, W. H. ...		0	45	9	6	0	0	0	500	255		3500	25584	8	2		25565	1	7	3100	19	6	7	0	0	0
Hamilton, Hon'ble Mrs. M. A.,—legacy accoun. of Mrs. M. H. Cleave and children ...	Sept 00	7100	140	12	0	0	0	0	0	124	4	0	7100	265	0	0		124	4	0	7100	140	12	0	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Roman Catholic Church of Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	2000	100	8	10	0	0	0	0	35	0	0	2000	135	8	10	0	35	0	0	2000	100	8	10	0	0	0
Hardy, Captain J. ...	.....	200	64	10	5	0	0	0	0	3	8	0	200	68	2	5	0	0	2	3	200	68	0	2	0	0	0
Harris, A. P.,—share account of A. N. Nyss ...	30 April 85	800	4	12	5	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	800	18	12	5	0	0	11	11	800	18	0	6	0	0	0
———, share account of M. M. Nyss ...	Ditto ...	800	5	2	7	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	800	19	2	7	0	0	11	9	800	18	6	10	0	0	0
———, share account of C. D. Nyss ...	Ditto ...	800	5	11	9	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	800	19	11	9	0	0	11	10	800	18	15	11	0	0	0
Hart, John ...	.....	0	29	6	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	6	11	0	0	0	0	0	29	6	11	0	0	0
Hayton, E.,—life-interest account of Mrs. J. Hayton, widow of the deceased ...	30 April 88	56300	53	5	5	0	0	0	0	985	4	0	56300	1038	9	5	0	955	3	4	56300	83	6	1	0	0	0
Heilsch, Mrs. Esther ...	28 April 96	5700	57	9	0	0	0	0	100	99	2	0	5800	157	5	0	0	101	9	1	5800	55	11	11	0	0	0
Helm, J. ...	.....	4600	57	15	9	0	0	0	100	80	8	0	4700	138	7	9	0	105	3	7	4700	33	4	2	0	0	0
Hein, Driver P. ...	4 Nov. 93	900	28	3	9	0	0	0	0	889	2	10	900	918	0	7	900	918	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hesselmeyer, Revd. C. H., share account of H. C. S. Hesselmeyer, one of the sons of the decease ...	6 Mar. 72	4200	79	9	5	0	0	0	0	73	8	0	4200	153	1	5	0	73	8	0	4200	79	9	5	0	0	0
———, share account of A. C. R. R. Hesselmeyer, one of the sons of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	4200	79	9	5	0	0	0	0	102	4	1	4200	4182	7	6	4200	4182	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Heysham, H.,—legacy account of I. A. Heysham, daughter of the dece[illegible] ...	22 May 85	7000	32	0	6	0	0	0	0	122	8	0	7000	154	8	6	0	122	8	1	7000	32	0	5	0	0	0
[illegible] W. ...	12 April 01	200	3	6	5	0	0	0	0	3	8	0	200	6	4	5	0	0	2	2	200	6	12	3	0	0	0
account of the house No. 39, Elgin Road	Ditto ...	300	133	2	2	0	0	0	0	905	4	0	300	1038	6	2	0	871	6	0	300	167	0	2	0	0	0
ill, T. S.,—account allowance for five chi[illegible] of the deceased	14 April 99		266	12	0	0	0	0	0	164	8	0	9400	..	431	4	0	0	160	11	6	9400	270	8	6	0	0	0
ind, Mrs. Margare[illegible]	1 Dec. 03		34	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	..	34	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	34	6	5	0	0	0
ockaday, Mrs. C.	26 Feb. 04		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	..	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
ookey, Mrs. Elizal	2 Nov. 95		42	15	7	0	0	0	0	3	8	0	200	..	46	7	7	0	0	2	4	200	46	5	3	0	0	0

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Houghton, Mrs. A. H.,—life-interest account of Mr. J. M. S. Houghton, son of the deceased ...	29 May 96	45900	36	561 4 4	0 0 0	0	...	1550 4 0	45900	36	2111 8 4	0	...	1548 4 0	45900	36	563 4 4	0 0 0
Harper, A. F. ...	.....	0	...	1073 8 5	0 0 0	1300	...	400 0 4	1300	...	1473 8 9	0	...	1346 10 4	1300	...	126 14 5	0 0 0
Harrison, (formerly Shaw) Mrs. Florence Thornhill (Lilly) ...	Taken charge 26 May 07	0	...	59 10 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	59 10 10	0	...	0 14 7	0	...	58 12 3	0 0 0
Hunt, Sergeant-Major James,—legacy account of Mrs. Louisa Warren, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	4 May 58	500	...	49 12 6	0 0 0	0	...	8 12 0	500	...	58 8 6	0	...	0 7 10	500	...	58 0 8	0 0 0
Hunter, C. M.,—legacy account of Miss A. M. Hunter ...	5 Jan. 59	6600	...	0 0 0	13 9 0	0	...	115 8 0	6600	...	101 15 0	0	...	115 8 0	6600	...	0 0 0	13 9 0
Herwood, Matilda Sophia ...	.....	0	...	29 14 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	29 14 0	0	...	0 6 10	0	...	29 7 2	0 0 0
Hedger, Mrs. C. ...	9 Aug. 05	67200	...	0 0 0	349 8 4	800	...	1176 0 0	68000	...	826 7 8	0	...	817 1 5	68000	...	9 6 3	0 0 0
Howard, C. O. S. ...	.....	0	...	10 3 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	10 3 4	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	10 3 4	0 0 0
Hewson, Mrs. M. E.,—share account of Miss Sarah H. Hewson ...	23 Dec. 98	700	...	71 13 0	0 0 0	0	...	12 4 0	700	...	84 1 0	0	...	0 11 1	700	...	83 5 11	0 0 0
——, share account of Miss E. M. Hewson ...	Ditto ...	700	...	71 13 0	0 0 0	0	...	12 4 0	700	...	84 1 0	0	...	0 11 1	700	...	83 5 11	0 0 0
——, share account of J. C. Hewson ...	Ditto ...	700	...	71 13 0	0 0 0	0	...	12 4 0	700	...	84 1 0	0	...	0 11 0	700	...	83 6 0	0 0 0
Hyde, W. L. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	2500	...	3663 11 0	2500	...	3663 11 0	0	...	2590 11 4	2500	...	1072 15 8	0 0 0

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K																		
Khettermoney Dutt, Mrs.—legacy account of Shib Chunder Banerjee ...	27 April 99	1400	...	4 4 4	0 0 0	0	...	1378 4 3	1400	...	1382 8 7	1400	...	1382 8 7	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Khetter Money Dutt, Mrs.	Ditto ...	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	1213 10 4	0	...	1213 10 4	0	...	1213 10 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Kennedy, Mrs. W. J.—legacy account of I. E. Swaries, the residuary legatee ...	.....	700	...	79 1 4	0 0 0	0	...	12 4 0	700	...	91 5 4	0	...	0 11 0	700	...	90 10 4	0 0 0
Kinloch, Mrs. Flora,—share account of Patrick Duffin, one of the next-of-kin of the deceased ...	30 July 06	7000	...	22 4 2	0 0 0	0	...	122 8 0	7000	...	114 12 2	0	...	7 8 9	7000	...	137 3 5	0 0 0
———, Mrs. Flora ...	Ditto ...	0	...	1238 12 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1238 12 10	0	...	1225 9 4	0	...	13 3 6	0 0 0
Kelly, C. H. ...	14 Nov. 06	0	...	168 6 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	168 6 8	0	...	168 6 8	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
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Leslie, Joseph ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	100 0 0	0	...	100 0 0	0	...	13 5 5	0	...	86 10 7	0 0 0
Leggatt, Edward, account N. A, ...	28 Sept. 69	2700	...	116 6 7	0 0 0	100	...	1111 8 7	2800	...	1257 15 2	600	...	1146 5 6	2200	...	111 9 8	0 0 0
Low, J. R. ...	... ...	0	...	86 9 1	0 0 0	1700	...	3472 10 4	1700	...	3559 3 5	700	...	4079 7 1	1000	...	0 0 0	520 3 8
Leondy, Mrs. A. G. ...	17 Mar. 42	35200	...	41 15 2	0 0 0	0	...	616 0 0	35200	...	657 15 2	0	...	581 3 5	35200	...	76 11 9	0 0 0
Leslie, R. W.—account for the next-of-kin of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	33 7 11	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	33 7 11	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	33 7 11	0 0 0

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		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
M																		
Malins, Mrs. P.,—legacy account of S. Ali, Cook ...	.....	0	...	13 4 1	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	13 4 1	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	13 4 1	0 0 0
Malchus, N. I.—account of sundry payments ...	.....	0	...	65 13 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	65 13 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	65 13 0	0 0 0
May, Henry,—share account of W. May ...	10 June 86	200	...	38 15 9	0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	42 7 9	0	...	0 11 1	200	...	41 12 8	0 0
Miles, F. H.,—share account of J. W. Miles, brother of the deceased ...	.....	600	...	7 8 5	0 0 0	0	...	10 8 0	600	...	18 0 5	0	...	0 9 6	600	...	17 6 11	0 0
Millard, Captain W. S.,—life-interest account of Miss J. Millard, sister of the deceased ...	12 Oct. 71	17900	...	0 0 0	96 14 6	0	...	313 4 0	17900	...	216 5 6	0	...	391 13 3	17900	...	0 0 0	175 7
Mitchoo, M. E. ...	12 April 80	9700	...	0 0 0	3 8 5	0	...	169 12 0	9700	...	156 3 7	0	...	178 2 2	9700	...	0 0 0	11 14
Mookerjee, Brigade-Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel P. N.,—annuity of Mah Thon	9 May 99	128 0	...	52 13 11	0 0 0	0	...	192 0 0	12800	...	244 13 11	0	...	190 12 2	12800	...	54 1 9	0 0
Morris, Thomas,—share account of T. Wilcox Merris, son of the deceased	7 Jan. 04	1000	...	35 5 9	0 0 0	0	...	17 8 0	1000	...	52 13 9	0	...	34 0 4	1000	...	18 13 5	0 0
Muller, H. E.,—share account of M. P. Muller, one of the children of the deceased ...	28 Nov. 02	2900	...	45 10 8	0 0 0	0	...	50 12 0	2900	...	96 6 8	0	...	2 13 6	2900	...	93 9 2	0 0
——, share account of C. H. E. Muller, one of the children of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	2900	...	45 10 8	0 0 0	0	...	50 12 0	2900	...	96 6 8	0	...	2 13 6	2900	...	93 9 2	0 0
Maher, Mrs. Matilah Pugh	.....	3300	...	51 8 4	0 0 0	0	...	57 12 0	3300	...	109 4 4	0	...	49 12 7	3300	...	59 7 9	0 0
Mackenzie, Kenneth ...	.....	3200	...	82 7 8	0 0 0	0	...	56 0 0	3200	...	138 7 8	0	...	49 6 6	3200	...	89 1 2	0 0

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		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
P																		
Paliologus, N.,—life-interest account of Mrs. A. E. Paliologus, widow of the deceased ...	8 Aug. 87	142500	...	0 0 0	152 6 11	0	...	24 3 12 0	142500	...	2341 5 1	0	...	2477 3 6	142500	...	0 0 0	135 14 0
——, account of trust under the marriage settlement of Mr. N. and Mrs. A. E. Paliologus ...	Ditto ...	5400	...	76 12 4	0 0 0	0	...	6571 5 2	5400	...	6648 1 6	5400	...	6648 1 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Paterson, R. ...	.....	48000	...	359 8 10	0 0 0	0	...	840 0 0	48000	...	1199 8 10	0	...	839 15 9	48000	...	359 9 1	0 0 0
Paul, Rutna,—life-interest account of Rose Marcus, daughter of the deceased...	28 July 66	2100	...	44 15 3	0 0 0	0	...	36 12 0	2100	...	81 11 3	0	...	2 1 0	2100	...	79 10 3	0 0 0
——, life-interest account of the children of W. S. Appoo ...	Ditto ...	5000	...	0 0 5	0 0 0	0	...	87 8 0	5000	...	87 8 5	0	...	2 10 0	5000	...	84 14 5	0 0 0
——, legacy account for charitable purposes ...	Ditto ...	5000	...	0 0 2	0 0 1	0	...	87 8 0	5000	...	87 8 2	0	...	2 10 0	5000	...	84 14 2	0 0 0
Payter, G. R. ...	12 June 80	0	...	2682 14 4	0 0 0	0	...	359 12 3	0	...	3042 10 7	0	...	2977 12 10	0	...	64 13 9	0 0 0
Pickering, W. P.,—share account of H. A. Pickering, one of the children of the deceased ...	16 July 04	200	...	74 14 5	0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	78 6 5	0	...	0 3 1	200	...	78 3 4	0 0 0
——, share account of F. L. Pickering, one of the children of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	200	...	74 11 3	0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	78 6 3	0	...	0 3 2	200	...	78 3 1	0 0 0

Pinkney, Mrs. E. G.—share account of R. W. Pinkney, one of the sons and next-of-kin of the deceased	6 Dec 98	200	...	67	6	8	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	70	14	8	0	...	0	3	1	200	...	70	11	7	0	0
———, share account of F. A. Pinkney, one of the sons and next-of-kin of the deceased	Ditto ...	200	...	67	6	10	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	70	14	10	0	...	0	3	2	200	...	70	11	8	0	0
———, share account of T. A. Pinkney, one of the sons and next-of-kin of the deceased	Ditto ...	200	...	67	6	9	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	70	14	9	0	...	0	3	1	200	...	70	11	8	0	0
———, share account of G. A. Pinkney, one of the sons and next-of-kin of the deceased	Ditto ...	200	...	67	6	10	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	70	14	10	0	...	0	3	1	200	...	70	11	9	0	0
Pilkington, Captain A. F.	.....	3300	...	514	0	9	0	0	0	300	...	3258	9	10	3300	...	3772	10	7	3300	...	3752	6	7	0	...	20	4	0	0	0
Pogose, C. N.	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1200	...	2190	15	0	1200	...	2190	15	0	0	...	1176	5	4	1200	...	1014	9	8	0	0
Peachy, D. J.	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	300	...	372	6	0	300	...	372	6	0	0	...	312	0	10	300	...	60	5	2	0	0
Percival, Mrs. G. P.,- share account of Arnold B. E. Graham, one of the children of the deceased...	20 May 04	2400	...	54	10	1	0	0	0	0	...	139	1	5	2400	...	193	11	6	100	...	127	5	8	2300	...	66	5	10	0	0
Peard, Mrs. Anne—life-interest account of Mr. R. W. Cole	29 July 71	14400	...	76	2	2	0	0	0	0	...	252	0	0	14400	...	328	2	2	0	...	252	0	1	14400	...	76	2	1	0	0
R																															
Rabontean, P. J. (*alias* Rabouts)	11 Aug. 93	1400	...	96	3	8	0	0	0	100	...	24	8	0	1500	...	120	11	8	0	...	98	2	8	1500	...	23	9	0	0	0
Rainey, H. J.	1 Sept. 03	91600	...	232	2	2	0	0	0	0	...	53682	5	1	91600	...	53914	7	3	91600	...	53914	7	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Reade, Colonel G. E.,—annuity account for the annuitant Lilavati *alias* Ramrakhi Patur, deceased	14 Feb. 01	700	...	21	12	2	0	0	0	0	...	12	4	0	700	...	37	0	2	0	...	0	10	11	700	...	36	5	3	0	0
Rose, Mrs. Maria Reid	20 Mar. 96	10100	...	183	0	8	0	0	0	300	...	180	4	0	10400	...	363	4	8	0	...	299	14	8	10400	...	63	6	0	0	0
Rainey, J. R.	11 Aug. 03	24200	...	297	6	3	0	0	0	0	...	378	0	0	24200	...	675	6	3	24200	...	675	6	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Reilly, Apothecary John,—share account of the children of the deceased	29 Aug 70	900	...	20	11	7	0	0	0	0	...	15	12	0	900	...	36	7	3	0	...	0	14	0	900	...	35	9	7	0	0
Rainey, J. R. and H. J.	.....	75300	...	1001	15	11	0	0	0	0	...	13609	11	3	75300	...	14611	11	2	75300	...	14611	11	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Reynolds, P. G.	.....	1000	...	33	7	8	0	0	0	0	...	17	8	0	1000	...	50	15	8	0	...	0	11	7	1000	...	50	4	1	0	0

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		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
R																		
Robertson, E. ...	.....	102600	...	33 11 8	0 0 0	0	...	3366 0 4	102600	...	3399 12 0	102600	...	3399 12 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
Ridley, M.,—life-interest account of Mrs. L. Ridley, widow of the deceased ...	30 May 06	38200	30	82 11 0	0 0 0	0	...	668 8 0	38200	30	751 3 0	0	...	37 7 6	38200	30	713 11 6	0 0
Riley, Lieutenant-General S. D.,—legacy account of Miss I. M. Cameron ...	.....	9100	...	29 5 10	0 0 0	0	...	159 4 0	9100	...	188 9 10	0	...	159 4 0	9100	...	29 5 10	0 0
Ross, Assistant Surgeon Frank Charles ...	13 Dec. 98	2600	...	37 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	45 8 0	2600	...	82 8 0	0	...	1 14 4	2600	...	80 9 8	0 0
Rowe, D. J.,—share account of the 3 children of E. J. Tarbie ...	26 Feb. 02	22700	...	7 10 10	0 0 0	0	...	397 4 0	22700	...	404 14 10	0	...	396 13 2	22700	...	8 1 8	0 0
Ricketts, A. T., share account of G. L. Ricketts, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	5600	...	118 15 9	0 0 0	0	...	584 15 4	5600	...	703 15 1	500	...	505 5 0	5100	...	198 10 1	0 0
Robertson, E., life interest account of Mrs. R. V. Robertson or A. Robertson, widow of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	101100	...	274 7 11	101100	...	274 7 11	0	...	216 4 2	101100	...	58 3 9	0 0
Ricketts, A. T.,—share account of G. A. Ricketts, one of the children of the deceased ..	2 April 06	5600	...	114 11 3	0 0 0	0	...	486 5 9	5600	...	601 1 0	400	...	505 1 1	5200	...	95 15 11	0 0
Rodgers, J. R.	.....	10000	...	398 1 6	0 0 0	1100	...	1373 7 10	11100	...	1771 9 4	0	...	1614 15 5	11100	...	156 9 11	0 0

Rainey, J. R. and H. J.,—new account under decree dated 3rd June 1907 ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	137300	...	25100 10 7	137200	...	25100 10 7	129500	...	26081 15 3	7800	...	0 0 0	981 4 8
Robins, Henry ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	300	...	550 2 11	300	...	550 2 11	0	...	415 4 11	300	...	134 14 0	0 0 0
Rothschild, L. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	250	287 8 0	250	...	287 8 0	0	...	0 6 8	0	250	287 1 4	0 0 0
S																		
Saunders, George ...	8 Mar. 75	0	...	47 5 3	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	47 5 3	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	47 5 3	0 0 0
Schapharia, Miss Fannie,—share account for the next-of-kin of the deceased	2 April 95	3600	...	65 12 2	0 0 0	100	...	63 0 0	3700	...	128 12 2	0	...	100 11 6	3700	...	28 0 8	0 0 0
Sehorn, E. S.,—share account of Catherine S. R. Bridgnell ...	19 May 87	5800	...	199 6 11	0 0 0	0	...	101 8 0	5800	...	300 14 11	0	...	287 8 11	5800	...	13 6 0	0 0 0
——, share account of L. P. Bridgnell ...	Ditto ...	5000	...	182 12 2	0 0 0	0	...	87 8 0	5900	...	270 4 2	0	...	293 8 11	5000	...	0 0 0	23 4 9
——J. C.,—share account of Catherine S. R. Bridgnell ...	.....	1400	...	62 14 8	0 0 0	0	...	24 8 0	1400	...	87 6 8	0	...	24 8 1	1400	...	62 14 7	0 0 0
——, share account of L. P. Bridgnell ...	.....	1400	...	62 14 7	0 0 0	0	...	24 8 0	1400	...	87 6 7	0	...	24 8 0	1400	...	62 14 7	0 0 0
Seed, W. J. ..	22 Jan. 06	1000	...	3 8 2	0 0 0	0	...	1038 9 5	1000	...	1042 1 7	1000	...	1042 1 7	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Skinner, Mrs. L. E. M. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	500	...	603 8 0	500	...	603 8 0	0	...	491 13 3	500	...	111 10 9	0 0 0
Sergeant, J. W. ...	Taken charge 28 June 98	1200	...	65 1 6	0 0 0	0	...	21 0 0	1200	...	86 1 6	0	...	0 13 11	1300	...	85 3 7	0 0 0
Sexton, Mrs. E. J.,—share account of F. B. Sexton, one of the sons of the deceased ...	3 April 01	3000	...	49 2 6	0 0 0	100	...	52 8 0	3100	...	101 10 6	0	...	99 11 4	3100	...	1 15 2	0 0 0
Shaw, J. C., share account of W. R. C. Shaw ...	3 Dec. 02	0	...	59 10 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	59 10 10	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	59 10 10	0 0 0
——, M. M. Neilson ...	.....	0	...	59 10 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	59 10 10	0	...	0 14 7	0	...	58 12 3	0 0 0
Sherry, A. ...	5 Dec. 03	100	...	11 3 0	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	12 15 0	0	...	0 1 2	100	...	12 13 10	0 0 0
Simms, Edward ...	.....	0	...	53 6 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	53 6 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	53 6 8	0 0 0
Simpson, Surgeon-Major Alexander,—legacy account of Emily Warrack, daughter of the deceased	26 Nov. 89	52200	...	68 5 4	0 0 0	0	...	913 8 0	52200	...	981 13 4	0	...	913 8 0	52200	...	68 5 4	0 0 0
——, James ...	.....	13900	...	0 0 0	365 14 1	10000	...	12211 3 4	23900	...	11845 5 3	23900	...	11795 5 3	0	...	50 0 0	0 0 0
——, share account of Peter Simpson, brother of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	23600	...	686 5 6	23600	...	686 5 6	0	...	686 15 9	23600	...	0 0 0	0 10 3
Sinclair, O. G.,—life-interest account of Lutchmonee Bengally, the mother of the children of the deceased ...	28 Oct. 02	3100	...	1 2 8	0 0 0	0	...	54 4 0	3100	...	55 6 8	0	...	54 4 0	3100	...	1 2 8	0 0 0

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S																		
Slator, T. E.,—share account of Miss J. Slator, subsequently Mrs. Bennett, one of the sisters of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	42 7 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	42 7 5	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	42 7 5	0 0 0
——, share account of C. N. Charles, son of Maggie (Margaret) Slator, subsequently Mrs. Charles, one of the sisters of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	42 7 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	42 7 5	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	42 7 5	0 0 0
Smith, Alfred,—life-interest account of G. A. Smith, son of the deceased ...	30 Nov. 92	182500	...	80 13 6	0 0 0	0	...	3193 12 0	182500	...	3274 9 6	0	...	3193 11 11	182500	...	80 13 7	0 0 0
——, Mrs. L. M. ...	6 Jan. 96	2500	...	22 6 6	0 0 0	0	...	43 12 0	2500	...	66 2 6	0	...	1 12 10	2500	...	64 5 8	0 0 0
Spears, Thomas,—legacy account of A. Spears ...	11 Nov. 68	26800	...	0 0 0	4 10 10	0	...	469 0 0	26800	...	464 5 2	0	...	450 12 6	26800	...	13 8 8	0 0 0
——, legacy account of M. Spears ...	Ditto ...	26800	...	0 0 0	92 11 11	0	...	469 0 0	26800	...	376 1 1	0	...	450 12 6	26800	...	0 0 0	74 11 5
——, share account of A. S. Nicholas, one of the children of Mrs. C. Nicholas, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	5 7 11	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 7 11	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 7 11	0 0 0
——, share account of B. R. Nicholas, one of the children of Mrs. C. Nicholas, one of the daughters of the deceased	Ditto ...	4400	...	83 15 4	0 0 0	0	...	77 0 0	4400	...	160 15 4	0	...	76 5 1	4400	...	84 10 3	0 0 0

——, share account of Dora Nicholas, one of the children of Mrs. C. Nicholas, one of the daughters of the deceased	...	Ditto	...	4400	...	83	15	4	0	0	0	0	...	77	0	0	4400	...	160	15	4	0	...	76	5	1	4400	...	84	10	3	0	0	0
Stewart, Douglas	...	18 April	06	0	2*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	2*	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	2*	0	0	0	0	0	0
Strachan, Mrs. Catherine	...	17 May	86	0	...	150	0	0	0	0	0	100	...	0	0	0	100	...	150	0	0	0	...	96	14	10	100	...	53	1	2	0	0	0
——, account of properties at Dinapore	...	Ditto	...	0	...	342	0	4	0	0	0	0	...	69	9	4	0	...	7271	6	8	0	...	7271	6	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Strangways, R. M. N.	...	.....		600	...	25	15	7	0	0	0	0	...	10	8	0	600	...	36	7	7	0	...	0	7	0	600	...	36	0	7	0	0	0
Strong, Mrs. H. S.	...	7 Mar.	78	0	...	0	0	0	27	11	9	0	...	675	0	0	0	...	647	4	3	0	...	709	13	3	0	...	0	0	0	62	9	0
Suspense account of Sir T. E. M. Turton (Bart.)	...	.....		1300	...	30	19	8	0	0	0	0	...	21	0	0	1300	...	51	10	8	1300	...	51	10	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Swaries, J. P.,—annuity account of Miss L. E. Swaries, now Mrs. O'Neal	...	17 Aug.	01	9100	...	18	14	0	0	0	0	0	...	159	4	0	9100	...	178	2	0	0	...	108	14	9	9100	...	69	3	3	0	0	0
——, share account of H. L. Swaries, son of the deceased	...	Ditto	...	11500	...	0	0	0	51	12	7	0	...	201	4	0	11500	...	149	7	5	0	...	345	12	5	115	0	...	0	0	0	196	5	0
——, share account of I. E. Swaries, daughter of the deceased	...	Ditto	...	11500	...	0	0	0	60	12	6	0	...	201	4	0	11500	...	140	7	6	0	...	352	12	5	11500	...	0	0	0	212	4	11
——, Mrs. R. E., share account of I. E. Swaries, daughter of the deceased	...	5 Mar.	04	600	...	106	14	5	0	0	0	100	...	10	8	0	700	...	117	6	5	0	...	98	0	5	700	...	19	6	0	0	0	0
——, personalty account of I. E. Swaries, daughter of the deceased	...	Ditto	...	100	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	100	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	100	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Strachan, Mrs. C., legacy account of Mrs. Mary Broadway	...	17 May	86	0	...	66	10	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	66	10	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	66	10	4	0	0	0
——, legacy account of Miss Annie Almieda	...	Ditto	...	200	...	70	1	10	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	73	9	10	0	...	0	9	10	200	...	73	0	0	0	0	0
——, legacy account of Abdul Rahiman Tailor	...	Ditto	...	0	...	21	5	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	21	5	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	21	5	3	0	0	0
——, legacy account of Munboodh	...	Ditto	...	100	...	9	4	0	0	0	0	0	...	1	12	0	100	...	11	0	0	0	...	0	5	4	100	...	10	10	8	0	0	0
——, legacy account of Mr. J. DaCosta (in trust for her children)	...	Ditto	...	1000	...	85	2	11	0	0	0	100	...	17	8	0	1100	...	102	10	11	0	...	97	11	0	1100	...	4	15	11	0	0	0
Schulz, A. L.	...	.. ..		0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	4200	...	4216	14	4	4200	...	4216	14	4	4200	...	4216	14	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scott, Mrs. Agnes, share account of A. Scott, son of the deceased	...	16 Mar.	92	100	...	82	11	8	0	0	0	0	...	1	12	0	100	...	84	7	8	100	...	84	7	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shaw, Charles Henry Alexander	...	.....		0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	32	5	0	0	...	32	5	0	0	...	32	5	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
—, Edward John Alexander	...	11 June	89	0	...	99	15	0	6	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	99	15	0	0	...	99	15	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0

* Baijnath Shahabad Debentures.

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T																		
Tarbie, E. J., share account of D. V. Tarbie ...	6 June 06	1500	...	54 2 1	0 0 0	0	...	26 4 0	1500	...	80 6 1	0	...	1 7 1	1500	...	78 15 0	0 0 0
———, share account of J. W. Tarbie ...	Ditto ...	1500	...	43 0 3	0 0 0	0	...	26 4 0	1500	...	69 4 3	0	...	1 7 2	1500	...	67 13 1	0 0 0
———, E. J. ...	Ditto ..	0	...	217 15 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	217 15 0	0	...	217 15 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, share account of P. A. Tarbie, one of the minor children of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	1500	...	46 11 5	0 0 0	0	...	26 4 0	1500	...	72 15 5	0	...	1 7 2	1500	...	71 8 3	0 0 0
Thornhill, Captain C. B. ...	24 Aug. 06	2600	...	9 0 1	0 0 0	0	...	45 8 0	2600	...	54 8 1	0	...	7 13 2	2600	...	46 10 11	0 0 0
Thurston, B ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	860 10 0	0	...	860 10 0	0	...	860 10 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Todd, W. S. ...	29 Nov. 06	2000	...	50 12 1	0 0 0	0	...	387 7 8	2000	...	438 3 9	0	...	346 4 5	2000	...	91 15 4	0 0 0
Turner, R. B. ...	11 April 06	0	452	3625 2 11	0 0 0	4400	...	19105 10 11	4400	452	22730 13 10	3600	36	22718 7 2	800	416	12 6 8	0 0 0
———, W. B. ...	29 Mar. 05	0	...	90 4 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	90 4 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	90 4 0	0 0 0
———, annuity account of Mrs. B. M. Turner ...	Ditto ...	0	...	16 1 0	0 0 0	0	...	966 12 0	0	...	982 13 0	0	...	966 12 0	0	...	16 1 0	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Miss Jessie Turner ...	Ditto ...	1400	...	70 3 6	0 0 0	0	...	24 8 0	1400	...	94 11 6	0	...	24 8 0	1400	...	70 3 6	0 0 0
Tyler, J. W. ...	26 Jan. 07	0	...	337 4 8	0 0 0	0	...	113 12 5	0	...	451 1 1	0	...	451 1 1	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Townsend, C. H. ...	6 Sept. 05	0	...	0 8 7	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 8 7	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 8 7	0 0 0
Trunbull, Vety. Captain H. P. ...	12 Jan. 03	0	...	1 6 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 6 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 6 2	0 0 0
Thompson, H. D. ...	8 Jan. 92	0	...	25 6 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	25 6 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	25 6 8	0 0 0
Treadwell, 2nd Lieut. O. R. A. ...	24 May 07	1000	...	7 2 6	0 0 0	0	...	976 1 0	1000	...	983 3 6	1000	...	983 3 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Turner, R. B.,—legacy account of Mrs. Z. Greely ...	11 April 06	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	1900	...	1875 0 0	1900	...	1875 0 0	0	...	1821 9 6	1900	...	53 6 6	0 0 0

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Van Dort, Mrs. C. A.—share, account of B. J. Lackersteen ...	1 Feb. 82	200	...	72	6	0	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	75	14	0	0	...	0	9	10	200	...	75	4	2	0	0	0
———, share account of Patrick J. Lackersteen ...	Ditto ...	200	...	72	6	1	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	75	14	1	0	...	0	9	10	200	...	75	4	3	0	0	0
———, share account of Joseph Polycrop Lackersteen ...	Ditto ...	100	...	65	8	9	0	0	0	0	...	1	12	0	100	...	67	4	9	0	...	0	5	4	100	...	66	15	5	0	0	0
Verboon, Richard ...	13 Sept. 71	29500	...	88	2	10	0	0	0	0	...	876	4	0	29500	...	964	6	10	0	...	875	6	3	29500	...	89	0	7	0	0	0
Von Lintzgy, Dr. C. F.,—legacy account of Mrs. F. E. Grey ...	13 Jan. 77	104500	...	165	14	2	0	0	0	0	...	1828	12	0	104500	...	1994	10	2	0	...	1828	12	0	104500	...	165	14	2	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Mrs. E. Forbes ...	Ditto ...	17100	55	0	0	0	7	9	11	0	...	3719	4	0	17100	55	3711	10	1	0	...	3746	15	8	17100	55	0	0	0	35	5	7
———, legacy account of G. F. D. DeDombal, one of the grandsons of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	300	...	99	12	3	0	0	0	0	...	5	4	0	300	...	96	0	3	0	...	0	4	9	300	...	95	11	6	0	0	0
———, legacy account of C. D. DeDombal, one of the grandsons of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	300	...	82	12	6	0	0	0	0	...	5	4	0	300	...	88	0	6	0	...	0	4	8	300	...	87	11	10	0	0	0
——— Dr. C. F. ...	Ditto ...	0	...	20	10	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	20	10	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	20	10	8	0	0	0
Vonsilier, Mrs. M. J.,—share account of Lieut. Paul Vonzglinitzski, only son and sole heir of the deceased ...	13 Nov. 91	0	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	1140	0	0	0	38	1140	0	0	0	...	1140	0	0	0	38	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vyall, Miss A.,—share account of A. Vyall ...	27 Mar. 05	800	...	93	4	4	0	0	0	100	...	14	0	0	900	...	107	4	4	0	...	98	3	7	900	...	9	0	9	0	0	0

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Walsh, Mrs. Isabella ...	21 Aug. 01	900	...	18	9	1	0	0	0	0	...	15	12	0	900	...	34	5	1	0	...	0	10	6	900	...	33	10	7	0	0	0
———, John ...	11 Mar 81	0	...	1111	12	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1111	12	0	0	...	1111	12	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walker, John Napier ..	2 April 93	4700	...	60	15	7	0	0	0	100	...	82	4	0	4800	...	143	3	7	0	...	102	15	4	4800	...	40	4	3	0	0	0
Welch, James,—life-interest to L. M. Onslow ..	8 Aug. 61	40500	...	457	15	10	0	0	0	400	...	708	12	0	40900	...	1166	11	10	0	...	1096	7	4	40900	...	70	4	6	0	0	0
Weston, Bazar Sergeant Joseph,—share account of the children of Mrs. H. S. Cotter ...	.....	0	...	35	7	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	35	7	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	35	7	10	0	0	0

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W																		
White, James,—life-interest account of the mother of the deceased's daughter, Miss M. A. J. White ...	22 Feb. 78	0	...	14 8 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	14 8 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	14 8 8	0 0 0
Wilcox, F., share account of the late Mrs. M. Graham, one of the sisters of the deceased ...	22 Aug 97	1000	...	32 13 5	0 0 0	0	...	17 8 0	1000	...	50 5 5	0	...	0 14 11	1000	...	49 6 6	0 0 0
White, James ...	22 Feb. 78	0	...	1098 3 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1098 3 5	0	...	1098 3 5	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Wilcox, share account of W. N. Reviley, one of the children of Mrs. S. J. Reviley, one of the sisters of the deceased ..	22 Aug. 97	200	...	58 12 6	0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	62 4 6	0	...	0 3 1	200	...	62 1 5	0 0 0
Williams, J. A.,—account of house No. 6 Giree Babu's Lane ...	9 April 88	200	...	125 8 0	0 0 0	200	...	384 12 9	400	...	510 4 9	0	...	527 4 3	400	...	0 0 0	16 15 6
———, Mrs. A. K.,—share account of C. V. Williams, a son by the deceased's second marriage ...	7 June 04	9700	...	50 0 7	0 0 0	200	...	169 12 0	9900	...	219 12 7	0	...	203 2 7	9900	...	16 10 0	0 0 0

illson, William Galbraith, —life-interest account of Mrs. S. D. Johnston, sister of the deceased ...	.....	10200	12	181	9	11	0	0	0	0	...	538	8	0	10200	12	720	1	11	0	...	538	7	11	10200	12	181	10	0	0	0	0
ilson, H. Hayman,—share account of E. A. Wilson ...	22 Nov. 60	0	22*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	660	0	0	0	22	660	0	0	0	...	660	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	0
—, Frederick,—life-interest account of C. Wilson, subject to annuities of Sungram and Raimatta ...	24 Sept. 89	500	...	22	9	9	0	0	0	0	...	8	12	0	500	...	31	5	9	0	...	0	7	10	500	...	30	13	11	0	0	0
—, account of annuity of Raimutta, niece of Sungram, the widow of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	28600	...	1209	12	3	0	0	0	300	...	500	8	0	28900	...	1710	4	3	0	...	1230	9	11	28900	...	479	10	4	0	0	0
—, life-interest account of C. Wilson	Ditto ...	228200	...	2208	6	5	0	0	0	0	...	3193	8	0	228200	...	6201	14	5	0	...	2856	15	6	228200	...	3344	14	11	0	0	0
—, Mrs. Jane,—life interest account of Mrs. Smith, daughter of the deceased ...	16 Mar. 59	3400	..	116	3	10	0	0	0	100	...	59	8	0	3500	...	175	11	10	0	...	100	10	10	3500	...	75	1	0	0	0	0
ilsone, Charles Michael ...	6 Jan. 70	0	...	7	12	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	..	7	12	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	7	12	4	0	0	0
ikal, Miss E. ...	20 Dec. 06	4500	...	80	8	8	0	0	0	300	...	258	7	0	4800	...	338	15	8	0	...	297	9	10	4800	...	41	5	10	0	0	0
rixon, R. B. ...	21 April 59	0	...	44	7	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	44	7	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	44	7	6	0	0	0
yatt, Alexander,—gift for the children of the deceased ...	12 Jan. 61	0	...	173	11	2	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	173	11	2	0	...	173	11	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, Miss F. A. ...	.....	4300	...	96	8	5	0	0	0	0	...	4279	7	9	4300	...	4576	0	2	4300	...	36	3	11	8	0	...	772	4	6	0	0	0
—, share account of A. Dumaine, or Derr, now Mrs. Matheway, the only child of Mrs. M. Wyatt, a deceased sister of the deceased ...	... ..	1500	...	39	4	9	0	0	0	700	...	689	14	8	2290	...	729	3	5	0	...	681	13	4	2200	...	47	6	1	0	0	0
—, Alexander, share account of Mr. Edgar Wyatt ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	...	173	11	2	100	...	173	11	2	0	...	98	6	7	100	...	75	4	7	0	0	0
hite, Miss Mary Ethel ...	7 July 88	1000	...	76	3	6	0	0	0	0	...	17	8	0	1000	..	93	11	6	0	...	1	0	11	1000	...	92	10	7	0	0	0
arrington, Mrs. J. L. ...	25 April 07	2000	60	0	0	0	1448	2	2	9200	...	10961	0	6	11200	60	9512	14	4	0	60	9476	6	9	11200	...	36	7	7	0	0	0
————, account of business known as Mrs. Warrington & Co. ...	Ditto ...	0	...	807	0	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	807	0	6	0	...	807	0	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
hite, James, share account of Mrs. G. M. Robin, granddaughter of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1100	...	1097	4	11	1100	...	1097	4	11	0	...	1072	9	10	1100	...	24	11	1	0	0	0
itton, G. F. ...	..	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	67	4	9	0	...	67	4	9	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	67	4	9	0	0	0
ebster, Agnes ...	... ..	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	..	300	0	0	0	...	300	0	0	0	...	250	0	0	0	...	50	0	0	0	0	0

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Y																		
Yates, H. B., share account of C. Yates, minor nephew of the deceased ...	30 Aug. 05	22400	...	34 8 6	0 0 0	400	...	392 0 0	22800	...	426 8 6	0	...	406 2 5	22800	...	20 6 1	0 0 0

HENRY T. HYDE,

Administrator-General of Bengal.

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adam Coomaree Dassi Sreemutty ...	5 Sept. 88	17100	...	19 12 10	0 0 0	0	...	8972 6 5	17100	...	8993 3 3	17100	...	8977 12 9	0	...	14 6 6	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Kripasindhu Babajee, Bamee, maid-servant, and Heralall, nephew of the maid-servant Romonee ...	Ditto ...	100	...	21 11 3	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	23 7 3	0	...	0 1 7	100	...	23 5 8	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Gopee Nath Roy ...	Ditto ...	400	...	93 13 6	0 0 0	0	...	7 0 0	400	...	100 13 6	200	...	51 1 10	200	...	49 11 8	0 0 0
Bhagabat Chandra Maity ...	.....	10600	...	114 11 11	0 0 0	0	...	185 8 0	10600	...	300 3 11	0	...	180 10 10	10600	...	119 9 1	0 0 0
Bolye Chand Dutt, residuary account ...	.....	24500	...	0 0 0	1405 15 9	3000	...	16958 14 1	37500	...	15552 14 4	13000	...	15371 1 5	24500	...	181 12 11	0 0 0
———— ————, account of the Dutt Charitable Dispensary at Madhupur ...	.....	5300	...	297 1 2	0 0 0	0	...	1559 12 0	5300	...	1856 13 2	0	...	1582 3 11	5300	...	274 9 3	0 0 0
Bolye Chand Pyne ...	.....	100	...	183 13 8	0 0 0	500	...	591 0 3	600	...	774 13 11	0	...	628 8 7	600	...	146 5 4	0 0 0
C																		
Bally Dass Kurmokar ...	30 Aug. 05	35500	...	21 7 3	0 0 0	0	...	657 0 0	35500	...	678 7 3	0	...	547 2 2	35500	...	131 5 1	0 0 0
Bassey Nath Mullick, account of worship and seminaries ...	.....	118700	...	281 7 0	0 0 0	0	...	1780 8 0	118700	...	2061 15 0	0	...	1779 12 5	118700	...	282 2 7	0 0 0
———— ————, account of repairs of seminaries, taxes and other contingent charges ...	.....	43100	...	0 0 0	157 6 4	0	...	648 4 0	43100	...	490 13 8	0	...	343 10 3	43100	...	147 3 5	0 0 0

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Cassey Nath Mullick, account for preservation of the bones of the deceased and widow ...	.....	3900	...	18 7 1	0 0 0	0	...	58 8 0	3900	...	76 15 1	0	...	51 4 6	3900	...	25 10 7	0 0
——————, account for repairs of tombs and house at Brindaban ...	.....	4600	...	0 0 0	1138 10 5	0	...	1039 9 9	4600	...	—99 0 8	1000	...	132 15 8	3600	...	0 0 0	232 0
——————, account of arrears due in respect of the expenses of worship and seminaries ...	.....	0	...	3416 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3416 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3416 0 0	0 0
——————, account of purchase of utensils and other articles ...	.....	10900	...	5 10 5	0 0 0	0	...	164 4 0	10900	...	169 14 5	0	...	9 2 8	10900	...	160 11 9	0 0
——————, account of residuary estate for charity at Brindaban...	.....	480800	...	0 0 0	160 8 7	6300	...	8414 0 0	487100	...	8253 7 5	0	...	8708 13 7	487100	...	0 0 0	455 6
D																		
Debendra Nath Sen ...	25 Jan. 05	35200	...	0 0 0	43 2 10	3500	...	13788 5 1	38700	...	13745 2 3	13000	...	13878 5 10	25700	...	0 0 0	133 3
Deep Chand Dhariwall, residuary account ...	.....	66200	70	0 0 0	26 10 1	2500	...	4920 6 8	687 0	70	4793 12 7	1400	...	4878 7 8	67300	70	0 0 0	84 11
——————, annuity account of "Sekhar," one of the daughters of deceased ...	.....	3100	...	97 14 3	0 0 0	0	...	54 4 0	3100	...	152 2 3	0	...	51 14 10	3100	...	100 3 5	0 0
——————, annuity account of "Gora," one of the daughters of deceased ...	.....	3100	...	97 14 3	0 0 0	0	...	54 4 0	3100	...	152 2 3	0	...	51 14 11	3100	...	100 3 4	0 0

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G																		
Gunnamutty *alias* Harriet Paul ...	.....	13700	...	61 3 5	0 0 0	200	...	239 12 0	13900	...	300 15 5	0	...	204 13 0	13900	...	96 2 5	0 0
———, account for the worship of the family idol...	.....	5300	...	49 3 10	0 0 0	0	...	92 12 0	5300	...	141 15 10	0	...	3 4 8	5300	...	138 11 2	0 0
———, account of feeding Baistabs ...	.....	2100	...	42 0 1	0 0 0	0	...	36 12 0	2100	...	78 12 1	0	...	1 1 8	2100	...	77 10 5	0 0
———, account for the worship of Buddha at Wilitara, Ceylon ...	.....	9000	...	152 12 5	0 0 0	0	...	157 8 0	9000	...	310 4 5	0	...	4 11 7	9000	...	305 8 10	0 0
———, annuity account for Juman Shaw and Luckhi Narain ...	.....	1800	...	10 2 2	0 0 0	0	...	31 8 0	1800	...	41 10 2	0	...	51 12 3	1800	...	0 0 0	10 2
———, annuity account for Rosani ...	.....	1800	...	0 0 0	9 13 5	0	...	31 8 0	1800	...	21 10 7	0	...	31 12 3	1800	...	0 0 0	10 1
H																		
Haradhone Ghosh ...	.....	13100	...	0 0 0	1682 0 4	0	...	6836 1 3	13100	...	5154 0 11	6700	...	5100 15 9	6400	...	53 1 2	0 0
Hem Chunder Gossami ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	224400	...	62899 11 6	224400	...	62899 11 6	2000	...	65013 7 5	222400	...	0 0 0	2113 11
Hury Dass Dutt ...	.....	351100	...	918 15 4	0 0 0	0	...	2348 4 6	351100	...	3267 3 10	351100	...	1756 2 3	0	...	1511 1 7	0 0
I																		
Indra Chunder Sing, Coomar ———, legacy account of Srijut Mukoondo Chatturvadi ...	.....	0	...	13686 3 2	0 0 0	4000	...	98283 15 1	4000	...	111970 2 3	0	...	93940 1 9	4000	...	18030 0 6	0 0
———, legacy account of Sreemutty Medhoy Dassi ...	.....	0	...	3 14 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3 14 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3 14 8	0 0
	.....	300	...	109 10 4	0 0 0	0	...	5 4 0	300	...	114 14 4	0	...	0 3 10	300	...	114 10 6	0 0

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loo Nath Mitter, life interest account of Sreenutty Kaminee Dassee and ier children ...	22 Feb. 76	800	...	59	2	1	0	0	0	0	...	14	0	0	800	...	73	2	1	0	...	0	12	7	800	...	72	5	6	0	0	0
ggomoney Dassee, Sreenutty,—account for the six annuitants ...	6 Sept. 88	19200	...	224	7	9	0	0	0	0	...	336	0	0	19200	...	560	7	9	0	...	292	14	11	19200	...	267	8	10	0	0	0
———————, account f debbuttar property ...	Ditto ...	44400	...	55	10	7	0	0	0	0	...	796	9	3	44400	...	852	3	10	0	...	796	9	3	44400	...	55	10	7	0	0	0
———————, account f sundry legatees ...	Ditto ...	200	...	71	11	6	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	75	3	6	0	...	0	3	1	200	...	75	0	5	0	0	0
K																																	
dar Nursingh Rana Bahadur, General ...	2 Sept 92	36000	...	76	6	9	0	0	0	0	...	630	0	0	36000	...	706	6	9	0	...	622	13	1	36000	...	83	9	8	0	0	0
ilka Mukhadara Ozmal, Nawab Padshah Mahul																																	
Shaheba Khasmahal ...	22 Jan. 95	11700	...	44	6	0	0	0	0	340	...	11445	0	2	15100	...	11489	6	2	11700	...	11199	0	6	3400	...	290	5	8	0	0	0
isto Beharinee Dassee, Sreemutty ...	15 July 78	0	...	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	12	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	12	0	0	0	0	0
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l Chand Mitter, account of llowances of the three surviving widows ...	15 Dec. 74	13200	...	125	2	2	0	0	0	0	...	4490	13	4	13200	...	4615	15	6	4400	...	4564	2	3	8800	...	54	13	3	0	0	0
———————, account or the worship of the amily idols ...	Ditto ...	3700	...	121	15	10	0	0	0	0	...	64	12	0	3700	...	186	11	10	0	...	61	15	1	3700	...	124	12	9	0	0	0
M																																	
amoojee Dawjee ...	.....	1300	...	61	12	11	0	0	0	0	...	22	12	0	1300	...	84	8	11	0	...	0	15	1	1300	...	83	9	10	0	0	0
irza Ahmed Beg ...	15 July 84	1500	..	0	0	0	283	1	6	0	...	184	4	0	1500	...	98	13	6	0	...	215	11	11	1500	...	0	0	0	314	9	5
———————, share account of Kaniz Kulsuna, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	9	4	5	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	9	4	5	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	9	4	5	0	0	0

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M																			
Mirza Ahmed Begg, share account of Kaniz Salima, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	15 Sept. 84	0	...	4 3 0	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 3 0	0	...	4 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——————, share account of Kaniz Maryan Khatoon, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	9 4 5	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	9 4 5	0	...	9 4 5	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Mirza Manwarally Begg ...	28 Feb. 84	4700	...	156 1 9	0 0 0		0	...	70 0 0	4700	...	226 1 9	4700	...	226 1 9	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Monohur Chander Roy ...	2 July 88	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0		0	...	2 1 7	0	...	2 1 7	0	...	0 0 6	0	...	2 1 1	0 0 0
——————, annuity account of Sreemutty Kumud Coomaree Dassee, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	6400	...	1 7 1	0 0 0		0	...	96 0 0	6400	...	97 7 1	0	...	5 6 1	6400	...	92 1 0	0 0 0
——————, annuity account of Sreemutty Kustooramunjoory Dassee, widow of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	63600	...	941 9 6	0 0 0		0	...	1075 8 0	63600	...	2017 1 6	0	...	960 4 5	63600	...	1056 13 1	0 0 0
——————, annuity account of Sreemutty Feroza Soondery Dassee, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	6400	...	89 6 4	0 0 0		0	...	96 0 0	6400	...	185 6 4	0	...	5 6 1	6400	...	180 0 3	0 0 0

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R																		
Radha Benode Ghosh, residue account ...	22 Jan. 86	15100	...	425 7 8	0 0 0	200	...	264 4 0	15300	...	689 11 8	0	...	569 6 6	15300	...	120 5 2	0 0 0
Radha Madhub Banerjee, account of rents of Baraset property ...	7 Feb. 73	0	...	759 10 0	0 0 0	0	...	1350 0 0	0	...	2109 10 0	0	...	1421 11 8	0	...	687 14 4	0 0 0
Radha Madhub Gui ...	.....	600	...	1653 1 2	0 0 0	900	...	10 8 0	1500	...	1663 9 2	0	...	1847 10 1	1500	...	0 0 0	184 0 11
Radha Kissen and Sree Kissen ...	7 Feb. 86	100	...	20 2 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	100	...	20 2 8	100	...	20 2 8	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Radha Kissen and Sree Kissen, annuity account of Mussammut Shoocoomaree Bibee ...	Ditto ...	91000	...	542 9 4	0 0 0	0	...	1592 8 0	91000	...	2135 1 4	0	...	2089 3 11	91000	...	45 13 5	0 0 0
Raj Kissen Mitter ...	22 Dec. 83	4800	...	102 10 6	0 0 0	0	...	84 0 0	4800	...	186 10 6	0	...	64 4 1	4800	...	122 6 5	0 0 0
Raj Rajessury Dassee ...	Taken charge 28 July 57	100	...	11 7 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	100	...	11 7 4	100	...	11 7 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Rajubally, Maulvi ...	12 Apr. 83	0	...	12 10 3	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	12 10 3	0	...	12 10 3	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Ramkally Mukerjee, life-interest account of Sreemutty Kaminee Dabee, sister of the deceased ...	1 Apr. 90	500	...	24 12 6	0 0 0	0	...	495 14 1	500	...	520 10 7	500	...	520 10 7	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, life-interest account of Sreemutty Shoshee Bala Dabee, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	2000	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	35 0 0	2000	...	35 0 0	0	...	35 0 0	2000	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Rungunmoney Dassee, Sreemutty, account of residuary estate ..	8 May 79	104300	...	780 2 0	0 0 0	0	...	1825 4 0	104300	...	2605 6 0	0	...	2146 2 7	104300	...	459 3 5	0 0 0
———, account of the funds for building temple in terms of order dated 6th May 1804 ...	Ditto ...	13900	...	0 0 0	8 7 5	0	...	923 9 10	13900	...	915 2 5	700	...	696 1 4	13200	...	219 1 1	0 0 0

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D.

DIVIDEND ACCOUNT (NEW)

For the half-year ending 31st December 1907.

Name.	Amount. Rs.	A.	P.
A			
Alston, Lieut. R. E.	30	2	0
B			
Baker, James	4	12	9
Bridge, Mrs. A.	18	0	0
Blake, W. T.	21	15	0
C			
Curnow, J. M.	73	2	0
Cowie, F. S.	1	13	0
Clark, C. C.	2	5	2
Crow, J. A.	85	9	0
Cooper, Major H. A.	28	6	9
D			
Doucett, G. M.	12	0	0
Dias, J. F.	8	0	0
Davies, Captain C. H.	0	2	7
Debendra Nath Sen	1792	5	3
G			
Goutiere, A. F.	755	6	5
H			
Heysham, W.	16	0	0
Hockaday, Mrs. C. M. A.	21	4	0
J			
Jones, Lieut.-Col. G. G. J. S.	3	1	4
John, Conductor D. W.	8	15	4
Jephson, Captain R. D.	12	8	0
K			
Kitchen, Captain S. D. B.	10	11	7
Khettermoney Dutt Mrs.	0	6	6
L			
Lane, G. D. M. Moore	2	13	4
Lucas, J. S.	105	6	10
Lytle, A.	75	12	7
Low, J. R.	2195	4	11
M			
Miles, F. H.	6	1	0
Muller, H. E.	96	0	0
Meyers, H. E. B.	2	5	8
Magner, M. L.	1	0	0
McLeod, Lieut. E. O.	15	8	11
N			
Nundo Lall Mullick	294	3	5
North, Condr. James	96	12	9
P			
Parsick, H. J.	94	1	0
R			
Roberts, William	5	4	11
S			
Stainforth, Lieut. P. T.	13	0	0
Skinner, Alexander	2497	6	7
Smith, Major J. H.	391	7	3

Name.	Amount.
	Rs. A. P.
Thomson, H. ...	34 0 9
Turnbull, Vety. Captain H. P.	12 4 1
Tyler, Condr. J. W. ...	123 6 9
W	
White, Captain J. G. ...	46 13 8
Whyte, 2nd Lieut. M. F.	27 0 3
Wynch, C. W. ...	1 11 6
Wilkinson, Captain R. L. C.	10 0 4
Total ...	9054 13 1

DIVIDEND ACCOUNT (OLD)

For the half-year ending 31st December 1907.

		Rs.	Rs. A P.
Credit balance ...	... ...	196900	61946 10 1
Debit balance ...	... ...	.....	0 8 7
	Total ...	196900	61946 2 8

E. E.

HENRY T. HYDE.

Administrator-General of Bengal

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 11th July 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 11th July 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 13th July 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs
Rice and paddy	218	38,750	419	416	1,07,615	964
Jute	33	9,750*	154	42	11,950†	148
Firewood	19	9,575	148	35	32,375	489
Other articles	440	1,63,513	1,542	719	2,18,561	2,376
Total	710	2,21,588	2,263	1,212	3,70,501	3,977

* Weight by canal measurement, 13,475 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 11,950 do.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th July 1908.

AMARNATH DASS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 13th July 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	14·36	7	7	Rainfall at Kalna 3·77, Katwa 1·81, and Raniganj 5·03 inches. Some damage done to jute by heavy rain in thanas Jamalpur and Raina. Condition of sugarcane good. Sowing of *aman* paddy still going on. Water and fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease.
2	BIRBHUM ...	7·97	7	7	Rainfall at Rampurhât 9·93 inches. Weather seasonable. Ploughing of fields and sowing of paddy continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	2·63	6½	6½	Rainfall at Vishnupur 5·72 inches. Weather seasonable. Cultivation in progress. Standing crops doing well. Recipients of gratuitous relief—312 men, 895 women and 317 children—total 1,524. People attending test-works on the 10th—3 men and 4 women—total 7. People getting sufficient works in the field. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 5 to 6½ seers a rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	5·64	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 1·73, Tamluk 8·33 and Ghatal 5·91 inches. Transplantation begun. Sowings finished except in Contai. Sowing of *hadi til* nearly finished. No cattle-disease. Scarcity reported from Pataspur and Ramnagar thanas. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Contai, 6 seers at Tamluk, and at 7 seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	9·67	6½	7	Rainfall at Serampore 11·56 and Arambagh 5·24 inches. Weather cloudy. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute *aus* and sugarcane fair. Weeding of jute and *aus* paddy going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	7·86	6½	6½	Weather unsettled. Resowing operations going on in fields from which the water has been drained off. Agricultural stock in a fairly good condition. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	8·23	7¾	7¾	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 6¾ seers at Basirhat, 7⅜ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 7 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	5·03	6½	6¾	Rainfall at Ranaghat 3·70, Chuadanga 8·00, Meherpur 14·36 and Kushtia 8·40 inches. Prospects of *aus* paddy, jute and sugarcane good. *Aus* paddy damaged by excessive rain in Meherpur subdivision and jute on low lands. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. Prices of staple food-grains slightly fallen. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity apprehended. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder barely sufficient. Persons attending test-work on 5th—2,450 men and 98 women—total 2,548. Casual relief being distributed.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD.	8·42	7	7	Rainfall at Kandi 7·39, Lalbag 10·67 and Jangipur 3·05 inches. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of standing crops good. Lands being cultivated for *aman* paddy. Transplantation of *aman* paddy going on in Kandi, where high floods affected the crop to some extent. Stocks of food-grains apparently not sufficient till next harvest. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Agricultural stock in fairly good condition.
10	JESSORE ...	8·86	7	7⅛	Rainfall at Jhenidah 7·61, Magura 7·05, Narail 16·74 and Bangaon 3·60 inches. Weather rainy. Fall generally sufficient. Damage done to *aus*, and *aman* paddy and to jute in the Sadar, Jhenidah, Magura and Narail subdivisions by the recent rain. Stocks of food-grains getting exhausted. Burma rice being imported. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease. High prices continuing. 221 persons employed on District Board test-works and 2,809 persons given gratuitous relief.
11	KHULNA ...	8·24	8½	8½	Rainfall at Bagerhat 14·04 and at Satkhira 8·49 inches. Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine at present. *Aus* paddy and jute affected to some extent by the heavy rainfall of the week. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
2	PATNA ...	2·18	7¼	7¼	Weather hot and cloudy. Rain urgently wanted for sowing *bhadoi* paddy. Sugarcane doing well. Prices almost stationary. Food-stocks likely to be sufficient if not largely exported. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. *Makai* not available.
3	GAYA ...	0·44	8* 8½†	8* 8½†	Weather cloudy with showers; and hot after. Rainfall almost general, but scanty at the Sadar subdivision. Sugarcane promising well. Transplantation of *marua* almost finished. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops and paddy seedlings continuing. Prices stationary. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Cattle-pox reported from one village in the Aurangabad subdivision.
1	SHAHABAD ...	0·24	8 10†	8 10†	Rainfall at Buxar 6·22, Bhabua 2·00, Sasaram 2·59 and Dehri 0·85 inches. Sugarcane doing well. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops in progress, but more rain urgently wanted for paddy seedlings, especially in the south of the district. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal but sufficient if not exported. Agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
15	SARAN ...	2·53	$7\frac{3}{4}$ 10*	8 $10\frac{1}{2}$*	Rainfall at Siwan 0·51 and at Gopalganj 4·33 inches. Weather hot. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops nearly finished. *Marua* being transplanted. Rain wanted for paddy and *bhadoi* crops. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Food-stock resources external. No apprehension of scarcity. Agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	1·25	8 11*	8 11*	Rainfall at Bettiah 4·54 inches. Weather hot and cloudy. More rain wanted. Weeding of maize and ploughing and sowing of rice going on. State of jute fair. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	2·23	$8\frac{1}{2}$ $10\frac{1}{4}$*	$8\frac{1}{2}$ $10\frac{1}{4}$*	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Hajipur 3·29 and at Sitamarhi 3·08 inches. Prospects of standing crops generally good. Common rice and maize selling at $7\frac{3}{4}$ and $9\frac{3}{4}$ seers per rupee respectively at Hajipur, and at 8 and 11 seers a rupee respectively at Sitamarhi. Sowings of *bhadoi* crops and transplantation of paddy and *marua* going on. Agricultural stock in good condition. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Scarcity not apprehended.
18	DARBHANGA ...	2·85	$8\frac{1}{4}$ $11\frac{1}{2}$*	$8\frac{1}{4}$ $11\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather hot and at times cloudy. Some rain during the week, but not everywhere. More rain urgently needed. *Bhadoi* and paddy crops being sown. No apprehension of scarcity. Stocks sufficient. Fodder and water available. Cattle-disease reported in five villages in Benipati thana.
19	MONGHYR ...	1·09	7 9*	$7\frac{1}{2}$ $9\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *bhadoi* in progress. More rain wanted. Fodder and water sufficient. Rinder-pest in two village of Tegra thana.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·40	$8\frac{3}{16}$ $12\frac{2}{8}$*	$8\frac{3}{16}$ $12\frac{2}{8}$*	Weather hot; at times cloudy. Standing crops benefited by the recent rain. More rain wanted. Transplantation of paddy undertaken at places. Prospects still favourable. Cattle-disease reported from two villages in Supaul subdivision.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
21	PURNEA ...	Inches. ·0·50	8	8	Weather hot and sometimes cloudy. Standing crops suffering for want of moisture. Paddy seedlings dying in many places. Transplantation retarded for want of rain. Condition of agricultural stock good. No apprehension of scarcity yet. Growth of jute becoming stunted on account of drought. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from one village in Kadwa thana. Common rice selling at 8½ seers per rupee at Araria and at 9 seers at Kishanganj.
22	DARJEELING ...	5·18	7 10*	7 10*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize growing and being harvested. Potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy being sown. Winter rice and *bara marua* being transplanted. Terai—Cultivation of winter rice going on. Standing crops fairly well. Agricultural stock in good condition.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	9·22	6⅔ 9½*	6¼ 9*	Rainfall at Deoghur 7·19, Godda 5·63, Jamtara 4·77, Pakour 3·63 and Rajmahal 1·97 inches. Ploughing and sowing going on. Transplantation commenced in places. Cultivation of jute continuing. Prospects of crops favourable but more rain wanted in Rajmahal. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity, although the poorer cultivators feeling the effect of the general high prices. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	CUTTACK ...	1·57	7½	7½	Rainfall at Jajpur 0·96, Kendrapara 1·30, Banki 1·39 and False Point 2·62 inches. *Beali* paddy and jute being weeded and growing well. *Sarad'a* paddy growing and *mandia* being transplanted. *Arhar*, early cotton, turmeric and sugarcane growing. Fodder and water sufficient. 705 men, 1,704 women, 3,788 children—total 6,197—given gratuitous relief. 255 men, 475 women, 678 children—total 1,408—on test-works.
5	BALASORE ...	0·83	7	7½	Rainfall at Bhadrak 3·19 inches. Weather seasonable. Sowing, puddling and transplanting of *sarad'h* paddy continuing. Sugarcane and *ashu* plants thriving. Weeding of jute continuing. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some places of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal and Basta thanas. 106 men, 448 women and 464 children—total 1,018—at Sadar. 318 men, 1,858 women and 2,802 children—total 4,978—at Bhadrak, receiving gratuitous relief. 242 men, 234 women and 298 children—total 774—attending test-works at Bhadrak.
	ANGUL ...	2·47	6	6	Rainfall at Phulbani 0·64 inch. Sowing in progress. Transplanting commenced. On account of heavy rain plants in some parts washed away. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common and cheapest rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee in Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief in Angul—80 men, 214 women and 499 children—total 793—and 94 men, 154 women and 79 children—total 327—in Khondmals. Persons attending test-works—82 men, 113 women and 26 children—total 221—in Angul and 152 men, 130 women and 59 children—total 332—in Khondmals.

*The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
		3	4	5	
		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	0·75	7	7	Sowings in progress. Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices of common rice stationary. Number of persons attending test-works—men 449, women 222 and children 726—total 1,397. Number of persons receiving gratuitous relief—men 334, women 1,015 and children 1,095—total 2,444. 77 men and 1 child—attending piece-works.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	8·72	8½	8½	Winter and autumn paddy being sown. Reploughing of autumn rice commenced. Fields being prepared for transplantation. Conditionof standing sugarcane good. Food-grains, fodder and water supply sufficient. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Rinderpest in places. Common rice selling at 9½ seers a rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	6·39	7½† / 7½*	7½† / 8*	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops nearly finished and that of paddy continuing. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease in one thana. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 709, women 1,930 and children 1,052—total 3,691. Relieved on District Board works—men 108, women 115 and children 145—total 368. Persons doing piece-works—124.
30	RANCHI ...	6·58	8†	8†	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 5 seers per rupee at Gumla. Persons on test-works—men 1,304, women 1,769 and children 1,147—total 4,220. Persons on relief works—men 1,727, women 2,519 and children 1,405—total 5,651. Persons gratuitously relieved in the undeclared area—men 223, women 715 and children 901—total 1,839. Persons gratuitously relieved in the declared area—men 242, women 726 and children 127—total 1,095.
31	PALAMAU ...	3·31	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Sowing of paddy and *bhadoi* crops commenced. More rain generally wanted to fill *ahars*. Sugarcane doing well. Local grain-stocks insufficient. Agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water generally available. Some cattle-disease. Gratuitous relief will be given for a short time.
32	MANBHUM ...	2·36	7	7½	Rainfall at Gobindpur 8·97 inches. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of winter rice commenced. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Gobindpur. Stocks of food-grains adequate at present. No sign of scarcity. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	0·86	6	6	Weather cloudy. Transplantation of paddy seedling commenced. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and at 7½ seers at Seraikella.

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† Aus rice.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
34	Cooch Behar	1·76	8 8/9	8 8/9	Weather cloudy. Transplantation of *haimantik* paddy continuing. Prospects and condition of standing crops fair. No apprehension of famine or scarcity.
35	Feudatory States, Orissa.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

	Inches.
Gangpur	2·55
Patna	1·53
Kalahandi	2·01
Nilgiri	0·68
Rairakhol	8·86
Boad	2·87
Nayagarh	1·64
Talcher	5·57
Dhenkanal	3·97
Pal Lahera... ...	1·30
Daspalla	2·97
Narsingpur ...	8·00
Ranpur	1·25
Bamra	3·23
Keonjhar	1·65
Mourbhanj	0 4/5
Athgarh	2·03
Athmallik	1·31
Khandpara... ...	good rain.

Sowing of paddy in progress in all States. Condition of sugarcane good in Patna, Boad, Nayagarh, Talcher, Narsingpur, Ranpur, Athgarh and Athmallik. Cotton planting continuing in Patna and Talcher. Agricultural stock, fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 6 seers in Athmallik, Athgarh and Rairakhol, and 6½ seers in Mourbhanj and Dhenkanal, to 9 seers in Kalahandi, and Ranpur, and 11 seers in Patna and Talcher.

* The report is for the week ending the 4th July 1908.

General Summary.—The rainfall was heavy in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions and also in jeeling, the Sonthal Parganas, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Manbhum. In Bihar and Orissa fall was light. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops and weeding of jute continue. Transplantation of paddy commenced. Some damage has been done to standing crops by the recent heavy rain in Burdwan, ia, Jessore, Khulna and Angul. More rain is needed in Bihar. In Purnea paddy seedlings and jute suffering from want of rain. Sugarcane is doing well all over the Province. The price of common rice ationary in most districts; it has risen in Hooghly, Jessore, Saran, Monghyr, Cuttack, Balasore and bhum, and has fallen in Nadia, Patna and the Sonthal Parganas. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. Scarcity is apprehended in the Pataspur and Ramnagar as of the Midnapore district. The fodder and water-supply is reported to be sufficient. Cattle-disease evalent in Gaya, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi, Palamau Manbhum. Test-works in Bankura, Nadia, Jessore, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and chi were attended by 17,349 persons and gratuitous relief was given to 26,715 persons, of whom 15,757 in Orissa.

Department of Agriculture, Bengal,
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TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
South-West Bengal.	Presidency.	Burdwan.	Burdwan	Kaina ...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·51	...	...	...	0·16	0·41	0·25	...	...	...	0·71	0·35	0·53	4·82
				Burdwan ...	...	...	...	0·32	...	0·01	0·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·02	0·08	7·45
				Katwa ...	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·26	...	...	0·04	0·07	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·68	1·80
				Raniganj ...	0·60	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	1·25	1·80
				Mankur ...	...	...	...	0 80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·00	2·50
			Birbhum ...	Suri ...	0·11	...	...	0·07	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·02	0·43	0·44	3·86
				Hetampur ...	0·10	...	...	0·25	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·35	...	0·26	0·24	0·56	5·42
				Rampur Hat ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	...	0·30	0·42	1·24
				Bolpur ...	0·43	0·25	...	...	...	0·18	0·10	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·40	3·50
				Murari ...	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	...	...	0·80	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·42	2·12
				Labpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·38	...	...	0·22	0·16	2·34
			Bankura ...	Bankura ...	...	0·01	...	0·22	...	...	0·39	...	...	0·73	...	...	...	...	0·48	...	...	4·63	3·33
				Vishnupur ...	...	0 35	...	0·44	...	...	0·23	...	...	1·10	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	0·04	4·05	3·30
				Maliara ...	0·10	0·15	...	...	...	0·06	0·08	...	...	0·80	...	...	0·10	0·14	...	...	...	1·09	2·07
				Khatra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	1·28	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	3·57	3·78
				Indas ...	...	0·50	0·50	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	1·80	2·58
				Kotalpur ...	...	1·03	...	0·41	...	...	1·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·01	...	...	4·75	2·49
				Onda ...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	1·45	...	...	3·81	2·24
				Gangajalghati ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	0·85	...	...	0·69	0·27	...	0·07	1·55	1·51
				Raipur ...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	0·33	0·37	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	3·71	2·34
				Sonamukhi ...	0·20	...	...	0·46	...	...	0·28	...	...	0 05	...	...	0·44	1·48	...	0·11	1·76	2·32
			Midnapore ...	Pachet ...	...	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·86	2·53	0·48
				Contai ...	...	...	...	1 08	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	0·..4	1·84	0·69
				Tamluk ...	...	...	...	0 30	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·87	0·43	5·08	2·84
				Midnapore ..	...	0·46	...	0·08	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·05	0·06	...	...	...	0·11	0·13	3·75	1·25
				Ghatal ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·80	6·92	4·05
				Kukrahaty ...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	1·42	5·37	2·58
				Amlagura ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	6·43	2·72
				Panskura ...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·22	0·62	5·62	4·50
				Dantan ..	...	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	5·75	2·75
				Chandrakona ...	...	0·08	...	0·18	...	...	0·36	...	...	0·11	...	...	0·78	...	0·05	0·58	7·50	5·05
				Bhagwanpur...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	4·65	0·85
			Hooghly ..	Serampore ...	...	...	...	0·38	...	...	0·10	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·68	7·79	6·52
				Hooghly .	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	0·77	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·80	2·20	4·35
				Arambagh (Jahanabad).	...	0·03	...	0·18	...	...	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	0·04	4·66	3·97
			Howrah ..	Howrah ...	8.	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·39	...	0·32	11·00	5·71
				Mohesreka ...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	0·22	...	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	4·22	0·56	11·20	4·65
				Uluberia ..	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	0·07	...	1·84	...	...	...	...	...	2·00	0·77	5·80	4·37
				Amta ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·73	1·41	10·37	3·80
		24-Parganas .	Sangor Island	...	...	...	0·22	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	2·20	0·78	2·14	0·54
			Diamond Harbour.	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·13	1·40	7·88	2·10
			Budge-Budge	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·21	1·07	11·76	4·19
			Canning Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	0 43	5·04	3·38
			Alipore (Obsv.)	...	...	...	0·22	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	1·65	11·95	6·15
			Barrackpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	...	6·03	6·72
			Dum-Dum ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·45	11·05	5·45
			Barasat ...	...	...	...	0·38	...	...	1·00	...	0·22	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·10	6·30	5·30
			Basirhat ...	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·02	1·03	...	0·71	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	0·82	0 48	6·05	4·10
		Nadia ...	Ranaghat ...	...	1·16	...	..	...	0·38	0·04	...	0·16	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·01	0·13	0·17	7·00
			Krishnagar ..	..	0·10	...	0·06	...	0 76	...	...	0·41	0··3	...	0·62	...	...	...	0·46	0·26	0·16	3·50
			Chuadanga ...	0·13	0·02	...	0·74	...	1·55	...	...	1·50	0·01	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·48	0·03	0·10	2·15
			Meherpur ...	...	...	...	0 82	...	1·46	...	...	0·66	0·25	0·60	...	...	0·07	...	0·10	...	0·11	2·05
			Kushtia .	...	...	...	0·73	...	1·39	...	...	0·35	1·29	0·77	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·03	0·12	1·10
		Murshidabad	Kandi ...	0·35	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	..	0·35	0·26	0·34	0·12	...	0·00	...	...	0·23	0·72	0·61
			Berhampore,..	0·01	...		0 30	...	0·25	...	...	0·21	0·04	...	...	...	0·40	...	0·06	...	0·62	0·56
			Lalbagh ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	0·51	...	...	0·03	0·08	1·04
			Azimganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	0 60	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	0·35	0·48	0·35
			Jangipur ...	...	...	0·17	...	1·03	0·57	...	...	1·07	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·91	0·23	0·62
			Lalgola ...	...	...	...	...	...	1·69	...	...	0·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Akriganj ...	...	...	...	0·56	1·11	1·37	...	...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·51	0·52
			Patkabari																			
			Dumkal ...	...	...	...	1·36	...	2 20	...	...	...	1·08	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·50	1·00
			Kullyanganj	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·90
		Jessore ...	Narail ...	0 85	0·23	...	1·14	...	1·75	...	...	0·12	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·02	0·48	2·73
			Jessore .	0·87	0·06	...	1·11	...	1·62	...	...	0·02	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·34	0·31	2·42
			Jhenida .	0·15	0·12	...	1·35	...	2·18	...	...	0·14	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	0 08	0·03	0·35	4·48
			Magura .	0·09		...		...	1 39	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	0·97	...	...	0·15	0·80	0·41	1·09
			Bangaon .	1·42	0·76	...	0·16	...	0·35	0·10	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·12	0·50	3·54
		Khulna	Satkhira .	0·85	...	...	0·22	...	0·28	0·08	...	0·06	1·30	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	1·08	0·75	2·85
			Bagerhat .	0·49	...	...	0·37	...	0·27	...	1·32	0·03	2·28	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	0·04	0·22	1·64
			Khulna ...	0·47	...	...	0·42	...	1·32	...	...	0·45	0·92	...	...	...	...	...	2·96	0·57	0·96	2·35
			Kaliganj ...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·55	...	2·57	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	0·49	2·78	0·05
			Nakipur ...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	1·09	...	1·05	0·53	...	...	...	0·06	0·30	0·80	0·70	1·27	1·18
			Dumuria ...	...	...	...	...	...	2·11	...	...	0·25	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·28	...	0·25	2·15
			Rampal .	...	...	1·40	...	1·09	0·45	...	...	1·40	...	...	...	...	...	0·77	0·02	0·57	1·15	1·07
			Kalarua ...	0·93	0·82	..	0·60	...	0·40	0·70	...	0·25	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	1·05	0·22	4·06
			Paikgachha ..	0·30	...	...	1·10	...	0·50	...	...	0·24	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·30	1·40	1·00
			Mollahat	0·9,	...	1·10	...	...	2·15	...	...	...	1·86	...	...	...	...	...	0·69	0·04	0·42	2·20
			Morsiganj ...	...	...	..	0·22	...	2·14	0·22	...	...	1·04	...	...	...	...	...	0·42	0·14	0·72	1·16
			Tala ...	0·25	...	...	0·28	...	0·37	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·50	0·30	2·81
Bihar.	Patna.	Patna ..	Patna .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·78	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...
			Dinapore .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25
			Bihar .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·66	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	0·53
			Barh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...
			Bikram ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·11	...
			Hilsa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...
			Islampur ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Asthawan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·55	0·36	0·16
		Gaya ...	Aurangabad..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·74	1·23
			Gaya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·61	...
			Nawadah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·16
			Jahanabad ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·71	0·12
			Arwal ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·13
			Daudnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·37	3·00
			Sherghati ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·90
			Rajauli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·15
			Pakri Barawal.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	0·70
			Deo ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·83	2·55
			Nowagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

TIONS IN BENGAL IN JUNE 1908.

22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 30th June 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 30th June.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
1·27	0·20	0·20	0·21	0·35	...	...	...	0·41	16	11·13	13·45	0·98	5·18	21·80	13·02	Kalna	Burdwan ...		
3·33	0·25	0·12	0·29	0·10	0·15	0·05	...	...	13	12·71	18·33	10·17	7·15	22·32	13·44	Burdwan			
2·62	0·12	0·20	0·36	0·39	1·57	...	...	...	13	11·70	16·29	9·91	4·01	18·92	12·81	Katwa.			
1·92	1·87	0·20	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	11	12·21	11·17	9·03	1·92	13·17	12·42	Raniganj			
3·00	0·10	0·09	...	..	...	...	...	...	7	11·73	15·25	10·70	5·00	21·67	13·86	Mankur.			
2·61	0·20	0·11	0·41	0·11	...	..	..	...	14	12·12	16·19	11·35	5·58	17·68	13·21	Suri	Birbhum ...		
1·08	0·52	0·12	0·80	0·16	,,	0·12	0·04	...	16	12·08	15·13	10·08	5·12	17·05	13·08	Hetampur			
3·30	0·34	0·40	0·80	0·10	...	...	...	...	12	12·07	16·92	10·62	3·73	13·38	12·96	Rampur Hat.			
1·30	0·06	...	0·31	...	0·75	0·02	...	0·71	14	11·45	17·38	10·30	3·50	19·13	13·58	Bolpur.			
1·85	0·12	0·32	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	11	12·02	11·35	11·40	2·12	12·09	11·17	Murari			
1·35	0·15	...	0·21	...	0·15	..	...	...	11	12·74	14·65	11·41	4·40	16·60	13·45	Labpur.			
2·31	1·70	0·21	0·35	0·15	0·02	...	...	...	13	11·80	16·61	10·29	4·63	18·15	12·62	Bankura ...	Bankura ...		
1·05	0·55	0·17	0·48	0·02	0·03	...	...	0·03	14	12·21	17·51	11·17	4·02	19·57	14·18	Vishnupur.			
1·57	1·85	0·16	0·40	0·17	0·21	...	0·02		15	12·19	11·86	10·19	2·37	15·71	12·37	Mahara			
1·78	0·73	0·20	0·07	0·05	0·11	...	...	0·02	10	12·71	13·09	12·37	3·78	14·43	15·00	Khatra.			
2·27	0·48	0·21	...	..	...	...	...	...	11	12·59	11·91	10·45	2·53	11·65	11·01	Indas.			
1·13	0·55	0·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10·88	16·58	10·75	4·77	21·27	13·22	Kotalpur.			
2·35	0·41	0·52	0·73	...	...	0·07	0·01	0·15	12	11·19	13·05	9·80	3·81	14·93	11·09	Onda.			
2·05	1·19	0·10	0·39	..	...	...	...	..	12	10·63	10·32	11·05	2·05	12·45	11·94	Gangajalghati			
1·50	1·56	0·17	0·37	...	0·21	0·04	...	...	11	11·07	12·02	11·41	3·71	15·59	15·25	Raipur.			
0·5	1·42	...	0·10	0·05	0·03	...	...	...	13	10·81	14·89	10·54	3·05	21·05	14·21	Sonamukhi.			
2·28	2·15	0·15	0·14	..	0·01	...	...		11		8·30		2·53	10·39		Pachet ..	Midnapore ..		
1·78	1·92	0·51	0·21	0·31	0·08	...	0·35	0·48	13	10·77	9·37	9·78	1·92	13·41	12·79	Contai.			
2·16	1·08	0·12	0·53	0·03	0·02	0·26	0·05	0·16	14	11·17	14·96	9·76	3·98	18·21	12·51	Tamluk			
2·54	0·16	0·10	...	...	...	0·71	...	0·05	11	12·30	9·25	10·49	2·75	12·03	12·95	Mominpore			
2·05	0·27	0·03	0·08	0·49	0·14	0·04	...	...	10	11·88	11·22	10·04	0·92	21·31	12·85	Ghatal.			
2·18	0·23	0·18	0·48	0·32	...	...	0·07	0·05	12	12·15	13·22	10·12	5·07	15·10	13·80	Kukrahaty.			
2·85	0·42	0·10	0·08	..	...	...	...	...	9		11·55	9·95	6·43	17·10		Amlesura.			
2·19	0·21	0·06	0·02	...	0·32	0·07	0·09	0·03	10	13·50	13·98	10·19	5·02	17·26	13·84	Panskura			
2·32	0·30	0·15	...	..	...	...	..	...	12	11·21	12·28	9·82	5·75	13·68	12·55	Dantan.			
1·1	0·23	0·07	0·14	...	0·11	...	..		13		18·30		7·30	21·57		Chandrakona.			
1·1	1·23	0·10	0·18	0·35	...	...	...	0·31	12		9·41		4·05	12·60		Bhagwanpur.			
15	0·22	0·17	0·01	0·15	0·10	0·17	...	0·30	15	12·13	21·58	9·06	7·79	2·7·39	12·87	Serampore ...	Hooghly ...		
17	0·34	0·18	0·10	...	0·16	0·33	...	0·04	15	12·18	13·75	10·52	4·55	16·10	14·04	Hooghly.			
58	0·05	0·05	0·09	0·16	...	...	...	0·13	10	12·13	15·97	10·51	4·66	18·26	15·21	*Arambagh* (Jahanmad..			
..	0·71	0·01	..	0·8	...	0·04	...	1·51	9	12·05	23·84	11·39	11·69	27·41	13·99	Howrah ..	Howrah ...		
33	0·37	0·1	0·51	0·3	...	0·2	0·12	0·7	15	12·31	25·56	10·12	11·20	2··84	13·68	Mohesrekha.			
02	0·55	0·08	0·3	0·24	0·14	0·12	...	0·20	15	11·53	19·82	11·29	5·80	25·05	14·53	Uluberia			
05	0·08	0·3	0·73	0·41	0·08	..	...	0·25	10		24·20		10·07	28·03		*Amta*.			
41	3·27	0·38	0·34	0·05	0·11	...	0·11	0·2	14	12·10	13·84	10·70	5·27	15·33	14·54	Saugor Island	24-Parganas ...		
15	0·30	0·44	0·42	0·29	0·03	...	...	1·06	13	11·07	18·03	10·34	7·88	21·39	15·18	Diamond Harbour			
37	0·04	0·19	0·84	0·19	0·11	0·01	...	1·03	14		20·16		11·76	29·01		*Budge-Budge*.			
10	0·29	0·06	0·11	0·11		0·51	0·8	0·11	12	13·53	13·50	11·72	5·04	16·19	15·14	Canning Town...			
01	1·03	0·19	0·07	0·04	0·01	0·1	...	2·05	10	12·88	25·12	11·04	11·05	28·90	15·90	Alipore (Obsy.			
21	0·23	0·04	..	..	0·15	0·42	0·41	...	11	12·10	21·88	10·59	6·25	26·85	14·11	Barrackpore			
	..	...	...	..	..	..	...	..	6	13·30	21·01	11·05	11·05	22·18	14·1	Dum-Dum.			
6	0·01	0·08	0·18	0·21	0·03	0·01	...	0·03	14	12·45	21·16	11·28	6·30	22·59	13·17	Barasat.			
03	0·43	...	0·48	...	0·47	0·21	0·13	0·55	16	13·13	25·37	11·60	6·05	27·07	14·98	Basirhat.			
2	0·33	0·11	0·10	0·16	0·30	...	...	0·10	16	12·10	17·41	9·73	7·01	19·14	15·18	Ranaghat ...	Nadia ...		
7	0·09	...	0·06	0·1	...	...	...	0·11	15	12·19	19·36	9·50	4·8	21·5	13·67	Krishnagar.			
8	0·02	0·01	0·01	0·19	0·5		...		13	12·35	25·04	9·55	9·55	27·21	1··71	Chuadanga.			
7	0·07	0·3	0·7	0·30	0·25	0·08	...		14	12·39	24·13	11··2	8·1	26··1	15·56	Meherpur			
3	0·39	0·02	0·48	0·3	...	0·25	0·14	...	16	13·08	14·31	10·83	3·71	15·41	1··20	Kushtia.			
3	0·41	0·23	0·62	0·68	0·02	..	..	0·03	17	12·69	15·67	10·34	4·80	17·18	12·88	Kandi ...	Murshidabad		
4	0·17	0·45	1·20	0·23	0·68	...	...	...	11	12·00	17·87	9·87	5·43	18·20	13·09	Berhampore			
5	0·26		0·31	0·55	0·23	...	...	..	10	11·50	14·03	9·11	4·03	17··0	12·55	Lalbagh.			
6	0·32	0·38	0·6..	...	0·12	...	...	..	13	11·52	12·50	9··0	3·75	1··6	12·81	Azimganj.			
9	0·31	0·23	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	13	11·78	1··19	9·57	1·87	11·82	12·51	Jangipur.			
9	0·47	..	0·21	0·07	...	...	...	...	8	11·84	11·05	10·03	3·45	12·85	13·02	Lalgola.			
5	0·35	0·02	0·50	0·03	0·37	...	..	...	13	12·04	14·24	11·03	3·16	15·30	15·70	Akrigunj.			
										11·14		1··3			13·72	Patkabari.			
3	0·23	0·24	0·10		..	...	...	...	12	12·16	10·53	1·80	5·7	17·55	13·05	Dankal.			
1	0·27	0·17	0·74	0·04	...	...	...	0·45	9		10·80		4·80	12·53		*Kaliyaganj*.			
3	0·44	...	0·05	0·89	0·81	0·07	0·04	0·20	17	13·80	17·45	11·22	3·76	19·03	14·00	Narail ..	Jessore ...		
3	0·64	0·13	0·47	0·43	0·58	0·07	...	...	16	14·55	15·05	13·17	4·36	17·82	17·14	Jessore.			
	..	0·04	0·48	0·59	0·22		...	...	15	14·07	21·48	11·98	5·61	26·28	15·04	Jhenida.			
1	0·15	0·65	0·76	0·40	0·26	0·31	0·05	0·01	14	13·61	14·88	11··0	3·70	18·19	16·05	Magura			
1	...	0·22	0·08	0·82	0·04	0·40	...	0·02	16	13·58	15·59	10·93	4·26	17·15	13·76	Bankata.			
	0·29	0·58	1·13	0·64	1·85	0·07	0·07	...	17	13·71	16·12	11·69	2·85	18·19	15·04	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...		
	0·41	0·23	0·5	1·14	0·41	0·03	...	...	16	13·00	11·45	11·17	2·28	12·41	12·26	Bazarua.			
	0·06	0·05	0·07	0·61	0·08	...	...	...	13	13·68	14·36	11·06	2·96	15·68	1··18	Khulna.			
	0·72	0·29	1·40	0·54		1·06	...	...	15		17·04		2·78	18·90		*Kaligunj*.			
	0·45	1·01	0·45		0·19	0·95	...	...	15	11·55	13·26	12·42	1·48	16·07	13·23	Nalgora			
	0·15	0·20	0·81	0·92		1·02	...	0·02	13		12·25		2·15	14·08		*Dumuria*.			
	0·41	0·28		...	0·61	...	0·11	0·28	14	13·20	16·66	12·19	1·49	1··50	13·99	Rampal			
	0·24	0·26	1·55	0·03	0·40	...		0·43	17		15·94		4·06	17·71		*Koyra*			
	0·51	0·16	0·45	0·58	0·15	..	...	...	16		9·71		1·40	12·06		*Paikgachha*.			
	0·01	0·19	0·25	0·92	1·01	..			16		14·08		2·20	16·24		*Mollahat*.			
	0·75	0·15	1·09	0·34	0·41	0·72	0·11	0·14	19		14·27		2·14	15·61		*Mongiganj*			
	0·19	0·04	0·26	0·81	1·53	0·07	0·38	0·22	15		9·77		2·81	15·03		Tala.			
	...	0·26	...	...		...	...	...	6	7·81	4·28	7·76	1·78	4·28	8·17	Patna ..	Patna ...		
	..	0·28	..	...	0·18	...	...	...	7	7·77	4·52	7·18	1·18	4·3	9·01	Dinapore			
	0·28	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	7	7·58	2·05	7·1	0·66	3·8	8·14	Phulwari.			
	1·27	0·66	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·06	5	7·55	2·91	6·11	1·27	3·87	7·51	Barh.			
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	8·05	3·11	8·79	1·11	3·41	10·11	Bikram.			
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·71	1·08	8·75	0·81	2·55	9·60	Hilsa.			
	10·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2		0·22		0·19	0·77		*Islampur*.			
	...	0·38	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	6		1·00		2·55	5·05		*Asthawan*.			
	...	0·01	...	...	..	0·13	...	...	4	7·53	2·05	6·35	1·23	3·03	7·23	Aurangabad ..	Gaya ...		
	0·59	..	0·07	0·58	...	...	...	...	5	8·32	3·25	7·8	0·96	3·01	7·65	Gaya.			
	0·51	0·30		0·05	...	...	...	...	7	7·57	4·71	6·...	1·04	4·55	8·02	Nawada.			
	0·05		0·13	...	...	...	...	...	6	6·81	2·05	6·52	0·61	2·01	7·11	Jahanabad.			
	...	0·15	0·11	...	...	...	...	0·06	6	7·47	2··8	7·81	1·37	2·38	6·80	Arwal.			
	...	...	0·14	0·25	...	...	...	...	6	7·07	2·58	6··5	0·99	2·50	6·35	Dandumasar.			
	0·49	0·01	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	6	7·47	2·16	6·11	1·37	4·16	7·05	Sherghati.			
	1·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	8·09	3·85	7·48	2··3	5·85	8·48	Rajauli.			
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6·13	2·50	6··3	1·20	2·80	6·38	Pakri Barawan.			
	...	...	0·20	0·03	...	...	...	...	6		3·79		2·55	3·72		*Deo*.			
	0·32	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	3		0·68		0·32	0·68		*Nabinagar*.			

SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.

Burdwan.

Presidency.

Patna.

BIHAR.

TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED A

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	Patna—*concluded.*	Shahabad ...	Buxar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·59	...	1·0
			Dehri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·08	0·0
			Bhabhua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	...
			Susaram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·9
			Arrah ..	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·97	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	...	0·5
			Mohanea ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...
			Agiaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·74	0·35	0·6
			Ramagar .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·20	0·01	0·2
			Koath .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·79	0·4
			Sikroul ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·0
			Bassowan	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	0·5
			Monaharpur..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·03	...	0·0
			Akberpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·04	0·7
		Saran ...	Gopalganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	0·45	1·5
			Siwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	0·27	0·6
			Ekma ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...
			Chapra																				
			Hathwa ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·20	0·0
			Amnor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·7
			Basantpur	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·7
			Darauli ..	...	...	...	...	...	.	0·12	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·35	0·65	0·3
			Bhorch .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·64	...	1·05	...
			Sripur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·73	...	0·1
		Champaran ...	Motihari .	...	...	...	...	..	0·62	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·30	...	...	0·1
			Bettiah ..	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·29	...	...	2·2
			Bagaha ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	4·52	0 12	1·12	...	0·5
			Burhurwa ..	...	...	...	...	..	0·1	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·03	0·1
			Ramnagar ..	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Narkotiganj	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	...	0·34	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...
			Kissoriah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·3
			Dhanaha ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·25	...	0·93	0·07	0·36	1·2
		Muzaffarpur..	Sitamarhi	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	...	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...
			Muzaffarpur	...	...	...	...	...	0·00	...	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Hajipur ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	1·62	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	3·0
			Paru ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·5
			Mahua ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·57	...	0·2
			Shinhar ..	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·1
			Pupri ..	1·05	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	0·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...
		Darbhanga ...	Tajpur (Samastipur).	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	1·07	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...
			Darbhanga .	...	1·88	...	...	...	...	...	1·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Madhubani ..	...	0·63	...	...	...	0·18	...	0·10	1·11	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...
			Bahera ...	...	0·01	...	...	...	0·41	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 21	0·02	...	0·0
			Rowerha ..	...	..	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·35	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·02	...
			Khutonia ...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	1·24	...	...	...	...	...	4·57	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ladania ..	...	..	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	1·25	...	...	...	...	...	3·80	...	...	...	...	...
			Laukahi ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·2	...	...	0 7	...	...	...	...	...	4·05	1·58	...	...	...	...
		Monghyr ..	Begusarai ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·05	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·0
			Monghyr ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·1
			Jamui ..	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 04	0·25	0·0
			Gogri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...
			Jamalpur	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·0
			Shaikhpura ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·48	...
			Chakai Bamdi	...	0·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	0·93	0·1
			Chupreon ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	0·27	...	0·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·1
			Gidhour ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·33	...
			Kharagpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	0·47	0·2
		Bhagalpur ...	Madhipura	..	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·33	0·1
			Bangaon (Sylabad).	...	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Supaul ...	...	0·49	...	...	...	0·57	...	0·17	1·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...
			Pratapganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	...	...	...	0·20	0·0
			Bhagalpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·28	...	0 54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·18	0·4
			Banka ...	...	...	1·09	...	...	...	...	0·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	0·15	0·8
			Colgong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·63	...	1·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·18	0·8
			Bansil ...	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	2·01	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	0·39	0·11	0·39	0·7
		Darjeeling ...	Siliguri ...	0·10	0·09	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	0·85	...	...	1·28	...	...	1·35	3·87	...	...	1·65	...
			Darjeeling ...	...	0·38	...	...	0·04	0·9	...	1·38	0·14	0·15	1·07	1·05	0·14	0·04	0·16	0·53	3·10	0·48	2·22	1·3
			Kalimpong ...	0·15	...	...	0·07	0·03	0·22	...	0·17	0·14	0·37	0·02	0·88	...	0·04	...	0·51	0·47	0·73	2·31	1·6
			Mongpoo ...	0·01	...	...	0·06	...	0·03	0·02	0·18	0·39	0·26	0·05	0·50	0·29	0·07	0·13	0·08	1·08	0·96	0·85	1·4
			Kurseong ...	0·05	...	...	0·38	...	0·22	0·07	0·25	0·62	0·07	1·07	2·26	...	0·01	0·26	0·35	1·14	1·31	2·90	1·2
			Pedong ...	0·64	...	...	0·47	2·32	0·46	0·05	0·10	0·80	1·20	0·76	0·57	0·18	0·40	0·17	0·42	1·57	0·82	1·79	2·7
		Purnea ...	Kishanganj ...	...	0·32	...	...	...	1·41	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·11	...	...	...	0·16	0·08	0·4
			Araria ...	...	0·75	...	...	...	1·50	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	0·07	0·50	...	0·6
			Purnea ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	2·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	0·01	...	0·56	0·3
			Gondwara (*Korah*).	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	0·50	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·23	0·40	1·4
			Barsoe ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	1·48	1·18	0·7
			Forbesganj ...	...	1·00	...	...	...	0·08	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	0·02	...	...	0·06	0·1
			Kaliaganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·00	1·15	...	...	...	1·00	1·00	...	...	...	...
	Bonthal Parganas.		Rajmahal ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·05	1·0
			Godda ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	0·29	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	0·12	0·36	3·0
			Pakaur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	...	0·53	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·88	0·33	1·1
			Naya Dumka ..	...	1·47	...	0·21	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	1·76	1·40	1·53	2·4
			Deoghur ..	0 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·37	2·05	0·30	...
			Jamtara ...	...	0·70	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·08	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	3·72	1·50	0·4
			Mohagama ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	0·50	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	0·86	2·72	0·8
			Nanthat ...	1·40	...	0·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·70	0·80	3·00	0·7
			Asenboni .	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·37	...	2·05	...	0·55	1·75	4·00	1·0
			Katikund ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	0·08	1·10	1·37	4·7
			Madhupur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·60	2·15	0·25	0·3
			Sarwan ...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·14	0·85	0·4
			Sarath ...	0·19	0·45	0·05	...	...	...	...	..	0·11	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	1·30	2·15	0·5
			Poorya ..	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	1·00	0·45	2·0
			Bhagya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	0·50	1·4
			Mohespur ...	1·03	...	...	...	...	1·58	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	1·14	1·9
			Hiranpur ...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	...	0·37	0·82	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	1·17	0·81	1·84	0·1
			Barharwa ...	...	...	...	0·68	...	0·21	...	0·10	0·09	1·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	...	1·70	0·8
			Sainbgan) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·84	1·7
			Barso ..	...	...	...	0·08	...	0·11	...	0·34	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·09	0·50	1·6
			Amarapura ...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·28	1·00	3·0

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22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 30th June 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 30th June.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
..	...	0·06	...	0·10	...	...	...	..	3	0·06	3·92	5·36	2·59	3·94	5·86	Buxar ...	Shahabad ...	Patna—*concluded.*	Bihar—*concluded.*
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	6·06	0·99	6·53	0·08	0·49	7·12	*Dehri*			
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	2	6·74	0·57	5·40	0·36	0·57	5·84	Bhabhua.			
..	1·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7·71	2·21	5·58	1·28	2·87	6·13	Sasaram.			
26	0·15	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7·90	4·06	6·06	1·28	4·06	8·00	Arrah.			
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	1	6·47	0·32	6·79	0·31	0·39	6·88	Mohanea.			
04	...	0·03	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	5	7·11	1·76	9·16	0·62	1·95	9·54	Agwaon.			
16	...	0·15	...	0·04	...	...	...	0·72	7	8·11	4·48	7·18	2·20	4·61	7·40	Ramagar.			
.	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	4	8·22	3·07	5·98	1·34	4·04	6·21	Kouth.			
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	7·78	2·06	5·43	0·94	2·06	5·73	Sikroul.			
.	1·34	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·01	0·25	4	8·11	2·43	6·00	1·34	2·63	6·07	Bassowan.			
.	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	0·39	3	7·80	2·10	6·90	1·03	2·94	7·00	Monaharpur.			
.	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	4	?	2·66	?	1·64	2·90	?	*Akberpur.*			
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	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	0·60	6	8·42	2·31	7·24	0·62	2·31	8·22	Siwan.			
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8·00	0·57	9·09	0·25	0·57	9·41	Ekma.			
										7·61		6·06			7·51	Chapra.			
3	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	1·96	4	?	2·95	?	1·96	2·95	?	*Hathwa.*			
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6·00	2·70	9·28	1·00	2·70	10·01	Amnor.			
2	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	..	2·00	4	6·57	4·23	8·58	2·00	4·23	9·23	Basantpur.			
2	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	?	2·78	?	1·35	2·78	?	*Darauli.*			
5	0·22	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	6	?	4·46	?	1·60	4·16	?	*Bhoreh.*			
								1·68	7	?	4·17	?	1·68	4·17	?	*Sripur.*			
	0·61	0·41	..	..	...	...	0·14	0·6	7	9·30	2·76	8·90	0·62	3·30	10·77	Motihari ...	Champaran ...		
	...	0·11	...	..	...	0·01	...	0·57	6	8·23	4·16	8·79	2·28	4·49	10·10	Bettiah.			
	1·35	0·01	...	0·05	0·24	...	0·32	0·45	11	10·40	11·65	11·40	4·52	11·76	13·30	Bagaha.			
	0·31	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	4·00	5	9·13	4·89	8·27	4·00	4·98	9·45	Burkurwa.			
	0·80	...	..	0·11	...	0·08	1·15	...		?		?			?	*Ramnagar.*			
	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	?	3·45	?	1·30	3·79	?	*Narkotiaganj.*			
	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	?	0·50	?	0·50	0·82	?	*Kissoriah.*			
	0·20	...	...	...	...	1·34	...	...	7	?	6·08	?	1·25	6·08	?	*Dhanaha.*			
	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	5	9·17	1·89	8·79	0·75	3·92	10·32	Sitamarhi ...	Muzaffarpur		
	0·04	0·20	...	...	0·03	...	...	0·04	4	8·06	2·21	7·26	1·31	2·30	8·46	Muzaffarpur.			
	...	0·06	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	5	7·79	0·18	7·43	3·66	0·18	3·44	Hajipur.			
	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·61	1·25	6·38	0·58	1·67	7·81	Paru.			
	0·31	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	6	6·87	3·20	7·25	1·20	3·20	8·67	Mahua.			
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	...	...	...	...	0·47	...	...	...	4	8·08	2·36	7·57	1·05	4·63	9·67	Pupri.			
	0·30	...	...	0·05	0·04	...	...	...	3	8·23	1·64	7·43	1·07	1·73	8·53	Taipur (Samastipur).	Darbhanga ...		
	0·18	...	0·17	...	0·02	...	...		4	8·43	3·69	7·66	1·88		9·01	Darbhanga.			
	0·11	0·03	...	...	0·38	0·05	...	...	6	9·15	3·62	8·36	1·11	4·88	10·06	Madhubani.			
	0·67	0·03	0·15	..	...	...	...	...	7	7·40	2·60	7·63	0·91	2·97	9·35	Baheta.			
	1·22	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	4	7·33	2·46	6·28	1·22	2·71	7·51	Rosetha.			
	...	...	1·27	...	...	...	...	...	4	?	7·18	?	4·27	8·87	?	*Ahatowa.*			
		...	...	0·32	0·08	...	..	...	4	?	6·13	?	3·80	7·40	?	*Ladania.*			
	0·94	...	...	0·45	0·74	...	...	0·14	8	?	9·47	?	4·65	11·27	?	*Laukaha.*			
	0·04	0·42	0·06	0·09	0·03	...	...	.	2	8·45	3·63	6·79	2·16	3·82	7·92	Begusarai ...	Monghyr ...		
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	0·98	0·25	0·05	..	...	...	..	..	4	8·87	2·26	7·30	0·96	2·51	8·46	Jamui.			
	1·20	0·20	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	4	6·87	2·13	7·42	1·24	2·13	9·80	Gogri.			
	1·26	0·29	0·29	0·21	0·05	...	...	...	5	9·34	2·52	9·02	1·26	0·61	9·77	Jamalpur.			
	0·50	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6·20	2·07	7·45	1·18	3·97	8·62	Shaikhpura.			
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			Barabhbhum ...	1·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·00	1·01
			Jhalda ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	0·40
			Chas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	1·04
			Pandra ...	...	0·87	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	0·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·31	1·61
			Bankbazar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·59	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	1·00	1·80	1·80
			Koilapal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·10	0·83
		Singhbhum ...	Chaibasa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	0·10
			Chakradharpur																				
			Ghatsila ...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
			Bamangura ...	...	0·39	...	...	...	0·20	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·24	1 59
			Chaibura ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·05	1 91	0·12	0·12
			Saikapur ...	...	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·70	1 35
			Manharpur ...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·20	0·02	0·48	3·88
			Katbari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·06	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	1·05	1·07	0·13
			Sraikella ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	0·35	0·57	0·30
			Kharsawan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·33	...	0·17	0·01
			Jamtinarh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	0·59	...	...	...	...	...	0 27	0·08

TIONS IN BENGAL IN JUNE 1908—*concluded.*

22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 30th June 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 30th June.	Station.	District	Division.	Meteorological Division.
1·05	1·48	0·06	2·93	0·98	...	...	0·14	0·19	11	10·40	8·63	12·08	2·93	8·73	10·73	Sambalpur	Sambalpur ...	Orissa.	Orissa.
0·85	0·87	0·65	2·07	0·14	0·01	0·02	0·17	0·10	13	8·60	8·16	8·84	6·18	8·41	9·37	Bargarh.			
0·46	0·50	0·36	1·90	0·40	0·50	...	...	...	10	?	5·95	?	1·90	5·95	?	*Padampur (Baraxamber)*			
0·94	0·52	1·30	1·90	0·32	0·15	...	0·25	...	12	?	7·14	?	1·30	7·40	?	Bhawanipatna.	Uria Feudatory States.		
...	2·75	2·12	2·22	0·21	...	...	...	...	8	?	9·35	?	2·75	9·85	?	Bolangir.			
...	1·75	3·16	3·22	...	...	...	...	...	7	?	11·07	?	3·22	11·07	?	Sonepur.			
...	0·50	2·28	3·02	0·66	...	...	...	...	7	?	14·08	?	8·01	14·08	?	Rampur.			
1·45	1·80	1·01	3·50	0·16	0·09	0·08	...	...	10	?	11·88	?		11·88	?	Deoghur.			
0·85	1·55	0·59	1·15	0·28	1·01	...	...	...	10	10·37	6·59	9·86	1·35	7·00	10·78	Gangpur			
1·59	3·40	0·78	2·02	0·09	0·03	...	0·12	...	11	?	13·77	?	3·40	14·02	?	Bonaigurh.			
0·84	5·20	4·38		...	...	...	...	1·64	...	9	8·57	10·51	7·75	5·20	20·41	9·99	Jagatsingpur	Cuttack ...		
0·33	0·11	9·75	3·50	...	0·09	...	0·06	0·02	10	10·94	16·28	9·66	9·75	16·83	11·49	Banki.			
0·86	0·56	8·22	1·92	...	...	...	0·42	0·25	13	11·36	14·12	10·91	8·22	17·57	13·73	Cuttack.			
1·06	1·85	3·26	0·83	...	...	...	...	0·74	10	9·27	9·94	9·27	3·26	9·94	13·41	False Point.			
0·64	0·70	0·40	1·16	...	...	...	0·10	0·05	11	9·50	13·72	9·47	6·40	13·86	12·40	Kendrapara.			
1·45	0·08	3·80	...	...	0·20	...	0·06	0·02	12	11·07	11·70	9·91	3·80	12·15	13·37	Jajpur.			
0·32	3·15	2·20	...	...	0·15	1·40	0·10	0·05	12	10·07	12·23	10·11	3·15	13·03	14·15	Dharmsala.			
0·79	8·45	0·76	...	...	...	0·55	...	0·19	13	11·00	17·70	10·60	8·45	18·20	13·74	Salepur.			
1·41	0·14	2·50	0·14	0·03	...	0·40	0·41	...	13	11·88	7·57	9·38	2·50	7·64	12·83	Akhyapara	Balasore ...		
0·48	0·40	3·55	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	7	9·57	7·47	8·38	3·55	8·26	11·39	Chandbali.			
1·08	0·29	2·22	0·12	...	...	0·20	0·11	1·01	14	11·25	10·42	9·68	2·22	11·69	13·15	Bhadrak.			
0·27	1·20	0·42	...	...	...	...	0·64	1·12	12	9·96	11·13	8·20	2·20	12·73	11·72	Soro.			
0·31	1·25	0·21	0·03	...	...	0·11	...	...	10	11·01	8·23	10·37	1·25	8·48	13·56	Balasore.			
0·05	1·90	0·30	...	...	0·02	0·27	0·03	...	11	9·03	15·42	8·73	6·41	16·27	11·37	Jellasore.			
0·75	1·65	2·50	...	...	0·48	...	0·05	...	10	?	12·89	?	4·50	13·64	?	*Baliapal.*			
0·80	2·00	1·80	0·30	...	...	...	1·10	0·40	12	?	9·40	?	2·00	12·20	?	*Eram* (Basudeopur).			
0·47	0·50	1·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	?	5·85	?	1·50	6·45	?	*Turigaria.*			
																Banath.			
0·43	0·74	4·20	1·40	...	0·10	...	0·10	0·05	13	10·70	9·52	9·07	4·20	9·72	11·45	Angul	Angul ...		
0·10	1·49	3·15	0·36	0·05	0·16	...	0·01	0·05	11	10·05	7·85	9·88	3·11	9·13	11·91	Bissipara.			
0·32	1·28	...	...	...	...	2·45	1·01	...	14	?	13·22	?	2·50	2·70	?	*Chhendipada.*			
0·64	0·24	0·98	0·81	0·05	...	...	0·04	0·24	11	?	6·08	?	0·98	6·08	?	*Tikerpara.*			
0·18	2·41	2·63	3·12	1·00	0·05	...	0·08	0·07	14	?	12·35	?	3·42	12·45	?	*Balandapara.*			
0·25	0·18	3·40	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·06	11	10·10	10·11	9·62	13·40	19·74	11·39	Baramba	Orissa Tributary Mahals.		
0·24	0·67	5·05	0·72	...	...	...	0·72	0·21	11	9·71	9·80	8·89	5·05	9·80	10·43	Kuljabangari.			
0·72	0·34	9·00	1·94	...	...	0·37	0·18	1·35	11	12·15	16·71	10·48	9·00	16·94	12·46	Dhenkanal			
0·08	0·65	2·24	2·75	...	0·39	...	...	0·24	13	?	11·40	?	2·25	11·49	?	*Baisinga.*			
0·08	0·61	1·12	0·12	0·23	...	...	...	0·11	12	10·17	7·03	6·78	1·12	7·18	7·99	Keonghar.			
0·02	0·36	0·73	0·45	...	1·61	0·15	...	...	16	12·75	10·84	10·29	1·61	10·82	12·32	Anandapur.			
0·33	0·21	0·50	0·17	...	...	...	...	0·13	12	12·59	4·57	10·05	0·76	5·38	13·43	Baripada.			
0·00	1·50	0·74	0·21	0·50	0·18	0·10	0·25	0·21	15	?	11·50	?	1·90	12·67	?	*Karanjia.*			
0·20	6·05	1·95	...	...	0·17	0·32	1·20	2·17	15	11·36	18·85	9·14	6·05	19·08	10·28	Narsingpur.			
0·17	0·93	3·50	1·43	0·27	...	...	...	1·69	10	10·09	10·90	9·88	3·50	10·90	14·83	Nayagarh.			
0·32	4·00	0·60	0·60	0·20	...	...	...	...	10	10·00	10·75	12·07	4·00	11·35	12·92	Pal Lahera.			
0·16	0·10	3·30	0·40	...	1·00	...	...	0·11	13	11·44	7·35	10·02	3·90	8·13	10·94	Rampur.			
0·54	1·15	2·26	1·08	0·05	0·34	...	0·03	0·05	10	10·63	11·11	9·59	2·26	12·43	1·21	Talcher.			
0·00	0·33	2·65	2·16	0·12	0·09	...	0·05	0·11	12	11·40	12·11	9·59	2·65	13·59	?	*Athmalik.*			
0·38	9·57	1·71	0·03	0·13	0·13	0·41	0·12	0·88	8	?	7·62	?	2·57	7·62	?	*Hindol.*			
0·32	0·37	1·93	0·33	0·14	...	...	...	0·50	10	?	10·07	?	9·57	19·59	?	*Boad.*			
0·32	0·37	1·30	0·06	...	...	0·06	0·54	0·2	11	?	8·00	?	2·00	8·09	?	*Ndgiri.*			
0·00	0·42	0·58	1·40	...	...	...	0·03	0·05	11	?	7·20	?	1·90	7·95	?	*Athgurh.*			
0·00	0·00	4·64	1·41	...	...	...	...	2·13	12	?	15·59	?	9·58	15·91	?	Puri	Puri ...		
0·00	0·21	6·95	2·00	...	...	...	0·30	0·72	6	8·11	11·78	7·66	4·64	11·94	9·65	Khurda.			
0·00	0·28	3·71	0·41	...	...	...	...	0·51	10	10·07	10·98	9·38	6·95	11·26	11·46	Bhaupur.			
0·00	5·80	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	0·47	7	9·41	8·96	8·21	3·71	8·07	9·24	Gop.			
0·00	0·11	4·10	0·54	...	...	...	0·17	...	10	9·33	13·22	7·09	5·80	13·22	10·16	Satpara			
									7	8·21	7·84	9·41	4·10	8·24	1·07	Sankhalla.			
	5·05	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...		?		?		?	?	*Kanas.*			
0·35	0·36	5·20	0·45	...	...	...	...	0·33	5	?	8·08	?	5·05	9·44	?	Pachi.			
									8	?	9·37	?	5·20	9·79	?	Jenkia.			
0·00	1·15	0·76	0·69	0·13	...	...	...	...	12	11·63	6·27	8·79	1·15	6·77	10·33	Pachamba (*Giridih*).	Hazaribagh ...		
0·27	1·79	0·76	0·53	0·27	0·03	...	...	0·36	10	11·19	8·79	8·78	2·47	9·09	10·07	Hazaribagh			
0·24	1·91	0·71	0·82		0·17	...	...	...	9	9·00	9·37	7·02	1·91	9·50	8·18	Barhi.			
0·29	0·67	0·59	0·41	0·19	...	...	...	...	9	9·13	8·51	8·81	3·10	8·51	9·91	Chatra.			
0·29	0·29	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	10·07	3·36	8·91	0·89	3·85	10·33	Kharagdiha.			
										8·07		8·19			9·31	Ramgar.			
3·20	3·20	0·60	0·18	...	0·15	...	...	...	8	?	6·19	?	3·20	6·19	?	*Kolerma.*			
2·10	2·10	1·93	1·10	0·13	0·03	...	...	0·20	14	?	9·54	?	2·10	10·85	?	*Bagador.*			
0·88	0·88	0·89	0·45	0·37	0·03	...	...	...	6	10·82	3·03	8·52	0·89	3·49	9·59	Lohardaga	Ranchi ...		
1·03	1·03	2·19	1·35	0·30	0·05	...	...	0·69	11	12·47	9·25	8·21	2·19	10·27	9·82	Raneeu.			
2·00	2·00	1·88	0·71	0·13	...	...	...	...	10	8·70	8·61	8·87	2·00	10·05	10·38	Silli.			
2·35	2·35	0·86	0·58	0·22	0·10	0·15	0·09	...	17	11·57	12·95	11·63	2·25	13·17	12·25	Palkot.			
1·75	1·75	1·47	0·52	0·40	0·10	...	...	0·10	17		11·51	?	1·75	11·76	?	*Bano.*			
0·76	0·76	0·23	...	...	0·01	...	...	0·08	11	13·14	12·28	12·75	4·86	12·92	13·62	Tamar.			
0·76	0·76	0·35	0·88	0·02	...	...	...	0·06	11		5·28	?	0·86	5·31	?	*Kurdeg.*			
0·88	0·88	0·23	0·63	0·24	0·02	...	...	0·02	10	?	5·58	?	0·93	5·98	?	*Gumla.*			
0·26	0·26	0·34	0·08	0·29	0·05	...	...	0·02	8	10·71	3·10	7·02	0·89	4·18	8·18	Chainpur.			
3·35	3·35	0·67	0·47	0·73	0·33	...	...	0·57	14		9·02	?	3·35	9·10	?	Kuunti.			
										8·48		6·12			6·93	Palamau (*Daltonganj*)	Palamau ...		
	0·75	...	0·50	...	0·20	...	...	...	7	9·27	6·60	8·56	3·25	0·60	9·39	Balamatu.			
	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	Nil	7·09	Nil	6·52	Nil	Nil	7·15	Husainabad.			
	0·20	...	1·45	0·26	0·12	...	...	...	3	6·95	3·18	6·03	2·25	3·20	6·78	Garhwa.			
	6·60	0·20	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	6	?	3·10	?	1·45	3·78	?	*Mamadnr.*			
	0·47	0·17	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	5	?	2·51	?	1·40	2·50	?	*Panki.*			
		...	...	1·50	...	...	...	...	6	?	2·01	?	0·05	2·01	?	*Latehar.*			
	0·60	0·40	0·30	0·30	...	...	...	0·50	4	?	3·36	?	1·50	3·36	?	*Nagarutari.*			
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	9	?	4·00	?	1·00	4·00	?	*Ranka.*			
															?	*Chattarpur.*			
	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	*Bhaunathpur.*			
	0·60	0·10	0·20	0·10	...	...	...	...	3	?	0·72	?	0·33	0·72	?	*Patan.*			
	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	8	?	3·81	?	1·00	4·10	?	*Manatu.*			
	0·00	0·34	0·21	0·16	...	...	...	...	2	?	0·90	?	0·05	0·90	?	*Lesliganj.*			
	0·13	0·30	0·44	0·24	...	...	0·15	...	6	?	1·75	?	0·51	1·81	?	*Kerh.*			
									14	?	4·76	?	1·50	5·56	?	*Garu.*			
	3·60	0·88	0·48	0·18	0·02	...	...	...	10	12·39	7·98	10·03	3·60	1·21	12·07	Purulia	Manbhum ...		
	2·78	1·20	0·52	0·13	...	...	...	0·15	13	10·71	5·83	9·34	2·78	11·15	10·26	Gobindpur.			
	2·73	0·55	...	...		0·11	...	...	11	9·80	8·82	7·47	2·73	9·87	9·44	Raghunathpur.			
	6·30	0·40	0·30	0·10	0·14	0·13	0·12	0·05	18	11·60	14·20	10·94	6·30	10·24	12·88	Barabhumia.			
	2·36	2·04	0·46	0·37	...	...	...	0·07	10	11·29	9·54	10·21	2·36	10·20	12·89	Jhalda.			
	0·21	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	9·87	6·80	8·06	2·19	8·52	9·90	Chas.			
	3·42	0·85	0·58	0·02	...	...	...	...	11	12·00	11·33	11·30	3·42	1·84	12·53	Pandra.			
	1·80	0·10	0·37	0·06	0·03	...	...	...	11	?	10·26	?	1·80	12·07	?	*Manbazar.*			
	8·32	0·80	0·40	...	0·20	...	...	0·20	11	?	14·73	?	8·32	17·02	?	*Kotkapal.*			
	3·52	1·16	0·53	0·02	...	...	...	0·11	9	11·29	10·73	8·40	3·52	15·25	10·64	Chaibassa	Singhbhum ...		
										11·64		8·28			10·97	Ghakradhapur			
										11·27		10·22			13·16	Ghatsila.			
	0·29	0·35	0·07	...	...	...	0·20	0·37	12	6·89	1·59	10·28	1·59	2·76	13·19	Bahatacura.			
	3·11	1·20	0·55	0·02	...	0·20	0·11	0·12	13	11·88	8·77	8·58	3·11	8·87	10·56	Gaikura.			
	6·05	1·43	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	10	16·25	12·39	15·18	6·05	12·02	13·14	Kukapur.			
	2·05	1·78	0·72	0·10	0·06	...	0·05	...	12	11·29	13·29	11·35	3·85	14·13	12·03	Monoharpur.			
	3·40	0·74	0·10	0·03	0·08	...	...	0·13	12	?	11·99	?	3·40	12·37	?	*Kathara.*			

DISTRICT RAINFALL TABLE OF THE PROVINCE OF BENGAL

for the month of June 1908.

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	District Observations. Rainfall. Of month. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Since 16th May 1908. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan ...	16·10	10·15	+5·95	11·80	11·90	19·35	13·12	+6·23	16·20	15·17
		Birbhum ...	14·27	10·96	+3·31	12·67	12·22	16·19	13·58	+2·61	16·34	15·57
		Bankura ...	13·84	10·83	+3·01	12·20	11·66	16·71	13·58	+3·13	16·60	15·02
		Midnapore ...	13·13	10·23	+2·90	11·71	11·75	16·73	13·13	+3·60	16·15	15·27
		Hooghly ...	17·10	10·28	+6·82	13·83	12·15	19·45	13·32	+6·13	18·00	15·97
		Howrah ...	23·07	10·93	+12·14	13·00	13·17	26·76	13·80	+12·96	17·33	16·85
	Presidency	24-Parganas ...	19·37	10·89	+8·48	12·00	12·50	21·26	13·89	+7·37	15·75	16·54
		Calcutta ...	26·12	11·04	+15·08	10·00	12·88	28·99	13·99	+15·00	10·50	16·56
		Nadia ...	20·17	10·00	+10·17	14·80	12·52	21·78	13·71	+8·07	18·40	17·16
		Murshidabad ...	14·09	10·15	+3·94	12·38	11·92	15·38	13·39	+1·99	14·51	16·11
		Jessore ...	17·07	11·69	+5·38	15·60	13·72	19·76	15·46	+4·30	20·40	18·32
		Khulna ...	13·15	12·77	+0·38	15·00	14·38	15·38	16·27	−0·89	18·40	18·50
Bihar.	Patna	Patna ...	3·25	7·71	−4·46	5·67	7·89	3·48	8·88	−5·40	6·17	9·32
		Gaya ...	3·81	6·52	−2·71	5·33	7·46	4·06	7·36	−3·30	5·78	8·61
		Shahabad ...	2·26	6·44	−4·18	3·42	7·68	2·49	6·82	−4·33	4·00	8·80
		Saran ...	2·60	7·95	−5·35	4·00	7·49	2·61	8·75	−6·14	4·00	8·94
		Champaran ...	5·87	9·34	−3·47	7·25	9·46	6·14	10·91	−4·77	8·25	11·89
		Muzaffarpur ...	2·71	7·41	−4·70	4·43	7·82	3·51	8·85	−5·34	5·71	9·85
		Darbhanga ...	2·80	7·47	−4·67	4·80	8·14	3·29	8·89	−5·60	6·30	10·03
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr ...	2·79	7·62	−4·83	4·81	8·55	3·29	8·85	−5·56	6·13	10·04
		Bhagalpur ...	3·94	8·38	−4·44	7·71	9·36	5·40	10·40	−5·00	9·84	11·94
		Darjeeling ...	16·43	23·36	−6·93	19·17	19·93	23·45	29·18	−5·73	27·84	27·48
		Purnea ...	5·22	12·61	−7·39	9·29	12·57	8·33	16·06	−7·73	13·79	15·79
		Santhal Parganas.	8·94	9·79	−0·85	10·18	11·28	10·17	11·35	−1·18	12·32	14·11
Orissa.	Orissa	Sambalpur ...	8·40	10·46	−2·06	12·00	9·50	8·58	11·08	−2·50	13·00	10·85
		Angul ...	8·69	9·78	−1·09	12·00	10·68	9·43	11·23	−1·80	13·50	12·77
		Cuttack ...	14·65	9·71	+4·94	11·13	10·30	15·37	12·67	+2·70	12·39	13·16
		Balasore ...	10·04	9·10	+0·94	11·17	10·59	10·95	12·33	−1·38	13·37	14·11
		Puri ...	10·56	8·17	+2·39	8·00	9·29	10·73	10·20	+0·53	8·80	11·31
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh ...	7·26	8·43	−1·17	9·60	9·85	7·51	9·70	−2·19	10·77	11·83
		Ranchi ...	8·32	9·64	−1·32	10·50	11·25	9·03	10·65	−1·62	11·90	13·03
		Palamau ...	3·26	6·80	−3·54	3·33	7·92	3·30	7·56	−4·26	3·66	9·27
		Manbhum ...	9·81	9·59	+0·22	10·86	11·01	11·27	11·39	−0·12	14·43	13·66
		Singhbhum ...	9·35	10·57	−1·22	11·20	11·96	10·46	12·67	−2·21	13·53	15·40

SUMMARY OF THE RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE 1908.

The monsoon rains set in during the middle of the month. This year the South-west monsoon commenced in Bengal Proper on the 17th and in Bihar and Chota Nagpur on the 20th. During June, the distribution of rain was irregular. The precipitation was very heavy in the districts of the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions, Burdwan received an average rainfall of 16·10 (normal 10·15), Hooghly 17·10 (normal 10·28), Howrah 23·07 (normal 10·93), the 24-Parganas 19·37 (normal 10·89), Calcutta 26·12 (normal 11·04), Nadia 20·17 (normal 10·00) and Jessore 17·07 (normal 11·69).

Excess of the normal fall was received as follows:—In Burdwan 5·95, Hooghly 6·82, Howrah 12·14, 24-Parganas 8·48, Calcutta 15·08, Nadia 10·17 and Jessore 5·38 inches. Expressed in percentage figures, the above districts received 159, 166, 271, 178, 237, 201 and 146 per cent. respectively.

Excepting the districts of Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore, Murshidabad, Khulna, Cuttack, Balasore, Puri and Manbhum, where there was a slight excess, all the districts of the Patna, Bhagalpur, Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divisions received less than the average fall.

From the percentage table, it will be seen that South-West Bengal received 145 per cent., Bihar 52 per cent., Orissa 76 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 76 percent.

The total rainfall from January to June was 105 per cent. of the normal in South-West Bengal, 63 per cent. in Bihar, 63 per cent. in Orissa and 81 per cent. in Chota Nagpur.

The following table gives the rainfall of the various divisions of Bengal in June and in each of the previous months of the present year as compared with the normal values for the same periods. The figures given represent the actual falls expressed as percentage of the normal falls :—

Meteorolgical Divisions.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Actual rainfall of first six months of 1908 expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the period.
South-West Bengal	275	20	16	16	78	145	105
Bihar	83	282	56	12	62	52	63
Orissa	396	Nil	43	7	47	76	68
Chota Nagpur	118	247	39	1	81	76	81

PERCENTAGE TABLE FOR JUNE 1908.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for June.	Actual district rainfall for June 1908.	Percentage of actual to normal rainfall.	Percentage excess (+), defect (−)
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	10·15	16·10	159	+ 59
	Birbhum	10·96	14·27	130	+ 30
	Bankura	10·83	13·84	128	+ 28
	Midnapore	10·23	13·13	128	+ 28
	Hooghly	10·28	17·10	166	+ 66
	Howrah	10·93	23·07	211	+111
	24-Parganas	10·89	19·37	178	+ 78
	Calcutta	11·01	26·12	237	+137
	Nadia	10·00	20·17	201	+101
	Murshidabad	10·15	14·09	139	+ 39
	Jessore	11·69	17·07	146	+ 46
	Khulna	12·77	13·15	103	+ 3
Bihar ...	Patna	7·71	8·25	42	— 58
	Gaya	6·52	3·81	58	— 42
	Shahabad	6·44	2·26	35	— 65
	Saran	7·95	2·60	33	— 67
	Champaran	9·34	5·87	63	— 37
	Muzaffarpur	7·41	2·71	37	— 63
	Darbhanga	7·47	2·80	37	— 63
	Monghyr	7·62	2·79	37	— 63
	Bhagalpur	8·34	3·94	47	— 53
	Darjeeling	23·36	16·43	70	— 30
	Purnea	12·61	5·22	41	— 59
	Santhal Parganas ...	9·79	8·94	91	— 9
Orissa ...	Sambalpur	10·46	8·40	80	— 20
	Angul	9·78	8·69	89	— 11
	Cuttack	9·71	14·65	150	+ 50
	Balasore	9·10	10·04	110	+ 10
	Puri	8·17	10·56	129	+ 29
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	8·43	7·26	86	— 14
	Ranchi	9·64	8·32	86	— 14
	Palamau	6·80	3·26	48	— 52
	Manbhum	9·59	9·81	102	+ 2
	Singhbhum	10·57	9·35	89	— 11

The following table gives the Summary of the Rainfall data of each of the four Meteorological Divisions of the Province of Bengal for the month of June 1908:—

Meteorological Divisions.	Rainfall of month.			Rainy days.			Rainfall since 16th May 1908.	
	Average.	Normal average	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal ...	15·66	10·76	+4·90	12·54	12·39	+0·15	18·06	13·85
Bihar	4·33	8·34	—4·01	6·23	9·12	—2·89	5·12	9·81
Orissa	6·90	9·06	—2·16	10·65	10·06	+0·59	7·49	11·82
Chota Nagpur ...	7·05	9·22	—2·17	8·43	10·64	—2·21	7·86	10·69

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Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of June 1908.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour
The mean pressure of the month	29·532		
The average pressure of June from 44 years' registers ...	29·547		
The highest pressure in the month	29·722	8th	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29·323	19th	16
The range of pressure	0·399		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	136·4		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	403·4		
	—		
The mean temperature of the month	85·5		
The average temperature of June from 20 years' registers ...	84·5		
The highest temperature in the month	100·9	13th	
The lowest temperature in the month	74·8	18th	
The range of temperature during the month ...	26·1		
The mean daily range of temperature	11·9		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	18·4	1st	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	81		
The average humidity of June from 20 years' registers ..	83		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	0·950		
The average vapour tension of June from 20 years' registers ...	0·957		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	6·98		
The average cloud proportion of June from 31 years' registers	7·28		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	26·12		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 8 feet above the ground)	?		
The average fall of June from 24 years' registers ...	11·04		
The greatest fall in 24 hours ..	11·95	18th	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month .. .	10		
The average number of rainy days in June from 24 years' registers	13		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	137·5		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures .. .	45·9		
The greatest sun temperature	151·0	29th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature .	60·7	29th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	77·4		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	2·5		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature .	3·8	4th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	175·8		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	374·0	18th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	25·0	18th	8 to 9 A.M.

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—

N. 4, N.E. 12, E. 47, S.E. 170, S. 264, S.W. 142, W. 63, N.W. 12, Calm 6.

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METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,

ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 13th July 1908.*

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 5th to 11th July 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure reduced at 32° Fahr	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension	Dew point	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1908				Inches						Inches		%			Inches	
July	5th	125·2	0·1	29·556	83·3	36·1	5·1	81·0	79·6	0·972	78·4	88	SW by W and SW	171	0·01	Cloudy, o, d.
,,	6th	93·3	0·0	·549	79·7	81·9	3·9	78·0	77·6	·923	76·8	92	SW by W and WSW.	225	0·91	Cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	7th	97·4	0·0	·555	80·0	81·9	3·2	78·7	77·3	·908	76·3	91	W by W and SW by W.	228	0·20	Cloudy, o, d, p
,,	8th	93·4	0·0	·557	78·0	80·1	3·6	76·5	76·3	·891	75·7	95	WSW and S by W.	285	5·32	Cloudy, o, d, p, 3·5 ●.
,,	9th	140·4	2·3	·476	81·9	87·1	9·9	77·2	78·2	·917	76·6	86	SSW, S and SSE	156	0·62	Chiefly cloudy, d, p.
,,	10th	138·7	2·3	·566	82·2	85·6	6·3	79·3	79·3	·975	78·5	91	SSE E and SE ...	144	0·02	Chiefly cloudy, d, p.
,,	11th	146·4	5·7	·557	83·0	89·6	10·7	77·9	78·8	·956	77·9	91	SE and SSE ...	104	0·36	Partially cloudy, d, p.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·559
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·552
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	19·4
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	93·9
	°
The mean temperature of the seven days	81·2
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	84·0
The extreme variation of temperature	12·1
The maximum temperature	88·6
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	19
	%
The mean relative humidity	91
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	85
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 5th to 11th July 1908	7·94
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	2·13
The total fall from 1st January to 11th July 1908	41·21
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	26·31

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsen's Barograph and rom eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the hermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet bove the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the urveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in ie Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 1 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; g, dark, gloomy; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; q, squally; ● continued rain.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 13th July 1908.*

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EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the four weeks ending 28th March 1908 as compared with the same period of 1907.

STAPLES	1907.		1908.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Mds.	Rs
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	7,295	9 669	7,516	12,264	221	2,595	.....	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,83,89,394	20,97,0 9	1,64 87,582	19,02,378	.....	.....	24,01,752	1,94,701
Cotton—								
(1) Raw	1,75,918	90 970	65,296	24,247	.....	.....	1,10,624	75,723
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	39,081	31,477	2,781	3,072	.....	.....	36,250	28,405
(b) Ditto, Indian	31,210	14,142	29,368	12,133	.....	.....	1,972	2,004
(c) Piece-goods, European	92,894	99,218	1,17,701	1,13,302	24,807	14,084	.....	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian	14,995	10,162	13,383	10,285	.....	123	1,612	.....
(e) Others	8,317	3,617	5,916	2,955	.....	.....	2,401	662
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	23,753	12,062	20,037	11,753	.....	.....	3,716	309
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	66	66	75	23	9	.....	.....	43
2.—Non-intoxicating	9,500	6,578	5,532	4,569	.....	.....	3,968	2,009
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	248	259	569	525	321	266	.....	.....
2.—Cutch	1,181	711	1,978	764	797	52	.....	.....
3.—Indigo	1,649	1,129	471	644	.....	.....	1,178	485
4.—Myrabolams	14,569	3,201	30,942	8,286	15,973	5,085	.....	.....
5.—Tanning barks	24,151	3,635	30,128	2,595	5,977	.....	.....	1,340
6.—Turmeric	18,134	12,408	18,074	14,907	.....	2,499	60	0
7.—Others	11,959	7,599	16,447	5,225	4,488	.....	.....	2,324
Fodder—								
1.—Oilcake	1,15,671	20,853	1 13,734	20,256	.....	.....	1,937	597
2.—Hay, straw and grass	50,316	8,116	93,737	10,449	37,521	2,333	.....	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	8,328	5,403	11,835	5,070	3,507	.....	.....	333
Grain and Pulse—								
1.—Gram and pulse	5,41,566	1,46,163	3,99,644	79,089	.....	.....	1,41,922	67,074
2.—Jowar and bajra	1,55,581	38,081	1,24,303	19,908	.....	.....	31,278	18,173
3.—Rice in the husk	1,42,886	22,853	73,952	11,018	.....	.....	68,934	11,835
4.—Rice not in the husk	4,73,456	65,335	14,01,858	4,06,959	9,28,402	3,41,624	.....	.....
5.—Wheat	4,66,972	1,47,0 7	1,86,973	59,881	.....	.....	2,80,999	1,08,036
6.—Wheat flour	1,48,555	4 ,505	93,534	27,056	.....	.....	55,032	18,449
7.—Others	1,66,420	59,6 9	1,43,054	29,763	.....	.....	23 366	29,906
Hides and Skins—								
1.—Hides of cattle	4,9 5 7	65,874	63,852	39,410	.....	.....	45,715	26,464
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	49,695	22,964	25,600	13 578	.....	.....	24,230	9,445
Horns	1,056	428	709	497	.....	71	257	.....
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	1,29,710	30,129	1,39,0 8	24,572	9,308	.....	.....	5,177
Jute—								
1.—Raw	3,45 969	44,407	3,50,666	35,130	4,697	10,723	.....	.....
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	1 7 423	88,9 7	1,03,415	46,512	.....	.....	70,008	44,485
Lac	74,071	39,571	49,781	32,348	.....	.....	14,290	7,903
Leather—								
1.—Unwrought	3,766	4,763	2,119	3,072	.....	.....	1,647	1,691
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	1,165	1,176	2,133	1,528	968	352	.....	.....
Liquors—								
1.—Ale and Beer	16,313	7,413	10,445	4,918	.....	.....	5,868	2,495
2.—Wines and spirits of all kinds, including country spirit	10,475	8,498	10 583	7,096	118	.....	.....	1,402
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	1,336	300	829	149	.....	.....	507	151
Metals—								
1.—Brass, unwrought	226	79	4,690	1,326	4,264	1,247	.....	.....
2.— Do., manufactured	13,544	5,568	16,223	7,253	1,679	1,685	.....	.....
3.—Copper, unwrought	30	26	292	215	262	189	.....	.....
4.— Do., manufactured	1,666	1,499	2,080	1,786	414	287	.....	.....
5.—Iron and steel—								
(1) Unwrought (dust, slag, pig and old for remanufacture)	27,794	4,394	54,015	10,980	26,221	6,586	.....	.....
(2) Wrought—								
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel	1,36 034	60 172	1,41,492	53,705	5,458	.....	.....	6,467
(b) Machinery and mill work	19,403	9,073	18,219	8,128	.....	.....	1,184	1,545
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery	60,786	24,879	69,93.	35,562	9,147	10,683	.....	.....
6.—Metallic ores	38	7	83,181	3,07	83,143	3,00	.....	.....
7.—Zinc and spelter	2,241	1,473	1,784	964	.....	.....	457	509
8.—Others	22,365	9,771	11,310	7,767	.....	.....	11,045	2 004
Mineral substances—								
1.—Marble and stone	6,80,585	61,012	6,83,545	52,144	2,960	.....	.....	8,868
2.—Chalk and lime	1,87,358	38,700	3,04,946	68,344	1,17,588	29,535	.....	.....
3.—Others	4,744	3,578	4,731	3,765	.....	390	13	.....
Oils—								
1.—Kerosine	1,42,606	50,5 8	1,70,105	56,752	27,469	6,164	.....	.....
2.—Castor	6,823	2,059	6,131	1,746	.....	.....	692	313
3.—Cocoanut	9,909	2,879	6,2.0	2,033	.....	.....	3,689	846
4.—Mustard and rape	14,934	2.934	13 522	4,684	.....	1,750	1,412	.....
5.—Others	10,462	4,029	10,928	5,059	466	1,030	.....	.....
Oilseeds—								
1.—Castor	64,525	15,753	49,983	11,816	.....	.....	14,542	3,937
2.—Earthnuts	208	80	4,08	782	4,500	702	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	1,91,094	48,838	36,206	9,280	.....	.....	1,54,888	39,558
4.—Poppy	5 234	1,114	4,154	812	.....	.....	1.110	302
5.—Rape and mustard	8,59,2 8	2. 0,044	3,97,791	89,182	.....	.....	5,01,437	1,41,462
6.—Til or jinjli	40,410	12,181	8,440	1,021	.....	.....	40,970	10,560
7.—Others	1,20,151	25,977	75,182	12,907	.....	.....	52,969	13,070
Opium	22,448	22,327	10,229	19,259	.....	.....	8,219	4,068
Paper and pasteboard	21,700	15,503	22,188	17,777	482	2,274	.....	.....
Provisions—								
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	10 742	6,196	14,214	8,941	3,472	2,745	.....	.....
2.—Ghee	41,819	32,005	36,285	27,119	.....	.....	5,534	5,486
3.—Potatoes	1,40,251	27,635	1,64,807	33,558	24,556	5,923	.....	.....
4.—Others	30,151	21,877	41,003	35,074	18,952	13,197	.....	.....

Staples.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	.....	.....	163	54	160	54	.....	.....
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	—	.....	1,000	50	1,000	50	.....	.....
3.—Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	4,386	2,885	418	114	.....	.....	3,968	2,771
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	.....	.....	625	351	625	351	.....	.....
(c) Others	1,01,223	41,661	10,10,844	48,152	8,46,821	6,491	.....	.....
Salt	7,92,646	1,20,130	3,82,853	76,457	.....	.....	3,19,793	43,673
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	70,165	28,718	61,529	23,230	.....	.....	8,636	5,488
2.—Other saline substances	68 989	16,904	34,449	9,138	.....	.....	30,540	7,766
Silk—								
1.—*Raw*								
(a) Foreign	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	1,011	527	1,306	522	295	.....	.....	5
2.—*Piece-goods*—								
(c) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(d) Indian	115	213	44	100	.....	.....	71	173
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	34,236	27,724	26,250	20,012	.....	.....	8,346	7,712
2.—Cardamoms	1,093	1,149	622	863	.....	.....	471	286
3.—Chillies	37,838	18,556	23,614	17,551	.....	.....	8,224	1,004
4.—Ginger	1,250	631	1,477	903	227	272	.....	.....
5.—Pepper	3,817	3,980	5,283	5,232	1,466	1,252	.....	.....
6.—Others	20,767	12,123	13,527	7,662	.....	.....	7,340	5,461
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	47,237	14,615	1,21,360	44,917	74,123	30,302	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	2,42,147	85,702	2,48,935	78,380	6,788	.....	.....	7,322
(c) *Gur, rab*, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce	3,96,801	67,275	2,83,416	53,041	.....	.....	1,13,385	14,234
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	2,885	3,687	1,784	1,768	.....	.....	1,101	1,919
Tobacco	88,485	43,271	82,361	23,516	.....	.....	35,924	19,756
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	1,96,716	26,263	2,05,479	22,813	11,683	.....	.....	3,450
2.—Manufactures	20,635	10,102	22,924	9,606	2,289	.....	.....	496
Wool—								
1.—Raw	7,423	5,279	5,512	5,094	.....	.....	1,917	185
2.—Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	1,535	2,017	1,069	1,318	.....	.....	466	699
(b) Piece-goods, European	264	111	750	382	486	271	.....	.....
(c) Ditto, Indian	613	765	1,721	1,126	1,108	361	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manufactures	2,484	1,457	1,624	809	.....	.....	860	679
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	1,01,339	18,548	*1,00,914	25,419	.....	6,871	425	.....
2.—Firewood	1,62,858	9,184	1,20,609	5,574	.....	.....	42,249	3,610
3.—Indigo seed	20,1 8	3,772	3,581	729	.....	.....	16,527	3,043
4.—Paints and colours	1,973	2,143	2,586	1,980	612	.....	.....	163
5.—Seeds other than oil-seeds	8,585	2,077	9,780	2,052	1,205	.....	.....	25
6.—Others	26,82,047	5,58,123	5,63,099	2,71,561	.....	.....	21,12,948	2,87,389
Total	3,05,96,764	51,63,274	2,68,77,738	43,60,539	.....	.....	45,19,026	8,02,735
Military stores	35,277	33,044	33,988	27,919	.....	.....	2,289	5,125
Coal for railway	11,65,336	89,216	21,66,993	1,55,257	9,91,032	66,041	.....	.....
Railway materials	21,29,110	89,3.8	32,25,538	95,868	10,94,148	6,550	.....	.....
Live-stock	.....	45,913	.....	35,744	.....	.....	.....	10,169
Total	3,39,28,107	54,20,763	3,14,92,032	46,75,327	.....	.....	24,36,135	7,45,436

H. S. Glass,

for *Acting Chief Auditor.*

Traffic Audit Office, Goods Division, Calcutta, *the 13th July 1908.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the period ending last 10 days of June 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 10 days ...	551,310	2,65,230 0 0	4,128,860 0	3,31,690 0 0	2,17,230 0 0	(d)8,14,150 0 0	101,981	(b)95,604	197,645
Per mile of railway	433	208 0 0	3,241 0	260 0 6	(c)142 0 0	(c)610 0 0			
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (a)	12,450,946	53,19,004 0 0	46,178,541 0	53,42,674 0 0	6,83,004 0 0	1,13,44 742 0 0	1,901,649	1,135,162	3,036,811
Total for 26 weeks ...	13,002,256	55,84,234 0 0	50,307,401 0	56,74,364 0 0	9,00,294 0 0	1,21,58,892 0 0	2,003,630	1,230,826	3,234,456
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 8 days of previous year ...	398,001	2,56,558 0 0	3,943,132 0	2,93,173 0	1,78,423 0 0	7,28,154 0	78,467	63,033	141,500
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,272 miles)	313	202 0 0	3,100 0	230 0 0	116 0 0	548 0 0	... ...	.....	
Total to corresponding date of previous year	11,637,746	51,[illegible]26 0 0	51,589,423	59,06,625 0	9,17,118 0 0	1,19 24,469 0 0	1,707,489	1,357,571	3,065 060

(a) Audited up to week ending 16th May 1908.
(b) Includes ballast train miles 49,724 and earnings Rs. 30,000.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 34,699.
(d) Increases are due to 10 days' traffic against 8 days in the previous year.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the period ending last 10 days of June 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 10 days ...	70,040	17,570 0 0	61,170 0	3,120 0 0	1,130 0 0	21,820 0 0	8,080	(b)5,150	13,230
Per mile of railway ...	814	205 0 0	711 0	36 0 0	13 0 0	254 0 0	.....	.....	
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (a)	1,059,638	3,16,240 0 0	2,289,298 0	125.714 0 0	5,953 0 0	4,47,987 0 0	139,684	45,220	184,904
Total for 26 weeks ...	1,129,678	3,33,810 0 0	2,350,468 0	1,68,914 0 0	7,083 0 0	5,09,807 0 0	147,764	50,370	198,134
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 16 days of previous year	49,156	15,240 0 0	(c)107,806 0	3,168 0 0	1,768 0 0	20,176 0 0	5,547	1,489	7,036
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	572	177 0 0	1,254 0	37 0 0	°21 0 0	235 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,090,430	3,10,861 0 0	1,746 000 0	1,20,740 0 0	6,904 0 0	4,38,505 0 0	126,450	42,475	168,995

(a) Audited up to week ending 16th May 1908.
(b) Includes ballast train-miles 2,950.
(c) Includes certain adjustments.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the Period ending last 10 days of June 1908, on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 10 days ...	5,770	2,440 0 0	40,860 0	2,640 0 0	60 0 0	5,140 0 0	621	(b)4,717	5,338
Per mile of railway ...	172	73 0 0	1,216 0	78 0 0	2 0 0	153 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (a)	114,661	49,420 0 0	635,286 0	44,440 0 0	362 0 0	94,322 0 0	11,028	38,970	49,998
Total for 26 weeks ...	120,431	51,860 0 0	676,146 0	47,080 0 0	422 0 0	99,302 0 0	11,649	43,687	55,336
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 8 days of previous year	4,431	2,168 0 0	23,426 0	1,789 0 0	18 0 0	3,975 0 0	497	2,496	2,993
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	132	64 0 0	697 0	53 0 0	1 0 0	118 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	99,792	38,994 0 0	760,991 0	47,162 0 0	422 0 0	86,578 0 0	11,240	51,394	62,634

(a) Audited up to week ending 16th May 1908.
(b) Includes ballast train-miles 3,450.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the Period ending last 10 days of June 1908, on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 10 days	19,610	5,030 0 0	31,460 0	1,940 0 0	240 0 0	7,370 0 0	3,093	(b)1,007	4,10
Or per mile of railway	363	105 0 0	583 0	36 0 0	5 0 0	146 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 26 weeks of half-year (a)	394,353	1,09,190 0 0	1,001,883 0	56,275 0 0	—1,920 0 0	1,63,545 0 0	51,545	15,184	66,72
Total for 26 weeks ...	413,963	1,14,280 0 0	1,033,343 0	58,215 0 0	—1,680 0 0	1,71,415 0 0	54,638	16,191	
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 8 days of previous year	15,091	4,691 0 0	17,199 0	1,371 0 0	260 0 0	6,622 0 0	2,142		
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	284	93 0 0	323 0	26 0 0	5 0 0	124 0 0	...		
Total to corresponding date of previous year	363,574	99,908 0 0	1,041,841 0	62,030 0 0	870 0 0	1,63,817 0 0	48,152	19,244	67,3

(a) Audited up to week ending 16th May 1908.
(b) Ballast train-miles *nil*.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	83,309	20,090 0 0	2,42,500 0	17,190 0 0	7,000 0 0	1,12,000 0 0	29,357	25,137	55,5
Or per mile of railway	130·34	26·82	379·38	2·55	9·38	147·20	29·11	13·01	7
For previous 26 weeks of half-year	1,667,201	11,07,970 0 0	68,99,143 0	9,73,[illegible] 0 0	1,[illegible] 0 0	21,8[illegible] 0 0	324,713	584,500	909,2
Total for 26 weeks ...	1,750,704	11,66,970 0 0	71,91,643 0	10,21,[illegible] 0 0	1,15,[illegible] 0 0	23,01,379 0 0	417,976	547,637	964,7
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	62,210	12,465 0 0	4,27,692 0	34,[illegible] 0 0	3,737 0 0	1,04,278 0 0	16,300	28,071	44,4
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	81·01	16·23	556·95	70·14	4·85	113·28	21·34	36·41	5
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,642,778	10,30,904 0 0	83,24,163 0	11,[illegible],465 0 0	1,49,796 0 0	23,46,165 0 0	361,842	504,517	866,3

Financial Year.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

Receipts for last 10 days of June 1908.			Receipts for last 8 days of June 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 30th June 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 30th June 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	1,12,000	145·56	771	1,00,278	130·28	771	10,91,754	...	771	11,06,526	...	.....	11,772

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING JULY AND AUGUST 1908.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Remarks.
1908.			
25th July ...	Saturday ...	Chinsurah ..	By river on *Rhotas.*
29th ,, ...	Wednesday ..	Berhampore ...	
30th ,, ...	and Thursday ...	and Murshidabad ...	
31st ,, ...	Friday ...	Jangipur ...	
3rd Aug. ...	Monday ...	Bhagalpur ...	
5th ,, ...	Wednesday ...	Monghyr ...	

NOTE.—

(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Lady Fraser.
Captain Fraser, 10th Hussars, Private Secretary.
Captain A. H. B. Foster, the King's Own, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain R. C. Dodgson, R.F.A., Aide-de-Camp.
The Hon'ble Mr. F. W. Duke, I.C.S.
Lieut.-Col. W. J. Buchanan, I.M.S., Inspector-General of Prisons.
The Hon'ble Mr. E. W. Collin, I.C.S., at Berhampore.
The Commissioners within their respective charges.

(2) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the Bengal Government Camp, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) The Lieutenant-Governor's arrivals at or departures from all stations will be private.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

BELVEDERE,
The 20th July 1908.

H. L. FRASER, CAPT.,
Private Secretary.

No. 3919A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3750A.—The 15th July 1908.*—The Hon'ble Mr. E. W. Collin, Commissioner of the Presidency Division, is appointed to act as a Member of the Board of Revenue, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of the Hon'ble Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S.I., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 3752A.—The 15th July 1908.—Mr. J. G. Cumming, Officiating Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal, is appointed to act as Commissioner of the Presidency Division, during the absence, on deputation, of the Hon'ble Mr. E. W. Collin, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 3755A.—The 15th July 1908.—Mr. E. Lister, Magistrate and Collector, on furlough, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal, *vice* Mr. S. L. Maddox, on deputation.

Calcutta.

Mr. Lister is also appointed to act in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors until further orders.

No. 3791A.—The 16th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Abdus Samad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Gaya district.

Midnapore.
Gaya.

No. 3793A.—The 16th July 1908.—Babu Makhan Lal Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

No. 3868A.—The 20th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Karam Husain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Begusarai subdivision of the Monghyr district, *vice* Mr. H. R. T. S. Perrott, on deputation.

Bhagalpur.
Monghyr.

No. 3870A.—The 21st July 1908.—Maulvi Abul Muhammad Rashad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, is transferred to the Contai subdivision of the Midnapore district.

Darbhanga.
Midnapore.

This cancels the order of the 30th May 1908, transferring Babu Sukesh Chandra Deb Ray, Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, to the Contai subdivision of the Midnapore district.

Jessore.
Midnapore.

No. 3914A.—The 21st July 1908.—Mr. J. Reid, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Chota Nagpur, is appointed to act as Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpur, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, or until further orders.

Chota Nagpur.

POLICE.—*No. 3847A.—The 20th July 1908.*—Babu Sakhi Chand, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Bhagalpur, is transferred to Manbhum.

Bhagalpur.
Manbhum.

No. 3849A.—The 20th July 1908.—Maulvi Nadir Husain, Deputy Superintendent of Police, in charge of the District Police, Manbhum, is transferred to Bhagalpur on being relieved of his present appointment.

Manbhum.
Bhagalpur.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3841A.—The 20th July 1908.*—The Revd. John MacRae, Pastor of the United Free Church of Scotland, Calcutta, is authorized, under section 9 of Act XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians.

Calcutta.

The Revd. John MacRae is also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be a Registrar af Births and Deaths in Calcutta.

PROMOTIONS.

POLICE.—*No. 3899A.—The 21st July 1908.*—The officers, named below, are confirmed as Assistant Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 30th April 1908, and promoted to the second grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 5th June 1908 :—

Purnea.
24-Parganas.

Mr. H. C. Cunningham, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police ... ... Purnea.

„ L. H. Colson, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police ... ... 24-Parganas.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3789A.—The 16th July 1908.*—Babu Nagendra Nath Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gaya, is allowed combined leave for eight months, viz., privilege leave for two months and sixteen days or the amount due, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

Gaya.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 15th July 1908 :—

No. 2765A.—The 14th July 1908.—In supersession of Notification No. 2556A., dated the 30th June 1908, Babu Hem Kumar Niyogi, Munsif of Lakhimpur, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed leave for twenty-five days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 27th June 1908.

No. 2766A.—The 14th July 1908.—In supersession of Notification No. 2140A., dated the 2nd June 1908, Babu Sukumar Bhattacharjee, Munsif of Hatiya, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed leave for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 24th May 1908.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2503L.R.—The 15th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883 (XIX of 1883), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules under the said section, which were published with Government Notification No. 1285L.R., dated the 28th February 1908, at pages 546—553 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1908 :—

In sub-rule (2) of rule 15 *for* the words "six months before" *substitute* the word "on."

No. 2504L.R.—The 15th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884 (XII of 1884), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules under the said Act, which were published with Government Notification No. 1287L.R., dated the 28th February 1908, at pages 560—566 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1908 :—

In sub-rule (*ii*) of rule 15 *for* the words "six months before" *substitute* the word "on."

No. 2567L.R.—The 16th July 1908.—With reference to Notification No. 3750A., dated 15th July 1908, appointing Mr. E. W. Collin to act as a Member of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, during the absence, on leave, of the Hon'ble Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S.I., or untill further orders, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased, under section 5, Regulation III of 1822, as amended by section 2 (2) and Schedule II of

the Obsolete Enactments Act, XII of 1891, to authorize Mr. E. W. Collin, from the date of taking over charge from the Hon'ble Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S.I., to exercise generally throughout the territories subject to the control of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, all the duties, powers and authority which are vested in the Board collectively in respect of the Department of Miscellaneous Revenue. This includes Excise, Income-tax, Salt, Opium, Customs, Stamps and Stationery, Marine, the partition of estates and the acquisition of land for public purposes.

2. In the absence of one Member of the Board hereafter, the other Member is authorised to exercise, in the Departments specially allotted to the absent Member, any of the powers vested in the Board collectively.

Midnapore.

No. 2568L.R.—The 16th July 1908.—Under section 3 (16) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Acts III of 1898 and I of 1907, the Subdivisional Officers and the senior covenanted Deputy Collector at the Sadar station of the district of Midnapore are authorised to discharge the functions of a Collector under section 58 of the said Act.

Bankura.

No. 2600L.R.—The 18th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*c*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in estate Khudra Majdiha, tauzi No. 62 of the Bankura Collectorate, now under the management of the Court of Wards.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise ;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2673L.R.—The 21st July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 103 (B), sub-section (2) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that a record-of-rights has been finally published, under section 103 (A), sub-section (2) of the said Act, for every village included in thanas Sultanganj and Amarpur, in the district of Bhagalpur.

No. 2643.—The 20th July 1908.—IT is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the following revised rules for the admission of students to the Bengal Veterinary College, and of animals into the Veterinary Hospital attached to it, in supersession of those published under Notifications No. 1471T.—R., dated the 7th July 1902, No. 2960Agri, dated the 3rd November 1903, and No. 1212Agri., dated the 2nd March 1906.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Revised Rules.

THE BENGAL VETERINARY COLLEGE.

THE Bengal Veterinary Institution, consisting of a Veterinary School and Hospital, which was established on the Belgachia-Dum-Dum Road (about five miles from Government House) in 1893, has now been raised to the status of a College. The College is under the management of a Committee appointed by Government, consisting of Government officers and native gentlemen.

2. The College at Belgachia consists of a large building, in which are three lecture-rooms, a museum, a reading-room, a pharmacy class-room, a room for the lecturers, a photographic room, and a dispensary. A Veterinary Hospital is attached to the College, consisting of nine horse-wards, three cattle-wards, one cattle-contagious ward, one horse-contagious ward, one operation theatre, two operation sheds, one *post-mortem* room, one dissection room, one shoeing forge and two store-rooms. There are two Hostels called "The Fraser Hostel" and "The Macpherson Hostel" attached to the College, which afford sufficient accommodation for 188 boarders. They are expressly provided for the benefit of the students. There are also a Research Laboratory, quarters for the Senior and Junior Hospital Surgeons, the stable overseer and the menials, also an office building in which there is a library

3. Full clinical and other facilities will be afforded to meet the educational requirements of veterinary students in the Bengal Presidency. Students may also be admitted from any other part of India. The special objects of the College are to train thoroughly practical and competent men for veterinary service under Government, Native States, Municipalities, District Boards, and private employers.

4. Government has undertaken to bear the cost of the establishment, which consists of a Principal, an Assistant Principal, five Lecturers, a Hospital Surgeon, one Hospital Overseer, and a considerable working staff.

5. The rules for the admission of students to, and regulation of their studies in, the Bengal Veterinary College, and for the admission of animals into the hospital of the Bengal Veterinary College, contained in the following notification, as now issued, are liable to be modified hereafter, if found necessary.

Rules for Admission of Students to, and regulation of their studies in, the Bengal Veterinary College.

The course of study for the diploma of qualification will extend over at least three years. Each will comprise nine teaching months, and will be divided in accordance with the terms of the Calcutta Medical College.

2. New students are required to join on the 15th April, in order to give them time to settle down and acquire some practical knowledge of the work before the lectures commence on the 1st July.

3. Each candidate for admission as a student is required to produce a certificate—

(*a*) of age,
(*b*) of good morals,
(*c*) within three months of his admission to the College shewing that he has passed either—
(*i*) the Entrance examination of the Calcutta University, or
(*ii*) that he has completed the High School course, or
(*iii*) an equivalent examination to either *i* or (*ii*).

3(*a*). A special examination will be held by the College staff for youths desiring admission who are not in possession of the above certificates, but whom the Principal may consider likely to turn out useful Veterinary Assistants.

The examination will consist of the following subjects :—

(*a*) Reading aloud.
(*b*) Dictation.
(*c*) Geography—Europe and Asia.
(*d*) Arithmetic—Simple and Compound Proportion with Vulgar and Decimal Fraction.
(*e*) A common-sense paper.

4. He will also have to produce a certificate from a Civil Surgeon as to his constitutional fitness or undergo an examination by the College Medical Officer for the same.

5. The Principal of the Bengal Veterinary College will decide as to whether the candidate is physically fit.

6. There will be no restrictions as to caste or nationality of candidate.

7. Candidates shall be between 18 and 26 years of age. They must be not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height and 30 inches round the chest. Exceptions will be considered by the Principal in the cases of candidates who are under 20 years whom he considers likely to develop to the above standard.

8. All applications for admission as a student are to be made in writing to the Principal of the Bengal Veterinary College, who will decide on the advisability of admission in all doubtful cases.

8A. The Principal of the College has the right to remove at any time any student whose progress or conduct he finds unsatisfactory, and any student who fails to pass the examination. If the Principal, however, should consider that such student may receive another opportunity of profiting from the instruction offered, he may permit the student to remain, provided that such student pay in advance a fee of Rs. 60 for the remaining portion of the year and that this fee may be re-imposed for any subsequent session, and provided also that this fee may be remitted or reduced by the Principal.

9. Government will allot annually not less than 33 stipends each of the monthly value of five rupees.

There will be three classes of stipends :—

(*a*) For first-year students, or Class "A," tenable for eleven and-a-half months, from 15th April to 31st March following.
(*b*) For second-year students, or Class "B," tenable for twelve months, from 1st April to 31st March following.
(*c*) For third-year students, or Class "C," tenable for twelve months, from 1st April to 31st March following.

10. The stipends will be held conditionally on the good behaviour and satisfactory progress of the holders.

11. The stipends will be awarded by the Principal after such examination or other test of the fitness of the candidates as he may think right to prescribe.

12. The Principal may stop the whole or part of the stipends of any District Board or other student for indifferent progress or misbehaviour, and shall make a note of such occurrences in the student's monthly progress report.

13. Annual examinations will be held in March for the first and second-year students, in order to determine their qualification for promotion to classes "B" and "C." The stipends mentioned

in rule 5 (*b*) and (*c*) will be allotted in accordance with the results of the annual examinations.

14. It shall be within the discretion of the Committee of Management to decide how many stipends are to be awarded to each class in any year.

15. A student already in the enjoyment of a stipend or scholarship shall not be eligible to compete for a Government scholarship.

16. The stipend of a student who fails at a yearly examination shall be stopped altogether, or for such period as the Principal deems desirable.

17. The Principal will report to the Committee as to the desirability of retaining any student who has failed at the annual examination.

18. All students shall be bound to conform to the rules of the College and to attend during the hours of instruction, unless specially granted leave of absence.

19. A student absenting himself without leave from the riding class or from a lecture will be liable to fine, or such other punishment as the Principal may desire to inflict.

20. The students may be divided into batches for attendance during the vacations in order that the work of nursing and dressing the sick may not suffer. The stipend of any student who fails to attend in his turn will be paid to his *locum tenens*.

21. In addition to the Government stipends, the Sheo Baksh Bogla Veterinary Scholarship of Rs. 9-8 per mensem will be available. It was founded by Dr. Kenneth McLeod, late Professor of Surgery at the Calcutta Medical College in 1892, in recognition of Raja Sheo Baksh Bogla's liberality in connection with the establishment of the first Veterinary School and Hospital in Bengal, and is subject to the following conditions :—

(1) that the candidate must possess the necessary educational qualifications required under paragraph (*c*) of rule 3 for admission of students ;

(2) that in awarding the scholarship, preference be given to an inhabitant of the district of Jessore ;

(3) that in the event of more than one candidate possessing the necessary qualification coming forward, preference be given to the candidate who has attained the largest number of marks in the examination ;

(4) that the scholarship be tenable for a period of three years in connection with the Bengal Veterinary College.

22. The Principal will select such candidates as he may consider fit to fill the vacancies in the list of Government stipends and to obtain the Sheo Baksh Bogla Scholarship according to the prescribed conditions. He will report his nomination to the Committee.

23. *Studies.*—The following will be the curriculum of studies :—

FIRST YEAR.

(1) *Anatomy (up to Arthrology)*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Anatomy sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Strangeway's Veterinary Anatomy.

(2) *Elementary Chemistry*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Botany sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Roscoe's Chemistry (Primer Series).

(3) *Elementary Botany (including Poisonous Plants)*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Botany sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Bentley's Botany (Primer Series).

(4) *Materia Medica*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Materia Medica sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Tuson's Veterinary Pharmacopœia.

(5) *Handling of Animals*—

Text-Books—Dhakmarvala's Handling of Domestic Animals.

(6) *Pharmacy (Theoretical and Practical)*—

Text-Books—Tuson's Veterinary Pharmacopœia.

During this year students shall be practically instructed in nursing and dressing, the handling, casting and securing of animals, and the names of the various instruments and appliances used in ordinary practice.

SECOND YEAR.

(1) *Anatomy (the whole including Comparative Anatomy)*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Anatomy sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Strangeway's Veterinary Anatomy.

(2) *Physiology*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Physiology sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Abby's Physiology.

(3) *Hygiene (including Breeding and Rearing)*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Hygiene sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Meyrick's Stable Management.

(4) *Principles of Horse-shoeing*—

Text-Book—Hunting's Horse-shoeing.

(5) *Theoretical Veterinary Medicine and Surgery*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Veterinary Medicine and Surgery sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Adam's Diseases of the Horse.
Steel's Diseases of the Ox, amplified by all information brought up to date in the Agricultural Ledgers (Veterinary Series).

(6) *General Nursing and Instructions in the use of Instruments and Appliances.*—[Subjects (5) and (6) will be taught during the year, but no examinations will take place.]

During this year students shall also attend hospital practice and receive clinical instructions. They should also attend at the Forge and Pharmacy, carry out dissections and perform operations on the dead subject.

THIRD YEAR.

(1) *Equine Medicine and Surgery*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Equine Medicine and Surgery sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Adam's Diseases of the Horse.

(2) *Bovine Medicine and Surgery (including Obstetrics)*—

Text-Book—Lectures on Bovine Medicine and Surgery sanctioned by the Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.
Steel's Diseases of the Ox amplified by all information brought up to date in the Agricultural Ledgers, Veterinary Series and Journals.

(3) *Operative Surgery*—

Text-Book—Cadiot's Exercises in Surgery.

(4) *Therapeutics (including Toxicology)*—

Text-Books—Lectures on Therapeutics sanctioned by the principal, Bengal Veterinary College.

Wallis Hoare's Veterinary Therapeutics.

(5) *Soundness of Horses and Aging of Domesticated Animals*—

Text-Book—Moore's Guide to Examination of Horses for Soundness.

Brown's Primer on Dentition.

During this year the students will be required to perform the duties of clinical clerks and dressers, to perform operations on dead subjects and afterwards on living animals, and to conduct *post-mortem* examinations. They will carry out practically all the duties appertaining to their profession.

24. The examinations to be passed for diplomas are three in number, corresponding to the years of professional study and to the subjects taught during these years. These examinations, which shall be entirely *viva voce*, will be conducted under special regulations by a Board appointed for the purpose.

25. The following are the subjects for the examinations, with the maximum number of marks that will be awarded for each of them:—

Examination at the end of the first year's study—

	Marks.
(1) Anatomy up to Arthrology ...	... 100
(2) Elementary Chemistry ...	... 100
(3) Elementary Botany (including Poisonous Plants	... 100
(4) Materia Medica	... 100
(5) Handling of Animals ...	... 100
(6) Pharmacy (Theoretical and Practical)	... 100
Total	... 600

Examination for those students who have passed the first examination and have gone through the second-year course of study—

	Marks.
(1) Anatomy (whole, including Comparative Anatomy)	... 100
(2) Physiology	... 100
(3) Hygiene (including Breeding and Rearing)	100
(4) Principles of Horse-shoeing	... 100
Total	. 400

Final or Diploma examination for those students who have passed the second examination and have gone through the third-year course of study—

	Marks.
(1) Equine Medicine and Surgery	... 200
(2) Bovine Medicine and Surgery	... 200
(3) Operative Surgery	... 200
(4) Therapeutics (including Toxicology)	... 100
(5) Soundness of Horses and Aging of Domesticated Animals	... 200
Total	... 900

This examination will be of a general nature, calculated to test the knowledge acquired by the students during the whole of their three years' course.

26. In the first and second-year class examination 33 per cent. in each subject will be required to ensure a "Pass," except Botany in the first-year class and Horse-shoeing in the second-year class in which 20 per cent. will be required, with an aggregate of 50 per cent.

27. In the Final or Diploma examination 50 per cent. in Equine and Bovine Medicine and Surgery and Operative Surgery and 33 per cent. in "Therapeutic" and "Soundness of Horse

and Aging of Domesticated Animals" will be required for a "Pass," the aggregate of all subjects being 50 per cent.

28. For admission to any examination by the Board, a candidate must have studied at the College for such time as may be prescribed, and have attended at least three-fourths of the year's lectures and have done practical work in each of the various classes. He must also have obtained from the Principal permission to appear for examination. Lists of the students who have passed the examination successfully will be published as soon as possible after completion of the examination.

29. A diploma as Graduate of the Bengal Veterinary College will be awarded to students who have gone through a full course of study at the College, and have passed the Final examination. Special certificates of proficiency will be awarded to students who have passed the Final examination, and who have, during their period of study, been elected clinical clerks, prosectors, and monitors, and have performed their duties satisfactorily.

30. Strict discipline will be maintained within the College. Infringement of rules and regulations by students will be punished by fine, rustication, expulsion, or such other punishment as may be considered advisable by the Principal after due enquiry. Each student, when his name is enrolled on the College books, will receive a copy of the rules and regulations, and on entering the College he will be required to acknowledge by signature his acceptance of such rules and regulations as are in force when he enters, and also such as may be authoritatively introduced from time to time.

31. All officials and servants of the College will be under the control of the Principal for discipline and the due performance of their duties.

32. The officers of the College, in accepting their appointments, will be considered to accept the rules and regulations then in force, and such modifications as may be made from time to time under due authority. Each officer will be held responsible for the exact performance of the duties in his branch of the College work and for the results of his teaching.

33. The Principal and Assistant Principal will exercise general supervision over all departments and be in immediate charge of the hospital wards, pharmacy, library and other parts of the College. The officers engaged in in truction will every month make a report to the Principal of the attendance of the students at their classes, and of the individual progress as shown at monthly oral examinations.

34. The Hospital Surgeon will be in immediate charge of the forge building, and will be held responsible for the condition of the feet of all animals in hospital.

35. Clinical clerks will be selected from the senior and more experienced students, and each in turn placed in charge of one of the wards of the hospital to superintend the medical treatment, nursing of the patients, and proper record of cases. Satisfactory performance of the duties of clinical clerk will be recognized by the award of a certificate on graduation.

36. Every student who is not a clinical clerk will perform the duties of dresser. He will be responsible that all instructions as to the nursing and medical treatment of the animals under his charge are carried out by himself.

37. Two students to act as prosectors may be appointed by the Lecturer on Anatomy every session. To them will be entrusted the preparation of all "subjects" required to illustrate his lectures, the hanging of diagrams, placing of specimens on the lacture table, etc. Satisfactory performance of these duties will also be recognised by the award of a special certificate.

38. The Principal will furnish a monthly report during the term to each person or body of persons by whom the students are supported at the College as to their regularity of attendance, progress, and conduct while on the College premises. The progress of each student will be judged from the monthly examinations.

39. Damage to property in the College (as writing on or defacing the doors or walls) is strictly prohibited. The Principal will periodically inspect all the buildings of the College, and enquire into any damage that may have been done.

40. Tables of the times and subjects of the lectures will be posted on the Notice Board at the commencement of each term to which both teachers and students will adhere.

41. A library and reading-room will be established in the College to assist the students, and for professional reference. It will be conducted under special rules, which will be posted up in the room, and which will be strictly observed.

42. Models, mounted specimens, diagrams, and expensive instruments, not frequently required, will be kept in the museum. They will there be on view for purposes of study, but in no case be removed, except by the teachers when required for use in the lecture-room or hospital.

43. The museum will be under the charge of a Curator, who will be responsible for order and discipline in the museum.

44. The records of the College will be kept by the clerk under the immediate supervision of the Principal or Assistant Principal.

45. The records of the hospital will be kept by the Hospital Surgeon under the immediate supervision of the Assistant Principal.

46. The class rooms and library of the College will be available for students' meetings, at the discretion of the Principal. No students' society, bearing the name of the College, may be formed without his consent.

47. The dissecting-room will be open during daylight to all students, but advanced students only will be allowed to dissect there under the supervision of the Instructor on Anatomy, whose duty it will be to distribute "parts" and subjects and record attendance and work.

48. Dissections will be carried on throughout the cold-weather session between 1st November and 28th February, and no student shall, on any pretext whatsoever, be exempt from this most important part of his duties. The strictest discipline, cleanliness, and order are at all times to be preserved in the dissecting-room.

49. A small plot of ground will be arranged on the premises as a botanical garden in such a way as to render it of value to the students in obtaining practical acquaintance with medicinal, dietetic, and poisonous plants. It will at all times be open to the students, and the gardener will, so far as possible, supply them with plants, for the practical study of botany.

50. *Post-mortem* examinations are to be made in the case of all animals dying in the hospital, except when the owner has expressed a wish to the contrary. The result will be recorded in a book kept specially for the purpose.

51. The isolation wards will, when occupied, be placed in charge of a special clinical clerk, fully instructed as to the measures necessary for the protection of the attendants and the prevention of contagion.

52 The pharmacy and drug-store will be in the immediate charge of the Assistant Principal. No student or attendant will be allowed to enter into this part of the hospital without special permission. The Hospital Surgeon will be responsible for the proper preparation of medicines, and that neither waste nor mistakes in dispensing be made.

53. Menial servants of the College, as sanctioned by Government, are to be mustered monthly in the presence of the Principal and then receive their pay. They will hold their posts during good behaviour and satisfactory performance of their duties. Their work will be explained thoroughly to them before they join, and they will be constantly in attendance daily for such hour as may be determined from time to time.

Rules for the Admission of Animals into the hospital of the Bengal Veterinary College.

1. Accommodation is available for 250 head of cattle and 50 horses as patients in the hospital.

2. Animals manifestly suffering from any incurable disease will not be admitted into the hospital without the special sanction of the Assistant Principal or Principal in each case.

3. For the purposes of convenience and accounts, the animals admissible as patients will be dealt with in five classes, as follows:—

Class I.—Horses and Ponies belonging to well-to-do owners.

	Rs.	A.	P.	
(*a*) In-patients	1	0	0	per diem.
with a minimum charge of	12	0	0	
(*b*) Out-patients	5	0	0	each case.
(*c*) Charge for examination and written opinion as to soundness	16	0	0	

Class II.—Horses and Ponies belonging to persons of small means and to hackney-carriage drivers.

	Rs.	A.	P.	
(*a*) In-patients, horses	0	6	0	per diem.
with a minimum charge of	5	0	0	
In-patients, ponies	0	4	0	per diem.
with a minimum charge of	3	0	0	
(*b*) Out-patients, horses and ponies... ...	1	0	0	each case.
(*c*) Examination for soundness and verbal opinion—				
Horses	5	0	0	
Ponies	5	0	0	

Class III.—Cattle.

	Rs.	A.	P.	
(*b*) In-patients, if fed by owners	Free.			
(*b*) In-patients, if fed by hospital—				
Well-to-do owners	0	6	0	per diem.
with a minimum charge of ...	1	8	0	
Cartmen, gwalas, and pack-bullock drivers	0	1	0	per diem.
with a minimum charge of ...	0	6	0	
People who are, in the opinion of the Superintendent, unable to pay ...	Free.			
(*c*) Out-patients—				
Well-to-do owners	0	8	0	each case.
Others	Free.			

Class IV.—Dogs.

	Rs.	A.	P.	
(*a*) In-patients	0	4	0	per diem
with a minimum charge of	3	0	0	
(*b*) Out-patients, for a course of treatment ...	1	0	0	
(*c*) Charge for examination	5	0	0	
(*d*) The property of poor people	Free.			

Class V.—Sheep and Goats.

	Rs.	A.	P.	
(*a*) In-patients	0	2	0	per diem.
with a minimum charge of	0	8	0	
(*b*) Out-patients, for a course of treatment ...	0	4	0	
(*c*) The property of poor people	Free.			

4. The fees mentioned in rule 3 include feeding, nursing operations, and general treatment.

5. Animals, if not taken away after a week's notice has been given to the owner to the effect that the patient may be removed, will, if able to travel, be sent to the Pinjrapole at Sodepur, by permission of the Committee of the Pinjrapole Society.

6. Out-patients (*i.e.*, animals brought to the hospital and taken away after inspection and advice) in Classes II and III will receive advice and medicine *gratis* between the hours of 7 and 11 A.M. Urgent cases will be admitted at any hour.

7. Patients in Class I must in each case be accompanied by a syce, who must remain with the animal. Animals in the other classes must be similarly attended to if the Principal or Assistant Principal considers it necessary.

8. With regard to feeding, nursing and treatment, all patients will be looked after with equal care, irrespective of their classification.

9. All accounts must be settled and charges paid before any animal is removed.

10. Owners of animals may visit the College to see their animals at any time in the day, but will not be allowed to interfere in any way with the treatment of patients.

11. All important operations will be conducted on patients with the aid of chloroform or other anæsthetic.

12. A few horses may be shod in the forge attached to the College. The uniform rate will be Re. 1-8 for shoeing and 12 annas for removal.

13. All animals sent to the College for treatment, etc., receive every care and attention, but the College does not hold itself responsible for any unavoidable accidents or deaths.

14. Advance of money must be made by the owners for treatment when necessary.

Rules for the Management of the Bengal Veterinary College Hostel.

1. The Hostel has been expressly provided for the benefit of the students of the Bengal Veterinary College, who must live in it after being admitted as students, and abide by the rules in force.

2. *Fees.*—Each student, on joining the Hostel, will be required to deposit "caution-money" to the amount of Rs. 5, which will be ultimately returned to the student if he has not rendered himself liable to forfeiture of the whole, or any part of it.

The charge for board and light shall be at the rate of Rs. 8 per month. In addition to this, each student shall be charged Re. 1 for the ground floor and Rs. 2 for the second floor per month. A student occupying one of the single rooms on the ground floor shall be charged Rs. 2 per month.

3. *All payments must be made into the Manager's office before the 15th of the month for which the money is due: a fine of Re. 1 for every three days' delay will be imposed. If the payment be not made, the defaulter's name will be removed from the books.*

4. Students taking admission after the 15th of the month shall get full deduction of the monthly charge for board and light only for the period prior to their admission, and when withdrawing from the Hostel on or before the 15th of the month, shall get a similar deduction for the period subsequent to their withdrawal. Every withdrawal requires the previous sanction of the Principal.

5. A student absenting himself from the Hostel for more than fifteen consecutive days with the written permission of the Principal shall be entitled to remission of the monthly fee at the rate of 3 annas per day.

6. *Accommodation and Furniture.*—Each of the large rooms is furnished with six beds, one table, six chairs, eight wall cupboards, with padlocks, and a hanging lamp, and will accommodate six students. Every student must bring his own *clothing* and *bedding, but* no extra furniture can be admitted without the permission of the Principal.

7. The unauthorized removal of an article of furniture from its proper place shall be punished with fine, and a student wilfully damaging any article will have to replace it or pay for its repair.

8. *Meals.*—There shall be a uniform course of dietary consisting of rice and such other articles as are used in ordinary native families. There shall be a fixed scale, which will not be exceeded, except with the sanction of the Principal. Arrangements for the daily meals shall be made by a Mess Committee composed of two students, in consultation with the Manager and in accordance with the sanctioned scale. Two of the boarders will be taken *weekly* in rotation to assist in making the bazar purchases and in using the required quantity of each article.

9. Students must go to the dining-rooms for their meals, *between 10 and 11* in the morning and *8 and 9* in the evening. Those failing to do so will be treated as absent.

10. *Conduct.*—A certain number of students will be appointed monitors monthly in rotation. Students will have to pay strict obedience to the rules and to behave well in matters not provided for by the rules. All breaches of discipline or cases of misconduct will be reported by the monitor to the Manager, and, in serious cases, by the latter to the Principal.

Students may be removed from the Hostel for laziness or misconduct.

11. A conduct register of each student will be kept by the Manager, who will have no power to cancel or alter any entry once made and signed.

The students will have their names placed in the conduct register, and be fined or otherwise punished for—

(*a*) disobedience of orders or infringement of rules;
(*b*) absence without leave;
(*c*) neglect of study;
(*d*) insubordination or disrespect to the authorities;
(*e*) assaulting or abusing a servant of the Hostel;
(*f*) want of cleanliness or tidiness in their rooms;
(*g*) misconduct not provided for by the rules.

12. Students shall not crowd round or follow a visitor or inspecting officer while in premises. They should remain in their places, unless called out, and should pay the customary marks of respect to official visitors.

13. *Sickness.*—Students falling *seriously* sick may be removed to the *North Suburban Hospital at Chitpur*, where they will receive gratuitous medical treatment, and if attacked with small-pox, cholera or other infectious diseases, they will be promptly removed from the hospital to the *Campbell Hospital at Sealdah.*

14. *Attendance.*—The roll shall be called by the monitors twice a day, viz., (1) at 6 A.M. from March to October, and 6-30 A.M. from November to February, and (2) at 8-30 P.M., and also by the Manager once a day. Any one found absent will be called upon for an explanation. Any student staying away from the Hostel premises after nightfall shall be reported to the Principal, *and must give a satisfactory explanation.*

15. The gate will be closed at 8-30 P.M. *when* visitors shall leave the premises. The roll shall be called immediately afterwards. Every entry and departure after that hour shall be recorded in a book by the durwan, who will immediately report it to the Manager. The gate will be locked for the night at 11-30 P.M., and will not be unlocked until the next morning after roll-call.

16. *Outsiders.*—The Hostel is intended solely for the students of the Bengal Veterinary College; no outsiders shall, therefore, be allowed to live in it, *except those connected with the College.* Relatives and friends of the students only will be allowed to visit the Hostel from 5 to 8 P.M. No visitor shall be allowed to have a meal in the Hostel.

17. *Hours for reading.*—There shall be stated hours for reading, during which no student shall go to another's rooms, or in any way interrupt others in their studies.

18. *Exercise.*—Football and other games may be played on the recreation ground, and students taking part in these shall pay a monthly subscription of one anna to the Secretary to the Hostel Football Club. The arrangements for all games shall be regulated by the Club.

19. There will be a riding school held every day throughout the year, Sundays excepted, and all students must attend them regularly. The students in classes "B" and "C" will form one division, and those in class "A" will form another, and each division shall attend on alternate days. *All students will be obliged to attend their classes.*

20. *Menial servants.*—All the servants shall have their duties specified. Any complaints of neglect of duty, or of insubordination or misconduct, shall, in the first instance, be made to the Manager. The Principal shall be the final authority in punishing a servant. Under no circumstances shall a servant be assaulted or abused by a student.

These rules are subject to modification hereafter, if found necessary.

DECLARATION.

No. 2489L.A.—The 15th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for construction of two quarters for the two Munsifs of Jhenidah, in the village of Beparipara, pargana Mehammadshahi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 19 cottahs and 15 $\frac{3}{5}$ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Jessore.

North—By the Government land occupied by the District Board,
East—By the Beparipara kutcha road,
South—By Gangadhar Dutta's land,
West—By the dāk bungalow land—

is required within the aforesaid village of Beparipara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Collector of Jhenidah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2491L.A.—The 15th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Budge-Budge Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a trenching ground in the villages of Nandanpur and Banjanhauri, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 bighas 15 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

24-Parganas.

North and East—By the village land of Nandanpūr, the municipal road and village land of Banjanhauri,
South and West—By the village lands of Nandanpur and Banjanhauri—

is required within the aforesaid villages of Nandanpur and Banjanhauri.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Budge-Budge.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2569L.A.—The 16th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board, Cuttack, for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed approach road to the Haridaspur station, in the villages of Baligori, Brahmapur and Saroe, pargana Killa Darpan, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 acres 2 roods 19·5 poles of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the cultivated and uncultivated land of mauza Saroe, belonging to Bhaji Jena and Mahanta Gopal Das, cultivated land of mauza Brahmapur, belonging to Jagu Baral, and uncultivated land of mauza Baligori, belonging to Banamali Sathpasthy, on the south by the cultivated land of mauza Saroe, belonging to Mahanta Gopal Das, uncultivated land of mauza Brahmapur, belonging to Hari Mallik, and cultivated and uncultivated land of mauza Baligori, belonging to Jagu Baral, on the east by the High Level Canal, Range I, and on the west by the land belonging to the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, is required within the aforesaid villages of Baligori, Brahmapur and Saroe.

Cuttack.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Irrigation Branch, Cuttack.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2590L.A.—The 17th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for construction of Alamdanga police-station building, on a new site, in the district of Nadia, in the village of Govindapur, pargana Shahauzial, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 1 cottah 5½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Nadia.

North—By the lands of Keshob Pramanik, Nitya Lal Pramanik, Gour Chandra Saha and others, Asraf Mandal, Panchu Mandal and others and Banamali Pramanik;

East—By the lands of Panchu Mandal and others and Bhagan Chamar;

South—By the public road;

West—By the lands of Banamali Pramanik and Madhob Mandal;

is required within the aforesaid village of Govindapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2592L.A.—The 17th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor, of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Puri Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Puri town main drainage outfall and for the sewage farm, in the village of Balukhand, pargana Oldhar, zilla Puri, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 80·50 acres of standard measurement bounded on the—

Puri.

North—By portions of plots Nos. 2027, 2028 and 2029 (sandy waste), belonging to Zamindar Ram Krishna Bose;

East—By plots Nos. 2027 and 2037 (sandy waste), belonging to Zamindar Ram Krishna Bose;

South—By the sea;

West—By the Balukhand Government Estate;

is required within the aforesaid village of Balukhand.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Collector of Puri.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2601L.A.—The 18th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the accommodation of the Companybag Town outpost, in the village of Qusba, pargana Bhagalpur, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Bhagalpur.

North—By the house and compound of Maulvi Tyab,

East—By Golam Rasul's Lane,

South—By the Cleveland Road,

West—By the house and compound of Maulvi Tyab,

is required within the aforesaid village of Qusba.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bhagalpur.

The declaration No. 1564L.A., dated the 16th March 1907, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th March 1907, is hereby cancelled.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2603L.A.—The 18th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for construction of a Guru Training School at Haji Subhan in Monghyr, in the village of Qasba Monghyr, pargana Monghyr, zilla Monghyr, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 10 cottahs of local measurement, bounded on the—

Monghyr.

North—By the holding of the Gaurakhshini Sabha,
East—By the holding of Sagu Mian and zamindari of Mohammad Bux,
South—By a road,
West—By a road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Haji Subhan.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Monghyr.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2606L.A.—The 18th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a new coal yard at Chitpur, in the vicinity of the Bone Mill at Ultadinghi, in the village of Ultadinghi, pargana Dihi Panchannogram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 25 bighas 10 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By a public lane,
East—Partly by land belonging to Bone Mill, Company and partly by land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway.
South—Partly by land belonging to Bone Mill Company and partly by land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway,
West—Partly by Baidya Nath Bose's Garden Lane and partly by land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway.

is required within the aforesaid village of Ultadinghi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Eastern Bengal State Railway, Sealdah.

F. W. DUKE.
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2608L.A.—The 18th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for East Indian Railway Company's road overbridge at Old Benares road level crossing at mile 1¾ near the Howrah new Loco. and Sorting yards in the village of Bamungachi, including Gourangabati, tahsil Boroe, district Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 1 cottah 5 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 1 acre 2·17 poles), or 1·01 acres, bounded as stated below—

Hooghly.

Plot No. I—North and west by the East Indian Railway Company's land, south and east by the lands of Amrita Lal Pramanic and Khetra Mohan Gachit,
Plot No. II—North by the Old Benares road, south and east by the land of Sir Chandra Madhab Ghose, and west by the East Indian Railway Company's land,

are required within the aforesaid village of Bamungachi, including Gourangabati.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Howrah, Land Acquisition Department, and in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Howrah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2636 L.A.—The 20th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Manicktolla Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the trenching-ground of Manicktollah Municipality, in the village of Dutta's Abad, pargana Dihi Panchannogram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15 bighas of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the remaining portion of holding No. 32, Division 3, subdivision 1, on the east by the surplus land of new cut canal, on the south by the existing trenching-ground and holding No. 33, Division 3, subdivision 1, and on the west by holding Nos. 33, 43 and 42, Division 3, subdivision 1, is required within the aforesaid village of Dutta's Abad.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Manicktollah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2637 L.A.—The 20th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for siding No. 1A, Burragarh Coal Company, in the villages of Burragarh and Gopalichuck, pargana Jherria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 bighas 8 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

North—By Bengal-Nagpur Railway land and waste land of village Gopalichuck,
East—By Bengal-Nagpur Railway land,
South—By waste land of village Burragarh,
West—By waste land of villages Burragarh and Gopalichuck,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Burragarh and Gopalichuck.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Adra.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2639 L.A.—The 20th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for brick field and store yard at Manjhi, in the villages of Manjhi and Sahabalpore, pargana Manjhi, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 198 bighas 1 cottah 4 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Saran.

North—By the Railway fencing,
East—By the fields of Raghunandan Roy, Mossamat Rikeba and Garib Roy,
South—By the fields of Raghunandan Roy, Ram Nazar Roy, Ram Subhag Singh and Abdul Rahim,
West—By the Railway fencing,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Manjhi and Sahabalpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Saran.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2641L.A.—The 20th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Bengal Nagpur Railway Company, for Jamdooba Loop Siding No. 3A, Bengal Iron Steel Company at Noonikdih, Bengal Nagpur Railway, in the village of Noonikdih, pargana Jherria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 14 cottahs 11 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

North—By Bengal Nagpur Railway land,
East—By ditto ditto and waste land of village Noonikdih,
South—By dry land and rice field of village Noonikdih,
West—By waste land of village Noonikdih,

is required within the aforesaid village of Noonikdih.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bengal Nagpur Railway, Adra.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3104.—The 17th July 1908.—Mr. Samuel Chandra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dumka, is appointed to be Secretary to the District Committee of Public Instruction, Sonthal Parganas, *vice* Babu Monomohun Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, transferred.

Dumka.
Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3233.—The 20th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 3 of Act V (B.C) of 1881, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Revd. D. H. Gillan, Senior Chaplain, St. Andrew's Church, to act as a member of the Christian Burial Board for the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of the Revd. G. J. Chree.

Calcutta.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 3137.—The 16th July 1908.—Babu Jadubansha Sahay, Sub-Registrar, Mahua, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 1st August 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3139.—The 16th July 1908.—Babu Ananda Gopal Mukharji, District Sub-Registrar of Cuttack, was granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for thirteen days, with effect from the 1st July 1908, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 11th June 1908.

Cuttack.

No. 3141.—The 16th July 1908.—Babu Shatruhan Prasad Sing, Sub-Registrar, Sitamarhi, in the district of Muzaffarpur, who was granted leave under the order of the 28th May 1907, was permitted to return to duty on the forenoon of the 4th June 1908.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3208.—The 17th July 1908.—Maulvi Sattar Baksh, District Sub-Registrar of Ranchi, was appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Jessore, with effect from the 15th to 30th June 1908, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Golam Nabi, Officiating District Sub-Registrar of Jessore.

Ranchi.
Jessore.

No. 3210.—The 17th July 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Garbetta, in the district of Midnapore, is transferred to Onda, in the district of Bankura.

Midnapore.
Bankura.

No. 3212.—The 17th July 1908.—Babu Umesh Chandra Chakrabarti, Sub-Registrar, Onda, in the district of Bankura, is transferred to Garbetta, in the district of Midnapore.

Bankura.
Midnapore.

No. 3214.—The 17th July 1908.—Babu Umesh Chandra Chakrabatti, Sub Registrar, Onda, in the district of Bankura, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three weeks, with effect from the 21st June 1908, in extension of the leave granted to him under Government order No. 2325, dated the 9th April 1908.

Bankura.

No. 3216.—The 17th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Zaki Riza, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Murshidabad, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Labpur, in the district of Birbhum, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Murshidabad.
Birbhum.

No. 3227.—The 20th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Mosfiqus Saleheen is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Basirhat, in the district of 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3231.—The 20th July 1908.—The following promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the grades of Sub-Registrars :—

Promoted to grade I.

1. Babu Prasanna Kumar Sil, with effect from the 1st December 1907, *vice* Babu Mahendra Nath Gangali, deceased.
2. Babu Thakur Prasad, with effect from the 18th December 1907, *vice* Babu Jogendro Chandra Mukharji, deceased.

Promoted to grade II.

1. Maulvi Abdur Razzak Ansari, with effect from the 1st December 1907, *vice* Babu Prasanna Kumar Sil, promoted to grade I.
2. Babu Atul Krishna Mukharji, with effect from the 18th December 1907, *vice* Babu Thakur Prasad, promoted to grade I.

Promoted to grade III.

1. Babu Badri Prasad Singh, with effect from the 1st December 1907, *vice* Maulvi Abdur Razzak Ansari, promoted to grade II.
2. Babu Satish Chandra Sarkar, with effect from the 18th December 1907, *vice* Babu Atul Krishna Mukharji, promoted to grade II.

Confirmed in grade IV.

1. Babu Kamakya Kumar Banarji, with effect from the 28th October 1907, *vice* Maulvi Khundkar Ali Tahir, confirmed as a Sub-Deputy Collector.
2. Maulvi Saiyid Saiyid-ul Aziz, with effect from the 1st December 1907, *vice* Babu Badri Prasad Singh, promoted to grade III.
3. Babu Sharat Kumar Banarji, with effect from the 18th December 1907, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Sarkar, promoted to grade III.
4. Babu Dhiraj Mukharji, with effect from the 3rd January 1908, *vice* Babu Jadab Chandra Paramanik, deceased.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to grade IV.*

1. Babu Baladeb Sahay Barma, with effect from the 23rd October 1907, on account of the opening of a Sub-Registry Office at Salepur (Cuttack), as an experimental measure, for one year.
2. Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, with effect from the 1st December 1907, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Saiyid-ul Aziz, confirmed in grade IV.
3. Babu Badri Narayan, with effect from the 16th December 1907, on account of the opening of a Sub-Registry Office at Balarampur (Manbhum), as an experimental measure, for one year.
4. Babu Anish Chandra Mitra, with effect from the 18th December 1907, *vice* Babu Sharat Kumar Banarji, confirmed in grade IV.
5. Mr. Samuel Purti, with effect from the 18th December 1907, on account of the opening of a Sub-Registry Office at Hura (Manbhum), as an experimental measure, for one year.
6. Kra Yusuf Mirza, with effect from the 3rd January 1908, *vice* Babu Dhiraj Mukharji, confirmed in grade IV.

Confirmed in grade V.

1. Babu Bhagaban Das, with effect from the 28th October 1907, *vice* Babu Kamakya Kumar Banarji, confirmed in grade IV.
2. Babu Nanda Prasad Barma, with effect from the 1st December 1907, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Saiyid-ul Aziz, confirmed in grade IV.
3. Babu Amirta Lal Gupta, with effect from the 18th December 1907, *vice* Babu Sharat Kumar Banarji, confirmed in grade IV.
4. Babu Jotindra Lal Mitra, with effect from the 3rd January 1908, *vice* Babu Dhiraj Mukharji, confirmed in grade IV.

Appointed substantively pro tempore *to grade V.*

1. Babu Rajani Bhusan Ray, with effect from the 23rd October 1907, *vice* Babu Baladeb Sahay Barma, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV.
2. Mr. Arthur Gupta, with effect from the 12th November 1907, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Altaf Ahmad, appointed Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector.
3. Maulvi Saiyid Abdur Nayeem, with effect from the 1st December 1907, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV.
4. Babu Satish Chandra Sen, with effect from the 2nd December 1907, *vice* Babu Nanda Prasad Barma, appointed Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector
5. Babu Jatindra Nath Mazumdar, with effect from the 16th December 1907, *vice* Babu Badri Narayan, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 470-O.—The 17th July 1908.—Mr. W. H. T. Howey, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Fategarh, is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and twenty-six days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations, with effect from the 20th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Fategarh.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1190Medl.—The 16th July 1908.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel G. F. A. Harris, I.M.S., Professor of Materia Medica, Medical College, Calcutta, and Second Physician, College Hospital, are replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

Calcutta.

No. 1201Medl.—The 17th July 1908.—Dr. W. Forsyth, Health Officer of the Port of Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for one day under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted him in Notification No. 66T.—Medl., dated the 6th May 1908.

Calcutta.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1229Medl.—The 18th July 1908—The following report is published for general information:—

C. E A. W. OLDHAM.
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Dated Darjeeling, the 15th April 1908.

From—MAJOR J. T. CALVERT, M.B. (Lond.), M.R.C.P., (Lond.), I.M.S., Superintendent, Eden Sanitarium and Hospital, Darjeeling,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial and Medical Departments.

(Through the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.)

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report on the working of the Eden Sanitarium and Hospital for the year 1907. Captain Clayton Lane, I.M.S., was in charge from 1st January to 16th March 1907, Major F. O'Kinealy, I.M.S., from 17th March to the 26th November, and Major J. T. Calvert, I.M.S., from the 27th of November to the 31st December 1907.

2. The Sanitarium opened on the 16th of March 1907 and closed on the 19th of November 1907. The Hospital remained open throughout the year and was occupied during the whole of the winter months.

3. The following table shows the number of each class of patients and friends admitted into the Sanitarium during the last six years:—

ADMISSIONS.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.
First class	75	98	68	67	72	65
Intermediate class	84	66	74	79	107	73
Second class	188	195	221	189	207	230
Third class	173	132	96	125	108	122
Total ...	520	491	459	460	494	490

The following tables show the number of patients and their relatives and friends admitted during each of the last six years, together with the daily average sick:—

Patients.

	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.
Admissions	373	338	321	305	344	351
Daily average sick ...	47·01	37·31	34·30	35·69	28·93	33·68

Relatives and Friends.

	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.
Total number	147	153	138	155	150	139

In Table C attached to the report will be found a list of the places from which patients came.

The total admissions were practically the same as in the previous year, there being a difference of only 4.

There was a decrease in the first and intermediate classes and an increase in the second and third classes.

4. *Free beds.*—As usual four free beds were maintained for the benefit of convalescent patients from the Medical College and General Hospitals, Calcutta; they were occupied throughout the season. The cost, reckoning them as third class, was Rs. 962-8.

Two free cots were maintained throughout the season—one by the Theo-Beryl Fund and one by the Children's Ministering League.

In addition to these free beds Rs. 500 is allotted by the Committee for free beds to be expended at the discretion of the Superintendent. One free bed was utilized by the Superintendent during the year at a cost of Rs. 146.

The rule whereby Commercial Firms, Banks, etc., can obtain a reduction in the rates charged for their European Assistants, if admitted to the Sanitarium, was taken advantage of by two firms.

Donations and subscriptions, amounting to Rs. 350 only, were received during the year, the subscribing firms being—

	Subscription. Rs.
Tukvar Tea Coy.	100
Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway Co.	100
The "Statesman"	25
Messrs. Hamilton & Co.	25
,, Ranken & Co.	25
,, T. E. Thomson & Co.	25
,, Cooke and Kelvey	25
,, Mackintosh, Burn & Co	25
Total ...	350

In addition to the above sum of Rs. 350 received as donations and subscriptions Rs. 551-5-3 was received from collection by the Hospital Sunday Fund in accordance with the suggestion made by the Committee at the meeting held on 29th September 1906. This brings the total of money received to Rs. 901-5-3, whereas the expenditure on free beds amounted to Rs. 1,108-8.

5. The diseases for which patients were admitted are shown in Table A.

There were 8 cases of enteric fever as compared with 3 in 1906. Of these all but one were imported.

Malarial fever accounted for 25 cases, as compared with 28 in 1906.

The operations performed are given in Table B, and numbered 49 as against 54 in 1906.

Six confinements took place during the year as compared with 9 in the previous year.

There were 7 deaths compared with 12 in 1906.

6. *Income and expenditure.*—For details see Table F. The total income in 1907 was Rs. 46,702-4-9, as compared with Rs 33,906-1-6 in 1906.

In order to equalize the marked deficiency in income over expenditure which had occurred in recent years necessitating annual loans from Government, the Committee introduced new rules requiring small extra payment from those requiring medical attendance, operations, medicines and dressings, etc. From this source during the present year the following sums were realized:—

	Rs.	A.
Medical attendance	4,245	0
Operations	1,538	15
Total ...	5,783	15

The daily average cost of diet for inmates only, not including staff, was Re. 1-14-3 compared with Re 1-9 in 1906.

The accounts were as in former years audited by Messrs. Lovelock and Lewis, of Calcutta, whose letter giving the result of audit and statements showing the financial position are attached.

General Remarks.—Military Assistant Surgeon M. Galvin was Resident Medical Officer up to the 13th December 1907, and is reported to have performed his duties satisfactorily.

Military Assistant Surgeon J. J. A. Brachio joined his appointment as Resident Medical Officer on the 14th December 1907. Mrs O'Flaherty was appointed House-keeper on the 15th February 1907 and remained till the end of the year.

Munshi Abdul Karim has been Accountant since the opening of the Institution in 1883, and has, as usual, worked very well throughout the year. The Auditor was satisfied with the care and accuracy with which the accounts were kept.

The nursing arrangements and house linen were, as usual, under the superintendence of two of the Clewer Sisters from Calcutta.

The customary annual repairs were carried out, and the furniture, crockery, linen and drugs were renewed as usual.

No. 1259Medl.—The 20th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Poisons Act, 1904 (I of 1904), as extended by the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department No. 620, dated the 13th May 1908, and in supersession of this Government Notification No. 315Medl. of 4th February 1908, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the possession for sale, and the sale, of white arsenic and certain other poisons in Bengal.

I. In these rules—

(*1*) The said poisons means any of the following poisons, namely:—

(*i*) White arsenic.

(*ii*) Sulphides of arsenic—

(*a*) Red sulphides (realgar).

(*b*) Yellow sulphide (orpiment).

(*iii*) Impure sulphides of arsenic—

(*c*) Black arsenic.

(*d*) Impure orpiments—

(*1*) White sulphuret.

(*2*) Pink sulphide.

(*3*) Brown sulphide.

(*iv*) Green arsenic—

(*e*) Arsenite of copper (Scheele's green).

(*f*) Aceto arsenite of copper (Schwinfurth's green).

(*v*) Aconite.

(*vi*) Perchloride of mercury (corrosive sublimate).

(*2*) "Sell" and "sale" mean respectively "sell by retail" and "sale by retail."

II.—No person shall possess any of the said poisons for sale, except under a license granted in this behalf by the District Magistrate, and no person not possessing such a license shall sell any of the said poisons.

III.—The grant or withdrawal of a license to any applicant shall be at the discretion of the District Magistrate, whose decision thereon shall be final.

IV.—A fee of Re. 1 per annum shall be charged for each license granted under rule II, and shall be paid before the grant of such license; and the license shall be inscribed on a non-judicial impressed stamped paper of the appropriate value: provided that no fee shall be charged to any person who has already paid the annual fee for a license to possess any of the said poisons for sale under the rules made under section 2 of the Poisons Act, 1904.

V.—Every license granted under rule II shall terminate on the death of the license-holder

VI.—The District Magistrate may, for any sufficient cause, revoke or cancel any such license.

VII.—A license-holder shall effect every sale of any of the said poisons in person.

VIII.—A license-holder shall not sell any of the said poisons to any person, unless the latter is personally known to him, or is indentified to his satisfaction. He shall not sell any of the said poisons to any person who appears to him to be under the age of 18, or to any person who does not appear to him to be in full possession of his faculties, or to any wandering mendicant.

IX.—A license-holder shall not sell any of the said poisons in a quantity exceeding one ounce at any one time and to any one person.

X. (*1*)—A license-holder shall maintain a register in which he shall enter all sales of any of the said poisons

(*2*) The following particulars shall be entered in such register in respect of each sale, namely:—

(*a*) Name of poison.

(*b*) Quantity sold.

(*c*) Date of sale.

(*d*) Name of purchaser.

(*e*) Address of purchaser.

(*f*) Purpose for which the poison is stated to be required.

(*g*) Signature of purchaser (or, where the purchaser is illiterate, his thumb-mark).

(*h*) Signature of vendor.

XI.—A license-holder shall maintain a stock register, which shall contain the following particulars, namely:—

(*a*) Serial number.

(*b*) Date.

(*c*) Amount received.

(*d*) Name and address of person from whom received.

(*e*) Amount sold.

(*f*) Balance in stock.

(*g*) Remarks.

XII.—Any Magistrate, any Police-officer of or above the rank of Sub-Inspector, any Revenue-officer of or above the rank of Kanungo or Naib-Tahsilder, or any Medical Officer of or above the rank of Hospital Assistant, may at any time visit and inspect the premises of a license-holder where any of the said poisons is kept for sale, and may inspect the stock found therein and the registers maintained under rules X and XI.

XIII. (*1*)—The said poisons shall be kept in a separate locked almirah or box, which shall have the word "Poison" in English and the Vernacular painted on it in red letters.

(*2*) Each small receptacle within such almirah or box shall be marked in paint with the name of the poison contained in it, and shall also have the word "Poison" in English and the Vernacular painted upon it in red letters.

XIV.—The said poisons shall not be kept otherwise than in securely closed receptacles of glass tin or earthenware.

XV.—When any of the said poisons is sold, it shall be securely packed in a packet, and every packet sold shall be labelled by the vendor with a red label bearing the name of the poison in the Vernacular, the name of the vendor, and the number and date of the entry in the register of sales.

XVI.—A license-holder shall not sell powdered arsenic or powdered sulphide of arsenic to any person, unless the same is, before the sale thereof, mixed with soot, indigo or Prussian blue in the proportion of half an ounce of soot, indigo or Prussian blue at least to one pound of the arsenic or sulphide, and so in proportion for any greater or less quantity.

XVII.—When a license-holder also deals in any of the said poisons wholesale, the stock maintained for sale by retail shall be kept entirely distinct from any stock maintained for the purpose of wholesale transactions.

XVIII.—The powers conferred by these rules upon a District Magistrate may be exercised in the town of Calcutta, as defined in section 3 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Ben. Act III of 1899), by the Commissioner of Police, and in a Cantonment by the Cantonment Magistrate.

No. 1265Medl.—The 20th July 1908.—The following orders issued by the Government of India, in the Home Department, are again re-published for general information, with the addition of the appropriate vernacular name of each poison.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

No. 620, dated Simla, the 13th May 1908.

IN exercise of the power conferred by section 6, sub-section (1), of the Poisons Act, 1904 (I of 1904), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to apply to the poisons specified below all the provisions of the said Act relating exclusively to white arsenic :—

NAMES OF POISONS.	Bengali name.	Hindi name.	Uriya name.
I.—Sulphides of Arsenic—			
(*a*) Red sulphide (Realgar)...	Monchhal or Monsil	Mansil ...	Manasila.
(*b*) Yellow sulphide (Orpiment).	Harital or Hurtal...	Hartal ...	Harital.
II.—Impure sulphides of Arsenic—			
(*c*) Black Arsenic	Rasamanik.		
(*d*) Impure Orpiments—			
(1) White sulphuret.	Darmooj (its different varieties).	Sufaid Hartal.	
(2) Pink sulphide		Gulabi	
(3) Brown sulphide.		Bhura ,, or Thikri	
III—Green Arsenic—			
(*e*) Arsenite of Copper (Scheele's Green).	Hirwa... ...	Hirwa.	
(*f*) Aceto-arsenite of Copper (Schweinfurth's green).			
IV.—Aconite	Mitta-bish, Sringi-bish, Kat-bish, Bach-nav.	Dakra	Katbis or Mitha-bis.
V.—Perchloride of Mercury (Corrosive sublimate).	Ras-Kappoor or Rasa-Karkur (a mixture of Perchloride and subchloride as sold in the Bazaar.)	Raskapur	Rasa Karpur.

CORRIGENDUM.

No. 1260Medl.—The 20th July 1908.—In Government notification No. 314Medl., dated the 4th February 1908, published at pages 283-84, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem, publishing the rules to regulate the possession for sale and the sale of certain poisons within the limits of Municipalities and Cantonments in Bengal, for the words "white arsenic" in rule IV read "poison."

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3920A.

LEAVE.

No. 3912A.—The 16th July 1908.—Babu Jagat Narayan Sarkar, Munsif of Muzaffarpur, is allowed leave for twenty-two days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 3rd June 1908.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3913A.—The 18th July 1908.—Babu Bihari Lal Chatarji, No. II, Munsif of Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is allowed leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Khulna.

POWERS.

No. 3744A.—The 15th July 1908.—Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (2), section 8, of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to invest Babu Nagendra Nath Gupta, Deputy Magistrate, Gaya, with the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of the said section.

Gaya.

No. 3746A.—The 15th July 1908.—Sahibzada Wali Muhammad Shah, Deputy Magistrate, Gaya, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Gaya.

No. 3782A.—The 16th July 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Hamid, Deputy Magistrate, Ranchi, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Ranchi.

No. 3784A.—The 16th July 1908.—Mr. T. W. Bridge, Assistant Magistrate, Ranchi, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Ranchi.

No. 3901A.—The 21st July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Nihar Ranjan Banarji, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Puri, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Babu Nihar Ranjan Banarji is also vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Puri.

No. 3903A.—The 21st July 1908.—Mr. D. G. K. McGavin, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Bhagalpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3907A.—The 21st July 1908.—Mr. Sorab S. Day, Deputy Magistrate, Rajmahal, Sonthal Parganas, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Sonthal Parganas.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 2163J.—The 14th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Krishna Prasad Basu to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sadar Bench, in the district of Balasore.

Balasore.

No 2196J.—The 15th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Bhagbat Narayan Singh to be a Magistrate of the second class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Bankipore Independent Bench, in the district of Patna. He is also authorized to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of that district and is empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Patna.

No. 2221J.—The 16th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Mr. Willian Jameson Tomes to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Jamalpur Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr.

Monghyr.

No. 2258J.—The 18th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Kailash Chandra Sen to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Magura Independent Bench, in the district of Jessore.

Jessore.

No. 2288J.—The 20th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Ashutosh Mukharji and Maulvi Hafiz Abdul Hakim to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification, and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Bettiah Independent Bench, in the district of Champaran. Babu Ashutosh Mukharji is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Champaran.

No. 2290J.—The 20th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Ashutosh Mukharji to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Chapra Independent Bench, in the district of Saran. He is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Saran.

No. 2292J.—The 20th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Mahadeb Prasad to be a Magistrate of the second class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Muzaffarpur. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of that district and is empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Muzaffarpur.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 2198J.—The 15th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Ram Hriday Sil of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Kalna Independent Bench, in the ditrict of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 2299J.—The 20th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Maulvi Fazl-Hakk Sarkar of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Asansol Independent Bench, in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

POWERS.

No. 2241J.—The 17th July 1908.—Under section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Bijay Krishna Ray, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Purnea, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class in respect to cases which may be made over to him for trial within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Purnea.

No. 2243J.—The 17th July 1908.—Mr. John Henry Lewis, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Purnea, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Purnea.

No. 2294J.—The 20th July 1908.—Babu Krishna Chandra Nanda, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Cuttack, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Cuttack.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2306J.—The 20th July 1908.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government, under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz., for such portion of the Katras-Khanoodih extension as lies between mile 177 furlong 6 feet 496, and mile 177 furlong 7 feet 370, and whereas coal mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Tentulia Colliery Company have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seam known as No. 12 seam, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Tentulia Colliery Company have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Manbhum.

Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Tentulia Colliery Company in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.:—

(*a*) Four galleries may be driven in (approximately) the direction shown by the red arrows on the plan. The main No. 3 incline shall not exceed 8 feet in width and the remaining galleries shall not exceed 6 feet in width. No gallery shall exceed the thickness of the seam in height;

(*b*) No other gallery shall be driven under the land acquired;

(*c*) Manholes not exceeding 5 feet in height by 3 feet in width by 4 fee in depth may be constructed where required by any rule made under the Indian Mines Act;

(*d*) These restrictions apply to No. 12 seam only, and to the area edged with pink on the plan, and the Tentulia Colliery Company shall give notice under section IV of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of their intention to work any other seam under the above area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land;

and that in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L.A.M A. No. 99 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2197P.—The 17th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Janaki Nath Saha, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. IX—Amla, in thana Mirpur (formerly Nayapara), in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Nrisingha Ranjan Mukharji, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Janaki Nath Saha for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2198P.—The 17th July 1908.—The Notification No. 1286P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1362 to 1365, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Nrisingha Ranjan Mukharji, as President of the panchayat of Union No. IX—Amla, in thana Mirpur (formerly Nayapara), in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 2200P.—The 16th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14 sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Bidhu Bhushan Adhikari, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XIII—Simla, in thana Mirpur (formerly Nayapara), in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Ram Gopal Das, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Bidhu Bhushan Adhikari for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2201P.—The 16th July 1908.—The Notification No. 1286P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1362 to 1365, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Ram Gopal Das, as President of the panchayat of Union No. XIII—Simla, in thana Mirpur (formerly Nayapara), in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1908, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 2231P.—The 18th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Bairagi Senapati, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. I—Balipatna, in the Balipatna outpost of the district of Puri, *vice* Babu Kalinucharan Misra, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Puri.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Bairagi Senapati for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2233P.—The 18th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Sridhar Patnaik, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. IV—Chhatabar, in Khurda police-station, in the district of Puri, *vice* Babu Chakradhar Patnaik, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Puri.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Sridhar Patnaik for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2308P.—The 21st July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Rash Bihari Mandal, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. I—Dangapara, in thana Daulatabad, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Babu Shashi Bhushan Chaudhuri, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Murshidabad.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Rash Bihari Mandal for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2310P.—The 21st July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14 sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Ram Ranjan Ghosh, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. II—Bilol in thana Nabagram, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Babu Rajani Kanta Khamaru *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Murshidabad

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Ram Ranjan Ghosh for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th July 1908.

No. 135.—Babu Ashutosh Banarji, Deputy Collector, Revenue Division, Sone Canals, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month and twenty-eight days, with effect from 2nd August 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 136.—Babu Jharkhandi Lal, Sub-Deputy Collector, Revenue Division Sone Canals, is appointed to hold charge of the division, during the absence of Babu Ashutosh Banarji, Deputy Collector, on leave, or until further orders.

The 21st July 1908.

No. 140.—The following extract from a notification issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department is republished for information :—

No. 119, dated the 17th July 1908.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to order the following promotions and reversions to and in the classes of Chief and Superintending Engineers of the Public Works Department, with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From—	To—	With effect from—
* *	* *	* *	* *
Butler, T. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, permanent.	4th May 1908.
* *	* *	* *	* *
Banarji, K. C. ...	Executive Engineer and Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, permanent, and Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank.	4th May 1908.
Scobie, M. J. ...	Chief Engineer, 1st class, temporary rank.	Chief Engineer, 1st class, permanent.	18th " "
* *	* *	* *	* *
Gwyther, W. B. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, and Chief Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, permanent, and Chief Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank.	18th May 1903.
* *	* *	* *	* *
Finnimore, B. K. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, permanent.	18th May 1908.
* *	* *	* *	* *
Silk, A. E. ...	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank.	18th May 1908.
* *	* *	* *	* *
Jacobs, P. G. ...	Officiating Superintending Engineer.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary rank.	27th June 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 21st July 1908.

No. 17R.—The following notification, issued by the Railway Board, is republished for general information :—

Copy of Railway Board's Notification No. 198, dated the 7th July 1908.

In the eighth line of paragraph 2 of the Railway Board's Resolution No. 553R.T., dated the 19th March 1908, which was published under their Notification No. 96, dated the 27th March 1908, in Part I of the *Gazette of India* of the 28th March 1908, for the words *1st May 1908* substitute the words *1st September 1908*.

This cancels Railway Board's Notification No. 147, dated the 14th May 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 20th July 1908.

No. 80Marine.—Mr. J. D. Allison, Mate Pilot, is promoted to the grade of Junior Master Pilot, with effect from the 28th August 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 21st July 1908.

No. 81Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under section 16 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. E. W. Collin to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S.I., with effect from the afternoon of the 16th July 1908.

The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. E. W. Collin to be Chairman of the Commissioners under section 8 of the Act.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18th July 1908.

No. 137.—Babu Manmatha Nath Chakrabatti, Overseer, first grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the office of the Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle, to the Akhoyapada-Jajpur Division.

No. 138.—Babu Madhu Sudan Chatarji, Overseer, first grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Akhoyapada-Jajpur to the Mahanadi Division.

The 20th July 1908.

No. 139.—Babu Hari Das Bhaduri, Supervisor, is transferred in the interests of the public service, from the Arrah to the Eastern Sone Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 10th July 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3921A.

No. 3786A.—The 16th July 1908.—Babu Suresh Chandra Deb, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Bhagalpur Division, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Bhagalpur Divn.

No. 3797A.—The 17th July 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Fazl-ur-Rahman, Sub-Deputy Collector, who was employed on Land Acquisition work in the district of Champaran, from the 22nd November 1907 to the forenoon of the 1st May 1908, exercised during this period the powers of a Collector under Act I of 1894 in that district.

Champaran.

No. 3821A.—The 18th July 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Muhammad Tahir, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Sasaram, Shahabad, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Shahabad.

No. 3823A.—The 17th July 1908.—Babu Girindra Narayan Singh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Purnea, was on leave from the 9th to the 22nd May 1908, both days inclusive, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

Purnea.

No. 3835A.—The 20th July 1908.—Babu Prakash Chandra Dutt, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Kalna, Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Burdwan.

No. 3860A.—The 20th July 1908.—So much of the orders of the 13th June 1908 as relates to the posting of Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Akbar, Sub-Deputy Collector, to the Orissa Division, on being relieved of his settlement duties and to his being vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, and the order of the 29th June 1908, posting the Sub-Deputy Collector to the head-quarters station of the Cuttack district, are cancelled.

Cuttack.

No. 3905A.—The 21st July 1908.—Babu Jug Dutt, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bihar, Patna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Patna.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5408, dated Calcutta, the 8th July 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. Grainger, I.M.S., made over charge of the Muzaffarpur Jail to Assistant Surgeon Satis Chandra Banarji on the afternoon of the 16th June 1908.

No. 5409, dated Calcutta, the 8th July 1908.—Assistant Surgeon Satish Chandra Banarji made over charge of the Muzaffarpur Jail to Captain J. W. F. Rait, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 22nd June 1908.

No. 5441, dated Calcutta, the 9th July 1908.—Assistant Surgeon Sarat Chandra Dutta made over charge of the Purnea Jail to Military Assistant Surgeon W. D. Neal on the forenoon of the 26th June 1908.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 5959, dated Calcutta, the 16th July 1908.—3rd grade Civil Hospital Assistant Kamini Kanta De, of the Albert Victor Leper Asylum, Gobra, Calcutta, is promoted to his present grade with effect from the 4th October 1907 instead of 15th April 1908, as notified in this Department Notification No. 869D., dated the 14th May 1908.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU BEJOY BIHARY MUKHARJEE, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Murshidabad Treasury from the 7th July 1908 and authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 11th July 1908.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MAULVI KHONDKAR FAZLUL HUKK has been placed in charge of the Birbhum Treasury from the forenoon of the 17th July 1908 and authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

R. A. N. SINGH, *Collector of Birbhum.*

SURI, *the 13th July 1908.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR SHAHIBZADA WALI MUHAMMAD SHAH, who has been placed in charge of the Gaya Treasury, *vice* Babu Nagendra Nath Gupta, is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, for *Addl. Commr. of Patna.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 14th July 1908.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU SHAMA CHARAN MITRA is placed in charge of the Monghyr Treasury, with effect from the afternoon of the 20th July 1908, and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Collector.*

MONGHYR COLLECTORATE, *the 20th July 1908.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following Rule having been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the powers vested in it by the Statutes 24 and 25 Vic., Cap. 104, Section 15, and sanctioned by the Governor-General in Council, is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT, ENGLISH DEPARTMENT, CIVIL, *The 13th July 1908.*

A. P. MUDDIMAN, *Registrar.*

After Rule 68, Chapter III, page 92, of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, *insert* the following:—

68A. The records of suits decided by officers vested with the powers of a Small Cause Court Judge shall be deposited in the District record-room at head-qaurter stations, and in the record-room of the Munsifi at outlying Munsifis, until such time as they are destroyed in accordance with the rules on the subject.

Dates of the 4th and 5th Criminal Sessions for the year 1908.

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
Fourth Sessions.	Wednesday.	12th August.
Fifth Sessions.	Monday.	23rd November.

By order,

HIGH COURT, CROWN OFFICE, *The 3rd July 1908.*

N. HALDAR, *Offg. Clerk of the Crown.*

Sheriff's Office, the 15th July 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1908 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the twelfth day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

P. C. TAGORE, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৮ সাল তারিখ ১৫ই জুলাই।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৮ সালের ১২ই, আগষ্ট বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৮ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

পিঃ সিঃ ঠাকুর, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 14th July 1908.—Babu Sasi Bhusan Lal, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Buxar Circle in the district of Shahabad (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed combined leave for six months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for forty-five days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave without pay for the remaining period under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th July 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Maulvi Kasimuddin, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Shahabad, on leave (class VII), is appointed to act as Sub-Inspector of Schools, Buxar Circle, in the same district, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Sasi Bhusan Lal, on leave.

Babu Govinda Prasad, an Assistant Master in the Arrah Zilla School (class III of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Shahabad, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Maulvi Kasimuddin.

The orders of the 1st July 1908, granting Babu Satkari Sanyal, Sub-Inspector Schools Narail, in the district of Jessore (class VI), leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th June 1908, or such subsequent date as he might avail himself of it, are cancelled.

Babu Jogendra Nath Bose, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VI), is confirmed in that class with effect from the 1st July 1907, *vice* Babu Mati Lal Banerjea.

The 16th July 1908.—Babu Rapcha is confirmed as Gurkhali Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the Darjeeling district, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 1st March 1908.

Maulvi Abul Hassan Muhammad Taib, an Assistant in the office of the Hindi and Urdu Translator to Government, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave without allowances for six months, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st July 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 17th July 1908.—Babu Kumud Kanta Ukil, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Muzaffarpnr Zilla School (substantively *pro tempore* in class VI), is appointed to be an Additional Teacher in the Hare School on the pay of his own grade.

Babu Hara Kanta Bose, B.A., Head Master, Ranchi Zilla School (class IV), is appointed to act as Head Master of the Muzaffarpnr Zilla School, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Chinta Haran Chakravarti, or until further orders.

The 18th July 1908.—Babu Madhu Sudan Sanyal, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Jessore, under orders of transfer to 24-Parganas (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th July 1908.

Babu Nilmoni Mukerjee, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Jessore, under orders of transfer to Nadia (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave on medical certificate for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 29th April 1908.

Maulvi Amjad Ali, Officiating Assistant Master in the Jessore Zilla School (class III of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Jessore, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on the usual acting allowance.

Babu Kesab Chandra Misra, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Upper Keonjhar (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd July 1908.

The 20th July 1908.—Babu Akshay Kumar Sarkar, M.A., is appointed, on probation for one year, to be Lecturer in History at the Bethune College, *vice* Babu Kali Prasanna Das, transferred.

Babu Akshay Kumar Sarkar is also appointed substantively *pro tempore* to class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service, in the resulting vacancy arising from the retirement of Babu Becharam Nandi.

Babu Govinda Prasad Basu, an Assistant Master in the Cuttack Training School (class VIII), is allowed leave on medical certificate for five months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th July 1908.

Babu Jagannath Tripathi, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Cuttack Training School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 35 a month, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Govinda Prasad Basu.

G. W. KÜCHLER,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES, INDIA.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

NOTICE.

AN examination for candidates requiring first and second Class Coal Mine Managers Certificates of Competency under the rules applying to coal mines will be held at the Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles Club, Asansol, on the 5th, 6th and 7th August 1908.

Only persons who have had practical experience in a coal mine are eligible for the examination (*vide* Rules 32 and 33). The necessary instructions will be supplied to intending candidates on application to the Department of Mines, 9, Dacre's Lane, Calcutta.

Applications will be received up to the 15th July 1908 inclusive.

J. R. R. WILSON,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd May 1908.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 3283B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 4th August 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of 1905-06 ...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of 1,739 chests of season 1905-06 and 211 chests of season 1906-07	1,950
Total ...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application in the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th August 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th August 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 20th August 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next, on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 1st September 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 13th October „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	7,800	7,800	15,600

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th June 1908.*

No. 3797B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. E. W. COLLIN, I.C.S.

Dated Calcutta, the 21st July 1908.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 75 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Board of Revenue, L. P., direct that the following revised form shall be substituted for the form of baggage receipt annexed to the rules, published under Notification No. 6795B., dated the 2nd December 1907, at pages 2119-2129 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th idem for the landing and shipping of passengers' baggage and the passing of the same through the Calcutta Custom House.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Secretary.

C. H. No. 480. **No. A.**

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS. **BAGGAGE RECEIPT.** *Dated* 19 .

PASSENGER PER S.S.

No. of pkgs.	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.	Value.	Rate of duty.	Duty.
		R. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
	Total duty ...			
	Landing fees ...			
	Wharf rent ...			
	TOTAL ...			

Passenger's Signature. INSPECTOR.

C. H. No. 480. **No. A.**

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS. **BAGGAGE RECEIPT.** *Dated* 19 .

PASSENGER PER S.S.

No. of pkgs.	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.	Value.	Rate of duty.	Duty.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
	Total duty ...			
	Landing fees ...			
	Wharf rent ...			
	TOTAL ...			

The passenger is advised to keep this form in case of future re-importation of goods.

For particulars of arms, see reverse.

INSPECTOR.

FIRE-ARMS.

Rifle, Gun, Pistol or Revolver.	
Description. (Single or Double barrel ...	
Description. (Rifle or Smooth-bore ...	
Maker's name	
Number	
Bore	
Range to which sighted	

INSPECTOR.

FIRE-ARMS.

Rifle, Gun, Pistol or Revolver.	
Description. (Single or Double barrel ...	
Description. (Rifle or Smooth-bore ...	
Maker's name	
Number	
Bore	
Range to which sighted	

INSPECTOR.

No. 2888*A*.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. R. T. GREER, C.S.I., I.C.S.

Dated Calcutta, the 21st July 1908.

THE price-lists of staple food-crops in the local areas, in the Lower Provinces, prepared under section 39(4) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, for the period from the 1st of January 1908 to the 31st of March 1908, having been approved by the Board of Revenue, L. P., are published for general information under sub-section 4 of that section.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

E. LISTER,
Offg. Secretary.

Price-list (retail) of Staple Food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39

BURDWAN

District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
Burdwan ...	Sadar subdivision	Burdwan ...	Rice ... ...
	Asansol ditto	Raniganj ...	Do. ... ...
	Katwa ditto	Katwa ...	Do. ... ...
	Kalna ditto	Kalna ...	Do. ... ...
Birbhum ...	Sadar ditto	Suri ...	Do. ... ...
	Rampur Hat ditto	Rampur Hat ...	Do. ... ...
Bankura ...	Sadar ditto	Bankura ...	Do. ... ...
	Vishnupur ditto	Vishnupur ...	Do. ... ...
Midnapore ...	Sadar ditto	Midnapore ...	Do. ... ...
	Ghatal ditto	Ghatal ...	Do. ... ...
	Tamluk ditto	Tamluk ...	Do. ... ...
	Contai ditto	Contai ...	Do. ... ...
Hooghly ...	Sadar ditto	Hooghly ...	Do. ... ...
	Serampore ditto	Bhadreswar ...	Do. ... ...
	Arambagh ditto	Arambagh ...	Do. ... ...
	Howrah ditto	Howrah ...	Do. ... ...
	Ulubaria ditto	Ulubaria ...	Do. ... ...

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24-Parganas ...	Sadar subdivision	Chetla Hat ...	Rice ... ...
	Barasat and Barrackpore subdivisions.	Barasat ...	Do. ... ...
		Bistopore ...	Do. ... ...
	Diamond Harbour subdivision ...	Magra Hat ...	Do. ... ...
	Basirhat subdivision	Baduria ...	Do. ... ...

of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), for three months, from January to March 1908.

DIVISION.

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1908.	Remarks.
	January.	February.	March.		
5	6	7	8	9	10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last day of the month ...	7 10	8 4	8 0	7 15	
27th of the month	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 9	
Ditto	7 5	7 8	7 14	7 9	
28th of every month	6 8	6 10	6 13	6 10	
Last day of each month	6 12	7 2	7 8	7 2	
Ditto	7 4	7 6	9 2	7 15	
Last day of the month	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	
Ditto	7 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	
Last day of each month	7 12	7 14	7 5	7 10	
27th of every month	7 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	
3rd Wednesday of every month ...	7 8	7 0	7 8	7 5	
Any market day, from 27th to 30th of every month.	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 8	
Last Thursday of each month ...	6 12	8 0	7 4	7 5	
Ditto ...	6 6	6 15	6 14	6 12	
Ditto ..	7 10	8 6	8 6	8 2	
Last day of each month	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 11	
Last Saturday of each month ...	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	

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Last Wednesday of every month ...	7 4	7 12	7 12	7 9	
Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	6 9	6 14	6 14	6 12	
Ditto ditto ...	6 10	6 10	8 0	7 1	
Ditto ditto ...	7 7	7 13	8 1	7 12	
Second Tuesday of every month ...	7 5	7 14	7 13	7 11	

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District.	Local areas.		Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2		3	4
Nadia ..	Sadar	Subdivision ...	Goari ...	Rice ... ...
	Ranaghat	ditto ...	Ranaghat ...	Do. ... ...
	Meherpur	ditto ...	Kaliabazar ...	Do. ... ...
	Chuadanga	ditto ...	Chuadanga ...	Do. ... ...
	Kushtia	ditto ...	Bahadurkhali ...	Do. ... ...
Murshidabad ...	Sadar	ditto ...	Berhampore ...	Do. ... ...
	Lalbagh	ditto ...	Lalbagh ...	Do. ... ...
	Kandi	ditto ...	Kandi ...	Do. ... ...
	Jangipur	ditto ...	Jangipur ...	Do. ... ...
Jessore ...	Sadar	ditto ...	Jessore ...	Do. ... ...
	Narail	ditto ...	Narail ...	Do. ... ...
	Magura	ditto ...	Magura ...	Do. ... ...
	Jhenida	ditto ...	Jhenida ...	Do. ... ...
	Bongaon	ditto ...	Bongaon ...	Do. ... ...
Khulna ...	Sadar	ditto ...	Khulna ...	Do. ... ...
	Satkhira	ditto ...	Satkhira ...	Do. ... ...
	Bagerhat	ditto ...	Bagerhat ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1908.	Remarks.
	January.	February.	March.		
5	6	7	8	9	10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last day of each month	6 14	6 12	7 4	6 15	
28th of each month	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	
Ditto	6 11	6 10	7 4	6 14	
Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of each month.	6 14	7 0	7 3	7 0	
28th of each month	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	
28th of every month	7 5	7 9	8 13	7 14	
1st Monday of each month	7 8	8 0	7 8	7 11	
Market day which falls immediately before the 28th of each month.	7 14	8 2	8 4	8 1	
Ditto ditto ...	7 4	9 0	8 11	8 5	
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	8 7	8 7	8 0	8 5	
Ditto ditto ...	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 7	
Ditto ditto ...	7 10	7 12	8 0	7 13	
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	6 10	8 0	8 0	7 9	
Last market day of every month ...	8 0	9 3	8 5	8 8	
28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the 26th.	7 8	7 12	7 12	7 11	
Sunday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Sunday falling on or before the 26th.	8 8	9 9	9 0	9 0	

PATNA

DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
PATNA ...	Sadar subdivision, exoluding thana Maner.	Marufganj ...	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Barh subdivision	Barh ...	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Bihar ditto	Bihar ...	*Marwa* up-land ...
			Rice low land ...
	Dinapore subdivision, with thana Maner.	Dinapore ...	Barley up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
GAYA	Sadar subdivision	Gaya ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Nawada ditto	Nawada ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Jahanabad ditto	Jahanabad ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Aurangabad ditto	Aurangabad ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
SHAHABAD ...	Sadar subdivision	Arrah ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Buxar ditto	Buxar ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Sasaram ditto	Sasaram ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice-low-land ...
	Bhabhua ditto	Bhabhua ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
SARAN	Sadar ditto	Shahebganj ...	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Gopalganj ditto	Mirganj ...	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Siwan ditto	Siwan ...	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...

DIVISION.

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 totals, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1908.	Remarks.
	January.	February.	March.		
5	6	7	8	9	10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
28th of each month	9 12	8 8	10 9	9 10	
	6 15	7 5	8 1	7 7	
Ditto	8 4	10 0	10 0	9 7	
	6	7 4	7 0	7 0	
Ditto	8 0	9 8	10 4	9 4	
	6 8	6 8	8 0	7 0	
Ditto	8 12	10 0	13 0	10 9	
	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 13	
Last day of the month ...	6 3	7 7	7 15	7 3	
	6 15	7 3	7 3	7 2	
Last market day of the month ...	7 0	6 8	7 8	7 0	
	7 0	7 4	7 8	7 4	
Ditto	6 4	7 0	7 8	6 15	
	6 8	7 8	7 4	7 1	
Last market day of the month, being not less than three days before the close of the month.	7 4	7 8	8 0	7 9	
	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 7	
1st Saturday of each month ...	6 12	7 8	7 8	7 4	
	7 0	7 8	8 8	7 11	
1st Thursday of every month ...	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 5	
	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 11	
Ditto ...	Nil	Nil	7 0	7 0	
	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 7	
Ditto ...	7 14	7 4	7 8	7 9	
	7 6	8 7	9 5	8 6	
15th of each month	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 1	
	8 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	
Last market day immediately preceeding the 15th of each month.	9 6	9 5	9 12	9 8	
	7 6	7 10	8 4	7 12	
Ditto ...	8 9	9 7	9 11	9 4	
	8 6	7 10	8 11	8 4	

PAT

District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
Champaran ...	Sadar Subdivision	Motihari ...	*Makai* up-land . Rice low-land .
	Bettiah ditto	Bettiah ...	*Makai* up-land . Rice low-land .
Muzaffarpur ...	Sadar ditto	Muzaffarpur ...	*Makai* up-land . Rice low-land .
	Sitamarhi ditto	Sitamarhi ...	*Makai* up-land . Rice low-land .
	Hajipur ditto	Hajipur ...	*Makai* up-land . Rice low-land .
Darbhanga ...	Sadar ditto	Darbhanga ...	*Marwa* up-land .. Rice low-land ..
	Madhubani ditto	Madhubani ...	*Marwa* up-land .. Rice low-land ..
	Samastipur ditto	Samastipur ...	*Makai* up-land .. Rice low-land ..

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Monghyr ...	Sadar Subdivision... ...	Monghyr ...	Wheat up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Begusarai ditto	Begusarai ...	Wheat up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Jamui ditto	Jamui ...	Wheat up-land ... Rice low-land ...
Bhagalpur ...	Sadar ditto	Bhagalpur ...	*Makai* up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Banka ditto	Banka ...	*Makai* up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Madhipura ditto	Madhipura ...	*Marwa* up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Supaul ditto	Supaul ...	*Marwa* up-land ... Rice low-land ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1908.	Remarks.
	January.	February.	March.		
5	6	7	8	9	10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last day of the month ...	9 6	9 12	10 4	9 13	
	7 12	7 14	8 0	7 14	
Ditto	9 12	10 0	10 4	10 0	
	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 3	
Last day of every month ...	9 0	9 8	10 0	9 8	
	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	
Last Wednesday of every month ...	9 8	10 8	11 0	10 5	
	7 12	8 4	8 0	8 0	
3rd day from the end of the month	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 1	
	7 2	7 6	7 12	7 7	
Last day of each month ...	11 0	11 0	12 1	11 6	
	7 7	6 9	7 6	7 2	
28th of each month, except in February when it will be 26th.	10 6	10 6	11 10	10 13	
	8 8	8 13	8 13	8 11	
Ditto ditto	9 4	9 12	10 0	9 11	
	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	

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Last day of every month ...	7 0	7 4	9 0	7 12
	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 0
25th of every month	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 5
	8 0	9 0	8 0	8 5
29th of every month	6 8	6 12	7 8	6 15
	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 5
The date preceding the close of the month.	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	7 14	8 3	8 3	8 1
The last hât day in the month but one	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
	7 8	8 2	8 2	7 15
Ditto ditto ...	13 8	13 8	13 0	13 5
	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
The hât day that falls between the 24th and 27th of the month.	12 0	12 0	13 0	12 5
	9 0	9 0	10 0	9 5

BHAGALPUR

DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
PURNEA ...	Sadar subdivision	Beamsganj ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Araria ditto	Araria ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Kishanganj ditto	Kishanganj ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...

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CUTTACK ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Cuttack town ...	Rice ...	...
		Charchika Hât ...	Do. ...	...
	Jajpur ditto ...	Jajpur town ...	Do. ...	...
	Kendrapara ditto ...	Kendrapara ,, ...	Do. ...	...
BALASORE ...	Sadar ditto ...	Balasore ...	Do. ...	...
	Bhadrak ditto ...	Bhadrak ...	Do. ...	...
		Chandbali ...	Do. ...	...
PURI	Sadar ditto ...	Puri	Do. ...	...
		Banamalipur ...	Do. ...	...
	Khurda ditto ...	Khurda ...	Do. ...	...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

Market days for the preparation of price-lists	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st March 1908.	Remarks.
	January.	February.	March.		
5	6	7	8	9	10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last market day of the month ...	8 8	7 0	8 0	7 13	
	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 5	
Ditto ditto ...	10 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	
	8 8	7 0	9 0	8 3	
Ditto ditto ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	
	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	

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1st Sunday of each month	8 2	8 2	7 14	8 1
Ditto ditto ...	7 13	8 5	8 0	8 1
Ditto ditto ...	7 14	7 9	7 14	7 12
Ditto ditto ...	7 14	8 3	8 3	8 1
1st Saturday of every month	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 11
1st Wednesday of every month	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 8
1st Thursday of every month	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
The 5th of every month ...	8 8	8 8	7 14	8 5
First hât day of the month	11 13	11 13	11 13	11 13
The 5th of every month ...	10 8	9 14	9 3	9 14

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the by-election held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, on Saturday, the 27th June 1908, Babu Gopi Nath Chaudhury has been duly elected a Commissioner in Ward No. II of the Midnapore Municipality, in the district of Midnapore in the place of Babu Jogendra Nath Haldar, deceased.

S. L. MADDOX, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 13th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Monday, the 24th of August 1908, has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, in place of Babu Bishwamber Sarkar, resigned.

E. H. C. WALSH, *Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Divn.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 14th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on Sunday, the 30th Augnst 1908, in thana Amta for the election of a member of the Uluberia Local Board, *vice* Babu Haripado Chatterjee, resigned.

A. W. BARNICOTT, *Joint-Magistrate.*

HOWRAH, *the 16th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the Notification published at page 1241, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 1st July 1908, fixing the 1st August 1908 as the date for holding a bye-election in Ward No. II of the Baranagar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 19th September 1908, is fixed as the date for holding a bye-election in the aforesaid ward to elect a Commissioner in the place of Babu Basanta Kumar Chaudhuri, who has been removed from the Municipal Board under section 20 (1) (*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act as amended.

M. N. GHOSH, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the notification, dated the 13th June 1908, published at page 1188 in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, it is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Tamluk, in the district of Midnapore:—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Midnapore } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Subdivisional Officer of Tamluk }
3. Babu Durgaram Basu, Vakil.
4. ,, Bishnupada Basu, Pleader.
5. ,, Basanta Kumar Sircar, Pleader.
6. ,, Sarat Chandra Hazra, Pleader.
7. ,, Baranashi Banerjee, Pleader.
8. Umesh Chandra Bhanja, Muktear.
9. Khirod Nath Singha, Pleader.
10. Apurva Chandra Ghosh, 1st Munsif.
11. Jatindra Nath Lahiri, Munsif.
12. Brajendra Kumar Biswas, Munsif.
13. ,, Kamal Naran Chakrabarty, Sub-Deputy Magistrate.
14. Maulvi Syed Hatif Ali, Sub-Registrar.

S. L. MADDOX, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 17th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the exercise of the powers delegated to Commissioners of Divisions by the Bengal Government Notification No. 1095T.M., dated the 12th June 1903, the exclusion of (I) the Barhampura Road, a distance of 3,200 feet, from the second milestone to the north end of the Daudpore Factory and the present limit of the District Board Tajpur Ghat Road No. 50, and (II) the Kalan Bagh Road, 4,700 feet in length, from the Race-course Road up to the Hajipur Road, from the operation of section 69 (1) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended, so far as it relates to the repairs and maintenance of the roads, is sanctioned.

The transfer of the said roads to the charge of the District Board of Muzaffarpur is also authorised.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Additional Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 8th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 43 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babus Divakar Bhattacharjee and Chandra Sekhar Banerjee are appointed as members of the Mankur Union Committee, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babus Kali Charan Ash and Prasanna Kumar Chandra, deceased.

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Offg. Commissioner on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN, CHINSURA, *the 14th July 1908.*

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PART IA.

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The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, is republished for general information.

F W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 10th July 1908.

No. 4078P.—Despatch from His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 7-Financial (Funds), dated the 12th June 1908, and enclosures :—

India Office, London,
12th June 1903

Financial (Funds),
No. 7.

To His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor-General of India in Council.

MY LORD,

In continuation of Lord George Hamilton's Despatch dated the 25th of July 1902, No. 4 (Financial, Funds), and with reference to my Despatch dated the 9th of August 1907, No. 6 (Financial, Funds), I forward herewith for your information and publication in the *Gazette of India* copies of the Valuation and Report by Mr. Willis Browne, F.I.A., the Actuary to this Office, on the assets and liabilities arising under Indian Civil Service Family Pension Regulations as on the 31st of March 1905, with the further report thereon by Mr. Stanley Day, F.I.A.

Indian Civil Service Family Pension Regulations, Valuation as on the 31st of March 1905.

2. The consolidated accounts for the period from the 1st of October 1898 to the 31st of March 1905 are also transmitted.

3. In paragraph 21 of his Report, dated the 15th of April 1907, on the Military Pensions, Mr. Stanley Day raised the question of excluding potential assets and liabilities from these valuations, and Mr. Browne in his enclosed report deals with this matter, and Mr. Stanley Day now reports that "I have not attempted here to differentiate between contingent and potential contributions, recognising the force of Mr. Willis Browne's observations on the impracticability of ignoring potential contributions and liabilities for children while a rate in aid is required from bachelors, which rate in aid cannot be made to fall due coincidently with the contributions to be drawn from fathers." For the present, at any rate, it seems necessary to continue to include the potential assets and liabilities in these valuations, and the valuation of the Military Family Pensions as on the 31st of March 1908 will include such assets and liabilities.

4. The valuation has been made on the basis of interest at 4½ per cent., and at this rate Mr. Browne estimates that the assets exceed the liabilities by the sum of £8,138/., which would admit of a temporary reduction of 13½ per cent., but 12½ per cent. would be a more convenient rate, and I authorise a reduction of 12½ per cent. as proposed by Mr. Stanley Day on all subscriptions, but not on donations payable, under these Regulations with effect from the 1st of the month following the date of Actuaries' Report and this Despatch are published in the *Gazette of India* to the date of the publication of the next valuation.

5. The date on which the reports, &c., are so published should be communicated to me by telegram.

6. In preparing the half-yearly accounts of receipts and expenditure, the donations from married officers should be separated into marriage and disparity donations with effect

from the 1st of April 1908, this will give effect to Mr. Stanley Day's request that particulars should be furnished of the marriages in which there is a difference of more than five years between the ages of the husband and wife, and of the disparity donation thereby involved.

7. The revised table of monthly contributions is enclosed for the information of those concerned

I have the honour to be,
My Lord,
Your Lordship's most obedient humble Servant,
(Signed) MORLEY OF BLACKBURN.

ENCLOSURES.

Enclosure No. 1.

REPORT by Mr. WILLIS BROWNE, F.I.A., dated 27th August 1907.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE FAMILY PENSIONS.

I submit herewith an abstract of a valuation, as at 31st March 1905, of the assets and liabilities arising under the Indian Civil Service Family Pension Regulations. In the absence of instructions to the contrary I have made the valuation at the rate of interest now in force, viz., 4½ per cent.

As on previous occasions, I should furnish certain statistics bearing upon the personal state of the fund and upon the rates of mortality, marriage, &c., now obtaining.

The personal state compares with that at the respective dates of the two previous valuations as follows :—

Class.	VALUATION DATE, 30TH SEPTEMBER 1893.			VALUATION DATE, 30TH SEPTEMBER 1898.			VALUATION DATE, 31ST MARCH 1905.		
	No. of married Officers.	No. of un-married Officers.	Total.	No. of married Officers.	No. of un-married Officers.	Total.	No. of married Officers.	No. of un-married Officers.	Total.
I ...	None	None	None	None	None	None	125 (1 widower).	18	143
II ...	None	None	None	46 (1 widower.)	12	58	79 (2 widowers.)	25	104
III ...	7	9	16	58	20	78	82 (3 widowers)	30	112
IV ...	59	66	125	93 (3 widowers).	108	201	149 (1 widower.)	108	257
V ...	31	226	257	64 (1 widower.)	248	312	86 (3 widowers.)	247	333
Total ...	97	301	398	261	388	649	521	428	949

The number of married officers represents about 55 per cent. of the total number of subscribers as against a number representing between 39 and 40 per cent. at the date of the last valuation, and between 24 and 25 per cent. at the date of the last but one; and the class percentages of married member compare with those obtaining at the two previous dates in the following manner :—

Class.	PERCENTAGE OF MARRIED TO TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSCRIBERS IN EACH CLASS.		
	Valuation, 30th September 1893.	Valuation, 30th September 1898.	Valuation, 31st March 1905.
I ...	None	None	About 87 per cent.
II ...	None	About 79 per cent. ...	About 76 per cent.
III ...	About 44 per cent. ...	About 74 per cent. ...	About 73 per cent.
IV ...	About 47 per cent. ...	About 46 per cent. ...	About 58 per cent.
V ...	About 12 per cent. ...	About 20 per cent. ...	About 26 per cent.

Of the 438 bachelors and widowers—

327 are under 10 years of service,
79 from 10 to 15 inclusive, and only
32 from 16 to 23 inclusive.

The above statistics indicate that the high marriage rates ruling among Indian civilians are likely to continue.

Of the 511 officers with wives living at date of this valuation, as compared with the 255 officers with wives living at date of last valuation, the following members contracted marriage at the ages stated :—

Ages.		Valuation, 31st March 1905.	Valuation, 30th September 1898.
Between	20 and 21	1	1
	21 and 22	6	5
	22 and 23	10	10
	23 and 24	29	28
	24 and 25	51	33
	25 and 26	54	39
	26 and 27	64	36
	27 and 28	54	25
	28 and 29	49	21
	29 and 30	38	14
	30 and 31	28	7
	31 and 32	28	12
	32 and 33	30	11
	33 and 34	19	5
	34 and 35	20	6
	35 and 36	10	1
	36 and 37	6	1
	37 and 38	3	1
	38 and 39	6	0
	39 and 40	3	0
	40 and 41	1	0
	41 and 42	1	0

Of the 551 marriages of officers (including those who are now widowers or dead) the following were contracted at the ages given :—

Ages.		No. of officers.
Between	20 and 21	1
	21 and 22	8
	22 and 23	12
	23 and 24	35
	24 and 25	52
	25 and 26	60
	26 and 27	73
	27 and 28	60
	28 and 29	51
	29 and 30	37
	30 and 31	30
	31 and 32	31
	32 and 33	30
	33 and 34	21
	34 and 35	20
	35 and 36	10
	36 and 37	6
	37 and 38	3
	38 and 39	6
	39 and 40	3
	40 and 41	1
	41 and 42	1
	Total	551

Of the 511 officers with wives living, as compared with the 255 officers at date of last valuation, the following numbers have completed the years of married life enumerated below :—

Years of married life.	No. of Officers.	
	Valuation, 30th September 1898.	Valuation, 31st March 1905.
0	33	35
1	40	47
2	32	42
3	25	49
4	29	40
5	22	42
6	13	25
7	15	31
8	9	40
9	17	26
10	7	24
11	4	25
12	3	17
13	4	13
14	1	12
15	1	14
16	.....	14
17	.....	3
18	.....	3
19	.....	3
20	.....	2
21	.....	0
22		1
	255	511

Rates of Mortality, Marriage, &c.

The experience of the Fund, although not large, is considerable, and the mortality and other rates based thereon are worthy of consideration.

Mortality Rates.—Officers, 1st January 1905.

Number entered	... ...	1,079
,, over all years under observation	... ...	11,389
,, of withdrawals	... ...	17
,, of deaths	... ...	91
,, over all years exposed to death risk	... ...	10,355

From the above the following rates of mortality are obtained :—

Age.	Rate.	Age.	Rate.
19	·0111	29	·0079
20	·0111	30	·0073
21	·0110	31	·0070
22	·0108	32	·0068
23	·0107	33	·0066
24	·0106	34	·0066
25	·0105	35	·0066
26	·0103	36	·0067
27	·0100	37	·0069
28	·0095	38	·0068

The above rates compare with the experience to 1st January 1899 as follows (the right-hand column is the Institute of Actuaries "Healthy Male Table"):—

Age.	Experience to 1st January 1899.	Experience to 1st January 1905.	Hm Institute of Actuaries.
19	·0109	·0111	...
20	·0108	·0111	·0063
21	·0107	·0110	·0067
22	·0107	·0108	·0068
23	·0106	·0107	·0068
24	·0105	·0106	·0066
25	·0104	·0105	·0066
26	·0103	·0103	·0067
27	·0102	·0100	·0069
28	·0102	·0095	·0072
29	·0101	·0079	·0074
30	·0101	·0073	·0077
31	·0100	·0070	·0079
32	...	·0068	·0081
33	...	·0066	·0083
34	...	·0066	·0085
35	...	·0066	·0088
36	..	·0067	·0091
37	...	·0067	·0095
38	...	·0068	·0098

With regard to the number of lives exposed the experience of the Fund up to about the age of 35, although not extensive, is, at any rate, indicative of the rates that may rule hereafter. But considering the very limited period over which the experience extends, especially at the older ages, it would not, in my opinion, be wise to depend upon the rates now shown. The late Mr. Sutton, on about the same numerical experience, but on an experience extending over a much longer period, although desirous of obtaining low rates which would benefit those in whose behalf he was acting, did not consider it safe to adopt the rates shown by the experience, but increased them throughout to an extent such as to bring them into accord with results obtained on more extensive data. It will be observed, too, from the above comparative table that where the Fund's experience extends over the longer period, *viz.*, at the younger ages, the rates of mortality are much in excess of those of the Hm table, whilst, on the other hand, where the experience extends over only a short period, *viz*, at the older ages, the rates shown are even lower than those of the Hm table. I am not, therefore, disposed to accept the rates now ruling, more especially as I consider that the table I used for the last valuation, which was based on the experience of the Fund for the five or six younger ages and thenceforward on Mr. Sutton's rates, is the most suitable table for the present valuation.

The rates obtained by Mr. Sutton, and those obtained from the present experience of the Fund, compare as follows:—

Age.	Mr. Sutton.	Fund Experience.
21½ to 25½	·0094	·0098
26½ to 30½	·0104	·0100
31½ to 35½	·0087	·0052
36½ to 40½	·0090	·0090

Marriage Rates.—Officers, 1st January 1905.

Number entered unmarried	1,079
Number over all years under observation	7,782
Exits by death and otherwise	83
Number of marriages	532
Number over all years subject to marriage	6,969

On the above data the following rates are deduced according to years of service and compare with those based on the experience to 1st January 1899, and with those obtained by the late Mr. Sutton on the experience of the Bengal Civil Fund as under :—

Service.	Sutton's Bengal.	Experience to 1st January 1899.	Experience to 1st January 1905.
0	·077	·057	·040
1	·078	·065	·052
2	·079	·073	·076
3	·080	·085	·088
4	·085	·090	·100
5	·090	·095	·102
6	·095	·100	·104
7	·100	·105	106
8	·105	·110	·116
9	·115	·120	·126
10	·130	·135	·134
11	·150	·150	·138
12	·130	·140	·136
13	·115	·120	·128
14	·110	·110	·112
15	·100	·100	·092

Taking one with another, the rates agree so nearly that it becomes a mere matter of "leaving well alone," or, in other words, of accepting the table I selected for the last valuation. For that valuation I accepted the rates based on the experience of the Fund for the first 15 years of service, and then followed on with the rates obtained by Mr. Sutton on the experience of the Bengal Civil Fund. A few officers entered the Service already married. I am unable to include these among the marriages of officers whilst in the Service, as I am not in possession of data that would enable me to ascertain the numbers of such officers, subject to marriage prior to their becoming members of the Fund. But it proves this, that I have rather under- than overstated the marriage rate at the younger ages. At the same time the number of officers entered the service already married is small, and could not materially affect the rates I assumed in the last valuation. Thus I feel justified in making no change.

Mortality rates—Wives of Officers, 1st January 1905.

The experience of the Fund is too small to permit of a table being based thereon The rates compare with those obtained on the experience to 1st January 1899 in the following manner :—

—	Ages.	Average rate at each Age.	
		To 1st January 1899.	To 1st January 1905.
	20 to 24 inclusive	·0073	·0080
	25 to 29 inclusive	·0032	·0036
	30 to 34 inclusive	·0033	·0047
	35 to 39 inclusive	—	·0022

In my last report on this Fund, I mentioned the fact that it would be very unsafe to assume higher death rates than might be likely to prevail in the future, and I selected, for the reasons I then gave, and which need not here be repeated, the Institute of Actuaries H^{M} table for ages up to 24. Then for ages from 25 to 46 inclusive, I adopted the rates I obtained on the experience of the Indian Military Fund and, after the age of 46, I followed on with the rates for Government Annuitants (old table) the same as in the case

of the Indian Military Service Family Pension Fund. This combination table I have used for the purposes of the present valuation. It is as follows:—

Age.	—	Age.	—	Age.	—
16	·0071	32 ...	0108	48 ...	·0128
17	·0071	33 ...	·0110	49 ...	·0133
18	·0069	34 ...	0110	50 ...	·0137
19	·0067	35 ...	·0110	51 ...	·0142
20	·0069	36 ...	·0110	52 ...	·0146
21	·0073	37 ...	·0100	53 ...	·0151
22	·0079	38 ...	·0085	54 ...	·0158
23	·0088	39 ...	·0080	55 ...	·0164
24	·0098	40 ...	·0080	56 ...	·0171
25	·0108	41 ...	·0080	57 ...	·0178
26	·0110	42 ...	·0080	58 ...	·0187
27	·0103	43 ...	0080	59 ...	·0194
28	·0103	44 ...	·0089	60 ...	·0204
29	·0103	45 ...	·0091	61 ...	·0218
30	.0104	46 ...	·0103	62 ...	·0236
31	·0106	47 ...	·0125		

Mortality Rates—Daughters.

1st January 1905.

Number born	391
,, over all ages exposed to risk	2,034
,, of deaths	34

The death-rates based on the above data are—

Between birth and age 1	·0738
,, age 1 and age 2	·0203
,, age 2 and age 3	·0039

The ages of those exposed to risk range from 0 to 20 years. Of the 34 deaths, 27 occurred between birth and age one, six between the ages of one and two, and one between the ages of two and three. No deaths have occurred at older ages. The experience, however, is not wide enough to enable me to accept the results obtained otherwise than as an indication of low rates ruling in the future. To accept as a future basis results showing no deaths at all after the age of 2½ years would be an absurdity. Yet, so far, this is the actual case as touching the lives of the daughters of our Indian Covenanted Civil officers. But it should not be forgotten that, on a small experience such as this, it requires but six or seven deaths spread over the various ages to put quite a different complexion on the existing state of affairs. I have, therefore, for the purposes of this valuation, adopted the rates I used in the last Civil valuation and also in the valuation of the Indian Military Service Family Pension Fund, these low rates being, in my opinion, the most likely to prevail in the future as indicated by the present experience.

Marriage Rates.—Daughters.

1st January 1905.

Only five daughters had attained the age of 17 at the date of this experience. Three of these were between 17 and 18 years of age, one between 19 and 20, and one between 20 and 21. Thus I am placed in practically the same position as at the date of the last valuation, at which date no daughters had attained a marriageable age. I then gave my reasons for adopting the rates found to exist by the late Mr. Sutton on the experience of the Bengal Civil Fund, these rates being almost the same as those assumed in the construction of the original scheme. In the Indian Military Service Family Pension Fund the rates continue to remain low, but there are good reasons for believing that it will be otherwise in the case of daughters belonging to this Fund. Thus I have again adopted the rates based upon the experience of the Bengal Civil Fund.

Mortality Rates.—Sons.

Number born	421
„ over all ages exposed to risk	2,124
„ of deaths	33

The death-rates based on the above data are—

Between birth and age 1	·0530
„ age 1 and age 2	·0272
„ age 2 and age 3	·0071
„ age 13 and 14	·0323

The ages of those exposed to risk range from age 0 to age 20. Of the 33 deaths, 21 occurred between the ages of 0 and 1, nine between the ages of one and two, two between the ages of two and three, and one between the ages of 13 and 14. As in the case of daughters, so it is in the case of sons, and my remarks on the lives of the former apply equally here. It will be noticed that, of the 421 boys born, only 21 died before completing one year of age, whilst, of the 391 girls born, no fewer than 27 died before the end of the first year.
On the other hand, of the 613 boys whose lives were exposed to risk between one and three years of age, 11 of them died in the two years, whilst of the 552 girls exposed to risk, only seven died. The following comparative table is interesting:—

Ages.	Deaths per cent.	
	Girls.	Boys.
Between birth and one	7·4	5·3
Between one and three	1·3	1·8

Taking the first three years of life together, about 3·7 per cent. of the girls die as compared with rather less than 3·2 per cent. of the boys.

The Valuation.

For the reasons advanced in my last Report, and which are here repeated, I have again found it necessary to include in the balance sheet the values of the potential assets and liabilities pertaining to present subscribers. These potential assets and liabilities have reference to the future families of bachelors, &c., and to the additional children of existing married officers. So long as the original rate of interest is continued, and the original tables remain applicable so long may it be considered unnecessary to deal with matters outside existing and contingent claims, because every new liability brings with it a corresponding asset. On a reduction of interest, however, or on the introduction of some other disorganising element, new assets do not correspond with new liabilities, the latter being greater than the former; and as this loss is continuous, applying, as it does, to every possible claim that can arise, it becomes necessary to value all the assets and liabilities that can be created by existing subscribers, married or single. By so doing, the valuation becomes extended to a period far beyond the range of contingent liabilities; and the results, in consequence, when compared with those of earlier valuations, where potential values have been omitted, may possibly assume an appearance of inconsistency unless the figures are closely examined into. Moreover, on the introduction of either of the changes alluded to, the calculations on which is estimated the aid to be derived from unmarried subscribers, become vitiated, the amount in excess of what is required during the Fund's infancy, and which we have spent by allowing a reduction of subscription, being swamped by the loss sustained at the fag end of the period pertaining to existing subscribers. This excess amount received in the earlier years having been spent on the assumption of a continuation of the original tables and interest rate there is nothing left to make good the loss incurred at the end of the period unless the scale of contributions be so increased as to fully counteract the effect of the changes introduced. In the original scheme it was assumed that there would exist indefinitely a certain proportion of bachelor members from whom at a given rate of interest, an annual sum would be derived sufficient to supply the deficiency in the required amount of married members' subscription for children. By this assumption, if the interest rate be reduced, we trespass upon future subscribers to make good a loss now being created. But in the event of the Fund being closed, or, which is the same thing, new conditions being made for new entrants, the revenue from this source is, *de facto*, at once cut off; and it will thus be understood that the result of a valuation, excluding potential claims, must be of a very misleading character, since the capital, which is included therein as an asset, is not wholly the property of incumbent and contingent pensioners, but forms, in great part, within the limit of unmarried subscription, the nucleus of a reserve for future children of both married and unmarrried subscribers. Thus, if for no other reason, potential assets and liabilities must be valued for the purpose of showing how much of the accumulated unmarried contributions should be apportioned to contingent subscriptions and how much to potential subscriptions. I shall presently show this.

The result of the valuation shows a surplus of 88,138*l.*, representing about 5·8 per cent. on the total value of the liabilities, and about 13½ per cent. on the value of the contingent assets, *i.e.*, contributions for existing wives and children, and unmarried contributions. There is no doubt that this surplus is due to the subscriptions of unmarried members especially during the earlier years of the Fund's existence, when the bachelor members completely out-numbered the married subscribers. Now assuming the Fund at the present rate of 4½ per cent. interest to be closed to future Covenanted Civil Servants, under which assumption every valuation *should* be made, it will be at once acknowledged that the accumulated unmarred subscriptions must be held as a reserve to meet the deficiency of subscriptions from the fathers not only for existing children, but for those to be hereafter born. Thus in separating the potential from the contingent, &c., assets and liabilities, the past and future subscriptions of unmarried subscribers should be properly apportioned between existing and future children of present subscribers. This, indeed, is but merely carrying out the intentions of those responsible for the construction of the scheme, in which it was ruled that unmarried contributions should be considered as a "rate in aid" of the fathers' contributions for children. Surely this rule in itself has a "potential" meaning, for there were no children in existence at the time. I will now proceed to show the result of separating potential from incumbent and contingent assets and liabilities.

The accumulated unmarried contributions amount to 127,886*l.* A small proportion (a very small proportion indeed) of this sum must be due to the "rate in aid" towards the subscriptions for children now on the incumbent list. The information is not at present available, but it will be near enough to reduce the above amount by the odd 886*l.*, leaving 127,000*l.* to provide a "rate in aid" towards the contributions for contingent and potential children.

		£
The value of the fathers' contributions for existing children	...	74,025
Ditto, future children	...	232,171
		306,196

Thus, on this proportion, I divide the sum of 127,000*l.*, as also the value of future unmarried subscription, *viz.*, 78,790*l.*, and my potential balance sheet becomes :—

Assets.	£	Liabilities.	£
Unmarried proportion of capital ..	96,320	Future liabilities ...	640,591
Future married contributions ...	577,407	Proportion of charges for management ...	20,841
Future unmarried contributions (proportion).	59,760		
			661,432
		Surplus ...	72,055
	733,487		733,487

This surplus represents about 11½ per cent. on all potential contributions, married and unmarried.

Deducting the above potential values from the valuation balance sheet, the surplus amounts to only 16,083*l.*, representing about 2·7 per cent. on the contingent contributions, married and unmarried (593,278*l*).

This proves that the surplus is mostly, if not entirely, due to unmarried contributions, and it further proves the necessity for including potential assets and liabilities in the valuation balance sheet.

Assuming, then, the continuance of a 4½ per cent. rate of interest, so far as existing subscribers are concerned, I recommend for favourable consideration an *all-round* reduction of 13½ per cent. as a temporary measure.

I may take this opportunity of bringing to the notice of those subscribers who have expressed their opinion that to subscribe to this Fund is to make a bad investment, that, in addition to any reduction in the scale of contributions that might be sanctioned by the Secretary of State for India in Council, such reduction being wholly due to the favourable rate of interest allowed in the past, the following benefits are provided entirely out of Indian revenue:—

	Class II.	Class III.	Class IV.	Class V.
Pensions to widows ...	... 60*l.*	120*l.*	110*l.*	150*l.*
	From birth till age 6.	From age 8 till age 12.	From age 12 till marriage for girls, and age 21 for boys.	
Pensions to children	6*l.* 5*s.*	12*l.* 10*s.*	25*l.*	

Pensions to motherless orphans made up by Government to 100*l.* at all ages. Marriage donation to orphan daughters, 250*l.*

27th August 1907. WILLIS BROWNE.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE FAMILY PENSIONS.

Valuation as at 31st March 1905.

Interest 4½ per cent.

ASSETS.

	£
CAPITAL	364,655
CONTRIBUTIONS:	
Existing wives	500,093
„ daughters	49,8 1
„ sons	24,194
Future wives of bachelors and widowers. Next marriages ...	295,322
„ „ „ „ Subsequent marriages	17,902
„ of married officers	32,012
Future children of bachelors and widowers. Next marriages and subquent marriages...	112,277
Future children of married officers by existing and future wives	119,894
Unmarried subscription	78,790
Outstanding contributions	6,310
	£1,661,280

LIABILITIES.

	£
INCUMBENT:	
Widows (including two re-married)	54,018
Daughters	11,804
Sons	8,928
CONTINGENT:	
Wives (including two re-married)	654,601
Daughters	71,728
Sons	25,880
POTENTIAL:	
Future wives of bachelors and widowers. Next marriages ...	313,719
„ „ „ „ Subsequent marriages ...	21,181
„ of married officers	38,523
Future children of bachelors and widowers. Next marriages and subsequent marriages	129,223
Future children of married officers by existing and future wives ...	137,945
MANAGEMENT CHARGES	45,592
	1,513,142
Surplus ...	88,138
	£101,280

Enclosure No. 2.

REPORT BY MR. STANLEY DAY, F.I.A., dated the 16th March 1908.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE FAMILY PENSIONS.

I have the honour to report that, in accordance with instructions received, I have carefully considered and examined Mr. Willis Browne's Report on the valuation as on the 31st March 1905 of the assets and liabilities arising under the Indian Civil Service Family Pensions Regulations.

The difficulty as to the rate of interest allowed to be assumed on the occasion of the valuation as at 30th September 1898 does not now present itself, for I note with pleasure that the rate of interest of 4½ per cent. may be used for the purposes of this examination.

I have to express my approval of the methods of calculation used in the valuation, and of the rates of marriage and mortality adopted.

The surplus disclosed amounts to 88,138*l.*, as compared with the surplus shown on the valuation of 1898 of 21,191*l.*, on the basis of 4½ per cent. interest. The resumption of the full rates of contribution then authorised is seen to have had effect.

It will be proper to trace how the surplus has arisen. Dividing the fund shown in the *pro formâ* accounts, it appears that the balance of capital applicable to wives and widows amounts to 200,183*l.* Then if we turn to the valuation balance sheet we find—

that the estimate of future contributions for wives in existence is	500,093	
to this add the outstandings (roughly apportioned) of	4,833	
also the estimated present value of future contributions in respect of future wives of subscribers ...	345,236	
which together with the accumulated capital (above) of	200,183	
give total assets amounting to		1,050,345
On the other side there are—		
Incumbent Pensions to widows, valued at ...	54,018	
Contingent Pensions in respect of existing wives, valued at	654,601	
Potential Pensions in respect of future wives valued at	373,423	
and adding an allowance for expenses of	32,075	
we have a total liability of		1,114,117
showing a deficiency on account of wives of ...		63,772

From this it is evident that none of the surplus has been contributed by husbands (as such), but rather that the account has been financed by the Children's Section. This result was at first disappointing, for I had reason to expect that the contributions for wives—which were re-instated in full by Order of the 25th July 1902—would have put the Fund in order.

Looking at this a little closer and comparing the valuation of 1898 with that of 1905, the deficit of 63,772*l.* shown above compares with a deficit of 53,925*l.* for the year 1898, an increased deficiency it is true, but taken as a percentage of the total pensions contemplated it is an improvement, being at the rate of 6·2 per cent. now instead of 8·9 per cent. The difficulty seems to lie with the "potentials," where we find a deficit now of 40,553*l.* instead of 27,932 as in 1898; but the *working* part of this section—the part we can more easily grasp—shows a lighter deficit now of 23,219*l.* on account of incumbent and contingent pensions as compared with shortage of 25,993*l.* in 1898. This improvement is the more marked when we consider the relative value of the pensions at stake, which are now capitalized at 708,619*l.* instead of 310,207*l.* in 1898, and the percentage of deficit to capitalized pensions is now 3·3 instead of 8·4. From this I infer that the wives deficit of 63,772*l.* is not so serious as would appear at first sight, that with a full contribution for wives equilibrium is being regained, and that the loss shown on "potentials" is probably due to a somewhat cautious estimate of the period during which subscribers will pay the full rates for contribution.

When we turn to the children's section, a very different story appears :—

	£	£
Their share of the capital is	164,472	
The value of contributions from fathers and bachelors is	384,986	
and there are outstandings (apportioned) of ...	1,477	
making a total asset of		550,935
Against this we set :—		
The value of pensions—incumbent, contingent, and potential, of	385,508	
and expenses	13,517	
and find a total liability of		399,025
which shows the large surplus of		151,910

There is clearly room for substantial relief to be given to contributors here, and it will not be surprising to find that the whole surplus arises from the subscriptions of bachelors. It will be as well to try to understand the position.

The gross assets applicable to the children's section, both in respect of past accumulations and estimated future contributions, are taken at 550,935*l.*, of which 343,197*l.* is due to the contributions of the fathers, and the balance of 207,438*l.* to unmarried subscriptions, the ratio being as 62 : 38.

In the original scheme it was estimated that for pensions to a pair of children (boy and girl) the proportions of contributions by the father and his bachelor friends should be as 76 : 24, and in addition to this there was originally a further contribution from the father by way of donation, but the donations so paid did not amount to much, and none have been required for many years. Mr. Willis Browne, on the first investigation as at 30th September 1888, gave the proportions from father and bachelor friends as 67 : 33, but in the present valuation the ratio as shown above is 62 : 38.

I have not attempted here to differentiate between contingent and "potential" contributions, recognizing the force of Mr. Willis Browne's observations on the impracticability of ignoring "potential" contributions and liabilities for children, while a rate in aid is required from bachelors, which rate in aid cannot be made to fall due coincidently with the contributions to be drawn from fathers.

I find, on comparing the contributions of bachelors in this and the corresponding Military Scheme, that the average annual contribution from a bachelor civilian is 22*l.* 10*s.*, while the average from a military bachelor is only 5*l* 10*s.*, but the cases are somewhat different, especially as regards the marriage rate. The recent valuations estimate the contributions from civilian bachelors at eight years purchase, and those from the military at 16 years purchase; and taking the contributions per man into the average number of years in expectation, we have a capitalised amount of 180*l.* from the civilian, and 88*l* from the military officer. It may be proper to add here that in the estimate of bachelors' subscriptions those from widowers are included.

The whole surplus clearly arises from the contributions of the bachelors through the children's section. My first thought was to relieve the bachelors of their subscriptions altogether, but this seems somewhat too drastic, and on consideration it is evident that many who contributed to the surplus as bachelors have now joined the ranks of the husbands and fathers. The simple all-round reduction will therefore probably be in the end the most equitable.

Mr. Willis Browne recommends a general reduction of subscriptions of 13½ per cent., and this reduction is perfectly justified by the surplus shewn; but the fraction is an unusual one, and, being not so very different from the simple 12½ per cent. or ⅛, I should think that convenience of office practice would be in favour of the latter. It is understood that the donations are to be payable in full as before.

I have only to add, as a minor point, that it would be a convenience if the actuary were supplied, on a future reference, with particulars of the marriages in which there is a

difference of more than five years between the ages of the husband and wife, and of the "Disparity Donations" thereby involved.

STANLEY DAY,
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16th March 1908.

Enclosure No. 3.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE FAMILY PENSIONS.

Receipts and Payments each half-year from 1st October 1898 to 31st March 1905.

Half-year ended	In India.	In England.	Total.
	RECEIPTS.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
31st March 1899	7,822 1 7	1,779 15 1	9 601 16 8
30th September 1899	7,964 9 5	2,113 4 8	10,077 14 1
31st March 1900	9,762 2 4	2,036 13 3	11,798 15 7
30th September 1900	9,399 7 4	1 941 10 0	11,340 17 4
31st March 1901	11,625 12 9	1,900 6 1	13,525 18 10
30th September 1901	10,575 12 9	1,661 1 8	12,236 14 5
31st March 1902	11,775 0 0	3,283 6 4	15 058 6 4
30th September 1902	11,956 11 4	2,771 16 7	14,727 7 11
31st March 1903	17,655 8 6	3,297 7 11	20 9 2 16 5
30th September 1903	1 ,193 13 7	2,731 2 5	21,914 16 0
31st March 1904	19,981 6 9	4,646 14 8	24,628 1 5
30th September 1904	20,542 10 2	3,933 7 11	24,475 18 1
31st March 1905	22,683 1 11	3,709 5 9	26,392 7 8
£	180,925 18 5	35,805 12 4	216,731 10 9
	PAYMENTS.		
31st March 1899	195 11 0	985 12 6	1,181 3 6
30th September 1899	199 2 3	973 2 6	1,172 4 9
31st March 1900	244 1 0	972 5 10	1,216 6 10
30th September 1900	234 19 8	905 15 5	1,140 15 1
31st March 1901	290 12 10	999 7 6	1,290 0 4
30th September 1901	307 19 1	1,404 11 4	1,712 10 5
31st March 1902	335 9 4	1,653 12 7	1,989 1 11
30th September 1902	298 17 9	2,260 12 3	2,559 10 0
31st March 1903	518 5 0	2,347 15 4	2,866 0 4
30th September 1903	633 6 10	2 467 14 9	3,101 1 7
31st March 1904	718 12 6	2,415 12 5	3,134 4 11
30th September 1901	721 2 6	2 382 6 10	3,103 9 4
31st March 1905	712 15 7	2,638 5 5	3,351 1 0
£	5,410 15 4	22,406 14 8	27,817 10 0

Financial (Funds) Despatch of the 25th July 1902, No. 4, published in the *Gazette of India* of the 30th August 1902, ordered the reversion to the original rates of subscription, from which a temporary reduction of 27½ per cent. had been allowed since the 1st October 1896. The original rates were reverted to from 1st September 1902.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE

Consolidated Account of Receipts and Expenditure (India and

RECEIPTS.

	£ s. d.
Balance on 30th September 1898	115,241 18 0
Interest allowed on half-yearly balances from 1st October 1898 to 31st March 1905 ...	60,499 3 3

	In India. £ s. d.	In England. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	
From Married Members.				
Donations on marriage	23,029 11 2	6,522 14 1	29,552 5 3	
Fines	...	3 16 0	3 16 0	
Subscriptions ...	94,511 5 4	18,105 14 9	112,617 0 1	
Do. commuted	...	654 5 0	654 5 0	
Interest on arrears	349 6 1	23 8 8	372 13 9	
	117,890 1 7	25,309 18 6	143,200 0 1	
Less refunds of excess payments	...	89 4 2	89 4 2	
£	117,890 1 7	25,220 14 4	143,110 15 11	143,110 15 11
On account of Children.				
Sons:—				
Subscriptions	7,762 9 9	1,628 10 1	9,390 19 10	
Do. commuted ...	...	67 14 11	67 14 11	
Fines	...	4 16 0	4 16 0	
Daughters:—				
Subscriptions ...	14,032 8 4	2,844 3 3	16,876 11 7	
Do. commuted ..	...	136 4 8	136 4 8	
Fines	...	1 4 0	1 4 0	
Unmarried subscriptions	41,240 18 9	5,906 3 8	47,147 2 5	
Interest	...	0 1 1	0 1 1	
	63,035 16 10	10,588 17 8	73,624 14 6	
Less refunds of excess payments		3 19 8	3 19 8	
£	63,035 16 10	10,584 18 0	73,620 14 10	73,620 14 10
				302,472 12 0

The total sum paid in respect of pensions during the period of this account was
Government.

FAMILY PENSIONS.

England) for period 1st October 1898 to 31st March 1905.

PAYMENTS.

	In India.	In England.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Annuities :—				
Widows	766 18 4	15,515 12 4	16,282 10 8	
Sons	3 11 10	3,209 5 2	3,212 17 0	
Daughters	95 9 8	2,329 7 2	2,424 16 10	
Charges of management ...	4,544 15 6	1,300 0 0	5,844 15 6	
Report by Actuary	—	52 10 0	52 10 0	
£	5,410 15 4	22,406 14 8	27,817 10 0	27,817 10
Balance on 31st March 1905 ...	...	...	...	364,655 2
				392,472 12

35,130*l.* 4*s.* 5*d.*, the difference, viz., 13,509*l.* 19*s.* 11*d.*, represents the portion paid by

FRANK B. ARMSTRONG,
Director of Funds.

Enclosure No. 4.

Revised Table of Monthly Contributions, Indian Civil Service Family Pensions.

Table V.—Monthly Contribution by every Subscriber according to his Class.

Class.	Years' Service.	By each Married Subscriber.		By each Subscriber who is Unmarried or a Widower.	
		Fixed Sterling Rates.	Reduced temporarily 12½ per cent.	Fixed Sterling Rates.	Reduced temporarily 12½ per cent.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
V.	... 0 to 7	2 13 4	1 9 2	1 6 0	1 1 10
IV.	... 7 to 12	1 16 8	2 9 7	1 15 0	1 10 7
III.	... 12 to 15	4 6 8	3 15 10	2 12 0	2 5 6
II.	... 15 to 18 ... —	6 16 8	5 19 7	3 12 0	3 3 0
I.	18 and over ...	9 13 4	8 9 2	—	—
	18 to 23	—	—	4 15 0	4 3 1
	23 to 28	—	—	5 15 0	5 0 7
	28 till retirement ...	—	—	7 5 0	6 6 10
After retirement irrespective of class ...		4 3 4	3 12 11	2 1 8	1 16 5

Table VI.—For Children.

	Fixed Sterling Rates.	Reduced temporarily 12½ per cent.
	£ s. d.	s. d.
For a son ...	... 0 11 5	10 0
For a daughter	... 1 1 3	18 7

FRANK B. ARMSTRONG.

4th June 1908.

ORDERED that the despatch and enclosures be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

J. B. BRUNYATE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 17th July 1908.

No. 825.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel T. Grainger, M.D., I.M.S. (Bengal), have been replaced temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

SANITARY.

The 13th July 1908.

No. 1606.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2, sub-section (1), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that, until further orders, the Haj will be open to any resident in India, subject to the conditions—

(1) that no person shall be permitted to embark with the object of making a pilgrimage to Mecca except at the port of Bombay in the Presidency of Bombay:

(2) that before the pilgrims embark the ships chartered for Jedda shall be thoroughly cleansed and freed from rats by means of the Clayton process under the personal direction of the Port Health Officer:

(3) that ample hospital accommodation shall be provided on board:

(4) that before embarkation pilgrims shall be medically inspected: and their clothes and baggage disinfected as in the case of third class passengers on ordinary steamers:

(5) that the ships shall undergo further medical inspection at Aden: and

(6) that if plague is found to be present on a pilgrim vessel arriving at Aden telegraphic information shall be sent to Perim, where the vessel shall be treated as an infected ship under article 21 (3) of the Paris Convention of 1903, and the measures prescribed in that article shall be strictly carried out a similar treatment being accorded to vessels on which plague is first discovered between Aden and Perim.

2. The orders contained in the Home Department Notification No. 1214, dated the 9th August 1907, are hereby cancelled.

3. A fully equipped plague observation station for pilgrims will be established at Perim by the Government of Bombay at the commencement of each pilgrim season capable of receiving an entire shipload of pilgrims from a plague-infected vessel for treatment under article 21 of the Paris Convention of 1908.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 17th July 1908.

No. 1875G.B.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Carl Konrad Alexander Claus von Below-Salesko as Consul-General for Germany at Calcutta.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 17th July 1908.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 599.—The following extracts are published for general information:—

"*London Gazette,*" *dated 26th June 1908, pages 4652, 4653, 4654 and 4655.*

WAR OFFICE;
Whitehall, 26th June 1908.

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The King has approved of the retirement of the following officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service, and Indian Army Departments:—

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INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Jarlath ffrench-Mullen, M.D. Dated 25th May 1908.

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A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 1908.

PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1054M.—The 16th July 1908.—In supersession of the like By-laws Nos. 1 to 5 (inclusive) which were made by the Municipal Commissioners of Calcutta, under clause (*k*) of section 412 of the Calcutta Municipal Consolidation Act, 1888, (Bengal Act II of 1888), and sanctioned by the Local Government in the notification dated the 4th October 1890, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 566 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accord his sanction to the revised by-laws for the regulation of theatres and other places of public resort, recreation or amusement, which have been made by the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta, under clause (52) of section 559 and section 561 of the said Act, and confirmed by the Corporation, in the modified form shown below :—

APPLICATION OF BY-LAWS.

1. These by-laws shall, unless otherwise specified, apply to all theatres and other places of public resort, recreation or amusement, whether existing at present or to be hereafter constructed, which now are or may hereafter be kept open to the public within Calcutta.

DEFINITIONS.

2. In these by-laws :—

(1) the expression " such premises " means a theatre or other place of public resort, recreation or amusement as aforesaid ; and

(2) the expression "hard wood" means Teak, Sâl, Seesum, Sissoo, Padouk, Jhara, Kari, or such other wood as the Chairman may approve.

PLAN OF BUILDING.

3. A correct plan of the building and seating arrangements as approved by the Chairman shall be framed and hung up in a conspicuous place of such premises, and two copies of the same shall be deposited with the Chairman. No deviation from such plan shall be made without sanction previously obtained from the Chairman.

VENTILATION.

4. All parts of such premises shall be properly and sufficiently ventilated in a manner to be approved by the Chairman.

INSPECTION.

5. The Chairman may cause all such premises to be inspected at least twice yearly, and if, as the result of such inspection, any defect or disorder be noticed in such premises in connection with and relating to any of the matters or things referred to in these by-laws, the Chairman may, by written notice, require the owner or lessee of such premises to make good such defects within a specified time to the satisfaction of the Chairman, and such owner or lessee shall be bound to comply with such requisition.

ENTRANCES AND EXITS.

6. In all such premises two separate exits shall be provided for every tier or floor which accommodates not more than 300 persons, and additional exits shall be provided for every 250 or part of 250 persons above 300. In calculating the number of persons which can be accommodated in any tier of such premises, the standing space from which a view of the performance can be obtained shall be considered, as well as the seated areas. For this purpose standing room shall be calculated at 1½ feet square for each person.

7. Each of such exits shall be not less than 5 feet wide between the walls at any point or between the leaves of the doors when open.

8. Every such exit must deliver direct on to an open space or thoroughfare or on to an open verandah the floor of which is not more than 3 feet above the level of the ground.

9. Two separate exits of a minimum width of 5 feet shall be provided from the stage direct to a public street or open space communicating with a public street or to an open verandah not more than 3 feet from the ground.

10. One separate exit of a minimum width of 4 feet shall be provided from each block of dressing-rooms direct to a public street or open space communicating with a public street, and shall in no way communicate with the stage.

11. All internal doors shall be so hung as not to obstruct, when open, any gangway, passage, staircase or landing.

12. All exit doors having fastenings shall be fastened by bolts of a pattern and in a position to be approved by the Chairman.

13. All doors and all gates used for entrances shall be made to open outwards; or if made to open both-ways, they shall be so fitted that when opened inwards they can be locked back against the wall in such a manner as to require a key to release them.

14. All doors leading from exit passages, staircases or corridors to other parts of such premises shall be hung so as to be closed by the stream of persons passing from the auditorium to the street, and shall be fitted with springs.

15. No door-handles or other fittings shall project into exit ways more than one and-a-half inches when the doors are open.

16. All barriers shall be made to swing or to open outwards with no other fastenings than approved bolts.

17. No locks, bolts or locking-bars or other obstructions to exits, other than those hereinbefore mentioned, shall be fitted on any doors, gates or barriers:

Provided that padlocks may be fixed on any external door; but such padlocks must be removed before the public are admitted, and must not be replaced until the public have left the building.

18. All exits and other doors or openings which are used by the public for the purpose of exit shall be indicated by notices clearly painted to the satisfaction of the Chairman.

CORRIDORS AND PASSAGES.

19. All corridors and passages leading from a tier or floor shall be not less than 5 feet wide, if the tier or floor accommodates not more than 250 people, and not less than 10 feet wide, if it accomodates more than 250 and not more than 500 people:

Provided that where a tier or floor accomodates not more than 500 people and a third exit is provided, the width of corridors and passages need not exceed 5 feet.

If a tier or floor accomodates more than 500 people, then for every 250 or part of 250 people, over and above 500, an additional width of 5 feet shall be added to the corridors and passages leading therefrom. Where possible, inclines shall be used instead of steps.

20. All corridors and passages shall be kept absolutely free, and no corridor or passage shall be used as a cloak-room or otherwise obstructed in any way.

21. There shall be no recesses or projections in the walls of corridors or passages within 5 feet of the floor.

STAIRCASES.

22. All staircases intended for the use of the audience shall be at least 5 feet wide at their narrowest part, if they communicate with exits from tiers accommodating not more than 300 persons; and shall be at least 7 feet wide at their narrowest part, if they communicate with exits from tiers accommodating more than 300 persons.

23. All staircases shall be provided with treads not less than 11 inches wide and with risers not more than 6 inches high (each lapping at least one inch over the back edge of the step below it), without winders, in flights of not more than 15 or less than 3 steps each.

24. No staircase shall have more than two flights of 15 steps each without a turn, the depth of the landing between such flights being at least the same as the width of the staircase.

25. A continuous and uninterrupted hand-rail shall be fixed on both sides of all steps and landings, and shall be supported by strong metal brackets built into the wall, and such hand-rails and brackets shall not project more than 3 inches.

26. No door shall open immediately upon a flight of steps, but a landing with a minimum distance of 3 feet between the door and the steps shall be provided between such steps and the doorway.

SEATING ACCOMMODATION.

27. The seating area assigned to each person shall be not less than 2 feet deep and 1 foot 6 inches wide in all parts of the auditorium where no backs or arms are provided to the seat, and not less than 2 feet 4 inches deep and 1 foot 8 inches wide where backs or arms are provided. In all cases, however, there shall be a space of at least 1 foot in depth between the front of one seat and the back of the seat immediately in front, measured between perpendiculars. Where chairs, and not fixed seats, are used, they shall (except in boxes) be battened together at a distance of not less than 1 foot 8 inches from centre to centre where they have arms, and 1 foot 6 inches where they are without arms, and in lengths of not less than 4 or more than 12 chairs in a section.

28. Each block of seating shall be provided with gangways to the satisfaction of the Chairman.

LATRINES AND URINALS.

29. All such premises shall be provided with sufficient and separate latrine accommodation for the use of males and females, respectively, and urinal accommodation for the use of males.

PRECAUTIONS AGAINST FIRE.

30. No soft wood or other inflammable partitions, screens or barriers shall be used in any part of such premises (except for stage scenery), and no cavities shall be left behind any linings. All woodwork of the stage shall be rendered non-inflammable or be hard wood.

31. A drop curtain of some fire-resisting material to be approved by the Chairman shall be provided in the proscenium opening, and it shall be completely dropped flush with the floor of the stage at least once during each performance.

32. In all such premises where a stage with a proscenium is erected, such stage shall be separated from the auditorium by a brick proscenium wall not less than 15 inches in thickness, and such wall shall be carried up the full thickness to a height of at least 3 feet above the roof, such height being measured at right angles to the slope of the roof, and shall be carried down below the stage to a solid foundation.

33. Not more than three openings shall be formed in the proscenium wall, exclusive of the proscenium opening.

34. No such opening shall exceed 24 square feet in area. Each of such openings shall be fitted with a wrought-iron door hung so as to close of itself without a spring.

35. All skylights and lantern lights in such premises which may be liable to be broken shall be protected by stout galvanised-iron wire-guards securely fastened on the outside.

36. The space underneath the stage shall be entirely enclosed, with the exception of such doors as the Chairman may approve, by a brick wall not less than 10 inches thick, and shall be kept entirely clear and empty from all inflammable material or rubbish.

37. Such premises shall be provided with such number of hydrants and of such dimensions as may be required by the Chairman.

38. Each of such hydrants shall be provided with a length of hose of a minimum length of 30 feet, with fittings of the Calcutta Fire Bridade pattern, and shall be fitted with bibcocks for filling buckets. Three buckets filled with water shall be kept near each hydrant.

39. Where there is no constant supply of water in such premises, there shall be provided, at some suitable place to be approved by the Chairman, two or more cisterns entirely distinct from any cisterns which may be provided for purposes of latrine and urinal flushing, to be kept always filled with water.

40. Such cisterns shall be capable of containing in the aggregate at least 250 gallons of water for every hundred persons of the audience to be accommodated in the building.

41. Where such premises are made of wood, cisterns of double the capacity prescribed by by-law 40 shall be provided.

42. Hand-pumps, hose, buckets and such other small fire appliances as may be required by the Chairman shall be provided, and shall be kept in such a position as the Chairman may direct.

43. Blankets or rugs, and buckets filled with water, shall always be kept on the stage, in the flies, scene stores, or wings, and in the immediate passages approaching the dressing-rooms of such premises, and attention shall be directed to them by placards legibly printed or painted, and set up as the Chairman may direct.

44. A responsible person approved by the Chairman and paid by the owner of such premises shall be deputed to remain in the wings of the stage during performances to keep the blankets or rugs and fire appliances ready for immediate use.

45. Hatchets, hooks and other appliances for taking down hanging scenery in case of fire shall be always kept in readiness for immediate use.

46. The Chairman may order the owner or lessee of any such premises to provide the same with direct telephonic communication with the nearest fire station; and any person to whom such an order is given shall be bound to obey it.

OIL LIGHTING.

47. Additional means of lighting for use in the event of the gas or electric light being extinguished shall be provided in such premises for the auditorium, corridors, passages, exits and staircases by a sufficient number of oil lamps, of a pattern to be approved by the Chairman, properly secured to an unflammable base, and placed, if possible, out of reach of the public. Such lamps shall be kept alight during the whole time the public are in such premises. No mineral oil shall be used in such lamps.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

48. *Sanction.*—Before the installation of electric light or any electrical work or apparatus, and before any alterations or additions to the electric installation are commenced, the sanction of the Chairman must be obtained, and plans and specifications must be submitted.

49. *Tests.*—Where electric light is permitted, its use shall not be continued, unless a certificate in writing, certifying to the satisfaction of the Chairman that the system is in proper working order, is furnished to him at the end of each half-year.

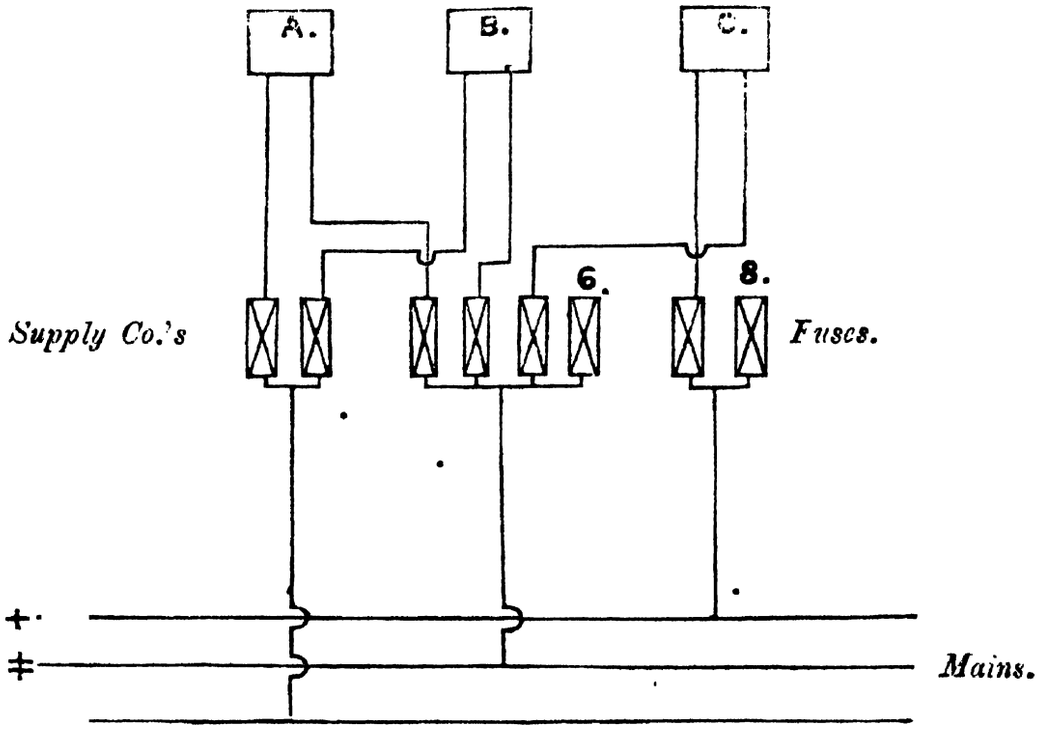
50. *Main Circuits.*—All premises lighted by electric light shall have at least three separate and distinct main circuits—(A) for the stage, and (B) and (C) for the auditorium, corridors, exits and all parts of such premises which are open to the public. The circuits B and C shall be so arranged, that approximately half the lights in each division of the auditorium, and half those in each corridor, exit, etc., shall be on B and the other half on C circuits, and, as far as practicable, the lights on the two circuits shall be placed alternately. In no case may the two circuits be combined in one fitting, nor shall the wires or leads for one circuit be placed in the same box, tube, casing or other covering as those of another circuit.

A.—PERMANENT INSTALLATIONS.

51. *System of Supply.*—Where supply is given on the three-wire system, Circuits A and B or A and C shall be supplied from the opposite side of the system. The main leads, etc., for Circuit A shall, where possible, be kept entirely on the stage side of the proscenium wall, and those for B and C entirely on the auditorium side of that wall. If it is desired to control a portion of the lights in the auditorium from the stage board (circuit A), this shall be permitted if a sufficient number of lights, for safety purposes, be maintained on circuits B and C in each portion of the auditorium, entirely independent of the stage. The number and position of such lights shall be subject to the approval of the Chairman. No other premises and no other part of the same premises than that for which the installation has been sanctioned under by-law 48 shall be supplied electric current from the mains or apparatus installed under such sanction.

NOTE.—*Where the supply is obtained from a Public Supply Company, it is recommended that the Company's fuses be arranged as in the diagramatic sketch below:—*

THEATRE MAIN BOARDS.



If the stage installation is of such a size as requires that it be wired from both sides of a 3-wire system, the connection for the second stage switch board will be made to fuses 6 and 8.

52. (1) *Conductors.*—The whole of the conductors throughout such premises shall be of tinned copper having a conductivity which shall in no case be less than 100 per cent. of Mathiessen's standard for pure copper, as defined by the Committee on Copper Conductors, 1899. No conductor of less cross sectional area than the equivalent of No. 18 S.W.G. shall be used. All conductors of a cross-sectional area greater than No. 18 S.W.G. shall be stranded. The current density shall in no case exceed the maximum permitted for high external temperatures by the Rules of the Institution of Electrical Engineers of Great Britain, and in any special case such less current density as may be required by the Electrical Inspector.

(2) [INSULATION.] All conductors shall be substantially and carefully insulated with the very best pure and vulcanised India-rubber and India-rubber coated tape properly protected externally by braided flax or cotton, treated with a suitable and recognised preservative coating, or insulated and protected by such other means as may be approved at the time. The insulation resistance of conductors used must not in any case be less than 600 miles megohms for vulcanised rubber insulation, or for other approved insulation such insulation resistance as may be sanctioned by the Chairman. The name of the manufacturer shall be stated. The thickness of the di-electric must not be less than that permitted by the Rules of the Institution of Electrical Engineers. The use of non-Association wires or cables shall not be permitted.

(3) [CONDUCTORS.] All conductors shall be efficiently protected from mechanical injury. Where conductors pass through walls, floors or ceilings, they shall be protected by approved armoured insulating conduit, or by glazed stoneware or porcelain tubes, and precautions shall be taken to prevent the possibility of fire or water passing along the course of the conductors. Split tubing must not be used. In special cases, or where necessary for protection from the depredations of rats, mice or other vermin, armoured cables may be used. These need receive no further mechanical protection, but the armouring shall be efficiently

and continuously earthed. Lead-covered cables shall not be used, unless protected by external armour of iron or steel or enclosed in substantial iron pipes or tubes. Metal fastenings for fixing conductors shall be avoided as far as possible. When they are unavoidable, some additional covering shall be used to protect the conductor, unless armoured, from mechanical injury at the points of support.

(4) [FLEXIBLES.] Flexible conductors, if composed of wires smaller than No. 25 S.W.G., shall be of untinned copper wire; if composed of larger wire, the wire shall be tinned. They shall be insulated with pure and vulcanised India-rubber, and shall have an insulation resistance of not less than 600 miles megohms and shall be protected on the outside by a stout braiding and rubber tube where necessary, as for instance in the orchestra. Should any of these flexible conductors be damaged, they shall at once be replaced. No circuit of this nature shall carry more than 5 amperes. No flexible of less equivalent sectional area than 62-38 S.W.G. shall be used.

53. *Circuits.*—In all circumstances complete metallic circuits shall be employed. Gas and water pipes shall never form part of any electric circuit. The main circuits A, B and C shall be sub-divided as may be necessary. The number of lamps shall be so subdivided that no sub-circuit shall carry more than 5 amperes in the case of the auditorium, corridors, etc., or 20 amperes in the case of the stage; and each sub-circuit shall start from a distributing board. The same sub-circuit shall not be used for arc lamps and incandescent lamps. Lights outside buildings shall be on sub-circuits entirely independent of inside lights. These outside sub-circuits may carry any currents not exceeding 20 amperes. Circuits for power purposes shall be kept distinct and separate from lighting circuits. All circuits shall be provided with a fuse on each pole, and the two fuses shall not be contained in the same chamber. All circuits carrying not more than 5 amperes shall be provided with a switch on one pole, and all circuits carrying over 5 amperes shall be provided with a switch on each pole.

54. *Joints.*—No joints whatever shall be made in any cable or wire without the permission of the Chairman. Joint boxes shall be used where a joint would otherwise be unavoidable, and they shall be of porcelain or other approved material entirely, mounted upon blocks, the junction being made in an approved manner.

55 *Cutouts, Switches, Fittings etc.*—(1) All circuits shall be efficiently protected by fuses placed only at the distribution boards, which shall be in positions easily accessible to the staff, but inaccessible to the public. All fuses shall be of such pattern and shall be fixed in such a position as to admit of quick replacement. All cutouts shall be so constructed that fused metal in falling cannot cause a short circuit or an ignition, and all terminals of same shall be of ample size to carry without heating the current for which they are intended. All cutouts shall be so marked as to show what circuits or lamps they control.

(2) All exposed metal works, such as fittings, switch and fuse covers, etc., shall be efficiently insulated from the circuits. All switches, cutouts, ceiling roses, wall and floor sockets, and lamp-holders shall have uninflammable bases and covers. All switches and cutouts shall have sufficient length of break, and shall be constructed so as to prevent the risk of formation of an arc. All lamp-holders shall be of bayonet-socket or other approved form, and shall be fitted with porcelain bridges or some equivalent separation between poles All switches shall be of ample size to carry the currents for which they are intended without heating, and shall be so constructed that it will be impossible for them to remain in any position intermediate between the "on" and the "off" position, or to permit of a permanent arc or short circuit.

(3) All fittings shall be suspended in an approved manner, and special care shall be taken to avoid risk of the suspension failing from any cause. Combined gas and electric fittings shall not be used. All switch and fuse-boards which are not fitted with front connections shall be so mounted as to give instant and easy access to the connections at the back of the board, and shall be provided with dividing strips between poles, both at back and in front, and proper lock-up cases with glass fronts, the glass (unless of adequate thickness) being protected by a wire-guard.

56. *Lighting of Distributing Boards.*—There must be a bracket, carrying an 8-c.p. lamp fixed over each main and branch distributing board, and connected through an independent switch and single pole fuse to the bus bars of that board.

57. *Casing and Capping.*—If casing be used, it shall be spaced from the walls on *stoneware distance pieces*; it shall be of hard wood; and each conductor shall be laid in a separate groove, unless previous permission be obtained to vary this condition. In no circumstances shall wires of opposite polarity be laid in the same groove, nor wires of the same polarity belonging to any one of the different circuits A, B and C. The cover shall be secured with screws at the outer edges. Casings shall, as far as possible, be placed in sight, and the conductors shall always be accessible. Casing shall not be used where it is liable to injury from weather or leakage of water.

58. *Conduit.*—No soft or fusible metal tubing shall be used to contain conductors, nor shall any tubing which is not water-tight be embedded in walls or plaster of floors. Where iron pipe or tube is used as a mechanical protection, it shall have an insulating lining, and proper joint boxes shall be used, and the pipe or tube shall be electrically continuous throughout its length.

59. *External Conductors.*—All external conductors shall be specially insulated and laid in lined iron pipes properly jointed and bushed, and of ample size. Proper joint boxes shall be used wherever joints occur in the conductors. In no case shall conductors belonging to

any one of the different circuits A, B and C be run in the same barrel, or be carried through the same boxes. Such iron pipes shall be protected where necessary, and securely fixed and supported when not underground.

60. *Stage Lighting.*—(1) If the switch-board connections are made at the back of the board, there shall be a space of not less than 3 feet between the wall and the back of the board, or such larger space as may be necessary to ensure the thimbles and connections being at all times easily accessible, or, as an alternative provision shall be made, by hinging the board and placing it on rollers, for rendering the back of the board accessible without breaking the connections or dismounting the board. No metal work in connection with the circuits shall be exposed or so fixed or constructed as to be liable to cause a short circuit.

(2) Lamps or battens, footlights, etc., shall be protected by stiff wire guards, so arranged that no scenery or other inflammable material can come in contact with the lamps. No readily combustible material shall be used in connection with any lamps in such a manner that it might come in contact with the lamps. None but approved hard woods shall be used in connection with the lamps, and all wood shall be protected by incombustible material from the possibility of ignition by an arc between any two parts of the two conductors, or by heated particles from any conductor or part of a conductor.

(3) Where a number of lights, as in the footlights, battens, etc., are supplied under control of one switch, the conductors shall be maintained throughout of a section which has received the sanction of the Electrical Inspector.

(4) The leads to the battens shall be specially guarded, particularly at the points where they join on to the battens, and a sufficient length shall be allowed to prevent the leads from receiving any injury through any movement of the battens, and this part of the leads shall be protected by leather or stout waterproof canvas hose, properly fixed. The battens shall be suspended by at least three wire ropes attached to insulators on the battens. On no account shall the same battens be adapted for both gas and electric light. All wall sockets and plugs shall be of approved and of specially substantial construction.

61. *Arc Lamps.*—Arc lamps shall not be used inside such premises without special permission, and, when used, special precautions shall be taken to guard against danger from falling glass or incandescent particles of carbon. All parts of the lamps, lanterns and fittings which are liable to be handled (except by the persons employed to trim them) shall be insulated from the frame-work. In no case shall arc lamps be suspended by the conductors.

62. *Resistances.*—Resistances for regulating the power of lights or motors or for other purposes shall be mounted on incombustible bases, and shall be so protected and placed at such a distance from any combustible material that no part of the resistance, if broken, can fall on such material, or *vice versa*. Liquid resistances shall be provided with proper trays and stands.

63. *Insulation Resistance.*—The insulation resistance of a system of distribution shall be such that the greatest leakage from any conductor to earth, when all branches are switched on, shall not exceed $\frac{1}{10,000}$th part of the total current intended for the supply of the said lamps and motors, the test being made at the usual working E.M.F.:

Provided that this by-law shall not be held to justify a lower insulation resistance than 10,000 ohms.

64. *Supervision.*—The switching gear shall be in the hands of thoroughly competent manipulators.

65. *Motors, etc.*—Motors shall, if permitted, be subject to special conditions, but electric fans and similar motors not taking more than 300 watts may be used if separately wired from fuses on a proper distributing board.

66. *Plan of Wiring.*—A plan of the wiring shall be always kept in a prominent position in the office of the manager of such premises, and shall be corrected as often as may be necessary to keep it up to date.

B.—TEMPORARY INSTALLATIONS.

67. (1) When it is desired to instal a temporary installation, notice must be given to the Chairman in writing.

(2) All conductors shall be adequitely fixed, and shall be similar to the conductors already specified in these by-laws, and in all cases where they are within reach of the public they shall be cased.

(3) All joints shall be soldered if to be used for more than one week; and if to be used for less than a week, if larger than 7-20 S. W. G., they shall be soldered. In either case the joints shall be insulated and protected:

Provided that joints may be made in suitable and approved joint boxes if desired by the owner, in preference to the method laid down in sub clause (3) above.

(4) The circuits shall be divided, as much as possible, no sub-circuit exceeding 10 amperes, and shall be protected by a fuse on each pole and a switch on one pole.

(5) In the case of portable lighting on the stage, all connections to the installation shall be removed immediately after such performance in which they are used.

(6) Such special conditions as may be requisite in each individual case shall be attached to the consent of the Chairman to the use of temporary electrical work.

(7) All temporary work shall be removed when no longer required for the purpose for which sanction was originally given, and no temporary installation shall remain in use for a longer period than four months.

(8) Lighting on the stage within the capacity of the permanent installation shall not be considered temporary lighting within the meaning of this by-law.

GENERAL.

68. All work generally shall be in strict accordance with the rules of the Institution of Electrical Engineers of Great Britain when not otherwise specified in these by-laws.

69. Should any installation be found by the Chairman to be in a dangerous condition, he may prohibit its further use until the faults have been rectified, and it shall not be used until such rectification has been made.

70. At least one bucket filled with dry sand must be kept in some accessible position on the stage, and one must also be kept in each of the intake rooms for use in dealing with an electric fire.

NOTE.—Nothing in these by-laws can render inoperative the rules of a supply company affecting consumers connected to their system, nor relieve owners or occupiers from the provisions of the Indian Electricity Act, III of 1908.

LIME LIGHT.

71. In cases where lime light is used, the following conditions shall be observed:—

(*a*) All cylinders shall be tested to a pressure of 224 atmospheres to the satisfaction of the Chairman, who may order such periodical examinations as he thinks fit.

(*b*) Hydrogen and coal gas cylinders shall have left-handed threads for attaching connections, and shall be painted red.

(*c*) All cylinders shall be used with an approved safety regulator.

(*d*) All cylinders shall be suitably connected with the lantern by means of iron pipe, or by means of rubber tubing protected on the outside by canvas and coiled wire, and so arranged that it cannot be affected by the movement of the operator, or by others in the neighbourhood of the lantern.

(*e*) All such lime light apparatus shall be in charge of a competent person to be approved by the Chairman.

(*f*) No gas shall be used otherwise than in cylinders under pressure. The use of bags is strictly prohibited.

GAS LIGHT.

72. In cases where gas is used, the following conditions shall be observed:—

(*a*) The foot-lights or floats shall be protected by fixed wire-guards.

(*b*) The rows and lines of gas-burners in the wings (which must commence at 4 feet at least from the level of the stage) shall be protected by fixed iron wire-guards.

(*c*) All battens shall by hung by at least three wire ropes, and shall be protected at the back by a solid metal guard and wire fixed to a stiff iron-frame at such a distance from the gas jets that no part of the scenery or decoration can become heated.

(*d*) All moveable lights shall be fitted with flexible tubes, and the gas in every case shall be capable of being turned off by the tap on the stage as well as by that on the flexible tube.

(*e*) All flexible tubes shall be of sufficient strength to resist pressure from without.

(*f*) If there be a sun-burner in such premises, it shall be provided with a pilot light, which shall be placed so that such sun-burner can be lighted from the stage.

ACETYLENE GAS.

73. In cases where acetylene gas is used, the following conditions shall be observed:—

(*a*) The gas must be generated and stored at pressure sufficient only for driving it through the burner. The pressure shall not exceed 20 inches in the generator, or 5 inches in the holder or service-pipes.

(*b*) The gas shall not be mixed with oxygen or with atmospheric air before it reaches the burner.

(*c*) No apparatus shall be used for generating or storing acetylene gas, unless it has been tested and approved by an expert to be appointed by the Chairman, and all such apparatus shall be subject to periodic examination at the discretion of the Chairman.

(*d*) Every such apparatus shall be placed in a building outside that in which the gas is used.

(*e*) Such out-buildings shall be separate as far as possible from inhabited buildings, and shall be well ventilated. All usual precautions shall be taken to prevent escape of the gas and firing of the same in the generating room.

(*f*) No person shall have charge of the apparatus, unless he has been properly instructed in its management to the satisfaction of the Chairman.

(*g*) The gas shall not be allowed to come into contact with copper or copper alloys, either in the generator and storage vessels, or in the pipes and fittings.

74. As regards fittings the by-laws applicable to gas lighting shall also apply to acetylene lighting.

75. Under no circumstances shall highly compressed or liquified acetylene be produced or used.

CINEMATOGRAPH LANTERNS.

76. The owner or lessee of such premises shall give the Chairman 24 hours' previous notice of any intended exhibition of a cinematograph lantern or other similar apparatus involving the use of a lengthy combustible film.

77. The films, when not actually passing through the lantern, shall be kept enclosed in metal cases. The film which is passing through the lantern shall be re-wound, either automatically or by hand, upon another bobbin as fast as it emerges from the lantern front, or at least directed by one of the operators into a large box lined with asbestos-board. A trough of glass full of alum water in front of the condenser, in order to intercept the heat from the illuminant, shall be provided if the Chairman so requires.

78. A wet blanket or other large and heavy wrapper shall be kept ready to smother fire in case of accident.

79. Acetylene gas shall not be used in cinematograph lanterns.

80. Not less than two operators shall be engaged in manipulating each lantern, and no other persons shall be within ten feet of the lantern during the exhibition. The whole duty of one of the operators shall consist in taking charge of the film after it has passed through the lantern.

81. No match or candle or any other naked light shall be used, nor shall smoking be allowed in proximity to the lantern.

FEE FOR INSPECTIONS AND TESTS.

82. The fee for all inspections and tests under these by-laws shall be paid by the owner of the theatre, and shall be on a scale to be fixed by the Corporation.

HOUR OF CLOSING THEATRES.

83. No performance shall be continued later than 1 A.M., unless with the special permission of the Chairman for any particular occasion.

MAINTENANCE OF ORDER.

84. The manager shall not allow any person in a state of intoxication to enter or remain on such premises.

PENALTY CLAUSE.

85. Every person guilty of a breach of any of these by-laws shall be punishable—(*a*) with fine which may extend to twenty rupees, and, in the case of a continuing breach, with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach; or (*b*) with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the breach continues after receipt of written notice from the Chairman to discontinue the breach.

No. 1050L.S.-G.—The 16th July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Tinkari Ghosh to be a member of the Ulubaria Local Board, in the district of Howrah, *vice* Babu Dakshina Pada Ray Chaudhuri, resigned.

Howrah.

No. 1085M.—The 18th July 1908.—In accordance with the provisions of clause (*c*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), as amended by the Bengal Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1894 (Bengal Act IV of 1894), and on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Kamarhati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare his intention to increase the number of Commissioners of the said Municipality from 9 to 10. Any ratepayer of the said Municipality who objects to the said increase should submit his objection in writing within six weeks from the publication of this notification.

24-Parganas.

No. 1087M.—The 18th July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Harendra Krishna Ray to be a Commissioner of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Rai Charu Krishna Mazumdar Bahadur, resigned.

Murshidabad.

No. 1089M.—The 18th July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Kamarhati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas.

Mr. A. Craig.
„ W. C. McWattie.
Babu Nritya Gopal Ghoshal.
„ Jogendra Nath Ghoshal.
Rai Prasanna Kumar Banarji Bahadur.
Babu Kali Prasanna Mukharji.
„ Balai Lal Chatarji.
Rakhal Chandra Gangali.
Thakur Das Banarji.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act, Mr. A. Craig to be Chairman of the above Municipality.

No. 1091L.S.-G.—The 18th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that the villages of Parbatipur and Daffarpur, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Howrah, be included in the Domjur Union within the jurisdiction of the Sadar Local Board, district Howrah.

Howrah.

No. 1104M.—The 21st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9, sub-section (2), clause (*c*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. S. Tremearne, a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, to be a member of the General Committee of the Corporation, *vice* Mr. W. R. Rae, resigned.

Calcutta.

No. 1118M.—The 21st July 1908.—The following by-laws framed by the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta, under section 559 (14) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Ben. Act III of 1899), have been confirmed by the Corporation, and sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor under section 566 (*i*) of that Act, and are hereby published as required by section 570 thereof.

Calcutta.

By-laws under section 559 (14) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, for declaring the qualifications to be required from licensed plumbers, and regulating their appointment, suspension and dismissal.

A.—QUALIFICATIONS.

1. Before any license is granted to any person or firm to act as a licensed plumber, for purposes of either Chapter XX or Chapter XXI of the Act, or both, such person, or a resident member of such firm, or someone in the employment of such person or firm, must satisfy the Chairman, or the officer to whom the Chairman has delegated his powers in this behalf, in the following respects:—

(1) for a license for the purposes of Chapter XX, that such person or member, or someone in the employment of such person or firm,—

(*a*) has a practical knowledge of plumbing work, and has for a recent period of at least three years been employed as a plumber; and

(*b*) is able to carry out work in both lead and iron, and can wipe straight or branch joints on lead pipe of any market size, and perform any other work usual to the trade of a plumber;

(2) for a license for the purposes of Chapter XXI, that such person or member, or someone in the employment of such person or firm,—

(*a*) can timber trenches in a workmanlike manner in bad ground;
(*b*) can build in brick-work in Flemish or English bond, and generally understands masonry work;
(*c*) can lay and join stoneware pipes, both in straight lines and with curves, and can place them in proper gradients by method of levellings;
(*d*) can insert a junction in a pipe sewer and a junction block in a brick sewer in a manner approved by the Engineer; and
(*e*) can properly restore road surfaces.

B.—APPOINTMENT.

2. No license shall be granted as aforesaid unless rule 1 be complied with and unless, in the opinion of the Chairman or the officer aforesaid, such person or firm has a suitable place of business, together with a proper and sufficient stock of tools, plant and material for the purpose of carrying on the trade or business of a plumber.

C.—SUSPENSION AND DISMISSAL.

3. A licensed plumber appointed as aforesaid may be suspended or dismissed, as the Chairman may think fit—

(*a*) if the plumber, in the opinion of the Chairman,—
(i) fails to carry out in a workmanlike manner any work entrusted to him; or
(ii) fails to carry out any such work within a reasonable time as the Engineer may direct, or delays in carrying out any such work without assigning good and sufficient reasons when called upon to do so; or
(iii) fails to comply with any lawful direction given to him by the Engineer or other officer empowered in that behalf; or
(*b*) if any accident or other damage is caused by or through negligence or want of care or precaution on the part of any servant or workman of the plumber in the course of business; or
(*c*) if any work is done in contravention of the provisions of the Act or any by-law or regulation made thereunder; or
(*d*) if a person or firm was licensed on the ground that someone in his or their employment complied with rule 1—whenever he or they ceases or cease to have in his or their employment a person who fails to satisfy the Chairman, or the officer to whom the Chairman has delegated his powers in this behalf, in the respects prescribed by that rule.

Howrah.

No. 1120L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Howrah for the construction of a feeder road to Sankrail station, in the villages of Mohisgote, Matlay and Dhulagore, pargana Boro, district Howrah, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose pieces of land measuring, more or less, 50 bighas 9 cottahs 5 chitaks and 11 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the paddy lands of Rupchand Bagdi, Rakhal Malik, Bhisti Dharah, Ambic Ghosh, Kailash Ghosh, Hori Bor, Nanda Manna, Mohi Makhal and Gagon Malik, Sadananda Ghugu's garden land and Abdul Malik's, Mati Malik's and Mati Pal's paddy land,

South—By the paddy lands of Noro Ghosh, Hori Pada Dey, Kabed Ali Fakir, Kailash Ghosh, Hori Bor, Kedar Koyal and Jhoru Bagdi, Khetra Ari's garden land, Bheem Mallick and Kalimaddy Shaik's paddy land, Sadananda Ghugu's garden land, Matab Mullick and Mati Pal's paddy land,

East—By the borrowpit of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway line at Sankrail station (near level crossing), and

West—By the junction of Domjore to Bowreah and Andul to Ekabbarpur District Board roads,

are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Mohisgote, Matlay and Dhulagore.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that, in exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized the officers of the District Board of Howrah for the time being engaged on this undertaking to enter upon and survey lands and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided or specified in the said section.

This notification cancels Notification No. 516T.L.S.-G, dated the 25th June 1908, published at page 95, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st July 1908.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention, and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on each side of Chitpore Road, from Lal Bazar Street to Baghbazar Street, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 10th April 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE;
The 15th July 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on each side of Kurrya Bazar Road in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 29th May 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 15th July 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on the east of Fenwick Bazar Street in Ward No. 13, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 15th May 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 15th July 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 1908.

PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTICE.

THE half-yearly examination for teachers of English subjects will be held by the undersigned at the Ram Mohun Roy Seminary in Bankipore. The examination for teachers of vernacular subjects will be held at the Patna Training School by the Head-master of that institution in the presence of the Additional Inspector of Schools. The examination will be held on Thursday, the 27th August 1908, from 10-30 A.M. to 3-30 P.M., and will be continued, if necessary, from day to day until finished.

The candidates for examination in English subjects must have passed Entrance, or some higher examination of the University; and the candidates for examination in Vernacular subjects must have at least passed the Middle Vernacular Examination. Experienced teachers who have not passed any University examination may be examined by the undersigned if he thinks fit. Special application must be made before the examination.

The examination will be mainly practical, and will consist of—

(*a*) Practical examination in class control, the candidate being required to keep a class of at least a dozen boys attentive and fully occupied throughout a lesson.

(*b*) A practical test of teaching ability, the candidate being required to give a lesson on the following subjects:—

English subjects.	Vernacular subjects.
1. English Literature.	1. Hindi Literature.
2. Arithmetic and Algebra, or either.	2. Arithmetic or Euclid, or Practical Geometry, or Indian History.
3. English History or Indian History.	

(*c*) An oral examination on the Art of teaching object-lessons, class management, organisation and discipline.

Candidates for English subjects are recommended to study Salmon's "Art of Teaching" or Landon's "Principles of Teaching," specially those portions dealing with general method; and those of Vernacular subjects should read the "Senior and Junior Teachers' Manuals," by Babu D. N. Neogy.

The candidates must apply by the 20th August 1908 at the least, giving the following particulars:—

(1) Name in full; (2) name of father in full; (3) name of native village and district; (4) name of school in which at present employed; (5) number of years he has served as a teacher; (6) whether he has passed the Entrance Examination or higher examination; (7) year of passing the Entrance Examination; (8) designation and full address; (9) candidates are required to bring their University or other certificates with them to the examination.

BANKIPORE,
The 7th July 1908.

BHAGAVATI SAHAY,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.

NOTIFICATION.

THE half-yearly examination in the Art of Teaching for Teachers of English subjects employed in Government and Aided Schools in the Presidency Division will be held at the Bow Bazar High School at 85, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta, on the 19th August next. The half-yearly examination for Teachers of Vernacular subjects will be held at the Calcutta Training School on the 21st idem.

Teachers who intend to present themselves at the examination are requested to send (at least 15 days before the examination) a statement containing the following information, and should also bring with them their University or other certificates on the day of the examination :—

1. Name (in full).
2. Name of father (in full).
3. Name of native village and district.
4. Last University examination passed.
5. Year of passing.
6. Signature of the applicant.
7. Designation and full address.

The candidates will be expected to give two lessons on such subjects as English, Bengali, History, Geography, Arithmetic, Euclid, Algebra, etc.; they should also be familiar with the Art of Teaching, and with the subjects treated in Teachers' Manuals.

CALCUTTA,
The 9th July 1908.

P. MUKHERJI,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that the Sreegopal Basu Mallik Fellow of the Calcutta University will hold the annual examination in Oriental Philosophy with special reference to Vedanta from Monday, the 7th September, to Thursday, the 10th September 1908, both days inclusive at the Senate House, College Square, Calcutta. The examination will commence at 1 P.M. on each of the aforesaid dates, and the candidates will be required to give up their answer papers at 4 P.M. precisely.

Applications will be received till 15th August and should be addressed to the Registrar, University of Calcutta.

Candidates for the examination must have either attended the Basu Mallik Class for a year or must be persons who have passed at least one of the following Examinations not more than five years before September 1908—

(1) M.A. in Sanskrit of any Indian University.
(2) B.A. with Honours in Sanskrit of any of the Indian Universities.
(3) Tirtha Examination in any branch of the Government Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
(4) Acharyya Examination in any branch of the Government Sanskrit College, Benares.
(5) Sastri Examination of the Punjab.

Every candidate is expected to know the rudiments of Sanskrit Philosophy in general and to have specially studied the Vedanta system. The subject for the next annual examination will be limited to—

(1) Brahmasutras with the Sankara-Bhashya (first four sutras of the first Chapter only).
(2) Chandogyopanishad with the Sankara-Bhashya (last three Chapters only).
(3) Bhagavadgita (first six Chapters only).

No tika is specially prescribed, but a general acquaintance with the leading tikas is expected.

On the result of the examination a Gold Medal worth Rs. 100 and a prize of Rs. 500 in cash will be awarded to the best successful candidate.

N.B.—Printed forms of application will be sent to persons applying for them.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 15th July 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

PANDIT RAMAVATARA SARMA, M.A., University Lecturer, will deliver lectures on the Prose Literature prescribed for the M.A. Examination on the 24th and 25th July (Friday and Saturday) for the first time. Lectures will be delivered twice a week afterwards and students will be informed of the dates of such lectures. These lectures will be usually delivered at 5 P.M. at the Senate House.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 16th July 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine, and
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 15th July 1907.

P. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

PROGRAMME OF LECTURES TO BE DELIVERED BY UNIVERSITY LECTURERS IN SANSKRIT DURING THE CURRENT SESSION.

GROUP A.

PANDIT PRAMATHANATH TARKABHUSHAN will lecture on *Alankara* at the Sanskrit College, on Fridays and Saturdays, from 12 noon to 1 P.M.

Pandit Bahuballabh Sastri will lecture on Paper II at the Sanskrit College, on Mondays, from 1 to 2 P.M., and on Tuesdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Mahamahopadhyay Kamakhyanath Tarkabagis will lecture on the *Sabdasakti Prakasika*, Paper III, at the Sanskrit College, on Tuesdays, from 1 to 2 P.M.

Pandit Thakur Prasad Vyakaranacharyya will lecture on Paper II at the Sanskrit College, on Wednesdays, from 1 to 2 P.M., and on Thursdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Panday Ramavatar Sarma Sahityacharyya, M.A., will lecture on Paper VII at the Senate House, on Fridays and Saturdays, from 1 to 2 P.M.

Acharyya Satyabrata Samasrami will lecture on Paper I (Veda) at the Senate House, on Mondays and Wednesdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Pandit Rajendranath Vidyabhushan will lecture on Paper VI at the Sanskrit College, on Mondays, from 3 to 4 P.M., and on Fridays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Pandit Bhagabatkumar Goswami Sastri, M.A., will lecture on Paper V at the Senate House, on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, from 3 to 4 P.M.

Mahamahopadhyay Haraprasad Sastri, M.A., will lecture on Paper IV at the Sanskrit College, on Fridays, from 3 to 4 P.M.

Harinath De, Esq., M.A., M.R.A.S., will lecture on Paper III (Philology) at the Senate House, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 4 to 5 P.M.

Babu Nrisinha Chandra Mukerjee Vidyabhushan, M.A., B.L., F.R.G.S., will lecture on *Alankara* at the Senate House, on Wednesdays, from 4 to 5 P.M.

GROUP B.

Pandit Bahuballabh Sastri will lecture on Paper II at the Sanskrit College on Mondays from 1 to 2 P.M., and on Tuesdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Mahamahopadhyay Kamakhyanath Tarkabagis will lecture on the *Sabdasakti Prakasika* Paper III) at the Sanskrit College, on Tuesdays, from 1 to 2 P.M.

Pandit Thakur Prasad Vyakaranacharyya will lecture on Paper II at the Sanskrit College, on Wednesdays, from 1 to 2 P.M., and on Thursdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Acharyya Satyabrata Samasrami will lecture at the Senate House on Paper I (Veda), on Mondays and Wednesdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.; on Paper V, on Mondays, from 3 to 4 P.M.; on Paper VI, on Tuesdays, from 3 to 4 P.M.; on Paper VII, on Wednesdays, from 3 to 4 P.M., and on Paper VIII, on Thursdays, from 3 to 4 P.M.

Mahamahopadhyay Haraprasad Sastri, M.A., will lecture on Paper IV at the Sanskrit College, on Fridays, from 3 to 4 P.M.

Harinath De, Esq., M.A., M.R.A.S., will lecture on Paper III (Philology) at the Senate House, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 4 to 5 P.M.

GROUP E.

Pandit Bahuballabh Sastri will lecture on Paper II at the Sanskrit College, on Mondays, from 1 to 2 P.M., and on Tuesdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Mahamahopadhyay Kamakhyanath Tarkabagis will lecture on Paper III (*Sabdasakti Prakasika*) at the Sanskrit College, on Tuesdays, from 1 to 2 P.M.

Pandit Thakur Prasad Vyakaranacharyya will lecture on Paper II at the Sanskrit College, on Wednesdays, from 1 to 2 P.M., and on Thursdays, from 2 to 3 P.M., and on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 3 to 4 P.M.

Pandit Pramathanath Tarkabhushan will lecture at the Sanskrit College, on Thursdays and Fridays, from 1 to 2 P.M.

Acharyya Satyabrata Samasrami will lecture on Paper I (Veda) at the Senate House, on Mondays and Wednesdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Mahamahopadhyay Haraprasad Sastri, M.A., will lecture on Paper IV at the Sanskrit College, on Fridays, from 3 to 4 P.M.

Harinath De, Esq., M.A., M.R.A.S., will lecture on Paper III (Philology) at the Senate House, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 4 to 5 P.M.

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Pandit Bahuballabh Sastri will lecture on Paper II at the Sanskrit College, on Mondays, from 1 to 2 P.M., and on Tuesdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Mahamahopadhyay Kamakhyanath Tarkabagis will lecture on Paper III (*Sabdasakti Prakasika*) at the Sanskrit College, on Tuesdays, from 1 to 2 P.M.

Pandit Thakur Prasad Vyakaranacharyya will lecture on Paper II at the Sanskrit College on Wednesdays, from 1 to 2 P.M., and on Thursdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

Acharyya Satvabrata Samasrami will lecture on Paper I (Veda) at the Senate House, on Mondays and Wednesdays, from 2 to 3 P.M.

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Harinath De, Esq., M.A., M.R.A S., will lecture on Paper III (Philology) at the Senate House, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 4 to 5 P.M.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 18th July 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar, Calcutta, University.

THE following are declared to have passed the 4th grade Public Works Department Accounts Examination held at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, under the authority of Public Works Department Code of 1901 :—

(*In order of merit.*)

Examination Registration No.			Centre.
167	1.	Jitendra Gati Mustafi ...	Civil Engineering College.
181	2.	Bemol Behari Roy ...	Ditto.
4	3.	Charlse Granville Mac Rae ...	Ditto.
82	4.	Alfred W. Domingo ...	Ditto.
125	5.	Bradford Joachim ...	Ditto.
71	6.	Chinta Haran Chatterji ...	Shillong.
93	7.	Kshetra Mohan Banerji ...	Civil Engineering College.
5	8.	Nilmoni Mukerji ...	Ditto.
40	9.	Lakshmi Narayan Roy ...	Ditto.
52	10.	N. Srinivasam ...	Rangoon.
23	11.	Sunda Ram ...	Bombay.
	12.	Bhupendra Nath Ghose ...	Civil Engineering College.
	13.	Bepin Behari Sur ...	Ditto.
		Ram Bhusan Chakravarti	Ditto.
		T. Amaji Rao ...	Ditto.
		M. P. Venkati Raya ...	Ditto.

The following candidates not in Government employ over 25 years of age, have also passed the Examination at the Civil Engineering College Centre :—

6P 1. Satis Chandra Das.

7P 2. Narendra Chandra Dutt.

4P 3. Anath Nath Haldar.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

NOTICE.

THE half yearly examination in the Art of Teaching of Teachers of English subjects employed in the Government Aided, Unaided High English and Middle English Schools in the Burdwan Division will be held on the 27th August 1908 in the Hooghly Branch School.

The examination of those teaching Vernacular subjects in the same class of schools will be held in the Hooghly Training School on the 28th August 1908.

Candidates are requested to apply in writing by the 15th August 1908 to the undersigned for admission to the examination and to furnish the information required below :—

1. Name (in full).
2. Name of father (in full).
3. Name of native village and district.
4. Name of school in which at present employed.
5. Designation and full address.
6. Name of University or Departmental examination he has passed and the year of passing.

Candidates are required to bring their University or other certificates with them to the examinations.

The examination will be mainly practical and will consist of—

(*a*) A practical examination in class control.
(*b*) A practical test of teaching ability.
(*c*) An oral examination in which some questions will be put on the Art of Teaching object-lessons, class management, organization and discipline.

HOOGHLY,
The 17th July 1908.

H. LAMBERT,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA will deliver his next lecture on English Constitutional History at the Senate House, College Square, on Friday, the 24th instant, at 4 P.M.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 20th July 1908.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 1908.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

THE abstract of the Estates Partition Fund of the Cuttack district for 1907-08 below is published for general information under section 42 (6) of the Butwara Manual :—

Name of heading.	Amount. Rs.	A.	P.
Balance at credit of the Fund on the 1st April 1907 ...	3,712	2	8
Receipts for the year 1907-08	11,546	8	7
Disbursements during the year 1907-08	14,575	0	5
Balance at credit of the Fund on the 31st March 1908 ...	683	10	10

H. E. BEAL, *Asst. Collector*, for *Collector*.

CUTTACK, *the 16th July 1908.* (859—1)

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 14th July 1908.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,62,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 69,09,153 8 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,18,90,329 2 6	1,87,99,482	11	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	16,76,06,347	13	2
Bank Post Bills, &c.	10,44,539	8	4
Sundries	17,42,373	4	11
Rupees ...	22,54,42,643	5	9

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	2,73,48,257	0	0
Other authorised investments ...	23,06,392	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,20,91,217	4	7
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	3,93,45,934	6	3
Bills discounted and purchased	2,32,94,354	8	11
Balances with other Banks	13,20,312	10	1
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	13,24,732	6	2
Stamps	16,127	13	11
Sundries	5,58,271	11	10
	13,81,08,599	13	9
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs. 4,71,61,166 10 7			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... † ,, 4,01,72,876 13 5	8,73,34,043	8	0
Rupees ...	22,54,42,643		

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 2,50,515 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 2,91,022 8 0
,, 5,47,537 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 16th July 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 46·16.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

MEMORANDUM.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.		ASSETS.	Rs.	
Government Balance at Head Office	9,78,441	Decrease.	Bank's Investments	23,05,324	Decrease.
Ditto at Branches ...	2,20,788	Increase.	Loans	32,37,932	Do.
Other Deposits	42,18,831	Do.	Accounts of Credit	9,23,463	Do.
Post Bills	1,71,522	Do.	Mercantile Bills	3,19,773	Do.
			Cash at Head Office	71,41,553	Increase.
			Do. at Branches	32,55,553	Do.

Percentage 46·16.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 15th July 1908.

(855—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th July 1908.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—			GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.		Total.	Of 1892-93.	Of 1895-96.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.	Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 30th June 1908 ...	77,86,000	1,50,85,400	9,13,76,100	2,16,62,500	1,14,94,500	22,66,300	.....	14,18,84,800	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,97,11,033
ADD—																			
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 27th June 1908 ..	.....	.....	.....	9,700	.....	.....	.....	9,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,700
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th July 1908 ...	.....	2,000	18,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,500
	77,86,000	1,50,87,400	9,13,94,600	2,16,72,200	1,14,94,500	22,66,300	.....	14,19,15,000	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,97,41,233
DEDUCT—																			
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	3,50,000	92,400	7,000	37,900	1,46,500	3,36,000	.....	6,09,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,59,800
Balance on 15th July 1908	73,86,000	1,49,95,000	9,13,87,600	2,16,34,300	1,13,48,000	19,30,300	.....	14,13,05,200	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,97,81,433

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th May 1908—Enfaced from India, 11,097 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,532 lakhs.
" 16th May 1908 " 31st " " " " " 8 " " " " " 17 "
" 1st June " " 15th June " " " " " 4 " " " " " 13 "
" 16th " " " 30th " " " " " 8 " " " " " 7 "
" 1st July " " 15th July " " " " " ... " " " " " 10 "
11,712 lakhs. 11,579 lakhs.
11,579 "
Balance against India ... 133 "

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 17th July 1908.

(865—1)

T. BRUCE,
Superintendent.

L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

PRESENT:

Babu Kalidas Mukharji, B.L., Munsif.

EXECUTION CASE No. 499 OF 1908.

Gobind Chandra Mahapatra, of Patujat Bag Brindaban, pargana Khejuri, decree-holder, *versus* Sri Chandan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Rai, of Gad Rauturapur, pargana Sahabandar, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore in the Court premises on the 15th September 1908 for realization of Rs. 1,229-10-5:—

Annas 4 share belonging to the judgment-debtor of the estate Bistupur, pargana Sahabandar, bearing tauzi No. 1368 of the Balasore Collectorate, station Baliapal. Government Revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 3,816 and that payable for the above share is Rs. 954.

KALI DAS MUKHARJI, Munsif.

Balasore, the 20th July 1908. (895—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

PRESENT:

Babu Kalidas Mookerjea, B.L., Munsif.

EXECUTION CASE No. 548 OF 1908.

Gobind Chandra Mahapatra of Patna Bag Brindaban, ph. Khejuri, decree-holder, *versus* Srichandan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Rai of Gad Rantarapur, ph. Sahabandar, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore in the Court premises on the 15th September 1908 for realization of Rs. 1,256-6-8 pies.

As. 4 (four annas) share belonging to the judgment-debtor of the estate Bistupur, ph., Sahabandar, bearing tauzi No. 1368 of the Balasore Collectorate, station Baliapal, Government Revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 3,816 and that payable for the above share is Rs. 954.

KALI DAS MOOKERJEA, Munsif.

Balasore, the 20th July 1908. (894—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of MAHOMED HOSSAIN and another, insolvents.

On the 8th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. C. Mitter, Attorney. (871—2)

In the matter of J. K. ANDERSON, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. C. Morgan, Attorney. (872—2)

In the matter of DENO BUNDHU DUTT, an insolvent.

On the 20th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. C. Mandal, Attorney. (873—2)

In the matter of NEEM CHAND RAKA, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Banerjee, Attorney. (874—2)

In the matter of NOGENDRA LAL MUKERJEE, an insolvent.

On the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (875—2)

In the matter of KAILAS CHUNDRA KAR, an insolvent.

On the 12th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (876—2)

In the matter of DEMOSTHENES BEINOGLON, an insolvent.

On the 13th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Fox & Mandal, Attorneys. (877—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH ANTHONEY SAMDRA, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (878—2)

In the matter of GEORGE CARRISON, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (879—2)

In the matter of ISSOOF MOSUM ASUM, an insolvent.

On the 17th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. C. De, Attorney. (880—2)

In the matter of GOLAM MOJID, an insolvent.

On the 20th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Pal, Attorney. (881—2)

In the matter of AJIMUDDIN HAJI, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Pal, Attorney. (882—2)

In the matter of EDWARD GEORGE MANN, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of July instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (883—2)

In the matter of JNANENDRA KEISHNA BOSE, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 27th day of July instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

B. N. Basu & Co., Attorneys. (896—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors Kedar Show and others, that the insolvency petition of the judgment-debtor Khublal Show, of Asansol, thana and chauki Asansol, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that 28th July 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

A. GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Office, the 17th July 1908. (887—1—843)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Habul Chandra Das, son of Ishwar Chandra Das, of Goaltuli, Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 23 of 1908, and that the 30th July 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge, Hooghly.

Chinsura, the 14th July 1908. (853—1—840)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 10 of 1908.

SADHANCHANDRA DE, son of Lambodar De, of Mamudpur, thana Singur, district Hooghly, was, on the 11th July 1908, adjudicated an insolvent. The 21st August 1908 has been fixed for framing a schedule of debts and creditors when persons having claims against him are to prove them in this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 16th July 1908. (861—1—839)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 16 OF 1908.

Nepal Chandra Ghosh, son of late Raj Krishna Ghosh, of Bahir Mirzapore Road, Maniktala, Jugipara Lane, thana Beliaghata, district 24-Parganas, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 11th May 1908, and that Babu Ram Lal Banerji, Nazir of this Court, has been appointed Receiver for the property of the insolvent.

All persons alleging themselves to be creditors of the aforesaid insolvent are hereby called upon to prove the amount and particulars of their respective debts by the 27th July 1908.

F. R. ROE,
District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 18th July 1908. (866—1—838)

DEBENDRA NARAYAN BHUTTACHARYYA, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (869—4—835)

GOPAL KRISHNA PAL, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (767—4—714)

JOYTISH CHANDRA SARKAR, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta (864—4—842)

KSHIROD BIHARI CHATTERJEE, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (829—4—844)

MR. P. K. MITTER, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (806—4—757)

SAYED ENAYET KARIM, B.L., Pleader, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court. (774—4—758)

SHAIKH MUHAMMAD ABDUL HAKIM, B.L., Pleader, Bankipore, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (755—4—763)

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Dadhi Mahakura, late a Chaprasi in the Port Commissioners' Jute Godown, Calcutta, who died at Calcutta on the 1st May 1908 intestate, has been granted to Kalu Mahakura residing at No. 33, Ratu Sircar's Lane, Calcutta, as nephew and sole heir of the deceased to enable him to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said Kalu Mahakura.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator General of Bengal.

No. 3, Council House Street, Calcutta, the 21st July 1908. (898—1)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908:—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add 880	To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.
3.	Balia	...	,, 889	
4.	Bhimpore	...	,, 1982	
5.	Munair	...	,, 2458	
6.	Masandha	...	,, 4368	
7.	Phulwari	...	,, 5058	
8.	Sunda	...	,, 6859	
9.	Shahjehanpore		,, 7305	
10.	Ghyaspur	...	,, 7692	
11.	Beswak	...	,, 9898	
12.	Bihar	...	,, 10516	
13.	Maldah	...	,, 11771	
14.	Narhat	...	,, 11772	
15.	Pillich	...	,, 11823	
16.	Raggir	...	,, 12561	
17.	Samai	...	,, 12586	
18.	Sanaut	...	,, 12605	
19.	Telhara	...	,, 12606	
20.	Ukri	...	,, 13570	

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W 650/660 of 07/08	Ra/48 59180	500	Babu Kishori Lall, Banker, Meerut (Cantonment).
	Pa/91 45152	100	
	Ua/59 43068	100	
	Ua/64 31022	100	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 15th July 1908.

Currency Notes

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W/62 of 08/09	UA/65 97926	100	Karim Bux Haji, Shaheb Bazar, P. O. Ghoramara. Rajshahi.
	„ 97927	100	
	„ 97928	100	
	„ 97929	100	
	UA/64 72333	100	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 8th July 1908.

Notice.

THE Inspector-General of Police, Lower Provinces, is prepared to receive applications for appointments as Sub-Inspectors of Police from young men of respectable parentage who have passed the Entrance or Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, or the final "B" or "C" class examination of a Zilla or High School. They must have a fluent knowledge of English. Preference will be given to graduates and undergraduates and to natives of a Commissioner's Division in filling up the appointments allotted to it. A limited number of applicants who have obtained the B.L. degree will be appointed to a higher grade, and, if they subsequently give proof of special aptitude for conducting prosecutions, may look for special promotion to the post of Court Inspector.

No person will be deemed qualified who does not satisfy the following conditions :—

I.—That he has no disease, constitutional affection or bodily infirmity unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for police duties, and that he is not less than 5 feet 3 inches in height and 30 inches round the chest.

(NOTE.—"Stuttering or stammering" is a constitutional defect and represents a physical disqualification.)

II.—That he is of good moral character.

III.—That he belongs to a respectable family and is of good social standing.

IV.—That he will be over 21 and under 25 years of age on 1st January 1909.

Printed forms of applications are obtainable in the office of all Superintendents of Police. Applications should be submitted to the Superintendent of Police of the district within which the candidate resides, Calcutta for the purpose of this rule being regarded as a part of the 24-Parganas district. Applications must reach the office of Superintendents of Police not later than the 30th September 1908.

Selected candidates will undergo a 42-weeks' course of instruction, commencing from 2nd January 1909, at the Police Training School. This course will include drill, riding, gymnastics, instruction in taking finger prints and Police portraits, elementary surveying and training in conducting prosecutions in Magistrates' Courts and in other practical duties of an investigating officer.

At the end of the 42 weeks, candidates obtaining a certificate of proficiency will be posted to districts as probationers for two years. If at the end of that period they are pronounced competent and fit, they will be confirmed as Sub-Inspectors. During the period of instruction they will be subject to the rules and regulations of the Training School, and will receive Rs 25 a month as salary. On being passed out of the Training School, they will receive the full salary of the grade to which they are appointed.

The position of selected candidates in the Range lists from which promotions are made will be determined by the places obtained at the final examination held at the conclusion of the Training School term.

L. F. MORSHEAD,
Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Police, L. P.

The 20th July 1908.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified under section 5 of Act VI of 1878 that the undermentioned treasure was found in Margali last in the house of Sambanda Pandaram in Thenkarai attached to Tiruvilimalalai village, Nannilam Taluk, by Pusari Muthu and Veera Padayachi of the said village :—

		Rs.
	Rs. 64 which fell to the share of Pusari Muthu	64
2	Rs. 64 which fell to the share of Veera Padayachi	64
	Total ...	128

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore at his office on 5th December 1908 in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

Tanjore Collector's Office, The 1st July 1908.

J. P. BEDFORD,
Collector.

Coorg Commissioner's Office.

Dated 18th June 1908.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that on the 1st April 1908, carpenter Chatu found the undermentioned gold and silver jewels and coins of the value of Rs. 28-2-9 in an earthen pot near the well of one Kalu Ayri, of Bellur village, Tavalagerimurnad, and they were forwarded to this office.

Persons claiming the abovementioned treasure or a part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Commissioner on Friday, the 8th January 1909, at Mercara, Coorg, failing which they shall forfeit all rights to them.

	Description.	Estimated value.		
		Rs.	A.	P.
28	Gold beads filled with wax ...	2	0	0
11	Ditto ...	2	0	0
34	Ditto ...	3	0	0
107	Gold small beads	4	0	0
1	Gold small yasalu	0	2	0
1	Gold malakattu with its screw ..	0	4	0
3	Gold murus (hallow)	0	2	0
1	Gold bendole	3	0	0
7	Gold Kantrayeehana ..	2	0	0
1	Silver kalsara with 16 gold chadaru ..	2	0	0
2	Silver kalugagara (small size) ..	0	8	0
1	Silver thollubandi	1	0	0
3	Silver bangles	0	12	0
1	Silver kaibandi ..	0	8	0
1	Silver tholuthathisara	1	0	0
3	Pairs of kallubale (silver)	1	8	0
7	Silver rings	0	4	0
5	Silver kaluminchu	0	4	0
2	Silver kode oongra (one broken) ..	0	8	0
1	Silver kondi chain and two pieces ..	1	0	0
1	Silver chowri gonasu (small) ..	0	2	0
15	Silver gejjes and one broken ..	0	8	0
38	Silver beads filled with wax ..	1	8	0
1	Silver haliukadi with its ring ..	0	1	0
1	Silver thali	0	0	3
	Silver pieces	0	2	0
1	Copper case (dabbi)	0	0	6
183	Small corals ..	0	0	0
1	Silver guggekandi with its ring ...	0	1	0
	Total ...	28	2	9

L. T. HARRIS, Commissioner.

WANTED for the Patna College an M.A in Arabic on Rs. 125 per mensem. The applications should reach the Principal on or before the 7th August 1908.

V. H. JACKSON,
Offg. Principal, Patna College.

Bankipore, the 18th July 1908.

Wanted

A SURVEYOR on Rs. 40 and a Clerk on Rs. 20 per mensem temporarily for three months in the Land Acquisition Department of this Collectorate.

The Surveyor should be qualified under the rules and must have thorough experience in Land Acquisition work.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 26th July 1908.

S. K. MUKHARJI,
for Collector.

Purnea Collectorate, the 13th July 1908.

Wanted

NAZIR AND SUB-TREASURER for the Kishanganj subdivision on Rs. 20 rising to Rs. 30 by biennial increment of Re. 1. The selected candidate will have to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 750 in cash or Government Promissory notes.

Applications will be received up to the 26th instant

A. H. VERNEDE, Collector.

Purnea, the 11th July 1908.

Wanted

A HEAD CLERK AND SHARISTADAR for the Magistrate's office, Gaya, on a salary of Rs. 120–200 per month, on probation for six months, with prospect of being made permanent on the retirement of the permanent incumbent in January 1909. Candidates must have thorough experience of works in a Government office, be under 45 years of age and fit for hard work.

Applications will be received up to 25th July 1908.

Wanted also a Head Clerk for the Batwara office on a salary of Rs. 40. No one need apply who has not got experience of Collectorate work.

T. S. MACPHERSON,
Magistrate and Collector of Gaya.

Gaya Magistracy, the 12th July 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Treasurer at Rs. 80 per mensem for the Bhagalpur Treasury. None need apply who is unable to give cash security in the amount of Rs. 15,000 or in Government Promissory Notes and two sureties of Rs. 15,000 and has no experience of the work of the Treasury Department. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 5th August 1908.

F. F. LYALL, Collector.

Bhagalpur, the 14th July 1908.

WANTED by the District Board, Pabna, a qualified Sub Inspector of Schools on a pay of Rs. 50 and travelling allowance according to the Civil Service Regulations. Applications will be received up to the 7th August 1908. Preference will be given to a Muhammadan.

GOPAL CHANDRA SARKAR, Vice-Chairman.

Pabna, the 17th July 1908. (891—1)

WANTED by the Pabna District Board an Overseer on a pay of Rs. 40 rising by annual increments of Rs. 2 to Rs. 60 with a fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 20 per month Candidates must be qualified under clause (1) (*a*) (*b*) (*c*) of rule 7 of the rules published under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901. Applications will be received up to the 7th August 1908.

GOPAL CHANDRA SARKAR, Vice-Chairman.
(892—1)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Accountant for the District Board of Shahabad on a salary of Rs. 80 rising to Rs. 120 by an annual increment of Rs. 5. None need apply who has not passed the fourth grade Accountantship Examination under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901. Preference will be given to one who has experience of the District Board accounts.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 30th July 1908.

ANWAR AHMED,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Shahabad.

Arrah, the 1st July 1908. (815—3)

Advertisement.

WANTED permanently for the District Board of Manbhum—

(1) A Supervisor on a salary of Rs. 150 and a conveyance allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem and travelling allowance according to the Civil Service Regulations. Candidates must have the qualifications of a Supervisor of the Public Works Department and at least five years' practical experience of roads and building works.

(2) A Surveyor Estimator Draftsman on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs 80 per month by annual increments of Rs. 4. Preference will be given to a neat and quick Draftsman having experience in preparing road projects, including bridge work, and plans and estimates for buildings.

(3) A Clerk and Tracer on Rs. 25 rising to Rs 35 per month by annual increments of Rs. 2. Preference will be given to a candidate having some experience of the routine work in the office of a Subdivisional Officer of the Public Works Department and able to prepare tracings of plans and sections of roads, buildings, etc.

II. The appointments will be on probation for six months to begin with, and confirmation will follow on approved service.

III. Applications with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned, must be addressed Chairman, District Board of Manbhum, Purulia, and must reach him before the 31st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, I.C.S.,
Chairman, District Board, Manbhum.

Purulia District Board's Office, the 13th July 1908.
(852—2)

Wanted

AT once a 3rd Clerk for the District Engineer's Office, Darbhanga, on a salary of Rs. 30 rising to Rs. 40 by an annual increment of Rs. 2.

None need apply who has no experience of the work of a District Engineer's Office and has not passed the Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University.

Applications in the candidate's own handwriting with the copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 1st August 1908.

E. G. BARTON, B.A., B.E., M.I.C.E.,
District Engineer.

Darbhanga, the 13th July 1908. (854—2)

Wanted at once

TWO Sub-Overseers—one on Rs. 45 *plus* Rs. 15 and the other on Rs. 50 *plus* Rs. 15 per month. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules.

Apply at once to the District Engineer, Palamau, Daltonganj.

Daltonganj, the 14th July 1908. (858—2)

Notice.

WANTED at once for the District Engineer's Office, 24-Parganas—a passed Accountant for three months on a salary of Rs. 80 per month; a passed Sub-overseer for two months, consolidated salary Rs. 50 per month; a passed Overseer for one month, salary Rs. 60 and travelling allowance Rs 45 per month.

Applications will be received up to August 1908.

BINOY KRISHNA BASU,
District Engineer, 24 Parganas.

Alipore, the 20th July 1908. (890—2)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that unless 19 bags of wheat, landed atthe Docks ex S.S. "Strathdee" during February 1908, consigned to Messrs. Sree Saligram Shamdass, and still lying in "B" shed, are

removed on or before the 3rd August 1908 and all charges due thereon paid, they will be sold by public auction in terms of section 118 of Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890, and the sale-proceeds appropriated towards payment of the said charges.

C. H. WINDLE,
Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, 17th July 1908. (885—1

BANK OF BENGAL.

Notice.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors and Shareholders of the Bank of Bengal will be held at the Bank on Thursday, the 6th proximo, at 10-15 A.M. for the transaction of the following business:—

I.—To receive the Directors' Report and the Audited Accounts up to 30th June 1908.

II.—To elect two Directors in the room of Mr. H. T. Hyde and Mr. H. Bateson, who go out by rotation, but who are eligible for re-election.

III.—To elect two Auditors and to fix their remuneration.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer

Bank of Bengal, the 16th July 1908. (855—1)

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European Establishment:—

Mr. J. R. Fergie to be Agent at Jalpaiguri.
,, J. LaPraik to act as Agent at Bara Bazar, Calcutta.
,, C. S. Clarke to act as Agent at Chittagong.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 20th July 1908. (823—1)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1886, and the Holta Tea Company, Limited (in Liquidation).

THE Creditors of the abovenamed Company are required, on or before the 31st day of August 1908, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Attorneys, if any, to the undersigned, Gerald Kingsley, of No. 20, Strand Road, in the town of Calcutta, one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place and in such manner as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 16th day of July 1908.

GERALD KINGSLEY, Liquidator.
(857—1—836)

Howrah Mills Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-sixth Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, *the 7th August 1908, at 12-45 p.m.* to receive the Directors' Report, pass the audited accounts to 30th June 1908, declare a dividend and transact any other business that may be brought forward.

Dividend Warrants will be made out in favour of Shareholders whose names are in the Company's books on the 23rd July 1908.

The Share Transfer Register of the Company will be closed from Friday, *the 24th July, to Friday, the 7th August 1908*, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
ERNSTHAUSEN, LIMITED,
Managing Agents.

Calcutta, the 16th July 1908. (860—3—837)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 4162, dated 7th July 1908, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount. Rs.	Holder's name.
057537	1896-7	500	Probodh Chandra Gupta.
017791	1896-9	500	

Name of the Proprietor—PROBODH CHANDRA GUPTA.
Residence—27, Hurro Dhole Lane, Calcutta.

(863—1—841)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 077097 of 1842-43 for Rs. 100 and 002175 of 1900-01 for Rs. 100 at 3½ per cent. each, originally standing in the name of Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to Sreemati Hari Mati Dassy, the proprietress, by whom they were never endorsed to any person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietress. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned securities.

MONORANJAN HAJRA,
Husband of the proprietress, Howrah.
(822—3—803)

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

Mails for	Date of closing.	Latest hour of posting. General Post Office. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.	Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, Fort William Outram and Wellesley Street Post Offices. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa and East Africa, and also South Africa if superscribed on the cover viâ United Kingdom or Aden.	July. 23	8 P.M.	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	22		Parcels 5 P.M. M. O. 4 P.M.		5
Australasian Colonies.	27	5-45 P.M.	4-30	4-45 P.M.	2-45
*Straits Settlement China and Japan, per S.S. *Pooksang*.	26	8-30 ,,		6-45 ,,	5
Ditto ditto, S.S. *Kumsang*.	30	7-30		6-45 ,,	5
Burma	23, 27	7-30		6-45 ,,	5
Burma, Penang and Singapore.		7-30		6-45 ,,	5
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	24			6-45 ,,	5
Port Blair S.S. *Maharaja*.	25		4-30	4-45 ,,	2-45
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Bé S.S. *Wardha* from Colombo.	25	5-45 ,,	4-30	4-45 ,,	2-45
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Bé. (Supplemental).		5-45	4-30 ,,	4-45 ,,	2-45

* On other days correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

Late Fee.

1. Late letters bearing a late fee are received at the General Post Office at the following hours on the days on which direct mails are closed :—

For Burma and Port Blair from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. with a late fee of ½ anna.

For Homeward English mail on Thursday from 8 P.M. to 8-45 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails by Sea from 8-30 P.M. to 9 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails *vid* Madras or Tuticorin from 5-45 P.M. to 6-15 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails *vid* Bombay from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

Late registered articles for Burma and Port Blair are received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 2 annas.

Late registered articles for the Australasian Colonies, Mauritius and South Africa *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received from 4-45 P.M. to 5-15 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas and for Ceylon with a late fee of 2 annas.

Late registered articles for the Homeward English mail are received on Thursday from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

DESPATCH OF PRINCIPAL INLAND MAILS.

Mails for	Latest hour of posting. General Post Office. Ordinary articles.	General Post Office. Registered letters.	Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, (*b*) Fort William, Outram and Wellesley Street (*b*) Post Offices. Ordinary articles.	Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, (*b*) Fort William, Outram and Wellesley Street (*b*) Post Offices. Registered letters.
1. Arracan and Chittagong	4-45 A.M.	6 P.M. (*a*)	6-45 P.M (*a*)	5 P.M. (*a*)
2. Bombay, Central Provinces, Midnapur, Purulia, Chaibassa, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	1-15 P.M.	1 ,,	11-45 A.M.	11-30 A.M.
3. Places on the East Indian Railway (Loop Line).	2 ,,	1-30 ,,	12-45 P.M.	12 noon.
4. Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Lower Assam.	3-55 ,,	3-25 ,,	2-45 ,,	2-30 P.M.
5. Midnapur, Orissa and Madras Presidency.	5-45 ,,	4-30 ,,	4-45 ,,	4 ,,
6. Cuttack, Midnapur, Punjab, United Provinces, Bombay Presidency, Central India, Sind and Baluchistan, Eastern Bengal, Central Bengal and Murshidabad.	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,

(*a*) Previous day.

(*b*) Latest hour of posting articles in the Newmarket and Theatre Road Post Offices are 30 minutes earlier than the hours shown for Dharamtola and Wellesley Street Post Offices.

Late fee.

1. Late letters bearing a fee of half anna are received at the General Post Office at the following hours :—

For the Bombay mail *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway from 1-15 P.M. to 1-35 P.M.

For the Loop mail from 2 P.M. to 2-40 P.M.

For the Darjeeling and Assam mails from 3-55 P.M. to 4-15 P.M.

For the Madras mail from 5-45 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.

For the Punjab, Bombay *vid* Jubbulpur and Eastern Bengal mails from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of one anna from 8 P.M. to 8-45 P.M.

2. Late registered letters bearing a fee of 2 annas are received at the General Post Office from 4-30 P.M. to 5-15 P.M. for the Madras mail and from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. for the Punjab, Bombay *vid* Jubbulpur and Eastern Bengal mails.

GENERAL POST OFFICE, C. H. STUART,
Dated Calcutta, the 20th July 1908. *Presidency Postmaster.*

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

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Atherton & Co., G.	88
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Apcar & Co.	130
Acerboni & Co., F.	135
Anderson Wright & Co	140
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Becker Gray & Co.	41
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Boisogomoff, Ld.	128
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James Scott & Sons, Ld.	152
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Orenstein & Koppel	143
Otto Levi & Co.	160
Oriental Gas Co., Ld.	200
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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

No. 187 T., dated the 21st July, 1908.

THE following further Report of the Select Committee on the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Bill, together with the Bill as amended by the Committee, is, by order of the President, published for general information:—

THE BENGAL LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1908.

FURTHER REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE.

WE, the undersigned, Members of the Select Committee to whom the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Bill, 1907, was re-committed, have incorporated in the Bill the provisions framed by the Government relating to (1) the prevention of the diversion of the road-cess and (2) sanitation, and have the honour to submit this, our Report, with the Bill as amended by us annexed hereto.

2. The provisions for preventing the diversion of the road-cess are contained in clauses 25(*3*), 26(*1a*), (*5*), 26A, 59(*4*) [sub-clause (*h2*)] and 64 of the annexed Bill, and those relating to sanitation are contained in clauses 42A, 53 (sections 115 to 118C) and 59 (*8a*) and (*11*). For ready reference, these clauses are marked, in the Bill, with lines.

3. In the first group of provisions we have made slight alterations in the Government draft of clauses 26 (*5*), 59(*4*) [sub-clause (*h2*)] and 64 [sub-clause (*c*)].

4. In the second group of provisions, relating to sanitation, we have made the following alterations on points of substance:—

(*1*) In sub-section (*1*) of the new section 116, we have given power to Union Committees to cause privies to be removed, and to cause private drains to be constructed, altered or removed. Privies are often erected by the side of tanks, and their retention in such a position necessarily leads to the fouling of the water.

(2) We have restricted sub-sections (2), (3) and (4) of the same section (which empower Union Committees to require work to be done by owners or occupiers) to the removal of huts or privies and the construction, alteration and removal of private drains. We consider that the other improvements authorised by sub-section (1) should be carried out by the Committees themselves, since they are of a public character, without calling upon owners or occupiers in the first instance to undertake the work.

(3) We have inserted a section (118AA) giving powers of entry for the purpose of making inspections or executing work under the new provisions.

(4) We have altered section 118B so as to declare that an assessment for the purpose of providing extra funds for meeting the cost of executing work under the new provisions shall not be imposed unless it is authorised by a resolution passed at a special meeting by the votes of not less than two-thirds of the members of the Union Committee.

(5) We have also revised the same section so as to declare in more precise terms what portions of the Village-chaukidari Act, 1870, or the Chota Nagpur Rural Police Act, 1887, as the case may be, are to apply to this assessment.

(6) We have also altered sub-section (2) of the same section so as to declare that the amount to be assessed on any one person shall not exceed seven rupees *per mensem*, and that the assessment may be made payable either in a lump sum or in periodical instalments.

(7) In section 118C we have reduced from six to three months the time allowed for an appeal from an order of the Union Committee under the new provisions, and have substituted a sub-committee of the District Board for the Magistrate, as the appellate authority.

5. We recommend that the Bill, as now amended, be circulated for opinion, and that an early date should be appointed for the submission of opinions, to admit of the Bill being passed during the present session.

C. A. OLDHAM.
R. T. GREER.
W. A. INGLIS.
JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE.

The 20th July 1908.

I SIGN this Report subject to the following note of dissent :—

NOTE OF DISSENT.

For the purpose of promoting rural sanitation, the imposition of a special tax has been provided in section 11B under clause 53 of the Bill. The tax is to be levied from "owners and occupiers of the property" within the Union, and in this respect the method of assessment is essentially at variance with that provided in the Village-Chaukidari Act, 1870, and the Chota Nagpore Police Act, 1887, though the Bill as regards the levy of the tax professes to follow those enactments. Those Acts render the owners or occupiers of houses and persons having *kutcheries* for collecting rents liable to assessment—*see* section 14 of the Village-Chaukidari Act, and section 7 of the Chota Nagpore Police Act. The use of the word "property" in the Bill (section 118B) instead of "houses" and "kutcheries" as in the aforesaid Acts materially enlarges the scope of the special tax so far as the assessees are concerned, making it co-extensive with the road cess. Reading the portion of the Bill dealing with Unions, as a whole, I venture to think that this is not intended.

In the case of a tax on persons according to their circumstances and property for the sanitary welfare of limited areas, I would prefer to follow the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, which makes such a tax leviable from occupiers only—*see* section 98 of that Act.

KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI.

THE BENGAL LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1908,

AS FURTHER AMENDED BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE.

[Notes—1. The amendments made by the Select Committee are, as far as possible shown in antique type.

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AS FURTHER AMENDED BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE.

[Notes.—1. The amendments made by the Select Cammittee are, as far as possible, shown in antique type.

2. The new provision for preventing the diversion of the road-cess and for sanitation are marked with lines.]

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to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 in manner hereinafter appearing; Ben. Act III of 1885.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title. 1. This Act may be called the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1908.

Repeal of portions of Bengal Act III of 1885. 2. The following portions of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 are hereby repealed, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

in section 1, the words "or of the districts of Singhbhum, the Sonthal Parganas or the Chittagong Hill-tracts";

in the proviso to section 6, the words "and in any other sub-division to which the provisions of the next succeeding Chapter shall have been extended";

section 16;
section 24;
the last paragraph of section 25;
section 34;
section 72;
the proviso to section 73, and
in section 103, the words "A Local Board shall exercise powers of supervision and control over all Union Committees within the area under its authority, and".

Addition to section 5. 3. To section 5 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"and 'sanitation' includes water-supply."

Amendment of sections 7, 11 and 15. 4. (*1*) In section 7 of the said Act, after the figures "22" the words, figures and letter "section 23A or section 29" shall be inserted.

(*2*) For the words "Lieutenant-Governor," where they occur in the sixth paragraph of section 7, in section 11, and in the first paragraph of section 15 of the said Act, the word "Commissioner" shall be substituted.

New section 10. 5. For section 10 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"10. If, within the time prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, the prescribed proportion of elected members of any District Board or Local Board is not duly elected, the Commissioner may appoint members to make up that proportion."

Power to appoint members of District or Local Board, if prescribed proportion not duly elected.

Amendment of proviso to section 13. 5A. In clause (*2*) of the proviso to section 13 of the said Act, for the words "the area under the authority of such Local Board" the words "the sub-division for which such Local Board has been established" shall be substituted.

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(*Clauses 6-8.*)

Amendment of section 17.

6. In section 17 of the said Act, for the words "Lieutenant-Governor" and for the word "Commissioner," in both places in which they respectively occur, the word "Commissioner" and the words "District Board," respectively, shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 18.

7. (*1*) Section 18 of the said Act shall be re-numbered section 18, sub-section (*1*).

(*2*) In the said sub-section (*1*)—

(*i*) for the words "Lieutenant-Governor", wherever they occur, the word "Commissioner" shall be substituted;

(*ii*) for the words "or Local Board" the words "Local Board or Union Committee" shall be substituted;

(*iii*) in clause (*a*), the words from "or is convicted" to the words "unfits him to be a member" are hereby repealed.

(*3*) To the said section the following shall be added, namely:—

"(*2*) Any member who is removed under sub-section (*1*) may appeal to the Lieutenant-Governor, whose decision shall be final."

New section 18A.

7A. After section 18 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"18A. The Lieutenant-Governor may remove any member of a District Board, Local Board or Union Committee who is convicted of any such offence, or is subjected by a Criminal Court to any such order, as, in the opinion of the Lieutenant-Governor, formed, after due inquiry, unfits him to be a member."

Power of Lieutenant-Governor to remove members after proceedings in Criminal Court.

New sections 19 and 19A.

8. For section 19 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"19. (*1*) When the place of an elected member of a District Board or Local Board becomes vacant by his resignation, removal or death, a new member shall be elected, in accordance with the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, to fill the place:

Filling of casual vacancies.

Provided that if, within the time prescribed by such rules, no new member is duly elected, the Commissioner may appoint a new member to fill the place.

(*2*) When the place of an appointed member of a District Board or Local Board becomes vacant as aforesaid, the Commissioner may appoint a new member to fill the place.

(*3*) No act of any District Board or Local Board, or of its officers, shall be deemed to be invalid by reason only of the fact that the number of members of the Board, at the time of the performance of the act, was less than the prescribed number.

"19A. (*1*) A member of a District Board or Local Board who has been appointed by official designation shall, subject to sections 17, 18 and 18A of this Act, and unless the Lieutenant-Governor otherwise directs, continue to be a member of the Board while he continues to hold the office to which such designation refers.

Term of office of member of District Board or Local Board.

[*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1885, s. 16 and s. 18, last para.]

(*2*) A member of a District Board or Local Board who has been elected or appointed under section 19 shall, subject as aforesaid, hold office until the person whose place he fills would regularly have gone out of office, and shall then go out of office.

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(*3*) In cases not provided for by sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) of this section, the term of office of a member of a District Board or Local Board shall be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor by rules, which may provide for the retirement of members by rotation.

(*4*) An outgoing member of a District Board or Local Board may, if otherwise qualified, be re-elected or re-appointed."

Amendment of section 22.

9. In section 22 of the said Act, after the word "elected" the words "either by name or by virtue of his office" shall be inserted.

New section 23A.

10. After section 23 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"23A. If any District Board fails to elect a Chairman or Vice-Chairman within the time prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, the Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a Chairman or Vice-Chairman, as the case may be."

Appointment of Chairman or Vice-Chairman of District Board on failure to elect.

Amendment of section 25.

11. In section 25 of the said Act,—

(*a*) after the word "elected" the words "either by name or by virtue of his office" shall be inserted; and

(*b*) for the words "Lieutenant-Governor," in the first, second, fourth and fifth places in which they occur, the word "Commissioner" shall be substituted.

New sections 26 and 26A.

12. For section 26 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"26. (*1*) Every Local Board shall, from time to time, within a period prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, elect one of its members to be Vice-Chairman.

Vice-Chairman of Local Board.

(*2*) If any Local Board fails to elect a Vice-Chairman within such period, the Commissioner may appoint a Vice-Chairman.

"26A. A District Board or Local Board may grant leave of absence to their Chairman or Vice-Chairman for any period not exceeding three months in any one year."

[*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 26B.]

Leave of absence to Chairman or Vice-Chairman of District or Local Board.

Amendment of section 27.

13. In section 27 of the said Act, for the words "to the Lieutenant-Governor, and on such resignation being accepted," the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"in the case of a Chairman of a District Board, to the Lieutenant-Governor, and, in the case of a Chairman of a Local Board, to the Commissioner; and, on such resignation being accepted by the Lieutenant-Governor or Commissioner, as the case may be".

New sections 29 and 29A.

14. For section 29 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"29. (*1*) If a Chairman of a District Board dies, resigns, is removed, or avails himself of leave granted under section 26A, the Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a new Chairman, or may direct that, within a period prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, a new Chairman be elected by the members of the Board from among their own number, subject to his approval.

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(Clauses 15, 16.)

(2) If a Chairman of a Local Board or a Vice-Chairman of a District Board or Local Board dies, resigns, is removed, or avails himself of leave granted under section 26A, the Board shall, at a special meeting held for the purpose within a period prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, elect from among its members a new Chairman or Vice-Chairman, as the case may be.

(3) If any District Board or Local Board fails to elect a new Chairman or Vice-Chairman within the prescribed period, the Lieutenant-Governor (in the case of a District Board) or the Commissioner (in the case of a Local Board) may appoint a new Chairman or Vice-Chairman, as the case may be.

Term of office of Chairman and Vice-Chairman.

"29A. (1) The term of office of an elected Chairman or Vice-Chairman of a District Board or Local Board, or of an appointed Vice-Chairman of a District Board or Chairman or Vice-Chairman of a Local Board, shall, subject to sections 27 and 28 of this Act, be the residue of his term of office as a member of the Board. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1885, s. 24; s. 25, last para.; s. 26, second para.; and s. 29, third para.]

(2) The term of office of an appointed Chairman of a District Board shall, subject as aforesaid, be one year from the date of his appointment; but he may be re-appointed on the expiration of that term.

(3) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (1) or sub-section (2), the term of office of a Chairman or Vice-Chairman appointed or elected to fill a casual vacancy consequent upon the grant of leave under section 26A shall expire upon the return from leave of the person whose office he was appointed or elected to fill. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1885, s. 27.]

(4) Every appointed Chairman of a District Board shall be deemed to be a member of the Board during his term of office."

Amendment of sec. 32.

15. In section 32 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "Every District Board, and every Local Board with the sanction of the District Board," the following shall be substituted, namely:—

> "Any District Board, with the sanction of the Commissioner and subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, and any Local Board, with the sanction of the District Board and of the Commissioner and subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor";

(*b*) for the words "leave, suspension and removal," in clause (*g*), the words "leave, leave allowance and punishment (including suspension and removal)" shall be substituted;

(*c*) after the words "and may" the words "with the like sanction and subject to the like control" shall be inserted; and

(*d*) for the concluding paragraph the following shall be substituted, namely:—

> "All rules made under this section, and all orders repealing or altering any such rules, shall be published in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct; and, so far as they are consistent with this Act and with any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor hereunder, shall, upon such publication, have the force of law."

Amendment of section 33.

16. In section 33 of the said Act, after the words and figures "under section 30" the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"or by an Education Committee referred to in section 65B,

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(*Clauses 17-25.*)

New section 35.

17. For section 35 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"35. A District Board may, from time to time, with the sanction of the Commissioner and subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, make rules for pensions and gratuities to be granted and paid out of the District Fund to its establishment and for the grant and payment therefrom of extraordinary pensions and gratuities to the families of deceased employés; and may, with the like sanction, and subject to the like control, repeal, add to or alter such rules."

Pensions and gratuities to be paid out of the District Fund.

New section 35A.

18. After section 35 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"35A. A District Board may, from time to time, with the sanction of the Commissioner and subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, make rules— [Cf. Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 47.

Provident Fund.

(*a*) for the creation and management of a Provident Fund for its several establishments;

(*b*) for compelling members of its establishments to make contributions to such Fund;

(*c*) for supplementing such contributions by grants from the District Fund; and

(*d*) for the payment of moneys out of such Provident Fund;

and may, with the like sanction and subject to the like control, repeal, add to, or alter such rules."

Amendment of section 36.

19. In the proviso to section 36 of the said Act, before the words "Local Board" the words "District Board, or of the" shall be inserted, and for the words "is subordinate" the words and figures "may have been declared by an order under section 119 to be, for the purposes of this section, subordinate" shall be substituted.

New section 41A.

20. After section 41 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"41A. Every Union Committee shall, from time to time, elect one of its members to be Chairman of the Committee."

Chairman of Union Committee.

Amendment of section 44.

21. In section 44 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "the Local Board to which it is subordinate as hereinafter provided," the words and figures "the District Board or of the Local Board to which the Committee may have been declared by an order under section 119, to be, for the purposes of this section, subordinate" shall be substituted, and

(*b*) for the words "the Local Board," the words "the aforesaid District Board or Local Board" shall be substituted.

Addition to section 48.

23. To section 48 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely:—

"*Explanation.*—Alterations or modifications may be made or directed by the Commissioner under this section on any of the grounds mentioned in the penultimate paragraph of section 47."

Addition to section 50.

24. To section 50 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that no loan shall be raised for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a railway or tramway under the provisions of section 80, unless it is authorized by a resolution which has been passed at a meeting specially convened for the purpose and in favour of which a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members of the District Board have voted."

Amendment of section 52.

25. (1A) After clause (*1*) of section 52 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*1a*) all sums received under any loan raised under section 50."

(1) For clause (*3*) of the said section 52 the following shall be substituted namely:—

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(Clause 26.)

(2) After clause (*5*) of the said section 52 the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*5a*) all receipts accruing within the district from tolls or leases under Part III, heading D(*1*), of this Act."

(3) Before the final sentence of the said section 52 the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"The balance of the District Road Fund mentioned in clause (*1*) of this section shall be placed to the credit of the District Fund under a separate head."

Amendment of section 53.

26. (*1a*) In the first line of section 53 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, after the words "The District Fund shall" the following shall be inserted, namely:— Ben. Act II of 1885.

"subject to the provisions of section 109 of the Cess Act, 1880, as amended by this Act." Ben. Act IX of 1880.

(*1*) In clause *Fourthly* of the said section 53, after the figures "35" the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"and of any grants made for supplementing contributions by members of such establishments to any Provident Fund created under section 35A."

(*2*) For clause *Fifthly* of the same section, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"*Fifthly.*—To the payment of—

(*a*) expenses incurred by the District Board in—

(*i*) the construction, repair and maintenance of any works which may become vested in, or be placed under the control and administration of, such Board under Part III of this Act;

(*ii*) the acquisition, by purchase or otherwise, of offices for the use of the District Board, or of a house and land for the residence of the District Engineer, or the acquisition of land for, and the construction of, such offices or house; and

(*iii*) the performance of duties imposed, and the exercise of powers conferred by this Act;

(*aa*) advances granted to members of the establishments of the District Board for the purpose of enabling them to acquire or construct residences for themselves;

(*b*) any contribution made by the District Board under Part III of this Act; and

(*c*) any sums assigned by the District Board to a Local Board or Union Committee under this Act."

(*3*) In clause *Sixthly* of the same section, for the words "of the travelling expenses incurred by members of the District Board in attending meetings of the Board or meetings of a Joint Committee," the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"(*a*) of travelling expenses incurred by delegates of the District Board in attending meetings convened under the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor in pursuance of sub-section (*4*) of section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, for the purpose of recommending a person to be nominated as a Member of the Lieutenant-Governor's Council; [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 69(*f*).] 55 & 56 Vict., c. 14.

(*b*) of travelling expenses incurred by members of the District Board or any Local Board in attending meetings of the District Board or Local Board or meetings of a Committee or Joint Committee; and

(*c*) in such cases, if any, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct, of travelling expenses incurred by members of the District Board or any Local Board in performing journeys for carrying out other objects of this Act."

And said section 53 after

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(5) After proviso (2) to the said section 53 the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(3) that the application of the balance of the District Fund mentioned in clause (1) of section 52 of this Act to any object other than those referred to in section 109 of the Cess Act, 1880, as amended by this Act, shall be subject to such rules as the Lieutenant-Governor may prescribe." Ben. Act IX of 1880.

New section 53A.

26A. After section 53 of the Bengal Local Self Government Act of 1885 the following shall be inserted, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"53A. If any deviation from the provisions of this Act, or of any rule made hereunder, or of section 109 of the Cess Act, 1880, as amended by this Act, relating to the crediting or application of the balance of the District Road Fund mentioned in clause (1) of section 52 of this Act, is shown to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor to have been of temporary duration or of an accidental character, he may cause a declaration to be made to that effect; Ben. Act IX of 1880.

Temporary or accidental deviations from provisions relating to crediting or application of District Road Fund.

and such deviation shall thereupon be deemed to be valid, notwithstanding any of the provisions hereinbefore referred to."

Amendment of section 56.

27. For clause (1) of section 56 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, the following shall be substituted, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"(1) all sums directed by notification under section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, to be placed to the credit of the Fund." I of 1871.

Amendment of section 58.

28. In section 58 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, for the words "Local Board" the words "District Board" shall be substituted. Ben. Act III of 1885.

Amendment of section 59.

29. In section 59 of the said Act, for the letter "D" the letter "E" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 60.

29A. In section 60 of the said Act, for the letter "E" the letter "F" shall be substituted.

New section 61.

30. For section 61 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"61. Every District Board shall perform such functions as may be transferred to it by notification under section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871." I of 1871.

Pounds.

New section 63.

31. For section 63 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, the following shall be substituted, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"63. The District Board may, subject to any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act,—

Other schools.

(a) with its own consent, be charged with, and made responsible for, the maintenance and management of any other schools or class of schools within the district; or

(b) make grants in aid of any such schools, whether the same be under public or private management."

New section 64A.

32. After section 64 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"64A. The District Board may, subject to any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act,—

Provision, maintenance and management of students' hostels.

(a) provide buildings to be used as students' hostels in connection with schools for the maintenance and management of which the Board is responsible under

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(*b*) make grants in aid of any school referred to in section 63 or section 64, or any other school, college or educational institution, for the purpose of providing buildings to be used as students' hostels in connection with such school, college or institution, or for the purpose of maintaining and managing such hostels"

Amendment of section 65.

33. In section 65 of the said Act, for the words "the improvement of primary schools within the district under private management," the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*a*) the improvement of any schools or class of schools within the district under private management; or

(*b*) the maintenance or improvement of any schools or class of schools maintained and managed by the District Board; or

(*c*) the provision of buildings to be used as students' hostels in connection with any school referred to in section 64, or in clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of this section, or any other school, college or educational institution, and the maintenance and management of such hostels."

New sections 65A and 65B.

34. After section 65 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"65A. The hostels referred to in sections 64A and 65 may be situated either within the area directly subject to the authority of the District Board, or within any place or town lying within that area in which the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, is for the time being in force.

Site of students' hostels.

Ben. Act III of 1884.

"65B. (*1*) Every District Board shall appoint, to be members of an Education Committee,—

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(*aa*) the Deputy Inspector of Schools;

(*a*) three members of the District Board; and

(*b*) not more than three residents of the district not being members of the District Board.

(*2*) The appointment of any person referred to in clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) to be a member of an Education Committee shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner;

and, when his appointment has been so approved, such person shall, for the purposes of sub-clause (*b*) of clause *Sixthly* of section 53, be deemed to be a member of the District Board.

(*3*) It shall be the duty of an Education Committee, subject to the control of the District Board and to any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under section 138,—

(*i*) to superintend all matters connected with the finances, accounts, maintenance and management of all schools maintained by the District Board, and

(*ii*) to determine the conditions to be complied with when grants are made by the District Board in aid of other schools.

(*5*) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall apply to schools referred to in section 64."

Addition to section 7.

35. To section 67 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 the following shall be added, namely :—

Ben. Act III of 1885.

"A District Board may also provide for—

(*a*) the training and employment of compounders, midwives and veterinary practitioners; and

(*b*) the promotion of free vaccination."

Addition to section 70.

36. To section 70 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"or defray the expenses or any such inhabitants for journeys to and from any hospital established [illegible]

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Amendment of section 78.

37. In section 73 of the said Act, after the words "for the purposes of this Act" the words and figures "but subject to the provisions of Chapter III of Part III thereof" shall be inserted.

New section 78 A.

38. After section 78 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:— [*Cf* Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 354 (*c*).]

"78A. The District Board may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, turn, divert, discontinue or permanently close any road which is under the control and administration of, or is vested in, the District Board."

Power to turn, divert, discontinue or close road.

Amendment of section 82.

39. (*1*) In section 82 of the said Act, for the words "Lieutenant-Governor" the words "Governor General in Council" shall be substituted.

(*2*) To the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that no application for the said sanction shall be made, in the case of a railway or tramway, unless it is authorized by a resolution which has been passed at a meeting specially convened for the purpose and in favour of which a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members of the District Board have voted." [*Cf.* Mad. Act V of 1884, s. 58, prov., added by Mad. Act VI of 1900, s. 48.]

Addition to section 86.

40. To section 86 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"and the power of the District Board to make any contribution under section 79 shall be subject to any rules, made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, prescribing conditions precedent to the making of such contribution."

New heading and new sections 86A to 86L.

41. After section 86 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"*D*(*1*).—*Tolls on Bridges.*

"86A. The District Board, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may establish a toll-bar— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, ss. 153, 159 (*1*).]

Power of District Board to establish toll-bars and levy tolls.

(i) on any bridge in the district which has, after the date of the commencement of the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1908, been constructed or purchased out of the District Fund, or to the cost of the construction or purchase of which contribution has, after the said date, been made out of the District Fund; or

(ii) on any road-way or foot-way of a railway-bridge which has, after the said date, at the instance of the District Board and out of the District Fund, been so constructed or widened as to allow the passage of persons, vehicles or animals; or

(iii) at any place in the district, adjacent to any bridge referred to in clause (i) or clause (ii), at which tolls may conveniently be levied;

and may levy tolls at such toll-bar on persons, vehicles and animals passing over such bridge, road-way or foot-way:

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Provided as follows:—

(*1*) no toll-bar shall be established, or tolls levied, otherwise than for the purpose of recovering—

(*a*) the expenses incurred by the District Board in constructing, purchasing, contributing to or widening such bridge, road-way or foot-way,

(*b*) interest on such expenses, at the rate of four *per centum per annum*, and

(*c*) the capitalised value of the estimated cost to the District Board of maintaining such bridge, road-way or foot-way, and of renewing it, if it requires periodical renewal;

(*2*) no toll-bar shall be established, or tolls levied, on or in respect of any bridge, road-way or foot-way, the cost or estimated cost of which, as indicated in clauses (*a*) and (*c*) of proviso (*1*), was or is less than ten thousand rupees.

"86B. The District Board may grant a lease, for any period not exceeding three years, of any toll-bar established under section 86A of this Act. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 164.]

Lease of toll-bar.

"86BB. When the District Boards of two adjacent districts, having jointly constructed, purchased or contributed towards the cost of the construction or widening of a bridge, road-way or foot-way, have received sanction under section 86A of this Act to the establishment of a toll-bar, the tolls shall be levied or granted in lease by such District Board as the Lieutenant-Governor may, in his order according sanction, direct; and the proceeds of such tolls, or of the lease thereof, shall be adjusted between the two District Boards according to rules made in this behalf by the Lieutenant-Governor.

Procedure where two District Boards have contributed towards cost of bridge, etc.

"86C. (*1*) The following persons and things shall be exempted from payment of tolls at any toll-bar established under section 86A of this Act, namely:— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 165.]

Exemptions.

(*a*) Government stores, and persons in charge thereof;

(*b*) police-officers and other public officers travelling on duty, District Board officers so travelling, persons in the custody of any of the officers aforesaid, property belonging to or in the custody of any of the officers aforesaid, and vehicles and animals employed by any of the officers aforesaid for the transport of such persons or property;

(*c*) conservancy carts and other vehicles and animals belonging to the District Board, and persons in charge thereof; and

(*d*) any other class of persons or things which may be exempted by order of the District Board.

(*2*) In granting a lease of any toll-bar, the District Board may stipulate that any servants and property of the District Board and any other persons and things shall be exempted from payment of tolls thereat.

"86D. (*1*) When it has been determined that tolls shall be levied at any toll-bar established under section 86A of this Act, the District Board shall make and publish an order specifying the rates at which the tolls shall be levied. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 160.]

Rates of tolls.

(*2*) Such rates shall be subject to the sanction of the Commissioner, and may from time to time be varied with the like sanction.

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"86E. (*1*) A table of such tolls, legibly printed or written in the vernacular of the district, shall be hung up in some conspicuous position near every such toll-bar, so as to be easily readable by all persons required to pay the tolls. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 165.]

Table of tolls to be hung up.

(*2*) In default of compliance with sub-section (*1*) of this section, the toll-collector, or the lessee of the toll-bar, as the case may be, shall be liable to fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and to a further fine which may extend to ten rupees for each day after the first during which the default continues. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 166.]

"86F. The District Board, or the lessee of any toll-bar, may compound with any person for a certain sum to be paid by such person for himself, or for any vehicles or animals kept by him, in lieu of the rates specified under section 86D of this Act. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 167.]

Power to compound for tolls.

"86G. Any toll-collector or lessee of a toll-bar established under section 86A of this Act may refuse to allow any person to pass through the toll-bar until the proper toll has been paid. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 161.]

Power of toll-collector or lessee in case of refusal to pay toll.

"86H. Whoever, having rendered himself liable to the payment of toll, refuses to pay the toll, shall be liable to fine which may extend to fifty rupees. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 162.]

Penalty for refusing to pay toll.

"86J. If resistance is offered to any person authorized under this Chapter to collect tolls, any Police-officer whom he may call to his aid shall be bound to assist him; and such Police-officer shall, for that purpose, have the same powers as he has in the exercise of his ordinary police duties. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 169.]

Police-officers to assist.

"86K. If any person authorized under this Chapter to collect tolls demands or takes any higher tolls than the tolls authorized under this Chapter, he shall be liable to fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and, in default of payment, to imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 170.]

Penalty for taking unauthorized tolls.

"86L. (*1*) When a toll-bar has been established and tolls have been levied, under section 86A of this Act, in respect of any bridge, road-way or foot-way, the District Board shall, at the end of each financial year, publish, by causing to be posted up at their office, an abstract account showing— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 159.]

District Board to publish expenses, etc., of toll-bars.

(*a*) the amount of the expenses incurred by the District Board in constructing, purchasing, contributing to or widening the bridge, road-way or foot-way;

(*b*) the amount of interest which has accrued due on such expenses;

(*c*) the capitalised value of the estimated cost to the District Board of maintaining the bridge, road-way or foot-way, and of renewing it, if it requires periodical renewal; and

(*d*) the amount which has been received from the profits of the said toll-bar since its establishment.

(*2*) As soon as such expenses, interest, and capitalised value have been recovered as aforesaid, such toll-bar shall be removed, and tolls shall no longer be levied in respect of such bridge, road-way or foot-way."

88A. 42. After section 88 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"88A. A District Board may, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, contribute such annual or other sum as may be agreed upon towards the cost of the construction, repair and maintenance, under the provisions of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, of water-works, wells or tanks within the district." [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1885, s. 69.]

Power to contribute towards cost of Municipal water-supply.

Ben. Act III of 1884.

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New section 91.

42A. For section 91 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, the following shall be substituted, namely :— Ben. Act of 1885.

"**91.** (*1*) Every District Board shall appoint, to be members of a Sanitation Committee, not more than five nor less than three members of the Board.

Constitution and functions of Sanitation Committees, and appointment of Sanitary Inspector.

(*2*) It shall be the duty of a Sanitation Committee, subject to the control of the District Board and to any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under section 138, to initiate and supervise works connected with the sanitation of the district, and to exercise such of the powers of the District Board as may be delegated to it in accordance with such rules.

(*3*) The District Board shall also appoint a properly qualified person to be its Sanitary Inspector, and, subject to the provisions of section 33, fix the salary of such Sanitary Inspector and the details of the establishment subordinate to him

(*4*) The Lieutenant-Governor may, for reasons which may to him appear to be sufficient, exempt any District Board wholly or partially from the operation of this section"

Amendment of section 99.

43. (*1a*) In the heading over section 99 of the said Act, for the word "Relief" the words "and Distress" shall be substituted.

(*1*) In the said section after the word "famine" the words "or serious distress" shall be inserted.

(*2*) To the said section the following shall be added, namely :—

"(*3*) distribute such gratuitous relief, in the form of doles of money or food, as may be necessary."

New section 99A.

44. After section 99 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"99A. It shall be lawful for a District Board, with the sanction of the Commissioner, to incur expenditure on any local irrigation work which may appear to it to be necessary for the purpose of preventing, or mitigating the effects of, famine or scarcity within its district :

Irrigation works for relief of famine or scarcity.

Provided that no such expenditure shall be incurred, unless such irrigation work has been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor as a relief work in accordance with rules made under this Act."

Amendment of section 100.

45. (*1*) In section 100 of the said Act, for the words "subject to any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor," the words "subject to such rules and restrictions as the Lieutenant-Governor may, from time to time, prescribe" shall be substituted.

(*1a*) In clause (*3*) of the said section, for the word "its," the word "the" shall be substituted.

(*2*) After the said clause (*3*), the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*3a*) establish and maintain veterinary dispensaries for the reception and treatment of horses, cattle and other animals, and charge such fees for the use of such dispensaries as may from time to time be approved by the Commissioner ;

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(*3b*) appoint and pay qualified persons to prevent and treat diseases of horses, cattle and other animals ;

Treatment of diseases of animals.

(*3c*) provide for the improvement of the breed of horses, cattle or asses, and for the breeding of mules ;

Breeding of animals.

(*3d*) make grants in aid of measures for improving agriculture or for carrying out any of the objects specified in clause (*3a*) or

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clause (*3c*) ;"

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Amendment of section 104.

46. In section 104 of the said Act, for the words "Local Board," in both places in which they occur, the words "District Board" shall be substituted.

Amendment of sections 105 to 107.

47. (*1*) In sections 105, 106 and 107 of the said Act, for the words "Local Board," wherever they occur, the words "District Board" shall be substituted.

(*2*) In the said section 105, for the words "an estimate of the probable expenditure of the Committee," the words "an estimate of the probable receipts and expenditure of the Committee under each head of account" shall be substituted. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 72.]

(*3*) To the said section 105, the following shall be added, namely:— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 76.]

"Every estimate submitted under this section shall be subject to the sanction of the District Board, who may, before sanctioning any estimate, modify it as they may think fit."

(*4*) In the said section 107, after the words "village roads," the words "and bridges thereon" shall be inserted.

Amendment of sections 108 and 109.

48. (*1*) After the words "village-roads", in section 108 of the said Act, and where they first occur in section 109 thereof, the words "and bridges thereon" shall be inserted.

(*2*) In the said section 108, after the words "such roads," the words "and bridges" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 110.

50. In section 110 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "Local Board," in the first and third places in which they occur, the words "District Board" shall be substituted; and

(*b*) for the words "Local Board," in the second place in which they occur, the words "District Board or of a Local Board" shall be substituted.

New section 111.

51. For section 111 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1885, s. 111.]

"111. Every Union Committee shall perform such functions as may be transferred to it by notification under section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871." Pounds. I of 1871.

New section 114.

52. For section 114 of the said Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, the following shall be substituted, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"114. A Union Committee shall, if required to do so by the Magistrate of the district, provide for the registration of births and deaths within the Union, and shall submit such returns thereof as the said Magistrate may direct." Registration of births and deaths.

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53. For sections 115 to 119 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"115. Every Union Committee shall, subject to the control of the District Board, and in accordance with rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act,— Duties of Union Committee as to sanitation, conservancy and drainage.

(*1*) provide, as far as possible, for the sanitation and conservancy of the Union and the prevention of public nuisances therein;

(*2*) make special arrangements for the sanitation and conservancy of fairs and *mélas* held within the Union;

(*3*) have control of all drains and other conservancy works within the Union which are not under the control of any other authority; and

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(4) execute all works which are necessary for improving the sanitation, conservancy or drainage of the Union:

Provided that the District Board may itself undertake any such work which, by reason of its magnitude, or of the amount of expense likely to be incurred thereon, cannot, in the opinion of the District Board, be satisfactorily executed by the Union Committee.

"116. (1) If it appears to the Union Committee that, for any reason, it is necessary to improve the sanitary condition of any village or part of a village within the Union, the Committee may, in accordance with a scheme approved by the District Board and sanctioned by the Commissioner under rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act,— *Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 408.]

Powers of Union Committee as to sanitation, conservancy and drainage.

(*a*) cause huts or privies to be removed, either wholly or in part;

(*aa*) cause private drains to be constructed, altered or removed;

(*b*) cause streets, passages and public drains to be constructed or widened;

(*c*) cause tanks or low lands to be filled up or deepened and

(*d*) cause such other improvements to be made as, in its opinion, are necessary to improve the condition of such village or part.

(2) The Union Committee may, by written notice,— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 408.]

(*i*) require the owner or occupier of any hut or the owner of any privy, to remove such hut or privy, either wholly or in part, in pursuance of clause (*a*) of sub-section (1); or

(*ii*) require the owner or occupier of any building to construct private drains therefor, or to alter or remove private drains thereof, in pursuance of clause (*aa*) of sub-section (1)

within a period to be specified in the notice.

(3) If any work required by any such notice is not executed within the period specified in the notice, the Union Committee may themselves cause such work to be carried out. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 409.]

(4) All expenses incurred by the Union Committee under sub-section (1) or sub-section (3), including such reasonable compensation as the Committee may think fit to pay to the owners or occupiers of huts or privies removed, shall be met out of the Union Fund.

"117. (1) The Union Committee may, with the sanction of the District Board, employ a special establishment for the cleansing of any village within the Union. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1899, 420.]

Cleansing of villages.

(2) If any village for which no establishment is maintained under sub-section (1) appears to the Union Committee to be in a filthy condition, the Committee may, by written notice, require the persons who occupy buildings in the village to cleanse their holdings, to the satisfaction of the Committee, within a period to be specified in the notice.

(3) If any person on whom notice has been served under sub-section (2) fails to comply with the requisition contained in the notice, the Union Committee shall,

unless reasonable cause to the contrary is shown, cause his holding to be cleansed, and

recover from such person such portion of the costs of such cleansing as may be approved by the Sanitation Committee, as if the same were an arrear of the assessment imposed under the Village-chaukidari Act, 1870, or, where the Chota Nagpur Rural Police Act, 1887, is in force, under that Act. Ben. Act VI of 1870. Ben. Act V of 1887.

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Power of Union Committee to control building, and penalties for disobedience.

"118. (*1*) The Union Committee may, subject to rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, by written order,— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1899, Sch. XVII, 37.]

(*a*) direct, in accordance with a scheme approved by the District Board and sanctioned by the Commissioner, in respect of any village, that no building which it is proposed to erect in such village, and no addition to any existing building therein, shall be placed in advance of an alignment to be prescribed by the Committee and demarcated on the ground, and

(*b*) prescribe, in accordance with the said scheme, the space which shall intervene between each new building and between new buildings and any road in the village.

(*2*) Where any building, or any addition thereto, has been placed in contravention of an order passed by the Union Committee under sub-section (*1*), the Union Committee may apply to the District Magistrate, and such Magistrate may make an order— [Cf. Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 449.]

(i) directing that the work done, or so much of the same as has been executed in contravention of the order passed under sub-section (*1*), be demolished by the owner of the building or altered by him to the satisfaction of the Committee, as the case may require, or

(ii) directing that the work done, or so much of the same as has been executed in contravention of the order passed under sub-section (*1*), be demolished or altered by the Union Committee at the expense of the owner:

Provided that the Magistrate shall not make any such order without giving the owner and occupier full opportunity of adducing evidence and of being heard in defence. [Cf. Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 580.]

(*3*) If any person to whom a direction to demolish or alter any building is given under sub-section (*2*), clause (ii), fails to obey the same, he shall be liable to fine which may extend, in the case of a masonry building, to one hundred rupees, and, in the case of any other building, to twenty rupees, and to further fine which may extend, in the case of a masonry building, to ten rupees, and in the case of any other building, to two rupees, for each day during which he so fails after the first day.

Water-supply.

"118A. (*1*) A Union Committee may provide the Union, or any part thereof, with a supply of water proper and sufficient for public and private purposes; and, for the purposes of this section, may— [*Cf.* 36 & 39 Vict., c. 55, & Vict., c.

(*a*) construct, repair and maintain tanks or wells, clear out streams or water-courses, and do any other necessary acts;

(*b*) with the sanction of the District Board, purchase or acquire by lease any tank, well, stream or water-course, or any right to take or convey water, within or without the Union;

(*c*) with the consent of the owner thereof, utilize, cleanse or repair any tank, well, stream or water-course within the Union, or provide facilities for obtaining water therefrom;

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(*d*) deal with any tank, well, pool, ditch, drain or place containing, or used for the collection of, any drainage, filth, stagnant water or matter likely to be prejudicial to health—by draining or cleansing it, or otherwise preventing it from being prejudicial to health, but not so as in any case to interfere with any private right; or

(*e*) contract with any person for a supply of water.

(*2*) When a Union Committee has, under clause (*c*), with the consent of the owner, cleansed or repaired, or provided facilities for obtaining water from, any tank, well, stream or water-course, the same shall, subject to any rights retained by the owner with the concurrence of the Committee, be reserved for drinking and culinary purposes, and shall be kept open to access by the public.

(*3*) Any tank, well, stream or water-course which a Union Committee may construct, repair or maintain under clause (*a*), or purchase or acquire by lease under clause (*b*), shall remain under the control and administration of the Union Committee; and the Committee may, by order duly published in the village or villages in which such tank, well, stream or water-course is situated, set apart the same, or, subject to the provisions of clause (*c*), any other tank, well, stream or water-course within the Union, for the supply of water for drinking and culinary purposes.

"118AA. The Union Committee, or any member, officer or servant thereof, may enter into or upon any building or land, with or without assistants or workmen, in order to make any inspection or execute any work for the purposes of or in pursuance of section 115, section 116, section 117, section 118 or section 118A:

Power of entry.

[Cf. Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 595; Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 191.

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) no such entry shall be made between sunset and sunrise;

(*b*) no dwelling-house shall be so entered, unless with the consent of the occupier thereof, without giving the said occupier at least twenty-four hours' previous written notice of the intention to make such entry; and

(*c*) due regard shall always be had, so far as may be compatible with the exigencies of the purpose for which the entry is made, to the social and religious usages of the occupants of the premises entered.

"118B. (*1*) If the income of the Union Committee from other sources is insufficient to meet the expenses incurred, or likely to be incurred, by the Committee in carrying out its duties or exercising its powers under section 115, section 116, section 117, section 118 or section 118A,

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the Committee may, from time to time, impose on the owners or occupiers of property within the Union or in any village therein, such assessment as may be required approximately to meet the deficiency, together

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with ten *per cent.* above such sum to meet the expenses of collection and losses due to non-realization of their shares from defaulters:

Provided that such assessment shall not be imposed unless:—

(i) it is authorised by a resolution which has been passed at a meeting specially convened for the purpose and in favour of which a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members of the Union Committee have voted, and

(ii) it is previously sanctioned by the District Board and the Commissioner.

(*2*) The provisions of sections 15 to 20, 22, 25 to 34, 47 and 63 of the Village-chaukidari Act, 1870, or, where the Chota Nagpur Rural Police Act, 1887, is in force, the provisions of sections 8 to 11, 13, 15 to 21, 34 and 36 of that Act, shall apply to such assessment and the payment and recovery thereof: Ben. Act VI of 1870. Ben. Act V of 1887.

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) all references in any of the said sections of the Village-chaukidari Act, 1870, to a panchayat shall be construed as references to the Union Committee; Ben. Act VI of 1870.

(*b*) all references in any of the said sections of the Chota Nagpur Rural Police Act, 1887, to the Deputy Commissioner or the District Superintendent of Police shall be construed as references to the Union Committee; Ben. Act V of 1887

(*c*) the amount to be assessed on any one person shal not exceed seven rupees *per mensem*;

(*d*) the amount assessed on any person may be made payable either in lump or in periodical instal ments;

(*e*) the sum which may be retained by the collecting member of the Committee to repay the costs of collection shall not exceed five *per cent.* of the collections: and

(*f*) the proceeds of the said assessment shall be credited to the Union Fund.

"118C. Any person who is aggrieved by any order of a Union Committee— Appeals against orders, awards and assessments.

(i) directing such person to take any action with regard to his property under sub-section (*2*) of section 116, sub-section (*3*) of section 117 or sub-section (*1*) of section 118; or

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(ii) awarding or refusing to award compensation to such person under sub-section (*4*) of section 116; or

(iii) making an assessment in respect of any holding of such person in accordance with the provisions of section 118B;

may, within three months from the date of such order, appeal to a sub-committee of members of the District Board to be constituted under clause (*e*) of section 32 of this Act; and the decision of such sub-committee shall, subject to the exercise of a power of revision at the discretion of the Commissioner, be final.

Power of District Board to subordinate Union Committee to Local Board.

"119. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything in the foregoing provisions of this Act, the District Board may, by order in writing, with the sanction of the Commissioner, direct that any specified Union Committee shall act as the agent of, and shall be subject to the control of, a Local Board, instead of the District Board, either for all purposes or for the purposes specified in the order.

(*2*) Any order made under sub-section (*1*) may, with the like sanction, be revoked.

(*3*) So long as an order made under sub-section (*1*) with respect to any Local Board continues in force, the references to the District Board in the foregoing sections of this Act shall, so far as may be necessary, be read as if made to such Local Board."

Amendment of section 130.

55. (*1*) In the first paragraph of section 130 of the said Act,—

(*a*) after the figures "124" the figures "125" shall be inserted, and

(*b*) for the words "by the Local Board" the words and figures "by the District Board or the Local Board to which the Committee may have been declared, by an order under section 119, to be, for the purposes of this section, subordinate" shall be substituted.

(*2*) In the third paragraph of the same section, after the words "Local Board" the words "or Union Committee" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 131.

56. In section 131 of the said Act, after the words "Local Board," in both places in which they occur, the words "or Union Committee" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 132.

57. In section 132 of the said Act,—

(*1*) after the words "Local Board," in the first four places in which they occur, the words "or Union Committee" shall be inserted, and

(*2*) after the words "the Board," in the second place in which they occur, the words "or Committee" shall be inserted.

New section 133.

58. For sections 133 and 134 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

Disputes between two or more Union Committees when to be referred to District Board or Local Board.

"133. (*1*) If a dispute arises between two or more Union Committees which are subordinate to the same District Board, or which have been declared by any order under section 119 to be, for the purposes of this section, subordinate to the same Local Board, the matter shall be referred to such District Board or Local Board, as the case may be, and the decision of the Board thereon shall be final and binding.

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(*2*) If a dispute arises between two or more Union Committees within the same district, and such Committees have not all been so declared to be subordinate to the same Local Board, the matter shall be referred to the District Board; and the decision of the District Board thereon shall be final and binding."

Amendment of section 138. **59.** (*1*) To clause (*a*) of section 138 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 15.]

"and determining the authority who shall decide disputes relating to such elections."

(*2*) In clause (*f*) of the same section, for the word "immediate" the word "intermediate" shall be substituted.

(*3*) To clause (*g*) of the same section, the following shall be added, namely:—

"and declaring what circumstances shall be a disqualification for continuance of employment under that section."

(*4*) After clause (*h*) of the same section, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*h1*) prescribing the conditions on which a house and land may be acquired or on which land may be acquired and a house constructed, by the District Board, for the residence of the District Engineer, and the terms on which the District Engineer may be required to occupy the same;"

"(*h2*) regulating the application of the balance of the District Fund mentioned in clause (*1*) of section 52 of this Act to objects other than those mentioned in section 109 of the Cess Act, 1880, as amended by this Act." Ben. Act IX of 1880.

(*5*) After clause (*j*) of the same section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*j1*) prescribing the conditions subject to which grants in aid may be made under section 63 or section 64A;

(*j2*) regulating the provision, maintenance and management of students' hostels under section 64A;

(*j3*) prescribing the powers and duties of Education Committees, and regulating the removal of members from office."

(*6*) To clause (*k*) of the said section 138 the following shall be added, namely:—

"the training and employment of compounders, midwives and veterinary practitioners, and the promotion of free vaccination."

(*7*) To clause (*m*) of the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"and prescribing conditions precedent to the making of any contribution under section 79."

(*8*) After clause (*m*) of the said section 138, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*mm*) prescribing, for the purposes of section 86A of this Act, the mode of ascertaining the capitalised value of the estimated cost to the District Board of maintaining bridges, road-ways or foot-ways, and of renewing any bridge, road-way or foot-way which requires periodical renewal, and the mode of determining what classes of bridges, road-ways or foot-ways require periodical renewal.

(*mmm*) prescribing, for the purposes of section 86BB, the method in which the proceeds of tolls, or of the lease thereof, shall be adjusted between the District Boards of adjacent districts."

(*8a*) In clause (*n*) of the said section 138, after the words "District Boards" the words "and Sanitation Committees" shall be inserted.

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(*9*) After clause (*o*) of the said section 138, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*o1*) regulating the duties of District Boards in regard to famine relief."

(*10*) In clause (*p*) of the same section, after the word "animals" the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"the establishment and maintenance of veterinary dispensaries, the appointment and payment of qualified persons to prevent and treat diseases of horses, cattle and other animals, the improvement of the breed of horses, cattle or asses, and the breeding of mules, the making of grants in aid under clause (*3d*) of section 100 of this Act."

(*11*) After clause (*q*) of the same section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*qq*) regulating the powers and duties of Union Committees in regard to sanitation, conservancy and drainage under sections 115 to 118A (both inclusive), and defining and prohibiting public nuisances within Unions." [*Cf.* Act X of 1902 s. (2) (*d*), (3).]

(*12*) To the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"In making any rule under clause (*qq*) of this section, the Lieutenant-Governor may provide that a breach of the same shall be punished with fine which may extend to ten rupees."

Amendment of section 139.

60. In section 139 of the said Act,—

(*a*) before the words "make by-laws" the words "subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor" shall be inserted; and

(*b*) for the words "confirmed by the Lieutenant-Governor" the words "confirmed by the Commissioner" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 142.

61. In section 142 of the said Act, before the words "or Union Committee" the words "Local Board" shall be inserted.

Addition to section 144.

62. To section 144 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"Nothing in this section shall apply to the payment of fees to a legal practitioner for services rendered by him in his professional capacity."

Amendment of Schedule II.

64. In the third column of the second Schedule to the said Act, after the words "shall be credited to the District Fund of the district" the following shall be inserted, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"and shall be applicable to the following objects, and in the following order, namely:—

(*a*) the payment of any sums which the District Board may, under the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, from time to time have undertaken to pay as interest on loans raised for expenditure on any of the objects to which the District Road Fund is applicable, and the repayment of such loans; Ben. Act III of 1885.

(*b*) the payment of the percentage referred to in clause *Thirdly* of section 53 of the said Act:

The Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Bill, 1908.

(*Clause 64.*)

(*c*) the payment of such of the salaries, pensions, gratuities, grants and percentages referred to in clause *Fourthly* of the said section as are required for members of establishments employed for improving the means of communication within the district or between the district and other districts;

(*d*) the payment of such of the expenses referred to in clause *Fifthly* of section 53 of the said Act as are incurred in improving the means of communication within the district or between the district and other districts, or in carrying out the provisions of section 79 of the said Act;

(*e*) the payment of the expenses referred to in clause *Seventhly* of section 53 of the said Act; and

(*f*) the making of investments referred to in clause *Eighthly* of the said section 53."

CALCUTTA,
The 21st July 1908.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

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PART V.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 10th July, 1908, and is hereby promulgated for general information :

ACT NO. VIII OF 1908.

An Act to amend the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1904.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1904 ; It is hereby enacted as follows :— 1904.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Local Authorities Loan (Amendment) Act, 1908.

Amendment of section 2, Act III, 1904.

2. In section 2 of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1904, for the words "bills repayable" the words "bills or promissory notes payable" shall be substituted ; and in the proviso to the same section, after the word "bills" the words "or promissory notes" shall be inserted.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART VI.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 10th July, 1908 :

No. 7 of 1908.

A Bill to amend the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901.

1901. WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title. 1. This Act may be called the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1908.

Substitution of new section for section 91, Act VI, 1901. 2. For section 91 of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Power to Local Government to relax certain provisions of Act. "91. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 90, the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare that—

(*a*) in the case of contractors, sub-contractors and recruiters holding licenses granted under Chapter III, any of the requirements of that Chapter, or,

(*b*) in the case of garden-sardars holding certificates granted under Chapter IV or holding permits granted and countersigned under section 90, any of the requirements of that Chapter or of that section, as the case may be,

may be dispensed with or relaxed on such conditions as may be prescribed in the notification."

Substitution of new section for section 218, Act VI of 1901. 3. For section 218 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Application of proceeds of fines, fees and rates. "218. The proceeds of any fines, fees and rates under this Act which may be credited to Government shall be expended, in such manner as the Governor General in Council may direct, on paying the salaries and allowances of officers appointed under this Act and their pensionary and leave allowances, on meeting the cost of sending labourers and other persons back to their native districts, and generally on defraying the expenses of carrying out the purposes and objects of this Act and any rules made thereunder, and not otherwise."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

IN view of the proposed withdrawal from the districts of the Surma Valley and from the districts of Kamrup and Goalpara of the chief provisions of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), relating to labour-districts, it is desired to amend the procedure prescribed by the Act for the recruitment of labourers, so as to dispense with the taking of contracts in the case of emigrants proceeding to these districts. Provision is at the same time proposed to be made for giving a trial to the system of free recruitment by garden-sardars. With these objects clause 2 of the Bill re-enacts section 91 of

the Act so as to enable Local Governments by notification to dispense with or relax any of the provisions of Chapters III and IV of the Act, subject to any conditions that may be prescribed in the notification. The clause has been made general in order that the new procedure may be applied hereafter, if considered expedient, to other labour-districts besides those referred to above.

2. Clause 3 of the Bill is intended to permit of the fees and fines realized under the Act being dealt with in the provincial accounts. The amendment of section 218 which it is proposed to make will admit of the deficits of one province being met from the surplus in another province, and, as the expenditure of the receipts is restricted to the purposes specified, it will enable Government to apply any surplus which may accrue after these purposes have been carried out towards the reduction of annual rate or the registration fees.

W. L. HARVEY.

The 2nd June 1908.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 10th July, 1908 :

No. 8 of 1908.

A Bill further to amend the Indian Emigration Act, 1883.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend 1883. the Indian Emigration Act, 1883 ; It is hereby enacted as follows :

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Indian Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1908.

Meaning of "India" in Act XXI of 1883.

883. 2. In the Indian Emigration Act, 1883, the word "India" wherever it occurs, shall bear the meaning given to it by clause (27) of section 3 of the General Clauses Act, 1897.

Omission of proviso in section 6 of Act XXI of 1883.

883. 3. In section 6 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883, the proviso to clause (2) shall be omitted.

Insertion of new section after section 6 of Act XXI of 1883.

4. After section 6 of the said Act the following section shall be inserted, namely :

Determination of certain doubts.

"6A. In case of any doubt or dispute as to whether a person should be deemed—

(i) to emigrate, or

(ii) to be a native of India,

within the meaning of this Act, the question shall be determined by such person and in such manner as the Governor General in Council may from time to time, by rules made under this Act, direct, and such determination shall be final."

Amendment of section 18 (1) of Act XXI of 1883.

5. In section 18, sub-section (1), of the said Act :

(*a*) for the words "a Medical Inspector" the words "one or more Medical Inspectors" shall be substituted ;

(*b*) after the word "lawful" the words "and may apportion their respective duties" shall be inserted; and

(*c*) for the word "him" the word "them" shall be substituted.

Addition of new clause in section 80 (1) of Act XXI of 1883.

6. In section 80, sub-section (1), the word "and", where it last occurs in clause (*p*), shall be omitted, and after the said clause the following shall be inserted, namely :

"(*pp*) to prescribe the person by whom any doubt or dispute referred to in section 6A shall be determined and the procedure to be followed and the proof to be required in such cases; and".

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

ATTENTION was recently drawn to a case in which certain Portuguese native subjects of Damaun were refused permission to embark from the port of Bombay under engagement to work in Lourenço Marques, to which country emigration is not lawful under section 8 (1) of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883. The refusal was based on the ground that the term "native of India" in the Act included native subjects of foreign settlements. It is considered desirable to remedy the anomalous state of the law under which subjects of a friendly Power may be subjected to vexatious restrictions under the terms of an Act designed for the protection of British Indian subjects. With this object clause 2 of the Bill defines the term "India" so as to exclude from its meaning all foreign settlements in that country. The clause will permit of the embarkation of native subjects of foreign Powers from British Indian ports under circumstances such as those in the case referred to. It will also enable them, notwithstanding anything in section 105 of the Act, to depart

by land out of British India for the purpose of entering into an agreement to labour for hire in any country beyond the sea. Clauses 4 and 6 of the Bill are enacted with a view to a provision being made by rule against possible evasions of the Act by British Indians under pretence of being foreign subjects. Clause 3 is a necessary complement of clause 4.

2. It is further proposed to take this opportunity to amend section 18 of the Act so as to enable Local Governments to appoint one or more Medical Inspectors. The existing provision which permits the appointment of only one Inspector has been found defective in that it does not take into account the possibility of the Inspector being unavoidably absent at the time when medical examination of emigrants has to take place. Clause 5 of the Bill effects this object.

The 7th July 1908.

W. L. HARVEY.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, *the 17th July 1908.*

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY (GOA) COAST.

Goa—Lights discontinued.

No. 289 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 70 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned lights at the entrance of Mandovi River have been discontinued until further notice.

Position.—(1) Reis Magus, east of the fort.
(2) From westward of Panjim.
(3) „ eastward of Panjim.
(4) Gaspar Dias, north of the fort.

Charts affected.—No. 492, Aguada to St. George's Island.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 257.
West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 164.

Authority.—Port Officer of Portuguese India.

INDIA, WEST—KATHIAWAR COAST.

Diu—Lights discontinued.

No. 290 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 71 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned lights have been discontinued until furthe notice.

Position.—(1) Forte do Mar.
(2) Couraça.
(3) Simbor.

Charts affected.—No. 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viriadiug.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, Nos. 2[illegible] and 218.
West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 253.

Authority.—Port Officer of Portuguese India.

CHINA SEA—Taiwan (Formosa), north coast.

Tansui (Tamsui) Ko—Wreck in entrance.

No. 291 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 918 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A wreck of the undermentioned description lies sunk in the entrance to Tansui (Tamsui) Ko, as follows:—

Position.—With the light on Tamsui pier S. 86° E., distant 13$\frac{4}{10}$ cables, Beacon light N. 42° E.

Lat. 25° 10$\frac{3}{4}$′ N., long. 121° 23$\frac{3}{4}$′ E.

Description.—S.S. *Chidori*, not visible above water.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 2376, Plan of Tamsui harbour.
„ 3658, Auran road to So. O. wan.
„ 1761, Ockseu islands to Tung Yung.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol, III, 1904, page 254; Supplement, 1907.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 2036 of 1908.

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—Gulf of Tokyo entrance.

Uraga channel—Experimental whistle buoy withdrawn.

No. 292 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 919 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The whistle buoy of the undermentioned description, placed for experiment in the northern approach to Uraga channel, has been withdrawn.

Former Position.—On the southern side of Okino ne.

At a distance of 2 miles S. 62° E. from Koshiba zaki.

Lat. 35° 20′ N., long. 139° 41′ E.

Description.—Red conical truncated whistle buoy.

Variation.—4° W.

Chart affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 368.

Notice to Mariners No. 730 of 1907. (*This office No. 811 of 1st July 1907.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 2036 of 1908.

KOREA, SOUTH COAST—Fusan harbour.

Sorio—Mole under construction.

No. 293 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 920 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A mole is under construction to the northward of the existing mole at Sorio, Pusan (Fusan) harbour, as follows:—

Position.—Outer end 2$\frac{1}{10}$ cables N. 46° E. from the white and red lights on existing mole head.

Mole head light, lat. 35° 6′ N., long. 129° 2$\frac{1}{4}$′ E.

Direction of Mole.—N. 48° W. from the above position to the coast.

Description.—The mole is at present submerged.

Marks.—Whilst the mole is submerged a white flag, with the letter I in red, will be displayed from the works; as soon as the mole is above water, three wooden beacons, each exhibiting a *white* light, elevated 5$\frac{1}{2}$ feet, will be established on it 100 yards apart.

Variation.—5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1259, Fusan harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 199.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 119.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 2038 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE MAIN STRAIT.

Keppel harbour—Bank in western approach.

No. 294 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 921 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A bank has been found to exist in the western approach to Keppel harbour as follows:—

Position.—Situated at a distance of 11½ cables S. 36° W. from the Beri Beri hospital pier head.

Lat. 1° 15½′ N., long. 103° 47′ E.

Depth.—7 fathoms.
Note.—"Posn. approx." has been placed on the chart against this danger.
Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No. 2404, Singapore Main strait.
„ 2403, Singapore strait.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 241.
Authority.—Master Attendant, Singapore, 8th May 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON—MANILA BAY ENTRANCE.

La Monja light—Particulars of—.

No. 295 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 922 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The particulars of the undermentioned light in the entrance to Manila bay are as follows:—

Position.—On rock.

Lat. 14° 22½′ N., long 120° 31′ E.

Name.—La Monja.
Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—129 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Structure.—Concrete house, 16 feet high.
Chart affected.—No. 976, Manila bay.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 137.

China Sea, vol. II, 1906, page 317.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 62; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 688 of 1908. (*This office No. 234 of 4th June 1908.*)

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 29 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, WEST COAST.

Juanico strait—Buoy and beacon established.

No. 296 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 923 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A buoy and beacon of the undermentioned descriptions have been established in Juanico channel, as follows:—

Buoy.

Position.—In a depth of 6 fathoms, at a distance of 1¼ cables south-westward of Santa Rita island.

Lat. 11° 25′ 40″ N., long. 124° 57′ 20″ E.

Description.—Red conical buoy, marked No. 2.
Remarks.—Vessels should pass between this buoy and Santa Rita island.

Beacon.

Position.—On 3-foot shoal 3 cables S. 77° E. from Kaguaian point.

Lat. 11° 20′ 20″ N., long. 124° 58′ 10″ E.

Description.—A post, having two white square day marks with red square centres erected on a concrete base.
Elevation.—12 feet.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least 50 yards.
Variation.—1° E.
Chart affected.—No. 2987, San Pedro Bay to Libukan Islands.
Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, pages 361 and 362; Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 33 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—Auckland approach.

Caution—Waiheke channel—Telephone cable across.

No. 297 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 924 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A telephone cable has been laid across Waiheke channel.
Position.—The shore ends of the cable are situated as follows:—

a. Ponui island.
At a distance of 3 cables eastward from Ponui head.
b. On Waiheke island.
At a distance of 2½ cables northward of Finger point.
Finger point, lat. 36° 49¾′ S., long. 175° 10′ E.

Caution.—Mariners are prohibited from anchoring in the vicinity of the cable which is laid directly between the above positions.
Chart affected.—No. 1896, Auckland harbour.
Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 60; Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 25 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—Stewart island.

Half Moon bay—Rock in—.

No. 298 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 925 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A rock of the undermentioned description exists in Half Moon bay, as follows:—
Position.—At a distance of 4½ cables N. 41° E. from the wharf end.
Lat. 46° 53½′ S., long. 168° 10′ E.
Depth.—8 feet.
Description.—A pinnacle rock.
Buoy.—A buoy (not described) has been placed to mark the position of the rock.
Variation.—18° E.
Chart affected.—No. 2541. Plan of Paterson inlet.
Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 323; Revised Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 24 of 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red Sea—Gulf of Suez, western shore.

Strickland shoal—Beacon, coast guard station established.

No. 299 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 948 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned beacon and Coast Guard station have been established respectively on and near Strickland shoal, Gulf of Suez, as follows:—

1. Beacon.
Position.—On inner or Western Strickland shoal, lat. 29° 41¼′ N., long. 32° 23¼′ E.
Remarks.—This beacon is conspicuous.

2. Coast Guard station.
Position.—Lat. 29° 41′ N., long. 32° 21′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 757, Gulf of Suez.
Publication.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 91.
Authority.—H. E. H. Coast Guard cruiser *Nour Ee Bahr*, 20th May 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—RED SEA, WESTERN SHORE.

Koseir—Beacon and buoy established.

Ras Benàs—Conspicuous tomb.

No. 300 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 949 of 1908) are republished :—

Particulars.—A buoy and beacon have been established at Koseir, and a conspicuous tomb exists on Ras Benàs, as follows :—

1. Koseir. Buoy and beacon.

Position.—The buoy has been placed on the chart in 3 fathoms at a distance of 3 cables S. 49° E. from, and the beacon on the reef 3¼ cables S. 69° E. from, the southern angle of the fort. Southern angle of fort, lat. 26° 6½′ N., long. 34° 17′ E.

Description.—Not given.

2. Ras Benàs.

Position.—Lat 23° 54′ N., long. 35° 47′ E.

Description.—Conspicuous tomb.

Variation.—3° W.

Chart affected.—No. 8*b*, Red Sea.

Publications.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, pages 120, 127; Supplement, 1904.

Authority.—H. E. H. C. G. cruiser *Nowr Ee Bahr*, 20th May 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Inderamayu west road—Intended light-buoy.

No. 301 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 951 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A light-buoy of the undermentioned description will be established in Inderamayu West road, as follows:—

Position.—In a depth of 5 fathoms.

Lat. 6° 14′ 25″ S., long. 108° 13′ 55″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted in red and black horizontal stripes, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
10 secs.	10 secs.

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Java, western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 98.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1047 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—ARABIAN COAST.

Baharein Harbour—Shoal in approach.

No. 285 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 67 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned shoal is reported to exist in the approach to Baharein Harbour. Want of time would not permit its being examined.

Position.—About 22½ miles N. 45° E. (true) from Ras Tanura.

Latitude 26° 54′ N., Longitude 50° 28′ E.

Depth.—5 fathoms.

Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western sheet.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 146.

Authority.—H. M.'s "*Lapwing*," Hydrographic Note No. 1 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—Arabian coast.

Koweit Harbour—Light established.

No. 286 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 68 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at Koweit as follows.

Position.—On the British Residency flagstaff.

Latitude 29° 23′ N., Longitude 47° 59′ 30″ E.

Character.—Red fixed.

Visibility.—5 miles.

Power or order.—6th order.

Charts affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western sheet.

,, 22, Koweit Harbour and approaches.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 158. Admiralty list of lights, Part VI, 1908, page 38.

Authority.—H. M.'s "*Lapwing*," Hydrographic Note No. 2.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red sea, eastern shore—Yenbo approach.

Thetis reef—Beacon re-erected.

No. 287 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 878 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 22nd January 1908, a beacon of the undermentioned description was erected in the approach to Yenbo, as follows:—

Position.—On Thetis reef.

Lat. 23° 38¾′ N., long. 38° 1¾′ E.

Description.—Iron cage beacon.

Elevation.—About 27 feet.

Chart affected.—No. 8*b*, Red Sea.

Publications.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 262; Supplement, 1904.

Authority.—H. B. M. Consul, Jeddah, 30th April 1908, through Foreign Office.

CHINA SEA—Cochin China.

Saigon river—Signals indicating submarine boat exercises.

No. 288 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 884 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned signals will be made when submarine boats are exercising in the Saigon river entrance.

Position.—Cape St. James lighthouse, lat. 10° 19¾′ N., long. 107° 5′ E.

Signals.—*a*. A square flag with 2 horizontal bands, red and yellow.
b. A red ball.

Exhibition of.—Signal (*a*) will be hoisted at the fore, and signal (*b*) aft, in place of the national flag on board the vessels convoying the submarine boats.

Signal (*a*) will also be hoisted at the semaphore on cape St. James.

Convoy.—Submarine boats when being exercised will always be accompanied by a torpedo boat, torpedo-boat destroyer, cruiser or other steam-vessel, stationed about 50 yards astern of the submarine.

Caution.—All vessels approaching must pass at least 50 yards astern of the convoy, and carefully observe the movements of, and any signals made from it.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages. 406, 407.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 838 of 1908.

F. Dobson, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

BAY OF BENGAL—HUGHLI RIVER APPROACH.

General Instructions.

No. 271 (third publication).—The following "directions" are laid down for guidan ce of masters of vessels, pilots and others in supersession of the instructions on pages 215, 216 and 217 of the third edition of the Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, and Bengal Government Notice No. 257, dated 6th July 1905 :—

Steam pilot vessels—Cruising station, Sandheads.

The steam pilot vessels are three-masted vessels painted white with yellow funnel.

On an inward-bound vessel being sighted, a square blue flag is hoisted at the main when the pilot vessel is underweigh; if the pilot vessel is at anchor, in addition a blue pennant is hoisted at the mizzen; at night the Regulation lights for steam pilot vessels are exhibited, also a flare up is shown.

During the south-west monsoon the steam pilot vessels cruize about 8 miles south to south-west of the Eastern Channel light in very strong winds and heavy sea about 10 miles. During the north-east monsoon they cruize or anchor about 2 to 3 miles S. by W. to S.W. of the Eastern Channel light vessel.

Pilotage is compulsory for all merchant vessels over 100 tons. If a pilot is not taken at the cruising station considerable loss of time is likely to occur before obtaining one on theriver.

Approach—Directions.—Steam vessels arriving at the Sandheads and finding the steam pilot vessel, at the station, should close with her and lie to about 300 yards distant, under her stern, in the same direction the steam pilot vessel is heading, and in such a manner as to make a lee for the pilot boat, when a pilot will be supplied.

To avoid delay, approaching steam vessels at night should, when about half-a-mile off the steam pilot vessel, indicate their gross tonnage by the following steam whistle signals:—

Over 3,400	tons gross	...	One short blast.
Between 2,800 and 3,400	,,	...	Two short blasts.
,, 1,800 and 2,800	,,	...	Three short blasts.
Under 1,800	,,	...	Four short blasts.

Sailing vessels should signal net tonnage.

Sailing vessels should make the pilot station signal for a pilot, and on the approach of the steam pilot vessel heave to, and a pilot will then be sent.

During bad weather when boating is not safe, or when there are no pilots available, the steam pilot vessels during the day will not show the square blue flag at the main, and at night will not exhibit the Regulation lights or flare up for a steam pilot vessel.

Sailing vessels should not run on the station at night or in threatening weather.

The steam pilot vessels are in telegraphic communication (wireless) with Calcutta; the necessary forms can be obtained from the pilot boat.

In August, September and October, no pilots being available, sailing vessels are signalled to keep to windward; in this case it is advisable to keep the Eastern Channel light vessel well in sight, drop a kedge if wind falls light to prevent drifting off the station.

Caution—Should it be necessary when approaching the Sandheads to anchor from any cause, if possible anchor outside a line joining Eastern Channel and Mutlah light vessels, in not less than 15 fathoms mud.

A vessel will ride easier and bring less strain on her cable if anchored in depths of 15 to 20 fathoms than in less depths, especially in an estuary. In the greater depths the cable, with a good scope of chain, is never quite taut, therefore not so liable to part; the sea has less force than in shoal water.

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT—INNER ROUTE.

Cape Bowling Green lighthouse—Apparatus removed and a temporary light to be exhibited.

No. 272 (third publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 4 of 1908) that the sea having encroached on the site of Cape Bowling Green lighthouse to such an extent as to justify the removal of the apparatus, a temporary light will be exhibited from the flagstaff, but, as such is only visible for a short distance, masters of vessels navigating that vicinity should not approach to the westward of the track recommended.

Charts affected, No. 348 ; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT—INNER ROUTE.

Cape Bowling Green lighthouse—Exhibition of temporary light.

No 273 (third publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given further notice (No 5 of 1908) that the temporary fixed light now exhibited from Cape Bowling Green is visible from seaward about 9 miles. This light will be exhibited until further notice.

Chart affected, No. 348 ; Australia Directory; vol. 2.

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Arnala—Light temporarily discontinued.

No. 274 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 65 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars	...	The white fixed light with a red sector established at Arnala will be temporarily discontinued from the 20th to the 30th June 1908, both days inclusive.
Position	...	Latitude 19° 27′ N., Longitude 72° 44′ E.
Charts temporarily affected.		No. 1012, Arabian Sea. ,, 826, Karachi to Vengurla. ,, 2736, Gulf of Cutch to Viziadrug. ,, 736, Maroli to Arnala Island. ,, 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.
Publications	...	List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, page 41. West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 1898, page 227.
Authority	...	Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Opium and Abkari Bombay.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 3rd July 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Emu bay—Shoals in approach.

No. 275 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 855 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—Shoals of the undermentioned description exist in the approach to Emu bay, as follows :—

Position.—Burnie breakwater light.

Lat. 41° 3½′ S., long. 145° 57¼′ E.

a. Rocky patch.

Position.—$7\frac{9}{10}$ cables N. 31° W. from Burnie breakwater light.

Depth.—$2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Description.—Rock covered with sand.

b. Rocky patch.

Position.—One mile N. 17° W. from Burnie breakwater light, 3 cables N. 24° E. from patch (*a*) given above.

Depth.—5 fathoms.

Description.—Rock covered with sand.

Caution.—It is dangerous to pass southward of the 5-fathom patch when rounding Blackman point.

Variation.—9° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1079, Tasmania (Plan, Emu bay).

„ 1695*b*, Bass strait.

Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 618.

Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*, Hydrographic Note, 17th April 1908.

JAPAN, WEST COAST—Kiusiu Shimabara Kaiwan.

Mi ike Ko—Light established.

No. 216 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 856 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On 1st April 1908, a light of the undermentioned character was established in Mi ike Ko, Shimabara gulf, as follows:—

Position.—On North jetty head.

Lat. 33° 0′ 15″ N., long. 130° 23′ 20″ E.

Name.—Mi ike Ko.

Character.—*White occulting every nineteen seconds*, thus :—

Light,	Eclipse,
15 secs.	4 secs.

Elevation.—45 feet. 34 feet above the ground.

Sectors.—*Red* from N. 37° W., through north, to N. 3° E.

White from N. 3° E. to N. 18° E.

Red from N. 18 E., through east and south, to S. 53° W.

Visibility.—White light, 10 miles.

Red light, 7 miles.

Light power.—White light, 95 candles. Red light, 38 candles.

Description of Building.—Iron cylindrical pillar, painted white.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 358, Kiusiu and Nipon.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 207.

Sailing Directions for Japan, Korea, etc., 1904, page 545

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1164 of 1908.

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—GULF OF TOKYO APPROACH.

No jima Saki—Interval of fog-signal altered.

No. 277 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 857 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May 1908 and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive on No jima Saki would be altered from fifteen minutes to the interval given below.

Position.—Lat. 34° 54¼′ N., long. 139° 52¾′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Chart affected.—No. 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1075.

Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 377.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.) Notice, No. 492 of 1908.

JAPAN—YEZO, SOUTH COAST.

Fukuyama Bijochi fog-signal—Interval altered.

No. 278 (third publication) —The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 858 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive on Benten jima, Fukuyama, would be altered from fifteen minutes to the interval given below.

Position.—Lat. 41° 25¼′ N., long. 140° 5′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Charts affected.—No. 1663, Plan of Fukuyama Bijochi.
„ 2441, Tsugaru strait.
„ 3409, Sendai bay to Tsugaru strait.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1085.
Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 695; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.), Notice No. 492 of 1908.

JAPAN—YEZO, WEST COAST.

Inaho Zaki fog-signal—Interval altered.

No. 279 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 859 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May 1909 and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive on Inaho zaki, Okushirito, would be altered from twenty minutes to that given below.

Position.—Lat. 42° 15′ N., long. 139° 33′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Charts affected.—No. 3438, Oshima to Furubira wan.
„ 452, Yezo island.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1122.
Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 705; Supplement 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.) Notice, No. 492 of 1908.

JAPAN—YEZO, SOUTH COAST.

Mororan ko fog signal—Interval altered.

No. 280 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 860 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 1st May 1908 and after, the interval between the reports of the fog explosive signal on Daikoku jima, Mororan ko, would be altered from twenty minutes to the interval given below.

Position.—Lat. 42° 21′ N., long. 140° 55′ E.

Interval.—*Ten minutes.*

Chart affected.—No. 3507, Mororan ko.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1102.
Sailing Directions for Japan, 1904, page 726; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo (D. of C.) Notice, No. 492 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—SANDWICH ISLANDS, HAWAII.

Kealakekua and Kailua bays—Intended lights.

No. 281 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 866 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—About 1st July 1908 lights of the undermentioned characters will be established in Kealakekua and Kailua bays, Hawaii, as follows :—

1. Kealakekua bay.

Position.—About $1\frac{6}{10}$ cables south-west of Cooks monument.

Lat. 19° 28¾′ N., long. 156° 2¾′ W.

Name.—Napupu.
Character.—*White fixed.*
Elevation.—90 feet; 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—A mast, painted grey; small white house with red roof.

2. Kailua bay.

Position (assumed).—Kaliliki point.

Lat. 19° 38½′ N., long. 156° 0′ W.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—60 feet; 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—A mast, painted grey; small white house with red roof.

Note.—It is presumed that the above lights will replace the occasional red lights at present exhibited.

Charts affected.—No. 1377, Harbours, &c., in the Sandwich islands (Hilo bay).
„ 1510, Sandwich islands.
„ 3102, Hawaii to lat. 6° 15′ N.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, Nos. 843*a*, 843.
Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, pages 206, 205; Supplement, 1908.

Authority.—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 1651, 1652.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—SANDWICH ISLANDS, MAUI.

Kauiki head—Light established.

No. 282 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 867 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On 1st June 1908 a light of the undermentioned character would be established on Kauiki head, Maui, as follows :—

Position (assumed).—On Puu kii islet, 2¼ cables N. 20° E. from Kauiki head △ (392 feet).

Lat. 20° 45¾′ N., long. 155° 58¾′ W.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—90 feet; 40 feet above the ground.
Order.—Lantern.
Structure.—Mast, painted grey; small white house with red roof.
Variation—10° E.
Charts affected.—No. 1490, Plan of Kapueokahi bay.
„ 1510, The Sandwich islands.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, page 117.
Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, page 210.

Authority.—United States Commerce Notice, No. 1653 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—SANDWICH ISLANDS, MAUI AND KAUAI.

Nakalele, Makahuena, Kahala, Kokole—Establishment of lights.

No. 283 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 868 of 1908), are republished :—

Particular.—Lights of the undermentioned characters will be established on Maui and Kauai, as follows :—

a. Nakalele head.

Position.—On northern extremity.

Lat. 21° 2′ N., long. 156° 37′ W.

Character—*White fixed.*
Elevation.—90 feet, 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house with red roof.

b. Makahuena (Makanuena) point
Position.—On low hill, about half a cable northward of point.
Lat. 21° 52′ N., long. 159° 27′ E.
Character.—*Red fixed*
Elevation.—109 feet, 37 feet above the ground.
Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house, red roof.

c. Kahala (Kanala) point.
Position.—On low point.
Lat. 22° 8¼′ N., long. 159° 18½′ W.
Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—62 feet, 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house, red roof.

d. Lae o Kokole (Konole point.)
Position.—On low point.
Lat. 21° 58′ N., long. 159° 46′ W.
Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—55 feet, 40 feet above the ground.
Structure.—Mast, painted grey, small white house, red roof.

Remarks.—All the above are lantern lights, and would be established on 1st June, with the exception of (*a*) Nakalelo, which will be exhibited on 1st July.
Chart affected.—No. 1510, The Sandwich islands.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, pages 117, 119.
Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, pages 212, 233, 235, 237.
Authority.—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 1654, 1655, 1656, 1657 of 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Rangoon river.—Replacing of the Fairway lighted buoy by an iron conical buoy.

No. 284 (third publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, has given notice dated 29th June 1908 that the lighted buoy at the Fairway has been removed for repairs and has been replaced by an iron conical buoy with horizontal black and white stripes.

F. Dobson, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

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RESOLUTION ON THE TRIENNIAL REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE CHARITABLE DISPENSARIES IN BENGAL AND THE CALCUTTA MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS FOR THE YEARS 1905, 1906 AND 1907.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT—MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 11th July 1908.

RESOLUTION No. 1182Medl.

READ—

The Triennial Report on the working of the Charitable Dispensaries in Bengal and the Calcutta Medical Institutions for the years 1905, 1906 and 1907.

Read also—

The Triennial Report for the years 1902, 1903 and 1904 and the Resolution recorded thereon.

The present report is submitted by Colonel R. Macrae, I.M.S., who succeeded Colonel S. H. Browne, I.M.S., as Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, in September 1905. During Colonel Macrae's absence on leave from May to December 1906, Colonel A. M. Crofts, I.M.S., officiated as Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals.

2. The opening paragraphs of the report deal with the administrative changes that have taken place during the three years under review. The most important of these was the partition of the Province, which resulted in the transfer of 14 districts, with their medical charges and institutions, to the new Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam, and the transfer of Sambalpur from the Central Provinces to Bengal. The emoluments of the officers of the Indian Medical Service were improved; and promotion from the rank of Captain to that of Major was accelerated on certain conditions. A scheme for affording practical teaching in the use of the X-ray apparatus was introduced; and Medical officers desiring to acquire this instruction have been allowed to go through a course of training at the institute established at Dehra Dun for the purpose. Two Indian Medical Service officers, two Military Assistant Surgeons and five Civil Assistant Surgeons in this Province availed themselves of the privilege. Changes have been made in the curriculum of the Medical College, Calcutta, to adapt it to the requirements of the new University Regulations; and the creation of a separate chair of Biology has been sanctioned since the close of the period. The Lieutenant-Governor shares with Colonel Macrae the regret expressed by him at the loss which the service has sustained by the death and retirement of some of the ablest and most experienced of the Commissioned Medical officers.

3. *Calcutta Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—The triennium has been specially remarkable for the comprehensive reforms carried out in the chief medical institutions in Calcutta. Far-reaching improvements were effected in the Presidency General, Medical College and Campbell Hospitals at a heavy cost, in respect of buildings, furniture, surgical instruments and appliances, beds and bedding, nursing establishment and other matters tending to the comfort of the patients and the efficiency of the institutions. A few of the more important items can only be mentioned here. At the Presidency General Hospital the new paying patients' ward has been completed at a cost of Rs. 2,64,364, and will shortly be fully equipped and ready for occupation. An administrative block was constructed at a cost of Rs. 50,884; and the surroundings of the hospital were improved by the acquisition of further land and the filling in of insanitary tanks at a cost of nearly Rs. 50,000. The total cost to Government of the many improvements and reforms effected at the Medical College Hospital is estimated at Rs. 6,51,572. These include the construction of a large new surgical block (Rs. 2,81,441), the construction of quarters for the nurses of both the Eden and the Medical College Hospitals (Rs. 1,79,434), the paving of the wards with marble (Rs. 56,307) and the installation of electric lights and fans (Rs. 22,816). Land was acquired by Government at a cost of Rs. 1,39,944 for the construction of three separate paying patients' wards for Indians. For the construction of the ward buildings, the thanks of Government and of the public are due to the generosity of Rai Bahadur Shib Proshad Jhoonjhoonwala, Babu Hari Das Goculdas and Mr. Musaji Ahmad Saliji, each of whom has given a very handsome donation of Rs. 30,000 for the purpose. With the generous contribution of Rs. 90,000 received through His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, various improvements have been carried out at the Medical College and connected hospitals. At the Campbell Hospital, the improvements effected include the construction of a single-storeyed ward for male patients, the remodelling of the central portion of the old main building, and the erection of a new two-storeyed ward, at an aggregate cost of Rs. 1,72,878, besides numerous minor improvements at an aggregate cost of Rs. 32,685. The large area known as Haritola *basti* adjoining the hospital has been acquired at a cost of Rs. 1,17,442; and a scheme for utilizing the site in the expansion of the hospital, the erection of a hostel for students' quarters and other buildings is under consideration. The Chandney Hospital, which is an adjunct of the Mayo Hospital and affords medical relief to the largest number of out-patients, has hitherto been located in an antiquated building of inappropriate type. Steps are now being taken, with the assistance of a grant from Government, to erect a new and suitable building on another site that has been acquired for the purpose. At the Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital, quarters for nurses were completed, and a site for a new surgical ward was acquired by Government at a cost of Rs. 16,181; and it is hoped that before long the balance of

the money required for the construction of the ward, towards which Rs. 10,000 have already been contributed from the proceeds of the Minto Fête, will be forthcoming from the Indian public, for whose benefit this hospital chiefly exists. At the Howrah General Hospital, besides many improvements carried out by Government at a cost of Rs. 78,409, a new ward for Indian patients is being constructed with the sum of Rs. 25,000 bequeathed by the late Babu Debi Prosad.

4. The Inspector-General notices that while the nursing in the Calcutta hospitals has considerably improved of recent years, there is still much room for further improvement. The whole subject of the arrangements for nursing in Calcutta and in the mufassal is now under the consideration of the Lieutenant-Governor, with a view to placing them upon a more suitable and efficient basis.

5. The average yearly number of in-door patients treated in all the Calcutta hospitals during the triennium was 28,231, against 27,598 and 26,269 the averages of the two previous three year periods. The increase was shared by all the hospitals, and was most marked in the Medical College, Sambhu Nath Pandit and Dufferin Victoria Hospitals. The accommodation for in-patients was ample in all, except the Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital, where there was some overcrowding. All possible arrangements, however, were made to receive the increased number of patients. The average annual number of out-door patients treated in the hospitals was 275,970, against 267,776 in the previous triennium. The largest number was, as usual, treated at the Chandney Hospital, where the aggregate for the triennium was 136,381. Next in order come the Medical College, Sambhu Nath Pandit, Campbell and Mayo Hospitals, with aggregates of 123,739, 81,895, 80,479 and 76,972, respectively.

6. The total annual income of the Calcutta hospitals, excluding the Police Hospital and the Dockyard Dispensary, was Rs. 11,79,702 in 1905, Rs. 14,48,158 in 1906 and Rs. 18,40,103 in 1907. The figures for 1905 include the handsome donation of Rs. 1,00,000 received from the Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Rameshwar Singh Bahadur through His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, of which Rs. 90,000 went to the Medical College Hospital and Rs. 10,000 to the Dufferin Victoria Hospital. The figures for 1907 include a contribution of Rs. 1,40,000 from the Minto Fête Fund, which was distributed as follows:—Medical College Hospital, Rs. 20,000; Presidency General Hospital, Rs. 20,000; Campbell Hospital, Rs. 40,000; Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital, Rs. 10,000; Mayo Hospital, Rs. 25,000; and the Dufferin Victoria Hospital, Rs. 25,000. The total amount received from paying patients during the same period was Rs. 2.89,861, against Rs. 2,55,315 collected in the previous triennium. A satisfactory increase occurred in the sum raised by private subscriptions, which amounted to Rs. 1,81,874, against Rs. 82,004 in the previous period. Sir Andrew Fraser takes this opportunity of placing on record his appreciation of the service rendered by Mrs. D. King, through whose efforts large sums were collected on different occasions and devoted to the provision of comforts and conveniences at the hospitals. The Lieutenant-Governor shares the regret expressed by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals at the comparatively small amount contributed by the Corporation of Calcutta towards the maintenance of the medical institutions in the City, and he hopes that the Commissioners may yet be induced to recognise their further responsibility in this respect. The latest figures available go to show that while the mufassal Municipalities in this Province have during the last three years contributed on the average more than 22 per cent. of the total cost of the medical institutions maintained within their limits, the Corporation has during the same period provided between 3 and 4 per cent. only of the cost of the institutions in Calcutta.

7. *Charitable Dispensaries outside Calcutta.*—In consequence of the partition of Bengal, 299 dispensaries were transferred to the new Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam, while 16 dispensaries from the Central Provinces were taken over with the district of Sambalpur. During the triennium 41 new dispensaries were opened, and 5 old ones were closed. The net result at the close of the year 1907 was 587 dispensaries in operation, of which 66 were Government institutions, 64 railway, 266 local fund, 45 private aided

and 146 private non-aided dispensaries. The Lieutenant-Governor agrees with the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, that the system of deputing medical officers in charge of dispensaries to visit outlying market centres for the purpose of affording medical relief might with advantage be more extensively adopted.

8. Particulars in regard to the number of indoor patients treated are given only for classes I (State public), III (local funds), and IV (private aided dispensaries. In these the average number treated during the triennium was 60,796, the highest figures being attained in the Bankipore and Berhampore Hospitals. Of the total number of patients treated, an average of only 12·72 per cent. paid for their own food, which shows that no advance was made in this respect as compared with the percentage of 13·93 which was reached in 1904. The Lieutenant-Governor desires to emphasize the remarks recorded on this subject in the Resolution on the last triennial report. The record of attendance of outdoor patients is one of steady progress, the figures for 1907 showing an increase of 22·38 per cent. on the figures for 1904; and there is every indication of the growing popularity of these institutions. The Lieutenant-Governor notices with pleasure the account given in paragraph 40 of the report of the increased popularity of certain individual dispensaries, which must be largely attributed to the efforts of the local medical officers.

9. As usual, malarial fever and allied complaints accounted for the largest number of admissions, the figures being 1,072,854 in 1907, against 915,410 in 1905. The action that is being taken by Government with a view to checking the ravages of malaria in this Province has already been explained in the Resolution on the Sanitary Commissioner's Report for 1907. Skin diseases and diseases of the eye show 552,896 and 163,127 admissions, repectively, in 1907, as compared with 476,895 and 146,934 in 1905; while no less than 335,268 persons were treated for intestinal worms in 1907, against 275,006 in 1905. The number of cholera patients brought to the dispensaries increased from 9,722 to 12,984 in the same period; but the number of plague and small-pox cases so treated continued to be very small. One of the most satisfactory features of the returns is the marked increase in the number of female patients that availed themselves of treatment at the dispensaries, the number in the past year being 18·67 per cent. higher than in 1904. This rise is no doubt due in large measure to the steps taken during the last few years to provide separate treatment for females. There is still much to be done in many dispensaries to improve the arrangements in this respect; and the Lieutenant-Governor desires that continued attention should be paid to the subject.

10. The financial position of the dispensaries during the triennium was satisfactory. The average annual income of the institutions in Classes I, III and IV was Rs. 11,80,907. Grants aggregating Rs. 5,29,877 were given by Government during the three years under review. These were utilized in the construction of new hospital buildings and the purchase of equipment. Grants were also given in many cases for specific works of improvement by the Divisional Commissioners from the allotments placed at their disposal by Government. The contributions from local funds were on the whole liberal, and testify to the increasing interest taken by local bodies, both Municipalities and District Boards, in the dispensaries under their charge. Several donations from private persons were also received; and the acknowledgments of Government are due to these gentlemen for their liberality and public spirit.

11. The thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are due to Colonel Macrae for his interesting report, and for his efficient administration of the Department during the triennium.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

C. A. OLDHAM,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION REVIEWING THE REPORTS ON THE WORKING OF THE PURI LODGING-HOUSE ACT DURING THE YEAR 1907-1908.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT—SANITATION.

Calcutta, the 18th July 1908.

RESOLUTION—No. 1233San.

During the year 1907-08 the operation of the Lodging-House Act was withdrawn from the towns of Midnapore and Garhbeta, as almost all pilgrims now travel by the railway, and do not stop in these two places. The by-laws in force in the districts of the Orissa Division were revised with effect from the 1st of November 1907. Since the close of the year an Act has been passed to amend the Lodging-House Act, in order to provide further funds for the sanitation of towns frequented by pilgrims, to prevent overcrowding in lodging-houses and to remove certain minor defects which the practical working of the Act has disclosed.

2. The number of licensed lodging-houses fell from 1,759 in 1906-07 to 1,746 in 1907-08, although the number of persons for whom accommodation was provided rose from 66,322 to 66,818. In Nadia and Naihati, however, there was an increase of 27 and 35, respectively, in the number of houses licensed. In both these towns there was an increase in the number of pilgrims, due to the *Ardhoday Yog* festival, which took place on the 2nd February 1908. In the town of Puri, 89 licenses were suspended during the year for disobedience of orders issued in respect of the sanitary condition of the lodging-houses; but in most cases the order was subsequently withdrawn on the lodging-house-keepers complying with the requisitions of the Health Officer. The attendance during the *Rath Jatra* was smaller than in the previous year, only 51,743 pilgrims having visited the town, as compared with 70,000 in 1906-07.

3. Four hundred and eight cases were disposed of under the Act during the year, against 302 in the previous year. The number of persons convicted was 383, against 267 in 1906-07. The amount of fines realized rose from Rs. 4,461 to Rs. 5,933-12.

4. The total income of the Lodging-House funds during the year (excluding the opening balance of Rs. 67,955-2-5) was Rs. 83,008-10, as compared with Rs. 83,524-0-9 in 1906-07. The income of the Deoghar Lodging-House fund fell from Rs. 10,264 to Rs. 7,297. There was an increase in the receipts at Nadia and Naihati. In the former case the income amounted to Rs. 3,127-4 (including a special Government grant of Rs. 600 for sanitary arrangements in connexion with the *Yog* festival), against Rs. 2,097-8-9 in the previous year; and in the latter it was Rs. 2,066-8 (including a Government grant of Rs. 500 for the above purpose), against Rs. 500-8. The increase is principally due to the larger attendance of pilgrims on the occasion of the *Yog* festival. The *chuttics* on the Jagannath Road in Cuttack and Balasore show a marked increase in receipts, due to the settlement of road-side lands by auction at higher rates.

5. The total expenditure of the Lodging-House funds rose from Rs. 44,218 in 1906-07 to Rs. 90,768 in 1907-08. The increase was almost entirely due to the large contribution of Rs. 37,500 given by the Gaya Lodging-House Committee towards the local water-works scheme. There were slight increases in expenditure at Nadia and Naihati, due to the special sanitary arrangements that had to be made for the influx of pilgrims on the occasion of the *Ardhoday Yog* festival. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to notice that, taking into account the invested balance, about half-a-lakh of rupees will be available from the Puri fund as a contribution towards the cost of the drainage and water-works schemes of that town, which have received the approval of Government.

6. The health of the pilgrims was on the whole fair. Outbreaks of cholera occurred at Gaya and Puri, but these were not so serious as in the preceding year. In the former town the number of deaths reported from this cause was 93 against 228, and in the latter 256 against 400 in 1906-07. The total mortality among the pilgrims during the year was 636, as compared with 1,208 in the preceding year. Plague was prevalent in Gaya, but not a single pilgrim died of the disease. It also appeared in Deoghar, but only one death is attributed to this cause. In Puri there were 84 deaths from dysentery and 63 from fever. The sanitary arrangements of the lodging-houses were generally satisfactory, and the water-supply was good and sufficient throughout the year.

7. The thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are due to the District Officers and Health Officers concerned for the successful working of the Act during the year.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be submitted to the Government of India in the Home Department, and that copies be forwarded to the Commissioners of the Burdwan, Presidency, Patna, Bhagalpur and Orissa Divisions, for information.

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution be communicated to the Sanitary Commissioner and to the Sanitary Board, Bengal, for information, and that it be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

C. A. OLDHAM,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

RETURN OF JOINT-STOCK COMPANIES FOR THE YEAR 1907-1908.

No. 5T., dated Darjeeling, the 29th May 1908.

From—Syud Mahomed, Khan Bahadur, Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

I have the honour to forward, in original, the report submitted by the Registrar of Companies, Bengal, on the working of the Indian Companies Act VI of 1882 for the year 1907-08, with the ten tabular statements prescribed by the Government of India.

No. 38, dated Calcutta, the 25th May 1908.

From—Maulvi Syud Abdus Salam, Registrar of Companies, Bengal,

To—The Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

I have the honour to submit the following report on the working of the Indian Companies Act, VI of 1882, in Bengal for the year 1907-08, together with ten tabulated statements in the forms prescribed by the Government of India.

2. Rai Behari Lal Chandra Bahadur, my predecessor, retired from the service in the afternoon of the 30th April 1907, when I relieved him, and since then I held charge of the office of Registrar for the remainder of the year.

3. From Statement No. 1 it will be seen that 512 Companies in all worked with an aggregate *nominal* capital of Rs. 36,30,64,209 and an aggregate *paid-up* capital of Rs. 20,54,65,731 till the close of the year against 446 Companies with a nominal capital of Rs. 26,03,56,709 and a paid-up capital of Rs. 17,51,04,519 in the previous year. There was thus an increase of 66 Companies, and that of Rs. 10,27,07,500 in the nominal capital and Rs. 3,00,61,212 in the paid-up capital during the year under report. One Company, namely National Stores, Limited, with a nominal capital of Rs. 1,00,000 was transferred to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies of Eastern Bengal and Assam under the order of the Government of Bengal, Nos. 1380-81P.—D., dated the 11th July 1906.

3. The number of Companies registered during the year under report was 80, and their total nominal capital and paid-up capital were Rs. 7,47,00,000, and Rs. 13,61,895 respectively. In the number of Companies referred to the largest number (48) came out under the classification, Coal Companies, against 20 under the same category in the previous year. The increase is due to larger profit, accrued in the speculation. Trading Companies (14) came out next. Last year there were 32 Trading Companies. The increase in Coal Companies accounts for the decrease in Trading Companies during the year.

4. The most important of the Banking Companies registered during the year is the Hindusthan, Bank, Limited, with a nominal capital of Rs. 2 crores. The Hindusthan Co-operative Insurance Society, Limited, comes under the head of Insurance-companies with a nominal capital of Rs 1 crore. One Native Provident Society, viz., Swadeshi Assurance and Wedding Company, Limited, with a nominal capital of Rs. 10,000 was registered during the year.

5. Statement No. III shows that 5 Companies limited by guarantee were registered during the year.

6. One hundred and seven Companies increased their capital during the year. This accounts for the healthy and prosperous state of the Companies. Of these, 2 Companies increased their nominal capital, 93 Companies increased their paid-up capital, and 12 Companies increased both their nominal and paid-up capital.

7. There was no reduction made in the capital of any Company during the year.

8. Thirteen Companies having an aggregate nominal capital of Rs. 35,42,500 and a paid-up capital of Rs. 22,68,248 wound up their business during the year. One Company which went into liquidation in the previous year has submitted its final report during the year.

9. The total number of Companies limited by guarantee, which worked till the close of the year, was 15 as shown in Statement No. IX.

10. The following Societies were registered during the year under Act XXI of 1860 :—

(1) J. M. Training School.

(2) Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

(3) Calcutta Historical Society.

(4) The Calcutta Homœopathic College.

(5) Anglo-Indian Association.

(6) Lady Minto's Indian Nursing Association.

(7) Arrah Nagri Procharini Sabha.

11. The fees realized during the year amounted to Rs. 32,658-2 against Rs. 22,262-12 and the expenditure amounted to Rs. 1,028-11-4 against Rs. 983 in the past year, the nett revenue therefore is Rs. 31,629-6-8 to the credit of Government against Rs. 21,279-12 in the previous year. The increase in fees is due to increase in registration and to the large nominal capital.

12. The provisions of section 69 of the Act were complied with almost everywhere as far as it could be ascertained.

13. The provisions of Act IV of 1900 (the Indian Companies Branch Registers Act) were not availed of by any of the Companies.

14. The operations during the year were satisfactory showing an increase in registration, in receipts, as also in surplus, to Government.

STATEMENT No. I.

Abstract of Joint Stock Companies for the year 1907-08.

	COMPANIES DIVIDED INTO SHARES.			COMPANIES LIMITED BY GUARANTEE, i.e., POSSESSING NO CAPITAL PAID UP.	
	Number of Companies.	Nominal capital.	Paid up capital.	Number of Companies.	Number of Member.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.		
ing at the close of 1906-07 ...	446	26,03,56,709	17,54,04,519	10	2,536
tered during 1907-08	80	7,47,00,000	13,61,895	5	2,520
al increased during 1907-08 ...	107	3,16,50,000	3,09,67,565	...	...
al decreased during 1907-08 ...	...	...	...	...	...
l to work during 1907-08 ...	13	35,42,500	22,68,248	...	...
ferred to the Registrar of Joint Stock panies, Eastern Bengal and Assam ...	1	1,00,000	...	...	...
ing at the close of 1907-08 ...	512	36,30,64,209	20,54,65,731	15	5,056

SYED ABDUS SALAM,
Registrar of Companies.

he 27th May 1908.

STATEMENT No. II.

Joint Stock Companies registered during the year 1907-08.

Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Objects of Company.	Nominal capital.	Paid up capital.	Situation of the Registered office.
	I.—BANKING, LOAN AND INSURANCE COMPANIES.		Rs.	Rs.	
	(a)—Banking and Loan Companies.				
22nd July 1907	Gaya Bank and Trades Association, Limited.	Banking and loan business	50,000		Mohalla Pitamaheswar house No. 75, town Gaya.
13th September ,,	Bengal National Bank, Limited.	Ditto ditto	50,00,000		No. 22, Canning Street, Calcutta.
4th February 1908	Banka Banking Trading and Agricultural Company, Limited.	Ditto ditto	20,000		Town Banka, district Bhagalpur, house of Babu Hari Chand Sinha, Mukhtear.
2nd March	Puri Bank, Limited ...	Ditto ditto	50,000		
13th ,,	Hindusthan Bank, Limited.	Ditto ditto	2,00,00,000		No. 14, Hare Street, Calcutta.
	Total of Banking and Loan Companies.		2,51,20,000		
	(b)—Insurance Companies.				
8th May 1907	Hindusthan Co-operative Insurance Society, Limited.	Insurance business	1,00,00,000		No. 14, Hare Street, Calcutta.
30th September	Swadeshi Assurance and Wedding Company, Limited.	Ditto ditto	10,000		Balakati, Puri, in the house of Kalindi Patra.
	Total of Insurance Com-				

STATEMENT No. II—*continued.*

Joint Stock Companies registered during the year 1907-08—continued.

Number on the Register.	Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Objects of Company.	Nominal capital.	Paid up capital.	Situation of the Registered office.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs.	Rs.	
		II.—TRADING COMPANIES				
		(*a*) *Printing, Publishing and Stationery.*				
1824	9th March 1908 ...	Thacker's Directories, Limited.	Printers, publishers, stationers, type founders, book-binders, etc.	2,50,000	...	No. 5, Government Place Calcutta.
		(*b*) *Others.*				
1737	6th April 1907 ...	United Ginning and Pressing Company, Limited.	Ginning, pressing, packing or cleaning cotton, wool and other substance and expressing oils from cotton and other seeds.	10,00,000	95,205	No. 20, Strand Road Calcutta.
1740	18th „ „ ...	Kotechandpur Swadesi Bhandar Company, Limited.	Dealing in articles of Indian manufacture and produce.	10,000	...	Pucca building Municipal No. 1381, nort side of Kotechandpu Bazar Road, Jessore.
1745	22nd May „ ...	Small Industries Development Company, Limited.	To start small industries, such as matches, soap, pencil leather, etc.	4,00,000	...	No. 2-4, Radha Bazar Lane, Calcutta.
1749	29th „ „ ...	G. G. Mitchell and Company, Limited.	General traders ...	1,25,000	...	No. 8, Mission Row Calcutta.
1759	19th July „ ...	Bengal Hosiery Company, Limited.	Hosiery business ...	2,00,000	...	No. 63, Ezra Street Calcutta.
1763	12th August „ ...	Chota Nagpur Motor Service Company, Limited.	To carry passengers and goods.	4,00,000	...	Hazaribagh.
1775	25th October „ ...	Angelo Brothers, Limited	Business of manufactures and dealers in all kinds of lac and methylated spirit.	10,00,000	...	No. 6, Lyon's Range Calcutta.
1776	2nd November „ ...	Manipur Company, Limited.	Art practice and industry of sericulure.	10,00,000	...	No. 22, Strand Road Calcutta.
1780	25th „ „ ...	T. R. Pratt, Limited ...	Export, import and manufacture, Engineering materials, electrical apparatus, instruments, etc.	1,50,000	...	No. 20, Lal Bazar Street Calcutta.
1782	6th December „ ...	Tamluk Trading and Manufacturing Company, Limited.	Trading and manufacturing indegenous goods.	1,00,000	...	Tamluk district, Midnapore.
1783	11th „ „ ...	Indian Motors, Limited	Business of motor car manufacturers and importers, and omnibus and van proprietors.	1,00,000	...	No. 1, Hastings Street Calcutta.
1793	7th January 1908	Uttanka Agency Company, Limited.	Trading tobacco, tea, coffee, oilman's stores, etc.	1,00,000	...	No. 27-7, Waterloo Street Calcutta.
1828	31st March „	Bihar Industrial and Agricultural Development Company, Limited.	General traders and farmers.	20,000	...	Karam Killa village P. O. Barun, dist Gaya.
		Total ...	.....	46,05,000	95,205	
		Total of Trading Companies.	.....	48,55,000	95,205	
		III.—MILLS AND PRESSES.				
		(*a*)—*Cotton Mills.*				
1821	24th February „	Mohini Mills, Limited ...	Spinning and weaving cotton	1,50,000	...	Kushtia, Nadia, Main Babu's Road, W

STATEMENT No. II—*continued.*

Joint Stock Companies registered during the year 1907-08—continued.

Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Objects of Company.	Nominal capital.	Paid up capital.	Situation of the Registered office.
2	3	4	5	6	7
	III.—MILLS AND PRESSES.		Rs.	Rs.	
	(*b*)—*Jute Mills.*				
16th July 1907 ...	Kelvin Jute Company, Limited.	Spinning, weaving, manufacturing, baling and pressing jute, hemp, cotton, &c.	16,00,000	...	No. 31. Dalhousie Square South, Calcutta.
27th January 1908	Northbrook Jute Company, Limited.	Spinners, weavers, manufacturers of jute, hemp, cotton, &c.	23,00,000	...	No. 101-1, Clive Street, Calcutta.
	Total ...	.. ...	39,00,000	...	
	(*c*)—*Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses.*				
19th March ,,	Landale and Clark, Limited.	Balers and pressers of jute, cotton, hemp, &c.	15,00,000	...	No. 12, Clive Row Calcutta.
	IV.—TEA AND OTHER PLANTING COMPANIES.				
	(*a*)—*Tea.*				
7th June 1907	Cooliekoosie Tea Company, Limited.	Cultivation of tea ...	50,000	16,700	No. 3, Mission Row, Calcutta.
21st November ,,	Ambari Tea Company, Limited.	Cultivation and manufacture of tea, coffee, &c.	1,25,000	...	Amla, Sodarpur, P. O. district Nadia.
23rd January 1908	Killing Valley Tea Company, Limited.	Cultivation and manufacture of tea.	1,00,000	...	No. 1, Clive Street, Calcutta.
28th ,, ,,	Ghazipore Tea Company, Limited.	Ditto ditto ...	1,50,000	...	No. 8, Clive Row, Calcutta.
	Total ...	.....	4,25,000	16,700	
	(*b*)—*Others.*				
27th September 1907	Barrah Estates, Limited	To carry on the busines of indigo planters, zemindari proprietors.	3,20,000	...	No. 12, Mission Row, Calcutta.
	V.—MINING AND QUARRYING.				
	(*a*)—*Coal.*				
12th April ,,	Banajorah Coal Company, Limited.	Coal business ...	6,00,000	6,00,000	No. 31, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta.
2nd May ,,	Ghusick and Muslia Collieries, Limited.	Ditto	14,00,000	...	No. 6-7, Clive Street, Calcutta.
22nd ,, ,,	Nodiha Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto	8,00,000	...	No. 2, Clive Ghât Street, Calcutta.
25th ,, ,,	Mundalpoor Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto	11,70,000	...	Ditto ditto.
27th ,, ,,	Pupratand Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto	5,00,000	...	No. 4, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.
12th June ,,	Phœnix Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto	3,00,000	...	No. 8, Clive Row, Calcutta.
20th ,, ,,	Mucheridih Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto	4,00,000	3,99,990	No. 14-2, Clive Row, Calcutta.
19th July ,,	Bagdigi Kujama Collieries, Limited.	Ditto	2,50,000	2,50,000	No. 7, Swallow Lane Calcutta.
7th August ,,	Minto Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto	3,00,000	...	No. 8, Clive Row, Calcutta.
23rd ,, ,,	Charnock Collieries, Limited.	Ditto	3,00,000	...	No. 134, Canning Street, Calcutta.

STATEMENT No. II—*continued.*

Joint Stock Companies registered during the year 1907-08—continued.

Number on the Register.	Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Objects of Company.	Nominal capital.	Paid up capital.	Situation of the Registered of
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		V.—MINING AND QUARRYING—*continued.*				
		(*a*)—*Coal.*		Rs.		
1768	27th September 1907	Kessurgurah Coal Company, Limited.	Coal business ...	6,00,000	...	No. 7, Swallow La Calcutta.
1772	3rd October ,,	New Kendah Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	3,00,000	...	No. 103, Clive Stre Calcutta.
1773	4th ,, ,,	Govindpur Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	2,00,000	...	No 136, Canning Stre Calcutta.
1774	17th ,, ,,	Burragarh Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	5,00,000	...	No. 5, Clive Ghât Stre Calcutta.
1777	11th November ,,	Pundakanali Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	5,00,000	...	No. 101-1, Clive Stre Calcutta.
1778	16th ,, ,,	Satpukuria and Asansol Collieries, Limited.	Ditto ...	8,00,000	...	No. 6-7, Clive Stre Calcutta.
1781	26th ,, ,,	South Govindpur Colliery, Limited.	Ditto ...	7,50,000	...	No. 7, Swallow La Calcutta.
1784	11th December ,,	Oriental Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	5,50,000	...	No. 4, Mangoe La Calcutta.
1785	12th ,, ,,	Badroochuck Coal Mining Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	5,00,000	..	No. 1, Vansittart R Calcutta.
1786	16th ,, ,,	Sendra Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	8,00,000	...	No. 136, Canning Str Calcutta.
1787	17th ,, ,,	Shanga Mahal Collieries, Limited.	Ditto ...	4,50,000	...	No. 133-134, Cann Street, Calcutta.
1789	21st ,, ,,	Bokara and Ramgur, Limited.	Ditto ...	16,00,000	...	No. 22, Strand Ro Calcutta.
1790	23rd ,, ,,	Chelode Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	4,50,000	...	No. 5, Clive Ghât Str Calcutta.
1791	3rd January 1908	Union Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	3,50,000	...	No. 4, Mangoe La Calcutta.
1792	7th ,, ,,	Central Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ..	2,00,000	...	No 27-7, Waterloo Str Calcutta.
1794	10th ,, ,,	Bengal Giridih Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ..	4,50,000	...	No. 5, Fairlie Pl Calcutta.
1795	14th ,, ,,	Auckland Coal Company Limited.	Ditto ...	4,00,000	...	
1796	17th ,, ,,	Thandabari Coal Syndicate, Limited.	Ditto ...	90,000	...	
1798	22nd ,, ,,	Koolustore Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	7,00,000	...	No. 12, Mission R Calcutta.
1799	22nd ,, ,,	Bilbera Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	7,00,000	...	No. 5 Clive Ghât Str Calcutta.
1803	29th ,, ,,	Parasea Collieries, Limited	Ditto ...	8,00,000	...	
1804	30th ,, ,,	Angarpatra Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	3,00,000	...	No. 38, Strand R Calcutta.
1805	3rd February ,,	Sutikdih Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ..	7,00,000	...	No. 4, Clive Calcutta.
1807	5th ,, ,,	Pench River Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	5,00,000	...	No. 20, Strand R Calcutta.
1808	5th ,, ,,	Pench Consolidated Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	5,00,000	...	Ditto ditto.
1809	5th ,, ,,	Central Pench Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	5,00,000	...	Ditto ditto.

STATEMENT No. II—*concluded.*

Joint Stock Companies registered during the year 1907-08—concluded.

Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Objects of Company.	Nominal capital.	Paid up capital.	Situation of the Registered office.
2	3	4	5	6	7
	V.—MINING AND QUARRYING—*concluded.*				
	(*a*) *Coal.*		Rs.	Rs.	
11th February 1908	Moheshpur Coal Company, Limited.	Coal business ...	7,00,000	...	No. 7, Swallow Lane, Calcutta.
11th „ „	Juggadi Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	4,00,000	...	No. 5, Clive Ghat Street, Calcutta.
14th „ „	Matigara Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	8,00,000	...	
14th „ „	Burra Dhemo Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	6,50,000	...	No. 9, Clive Row, Calcutta.
15th „ „	Bansral Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	3,00,000	...	No. 4, Fairlie Place, Calcutta.
15th „ „	Teetulmuri Collieries, Limited.	Ditto ...	11,00,000	...	No 101-1, Clive Street, Calcutta.
20th „ „	National Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	6,00,000	...	No. 3, Mission Row, Calcutta.
20th „ „	Jmagarah Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	5,50,000	...	No. 38, Strand Road, Calcutta.
21st „ „	Eastern Boraree Coal Association, Limited.	Ditto ...	3,00,000	...	No. 18, Swallow Lane, Calcutta.
5th March „	Royal Coal Company, Limited.	Ditto ...	14,00,000	...	No. 5, Clive Ghat Street, Calcutta.
	Total ...	.....	2,80,60,000	12,49,990	
	(*b*)—*Others.*				
20th June 1907 ...	Pactolus Dredging Syndicate, Limited.	Prospecting and Mining	3,00,000	...	No. 1, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.
14th February 1908	Bengal Plumbago Syndicate, Limited.	Business of Plumbago Mining, etc.	60,000	...	
	Total ...	.....	3,60,000	...	
	Total Mining and Quarrying Companies.	.....	2,84,20,000	12,49,990	

SYED ABDUS SALAM,
Registrar of Companies.

27th May 1908.

STATEMENT No. III.

Companies limited by guarantee registered during the year 1907-08.

Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Objects of Company.	Number of members.	Situation of a Registered Office.
2	3	4	5	6
	I.—BANKING, LOAN AND INSURANCE COMPANIES.			
	(*a*)—*Insurance Companies.*			
9th August 1907 ...	Chock Office Telegraph Mutual Relief Fund.	To afford temporary relief to the subscribers after retire-	100	Chock Office, Government Telegraph Department,

STATEMENT No. III—*concluded.*

Companies limited by guarantee registered during the year 1907-08—concluded.

Number on the Register.	Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Objects of Company.	Number of members.	Situation of the Registered office
		II.—TRADING COMPANIES.			
		(a)—Merchants and Traders.			
1741	19th April 1907	Sethia Colour and Chemical Works, Limited.	Preparing chemically the cheaper qualities from the Aniline dyes.	20	
1764	1st July ,,	Bengal Club, Limited	To afford to its members all the usual privileges, advantages, conveniences and accommodation of a club.	1,000	No. 33, Chowringhee Ro Calcutta.
1771	1st August ,,	Calcutta Golf Club, Limited	To promote the game of Golf	1,000	Golf Pavilion, Maid Calcutta.
1788	21st December ,,	Darjeeling Club, Limited ...	To establish and maintain a club.	400	Darjeeling Club Hou Darjeeling.

SYED ABDUS SALAM,
Registrar of Companies.

The 27th May 1908.

STATEMENT No. IV.

Joint Stock Companies that have increased their Capital during the year 1907-08.

Number on Register.	Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Date of increase.	Previous Capital.		Present Capital.		Difference	
				Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid
				5	6	7	8	9	10
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
		I.—BANKING, LOAN AND INSURANCE COMPANIES.							
		(a)—Banking and Loan Companies.							
221	7th April 1869 ..	Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.	1st August 1907 ... 7th March 1908.	1,50,00,000	1,50,00,000	4,50,00,000	2,25,00,000	3,00,00,000	75,0
959	20th December 1894 ...	Gaya Loan Office, Limited	17th February 1908 ...	50,000	27,725		29,150		
1547	21st April 1903 ...	Mahishya Banking and Trading Company Limited.	25th April 1907	1,00,000	2,314	1,00,000	2,920		
1633	24th November 1905 ...	Taki Joint Stock Company, Limited ...		20,000	7,690	20,000	10,000		
		(b) Insurance Companies.							
1709	23rd November 1906 ...	National Indian Life Insurance Company, Limited.	22nd February 1908 ...	10,00,000	.....	10,00,000	1,00,000		
1712	1st December ,, ...	Sree Radha Krishna Vilas Provident Company, Limited.	23rd December 1907 ...	10,000	.....	10,000	140		
1713	5th ,, ,, ...	National Insurance Company, Limited ...	28th January 1908 ...	10,00,000	.....	10,00,000	83,425		
		II.—TRADING COMPANIES.							
		(a)—Navigation.							
1643	16th January 1906 ...	East Bengal River Steam Service, Limited.	7th January 1908 12th December 1907.	6,00,000	.....	7,25,000	4,23,058	1,25,000	
		(b)—Railways and Tramways.							
1366	13th March 1897 ...	Hardwar Dehra Branch Railway Company, Limited.	6th September 1907	30,00,000	29,23,000	30,00,000	29,20,000		

STATEMENT No. IV—*continued.*

Joint Stock Companies that have increased their Capital during the year 1907-08—continued.

Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Date of increase.	PREVIOUS CAPITAL.		PRESENT CAPITAL.		DIFFERENCE.	
			Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid up.
	3							10
	II.—TRADING COMPANIES—*continued.*		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	(c)—Co-operative Associations.							
18th September 1893...	Indian Pioneers Company, Limited ...	6th May 1907	20,000	10,225	20,000	10,967		742
18th April 1895	Samastipur Co-operative Stores Association, Limited.	16th April ,,	5,000	5,000	10,000	5,000	5,000	
12th October 1904	Chota Nagpur Co-operative Stores Company, Limited.	28th January 1908	20,000	2,042	20,000	2,788		746
5th June 1906	East Indian Railway Co-operative Stores Society, Limited.	19th March			5,000	4,680		4,680
	(d)—Shipping, Landing and Warehousing							
7th August 1863 ...	Calcutta Landing and Shipping Company, Limited.	24th January	7,50,000	5,54,550	7,50,000	6,25,000		70,450
3rd May 1906 ...	Port Shipping Company, Limited ...	23rd March	15,00,000		15,00,000	5,95,800		5,95,800
	(e)—Printing, Publishing and Stationery.							
4th May ,, ...	"The Empire," Limited	21st February	3,00,000	.....	3,00,000	1,26,800		1,26,800
2nd August ,, ...	"The Englishman," Limited	22nd August 1907	2,25,000		2,25,000	22,800		22,800
8th October ,, ...	"Bande Mataram," Printers and Publishers, Limited.	10th February 1908	50,000	..	50,000	2,990		2,990
	(f)—Others.							
4th December 1891 ...	John King and Company, Limited ..	25th February 1908	8,00,000	3,00,000	10,00,000	8,00,000	2,00,000	5,00,000
2nd January 1892 ...	Khulna Trading Company, Limited ...	20th March ,, ...	50,000	1,484	50,000	1,857		
4th ,, 1894 ...	Ayurvedic Medicine Manufacturing Company of India, Limited.	26th September 1907 .	20,000	14,040	20,000	14,140		100
4th April 1901 ...	Bengal Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Limited.	11th	2,00,000	1,34,000	2,00,000	1,57,100		23,100
4th February 1902 ...	R. Glen and Company, Limited .:. ...	8th January 1908 ...	85,000	45,000	85,000	85,000		40,000
2nd July 1902 ...	Indian Stores, Limited	30th September 1907 ..	5,00,000	50,235	5,00,000	2,33,395		1,83,160
4th August 1904 ...	Jessore Swadeshi Bhandar Company, Limited.	29th April ,, ...	10,000	2,063	10,000	5,118		3,055
4th April 1905 ...	Rookhur Ghât Company, Limited... ...	6th May	5,00,000		5,60,000	3,10,000		3,10,000
4th June 1905 ...	Chapra Home Stores, Limited	3rd October	20,000	5,717	20,000	8,767		3,050
2nd September 1905	Sinduria Brick Company, Limited ...	14th March 1908	1,00,000		1,00,000	75,000		75,000
2th October ,, ...	Narayan Company, Limited ...	2nd December 1907 .	5,00,000	22,137	5,00,000	59,500		37,363
1st November ,, ...	Indian Goods Supply Company, Limited	26th July	20,000		20,000	2,990		2,990
4th January 1906 ...	Barrackpore Electric Supply Company, Limited.	26th March 1908 ...	2,00,000	.....	2,00,000	1,00,000		1,00,000
4th ,, ,, ...	Tirhut Stores, Limited	26th	50,000		50,000	6,785		6,785
1st February ,, ...	Santipur Desiya Bhandar, Limited	24th May 1907	20,000		20,000			5,853
4th ,, ,, ...	Satkhira Sulav Bhandar Company, Limited.	8th February 1908 ...	20,000	1,860	20,000	2,020		160
2th April ,, ...	Magura Deshiya Bhandar, Limited	2nd September 1907	15,000		15,000	1,718		1,718
1st	Oriental Match Manufacturing Company, Limited.	11th April	1,00,000		1,00,000	90,760		9,070
3th April ,, ...	Laxmir Bhandar, Limited ...	22nd July	1,00,000		1,00,000	13,010		13,010
2th May	Baliaghata Card Board Manufacturing Company, Limited.	10th April ,,) 10th August ,,)	50,000		1,50,000	1,20,000	1,00,000	1,20,000
9th ,,	Krishnagar Deshiya Drabyagar, Limited	19th ,, ,,	20,000		20,000	5,990		5,990
	Kantio Deshya Bhandar, Limited	26th February 1908	20,000		20,000	3,550	.....	3,550

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Joint Stock Companies that have increased their Capital during the year 1907-08—continued.

Number on Register.	Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Date of increase.	Previous Capital.		Present Capital.		Difference.	
				Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid up.
				5	6	7	8	9	10
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
		II.—TRADING COMPANIES—*concluded.*							
		(f)—Others.							
1680	26th July 1906	Bengal Distilleries Company, Limited ...	8th May 1907	1,00,000	.....	1,00,000	30,000	.....	30,000
1682	3rd August	Giridih Swadeshi Gola, Limited	27th September ,,	20,000	.....	20,000	4,910	.....	4,910
1683		Chhatra Bhandar, Limited	5th February 1908	20,000	.....	20,000	4,560	.....	4,560
1689	25th	United Bengal and Assam Pharmaceutical and Chemical Works, Limited.	30th January ,,	3,00,000	.....	3,00,000	3,335		3,335
	31st	Bagerhat Bharat Bhandar, Limited ...	8th August 1907	10,000	.....	10,000	7,119		7,119
1694	12th September	National Cycle and Motor Company, Limited.	23rd July	20,000	.....	20,000	2,399		2,399
1695	13th	Boisogon.off, Limited ...	4th December	1,50,000	.....	1,50,000	1,11,400		1,11,400
1696	15th	Macdowell Dutt & Company, Limited ...	9th			3,00,000	3,00,000	3,00,000	3,00,000
1705	5th November ,,	Calcutta Motors, Limited	31st January 1908	4,00,000	.....	4,00,000	20,410	.....	20,411
1714	6th December ,,	Arathoon, Limited	24th February	6,50,000	.....	6,00,000	3,00,000		3,00,000
1719	11th January 1907	E. Meyer and Company, Limited	1st	10,00,000	.....	10,00,000	10,00,000		10,00,000
1724	28th ,, ,,	Grossmann's (Imports), Limited	28th October 1907	3,00,000	.....	3,00,000	3,00,000		3,00,000
1727	7th February ,,	Darbhanga Trading Company, Limited...	11th January 1908	20,000	.....	20,000			6,91
		III.—MILLS AND PRESSES.							
		(a)—Cotton Mills.							
1630	1st November 1905 ..	Indian Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited.	18th July 19	12,00,000	9,950	12,00,000	20,320		10,37
1631		Calcutta Weaving Company, Limited ...	7th November 1907... 2nd January 1908 ...	30,000	14,945	50,000	21,375	20,000	6,4
1642	15th January 1906 ...	Bengal Laxmi Cotton Mills, Limited ..	9th March 1908 ...	12,00,000	.....	12,00,000	11,61,950		11,61,95
1666	21st May 1906 ...	Desi Cloth Mills Company, Limited ...	9th September 1907...	6,00,000	.....	6,00,000	4,61,368		4,61,36
		(b)—Jute Mills.							
625	1st September 1890...	Howrah Mills Company, Limited ...	28th March 1908 ...	43,75,000	88,50,000	43,75,000	43,74,750		3,24,7
718	10th March 1892 ...	Hooghly Mills Company, Limited ...	9th ,, ,, ...	37,80,000	32,60,000	37,80,000	37,79,850		4,19,8
	1st August 1894	Clive Mills Company, Limited	13th November 1907...	32,00,000	31,80,960	32,00,000	32,00,000		19,0
	21st September 1895	Alliance Mills Company, Limited ...	21st January 1908 ...	30,00,000	27,50,000	30,00,000	29,00,000		1,50,0
1538	13th November 1902 ...	Chittagong Company, Limited	19th August 1907	5,00,000	2,91,000	5,00,000	3,88,000		97,0
1579	30th June 1904	Arathoon Jute Mills, Limited ...	27th February 1908 ...	32,00,000		32,00,000	32,00,000		32,00,0
1651	27th February 190	Lawrence Jute Company, Limited	1st November 1907 ...	15,00,000		15,00,000	15,00,000		15,00,0
1652	14th March ,, ...	Calcutta Hessaic and Bag Company, Limited.	30th January 1908 ..	2,00,000		2,00,000	1,00,000		1,00,0
1654	27th ,, ,, ...	Northern Bengal Company, Limited ..	10th August 1907 ...	2,00,000		2,00,000	1,25,700		1,25,7
1679	22nd July ,, ...	Belvedere Jute Mills Company, Limited	9th September ,, ...	14,00,000		14,00,000	4,68,800		4,68,8
1701	25th October ,, ...	Reliance Jute Mills Company, Limited ...	18th December ,, ...	27,00,000		27,00,000	17,00,000	.....	17,00,0
		(c)—Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses.							
1673	7th July 1906	Tripura Company, Limited	12th April 1907	15,00,000		15,00,000	50,230		50,2
1	26th March 1907 ...	Madanganj Pressing Company, Limited	27th February 1908 ...	1,50,000		1,50,000	1,50,000		1,50,0

STATEMENT No. IV—*continued.*

Joint Stock Companies that have increased their Capital during the year 1907-08—continued.

Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Date of increase.	Previous Capital.		Present Capital.		Difference.	
			Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid up.
2	3						9	10
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	IV.—TEA AND OTHER PLANTING COMPANIES.							
	(a)—*Tea.*							
5th July 1876 ...	Amluckí Tea Company, Limited	21st March 1908	5,45,700	5,20,700	5,45,700	5,45,700	.....	25,000
0th July 1896 ...	Hantapara Tea Company, Limited ...	10th August 1907	5,25,000	5,00,000	6,75,000	5,00,000	1,50,000	.....
8th May 1897 ...	New Dooars Tea Company, Limited ...	{ 3rd April 1907 / 19th March 1908 }	1,50,000	1,28,325	4,00,000	4,00,000	2,50,000	2,66,675
7th November 1900...	Nagrijuli Tea Company, Limited	8th April 1907	4,00,000	1,78,500	4,00,000	2,78,500	.....	1,00,000
9th January 1904 ...	Hasimara Tea Company, Limited ...	22nd May 1907	4,00,000	2,70,070	4,00,000	2,77,170	.....	7,100
	(b)—*Others.*							
1st December 1904 .	Indian (Long Stapled) Cotton Growing Syndicate, Limited.	23rd July 1907 ...	10,00,000	12,300	10,00,000	12,360	.....	60
7th April 1905	Dhalbhoom Syndicate, Limited	16th April 1907	85,000	34,000	85,000	85,000	.....	51,000
	V.—MINING AND QUARRYING.							
	(a)—*Coal.*							
9th January 1895 ...	Singaran Coal Syndicate, Limited	9th September 1907	5,50,000	3,50,000	5,50,000	5,50,000	.....	2,00,000
4th July 1895 ...	Jherria Colliery Company, Limited	28th March 1908 ..	3,00,000	2,75,000	3,00,000	3,00,000		25,000
1st July 1901 ...	Gopalichuck Coal Company, Limited	22nd August 1907 ...	9,50,000	8,50,000	9,50,000	9,50,000		1,00,000
3rd December 1902 ...	Kasoonda and Nyadee Collieries, Limited	22nd October ,, ...	7,00,000	5,50,000	7,00,000	6,82,075		1,32,075
3rd March 1905 ...	Empire Coal Company, Limited ...	{ 16th December ,, / 13th March 1908 }	1,00,000	87,500	2,00,000	1,33,250	1,00,000	45,750
4th June	Baraboni Coal Concern, Limited ...	{ 4th February ,, / 10th October 1907 }	6,00,000	5,00,000	10,00,000	7,73,800	2,00,000	2,73,800
1st August	Bench Valley Coal Company, Limited ...	8th January 1908 ...	12,00,000	2,87,500	13,00,000	3,48,750		61,250
4th June	North-West Coal Company, Limited ...	15th May 1907 ...	3,25,000		3,25,000	2,72,500		2,72,500
3rd August	Teetulmoorie Coal Company, Limited ..	18th December	5,00,000		5,00,000	72,000		72,000
1st September	British India Coal Company, Limited ...	{ 27th February 1908 / 1st May 1907 }	1,00,000		2,00,000	1,00,000	1,00,000	1,00,000
5th October	Khoirah Coal Syndicate, Limited ..	3rd July ,, ...	2,00,000		3,00,000	1,50,000		1,50,000
4th ,, ,, ...	Sodesh Coal Company, Limited	13th August ,, .	4,50,000		4,50,000	4,50,000		4,50,000
5th November ,, ...	Huntedih Coal Company, Limited ..	23rd October ,, ..	3,00,000		3,00,000	2,90,275		2,90,25
5th ,, ,, ...	Bengal Bhatdee Coal Company, Limited	21st February 1908 ..	4,50,000		4,50,000	4,43,200		4,43,200
5th January 1907 ...	East Jherriah Coal Company, Limited	13th December 1907 ..	3,00,000		3,00,000	2,48,750		2,48,750
5th	Phularitand Coal Company, Limited ...	2nd	4,50,000		4,50,000	3,98,710		3,98,710
3rd	Damra Coal Company, Limited	{ 5th March 1908 .. / 4th September 1907 }	3,00,000		4,00,000	2,03,000	1,00,000	2,00,000
3rd	Lakurka Coal Company, Limited ...	4th	4,50,000		4,50,000	4,50,000		4,50,000
5th	Sudreadih Coal Company, Limited ...	8th January 1908	3,50,000		3,50,000	2,75,850		2,75,850
	New Tetturya Coal Company, Limited ...	9th	5,50,000		5,50,000	5,50,000		5,50,000
1 March ,,	Sinidihi Coal Company, Limited ...	{ 10th March ,, ... / 9th ,, ,, ... }	3,50,000		4,50,000	3,50,000	1,00,000	3,50,000
3	Sudamdih Coal Company, Limited ...	30th January 1908 ...	7,00,000		7,00,000	5,16,020		5,16,020
	(b)—*Others.*							
April 1902	New Sonapet Company, Limited ...	29th April 1907	88,000	46,900	88,000	52,900		3,900

STATEMENT No. IV—*concluded.*

Joint Stock Companies that have increased their Capital during the year 1907-08—concluded.

Number on the Register.	Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Date of increase.	PREVIOUS CAPITAL.		PRESENT CAPITAL.		DIFFERENCE.	
				Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid up.	Nominal.	Paid up
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		VI.—LAND AND BUILDINGS.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1587	2nd October 1902 ...	Midnapore Zamindary Company, Limited	24th March 1908 ...	16,50,000	3,95,800	16,50,000	9,37,000	.....	5,41,2
1602	27th April 1904 ...	Shamnagar Land Company, Limited ...	6th April 1907 ...	1,00,000	12,000	1,00,000	15,000	.....	3,0
		VII.—SUGAR MANUFACTURING COMPANIES.							
1675	7th July 1906 ...	Maharajgunge Desi Sugar Works, Limited.	27th March 1908 ...	3,00,000	.....	3,00,000	1,61,981	.....	1,61,9

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STATEMENT No. V.

Joint Stock Companies that have reduced their Capital during the year 1907-08.

Nil.

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STATEMENT No. VI.

Joint Stock Companies that having ceased to work, have gone into liquidation, or have been finally dissolved (or otherwise become defunct) during the year 1907-08.

Number of the Register.	Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Nominal capital.	Paid up capital.	Date of going into liquidation.	Date of final dissolutio
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		I.—BANKING, LOAN AND INSURANCE COMPANIES.	Rs.	Rs.		
		(a).—*Banking and Loan Companies.*				
597	24th March 1890	Bankipore Loan Office, Limited ...	50,000	25,138	31st March 1908	
960	29th December 1894	Bank of Calcutta, Limited ...	15,00,000	10,00,000	14th February 1908	
		II.—TRADING COMPANIES.				
		(a)—*Others.*				
1615	3rd July 1905	Olympia in India, Limited ...	75,000	.....	.....	Defunct.
1660	2nd May 1906	Calcutta Concert Hall Company, Limited.	7,500	6,500	3rd March 1908	
		III—MILLS AND PRESSES.				
		(a)—*Cotton Mills.*				
1698	9th October 1906	National Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited.	20,000	.....	14th February 1908	14th February 190

STATEMENT No. VI—*concluded.*

Joint Stock Companies that having ceased to work, have gone into liquidation or have been finally dissolved (or otherwise become defunct) during the year 1907-08.

Date of Registration.	Classification and name of Company.	Nominal capital.	Paid up capital.	Date of going into liquidation.	Date of final dissolution.
2	3	4	5	6	
	IV.—TEA AND OTHER PLANTING COMPANIES.	Rs.	Rs.		
	(a) Tea.				
16th September 1895	Hoddom Tea Company, Limited	1,00,000	1,00,000	12th February 1907	2nd October 1907.
21st March 1885	Hope Tea Company, Limited	3,60,000	3,60,000	27th August ,,	27th November ,,
29th July 1886	Chalouni Tea Company, Limited	2,00,000	2,00,000	27th ,, ,,	27th ,, ,,
31st March 1896	Manjha Tea Company, Limited	30,000	28,100	30th January 1908	
18th February 1905	Dima Tea Company, Limited	2,50,000	1,23,500	9th ,, ,,	
	(b)—Others.				
17th January 1894	Indian Husbandry Company, Limited.	1,00,000			Defunct.
	V.—MINING AND QUARRYING.				
	(a)—Coal.				
30th December 1897	Tasra Coal Company, Limited ...	4,00,000	3,50,000	14th May 1907	
19th December 1901	Bikanir and Dehra Dun Prospecting and Mining Company, Limited.	5,00,000	1,33,510	13th January 1908	
	(b)—Gold.				
19th June 1900	Pahardia Gold Company, Limited	50,000	41,000	20th February ,,	20th February 1908.

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STATEMENT No. VII.

Companies limited by guarantee that having ceased to work, have gone into liquidation or have been finally dissolved (or otherwise become defunct) during the year 1907-08.

Nil.

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STATEMENT No. VIII.

List (Classified Abstract) of Joint Stock Companies at work on 31st March 1908.

Classification of Company.	Total number.	Aggregate nominal capital.	Aggregate paid up capital.
	2	3	4
I.—Banking, Loan and Insurance Companies—		Rs.	Rs.
(a) Banking and Loan Companies ...	24	7,57,29,750	2,57,97,608
(b) Insurance Companies ...	9	1,44,31,500	7,65,155
Total of Banking, Loan and Insurance Companies.	33	9,01,61,250	2,65,62,763

STATEMENT No. VIII—*concluded.*

List (Classified Abstract) of Joint Stock Companies at work on 31st March 1908—concluded.

Classification of Company.	Total number.	Aggregate nominal capital.	Aggregate paid up capital.
1	2	3	4
II.—Trading Companies—		Rs.	Rs.
(*a*) Navigation	5	37,65,000	23,16,958
(*b*) Railways and Tramways ...	13	1,97,65,000	1,40,25,444
(*c*) Co-operative Association ...	11	3,03,000	2,66,130
(*d*) Shipping, Landing, and Warehousing.	4	35,50,000	23,24,500
(*e*) Printing, Publishing and Stationery.	13	14,43,200	2,98,179
(*f*) Others	102	2,89,93,500	1,68,88,963
Total of Trading Companies ...	148	5,78,19,700	3,61,20,174
III.—Mills and Presses—			
(*a*) Cotton Mills	16	1,72,05,000	99,28,538
(*b*) Jute	31	6,61,05,000	5,57,84,700
(*c*) Mills for Wool, Silk, Hemp, etc. ...	2	1,64,625	6,96,325
(*d*) Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses.	12	1,10,35,000	23,07,730
(*e*) Paper Mills	2	32,00,000	29,84,500
(*f*) Rice ,, ...	1	50,000	35,900
(*g*) Flour ,, ...	5	16,50,000	15,13,113
(*h*) Saw and Timber Mills ...	Nil	Nil	Nil
(*i*) Other Mills and Presses ...	1	1,00,000	1,00,000
Total of Mills and presses ...	70	10,02,09,625	7,33,50,806
IV.—Tea and other Planting Companies—			
(*a*) Tea	114	3,42,55,380	3,10,04,625
(*b*) Others	9	35,68,500	9,90,610
Total of Tea and other Planting Companies.	123	3,78,23,880	3,19,95,235
V.—Mining and Quarrying Companies—			
(*a*) Coal	109	6,63,38,500	3,07,94,620
(*b*) Gold	2	8,00,000	6,38,410
(*c*) Others	17	50,53,000	24,11,642
Total of Mining and Quarrying Companies.	128	7,21,91,500	3,38,44,672
VI.—Landing and Building	4	20,90,000	12,17,000
VII.—Breweries	Nil	Nil	Nil
VIII.—Ice Manufacturing Companies ...	3	5,68,254	5,12,100
IX.—Sugar Manufacturing Companies ...	2	19,00,000	17,61,981
X.—Other Companies	1	3,00,000	1,01,000
Grand Total	512	36,30,64,209	20,54,65,731

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STATEMENT No. IX.

List (Classified Abstract of Companies limited by guarantee at work on 31st March 1908.

Classification of Company.	Total No.	No. of member.
I.—Insurance Companies	4	849
II.—Trading ditto	7	3,429
III.—Other ditto	4	787

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STATEMENT No. X.

Statement of fees realized during the year 1907-08.

		Rs.	A.
Amount of fees realized under Act VI of 1882	...	32,293	14
Ditto ditto XXI of 1860	...	364	4
Total	...	32,658	2

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The 27th May 1908. *Registrar of Companies.*

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 20th July 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	4·23	7	7	Rainfall at Kalna 3·27, Katwa 2·75, and Raniganj 2·39 inches. Transplantation of winter rice commenced everywhere. Condition of jute, sugarcane and early rice fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	5·38	7	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Rampurhât 3·12 inches. Ploughing of fields and transplantation of paddy continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	4·79	6¼	6½	Weather rainy. Rainfall at Vishnupur 2·99 inches. Transplantation of winter rice going on briskly. Prospects of crops good. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 200, women 420 and children 190—total 810. People attending test-works—4 men, 1 woman—total 5—on the 17th in Khatra and Simlapal charges Labourers getting works in the field. No cattle-disease Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 5 to 6½ seers a rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE .	9·56	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 5·49, at Tamluk 4·50, and at Ghatal 3·65 inches. Transplantation progressing rapidly. Condition of jute fair. Sugarcane good. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Contai, 6½ seers at Tamluk and Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	2·39	6⅝	6½	Weather cloudy. Rainfall in the District general. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute, sugarcane and *aus* paddy fair. Weeding of jute and *aus* paddy and transplantation of *haimantik* paddy continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	4·78	6½	6½	Weather still unsettled. More than 5 inches of rainfall reported at Ulubaria during the past week. Prospects of *aus* paddy fair at Ulubaria; those of jute not very favourable. In the Sadar sub-division the condition of jute on high lands hopeful, but not on low lands from which rain-water not yet drained off completely. The process of transplantation is going on. The condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease.
7	24-PARGANAS	8·07	6¼	7¼	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Jute unfavourable, partly damaged by recent rain in Basirhat and Diamond Harbour. Common rice selling at 6¼ seers per rupee at Barasat, 6¾ seers at Basirhat, 6⅝ seers at Diamond Harbour and 7 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	2·92	6⅝	6½	Rainfall at Ranaghat 0·88, Chuadanga 1·76, Meherpur 1·80 and Kushtia 3·16 inches. Prospects of paddy and jute on high lands good, those on low lands less favourable. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. Prices of staple food-grains slightly risen. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity apprehended. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder barely sufficient. Persons attending test-works on the 15th—3,235 men and 3 women—total 3,238. Casual relief being distributed.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	2·46	7	7	Rainfall at Lalbagh 1·84, Jangipur 0·68 and Kandi 4·75 inches. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of *aman* paddy going on. Condition of *bhadoi* crops good. Sowing of jute finished; the crop affected to some extent in the Gokaran thana by the heavy rainfall, but its condition good in other parts of the district. Weather favourable for jute. Stocks of food-grains not likely to be sufficient. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	1·59	7		Rainfall at Narail 0·91, Bangaon 2·44 inches. Weather seasonable. Condition of jute not favourable in some parts of the Bangaon subdivision. Stocks of food-grains getting exhausted. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. Fodder sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from the Narail thana. Prices of food-grains stationary. High prices continuing. 399 persons employed on District Board works and 2,9.6 persons being given gratuitous relief.
11	KHULNA ...	2·63	8½	8½	Rainfall at Satkhira 0·73 and Bagerhat 5·25 inches. Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-crops almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Sowings of *aus* paddy and jute over. Transplanation of *aman* paddy commenced. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not favourable. *Aus* paddy and jute affected by continued rain. Prospects of jute not very favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	2·51	7½	7½	Weather hot and cloudy. Season favourable to *bhadoi* crops. *Marua* being transplaned. More rain urgently wanted for sowing paddy. Sugarcane promising well. Prices almost stationary. Food-stocks likely to be sufficient if not largely exported. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. *Makai* not available.
13	GAYA ...	0·99	8* 9†	8* 8½†	Weather cloudy and showery, sometimes hot. Rainfall almost general but scanty at the Sadar and Jahanabad subdivisions. Sugarcane doing well. Paddy seedlings sprouting nicely. *Marua*, maize and other *bhadoi* crops being weeded. Prices stationary with a fall in the price of maize at the Sadar subdivision. Fodder and water for cattle ample. Condition of agricultural stock good.
	SHAHABAD	1·99		8 10*	Rainfall at Buxar 4·90 at Bhabua 2·75, Sasaram 1·11, and Dehri 4·17 inches. Sugarcane doing well. Sowings of *bhadoi* paddy and transplanation of *marua* in progress, but more rain wanted for paddy seedlings in the Bhabua and Sasaram subdivisions. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks below the normal, but sufficient if not exported. Agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Dinara. *Masuria juar* not available.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
15	SARAN ...	1·85	8 10*	7¾ 10*	Weather hot. Rainfall at Siwan 4·20, at Gopalganj 4·32 inches. Transplanting of *marua*, weeding of maize and sowing of paddy going on. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Fodder-stock resources external. No apprehension of scarcity. Agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	5·43	8 11*	8 11*	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bettiah 2·01 inches. Good rain benefited all crops. Transplantation of paddy and weeding of *bhadoi* crops going on. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	3·59	8¼ 10¼*	8½ 10½*	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Hajipur 4·02, at Sitamarhi 1·77 inches. Prospects of standing crops generally good. Common rice and maize selling at 7½ and 9¾ seers per rupee respectively at Hajipur and 8 seers and 11 seers per rupee respectively at Sitamarhi. Transplantation of paddy and *marua* and sowings of maize and *sama* still continuing. Agricultural stock in good condition. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Scarcity not apprehended.
18	DARBHANGA ...	6·70	8½ 12*	8¼ 11½*	Weather seasonable. General and good rainfall during the week which has been very beneficial and has improved agricultural prospects. Paddy and *bhadoi* crops being sown. Stocks sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle-disease reported from two villages in Phulparas thana and three villages in Benepatti thana. Fodder and water available.
19	MONGHYR ...	1·78	7 9*	7 9*	Weather seasonable. *Bhadoi* sowing continuing. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. Prevalence of cattle-disease reported from the Togra thana.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	1·04	8 3/16 9½*	8 3/16 12½*	Weather cloudy with rain. Paddy much benefited by the recent rain. Prospects of *bhadoi* crops good. More rain wanted in Banka and Madhipura. Transplantation of paddy commenced in the Banka subdivision. Agricultural stock sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from two villages in Supaul. Condition of jute fair in Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	6·44	8	8	Weather seasonable. Standing crops benefited by the recent rain. Transplanting begun in places More rain urgently wanted. Condition of agricultural stock good. Jute improved by recent rain. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Forbesganj thana and Dighalbank pound. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 8½ and 9 seers at Araria and Kishanganj respectively.

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No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and crops.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	6·36*	7 10*	7 10*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize growing well and being harvested. Potatoes also being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy growing well. Winter rice and *bara marua* being transplanted. Terai—Transplanting of winter rice going on. Standing crops doing fairly well. Agricultural stock in good condition.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	2·15	$6\frac{3}{16}$ 9*	$6\frac{7}{8}$ $9\frac{1}{8}$*	Rainfall at Deoghur 2·74, at Godda 1·27, at Jamtara 2·61, at Pakour 2·90 and at Rajmahal 3·77 inches. Ploughing, sowing and transplanting all in progress. Prospects of crops favourable. Jute doing well. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till the next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Poor cultivators feeling the effects of high prices. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	2·63	7[illegible]	$7\frac{3}{4}$	Rainfall general. *Badi* paddy and jute being weeded and growing well. *Sarad'i*, paddy, and *mandia* being transplanted and growing well. *Arhar*, turmeric and sugarcane also growing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of cattle generally good. 715 men, 1,745 women and 3,954 children—total 6,414—received gratuitous relief. 574 men, 622 women and 1,519 children—total 2,715—attended test-works.
25	BALASORE ...	0·61	$7\frac{1}{2}$	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bhadrak 0·37 inch. Sowing, puddling and transplanting of *sarath* paddy continuing. Sugarcane and *ashu* plants thriving. Weeding of jute continuing and its prospects fair. Other crops and vegetables doing well. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some parts of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal and Basta thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Bhadrak. 52 men, 212 women and 197 children—total 461—at Sadar, and 332 men, 1,980 women and 2,905 children—total 5,217—at Bhadrak receiving gratuitous relief. 208 men, 321 women and 386 children—total 915—attending test-works.
26	ANGUL ...	2·34	6	6	Rainfall at Phulbani 1·23 inches. Young paddy plants and *bhadoi* crops doing well. Transplantation of *mandia* and of winter paddy in progress. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common and cheapest rice selling at $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee in the Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief in Angul—68 men, 161 women and 310 children—total 539—and 101 men, 106 women and 50 children—total 257—in Khondmals. Persons attending test-works—140 men, 70 women and 25 children—total 235—in Angul, and 281 men, 163 women and 73 children—total 517—in Khondmals
27	PURI ...	0·47	$6\frac{7}{8}$	7	*Badi* paddy being weeded and *sarath* paddy growing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending test-works—men 427, women 214 and children 671—total 1,312. Recipients of gratuitous relief—men 334, women 972 and children 967—total 2,274. Men 84, children—attending piece-works.

*The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	6·43	8½	8½	Weather cloudy. Rainfalls daily in Sambalpur Tahsil. Rainfall insufficient in Padampur circle of Bargarh Tahsil. Continuous rainfall in Sambalpur Tahsil not favourable to germination. Seeds sown washed away. Sowing of winter rice completed, and that of autumn rice in progress. Reploughing and transplantation of winter and autumn rice in progress. Condition of standing crop and sugarcane good. Some damage by caterpillars to cotton plants. Stock of food-grains, fodder and water supply sufficient. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Cattle-disease reported from Bargah Tahsil. Cheapest rice selling at 9½ seers per rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	6·67	7¼† 9*	7½† 7½*	Weather seasonable. Weeding of maize commenced. Sowing of paddy going on. Cattle-disease in one thana Persons gratuitously relieved—men 722, women 1,887 and children 1,028—total 3,637. Persons relieved on District Board works—men 48, women 32 and children 49—total 129. Persons doing piece-work 163.
30	RANCHI ...	6·35	8†	8†	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. More rain likely to injure *marua* round Ranchi. Transplantation of paddy commenced in places. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6¼ seers per rupee at Sadar and 5 seers at Gumla. Persons attending test-works—men 1,393, women 1,831 and children 1,371—total 4,595. Gratuitously relieved in undeclared area—men 179, women 573 and children 1,362—total 2,114. Persons in famine relief-works in declared area—men 1,457, women 2,133 and children 1,132—total 4,722, Gratuitously relieved in the declared area—men 307, women 960 and children 194—total 1,461.
31	PALAMAU ...	4·40	7⅔	7⅔	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Sowing of *bhadoi* paddy in progress. Sugarcane doing well. Local food stocks insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water generally available. Some cattle-disease. Gratuitous relief being di continued.
32	MANBHUM ...	5·70	7	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Gobindpur 6·17 inches. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of winter rice in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate at present. No sign of scarcity Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	2·44	6	6	Weather cloudy and rainy. Transplanting operation going on. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle disease. Rice selling at 6 seers per rupee a Kharsawan and at 7½ seers at Seraikella.
34	COOCH BEHAR	14·73	8⅔	8⅔	Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *bitri* and transplantation of *haimantik* paddy continuing Recent rain done good to *haimantik* seedlings Weeding of jute finished. Condition of jute less favourable this year than in the previous year Prospects and condition of other standing crops fair No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burrus raw.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
35	Feudatory States, Orissa.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

	Inches.
Pal Lahera...	4·11
Athmallik ...	2·27
Bonai ...	2·32
Ranpur ...	0·55
Narsingpur	2·09
Hindol ...	2·34
Baramba ...	0·53
Keonjhar ...	2·02
Daspalla ...	1·15
Nayagarh ...	1·97
Athgarh ...	3·09
Talcher ...	2·72
Dhenkanal ...	2·87
Sonpur ...	1·92
Boad ...	0·92
Rairakhol ...	4·05
Patna ...	1·14
Bamra ...	6·62
Mourbhanj ...	1·19
Kalahandi ...	4·30
Nilgiri ...	1·05
Gangpur ...	5·85
Khandpara ...	good rain.

Sowings of paddy in progress in Athmallik, Hindol Baramba, Talcher, Sonpur, Boad, Rairakhol, Patna, Kalahandi and Gangpur. Transplantation commenced in Pal Lehara, Khondpara, Bonai, Ranpur, Narsingpur, Keonjhar, Daspalla, Athgarh, Dhenkanal and Mourbhanj. Puddling of paddy going on in Nayagarh, Ranpur, Hindol, Daspalla and Dhenkanal *Behura* operation (reploughing) begun in Mourbhanj, Bonai and Keonjhar. Sugarcane growing well in Ranpur, Narsingpur, Hindol, Keonjhar, Nayagarh, Athgarh, Talcher, Dhenkanal, Sonpur, Patna and Kalahandi. Condition of cotton fair in Hindol. Agricultural stock, fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 6 seers in Rairakhol and Athgarh, and 6½ seers in Mourbhanj, Dhenkanal and Keonjhar to 9 ⅝ seers in Sonpur and 11 seers in Patna and Talcher.

* The report is for the week ending the 11th July 1908.

General Summary.—The rainfall during the week was heavy in the Burdwan and Chota Nagpur Divisions and also in the 24-Parganas, Champaran, Darbhanga, Purnea, Darjeeling, Sambalpur and Cooch Behar, and elsewhere generally light. The recent rainfall in Bihar has much benefited the standing crops and facilitated sowing of *bhadoi* crops and transplanting of paddy. More rain is still wanted in Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Bhagalpur and Purnea. Transplantation of winter rice is in progress throughout the Province. Weeding of jute is going on. Sugarcane is doing well. Condition of the jute crop on the low lands in most districts of the Presidency Division is not favourable owing to recent heavy rainfall. Continued rain has hindered agricultural operations in the Sadar subdivision of the Sambalpur district, where some damage has been done to cotton plants by caterpillars. The price of common rice has risen in the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Muzaffarpur, the Sonthal Parganas, Puri and Hazaribagh; fallen in Hooghly, Patna, Saran and Balasore, and is stationary in the remaining districts. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. Fodder and water supply is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Jessore, Shahabad, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi, Palamau and Manbhum. Gratuitous relief was given to 26,100 persons, of whom 15,162 were in Orissa. The number of persons on test-works in Bankura, Nadia, Jessore, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi was 14,308, and the number of famine relief-works in Ranchi was 4,722.

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Calcutta, the 21st July 1908.

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PRICES CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Division.	Number.	Districts.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, Common. Average. Present return.	Rice, Common. Average. Next preceding return.	Rice, Common. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, Common. Cheapest. Present return.	Rice, Common. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Rice, Common. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Jowar or Cholam (Andropogon Sorghum). Present return.	Jowar or Cholam (Andropogon Sorghum). Next preceding return.	Jowar or Cholam (Andropogon Sorghum). Corresponding return of last year.	Bajra or Cumbu. (Pennisetum typhoideum). Present return.	Bajra or Cumbu. (Pennisetum typhoideum). Next preceding return.	Bajra or Cumbu. (Pennisetum typhoideum). Corresponding return of last year.
		BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Burdwan Division	1	Burdwan ..	...	...	...	..	..	...	6 8	6 12	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Birbhum .	7 8	7 8	9 0	...	...	..	6 8	6 12	...	6 8	6 12	7 2	.	...		...	...	...
	3	Bankura .	8 0	8 0	11 8	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	7 0	7 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore ...	8 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooghly -	...	...	Not available.	...			6 4	6 0	..	6 8	6 8	6 12	...		...	...	.	...
	6	Howrah .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	6 8	...	7 0	6 8	7 0	...	.	...	...	...	...
Presidency Division.	7	24-Parganas ...	7 8	7 8	10 0	.	.	...	6 12	6 12	...	7 0	7 4	7 8	...	.		...	...	...
	8	Calcutta .	7 12	7 12	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 12	6 4	6 4	...	7 12	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	9	Nadia .	8 0	8 0	12 4	9 14	10 0	16 0	6 2	6 2	...	6 4	6 7	7 0	...	.	.	..	..	...
	10	Murshidabad	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	14 0	6 4	6 0	...	7 0	7 0	6 12	...	..	.	..	...	...
	11	Jessore	6 8	6 8	8 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	7 .	6 15	...	7 4	7 0	7 2	..	...	..	..	..	.
	12	Khulna ..	...	...	..	...	...	...	7 0	6 8	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	.	...		...
		BIHAR.																		
Patna Division.	13	Patna ...	8 8	8 12	11 4	12 8	12 8	14 0	7 4	7 4	...	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...
	14	Gaya ...	7 12	7 12	10 4	10 8	10 8	13 5	6 8	6 12	...	7 0	7 0	8 3	8 0	8 0	12 13	...	...	...
	15	Shahabad ...	8 8	8 8	11 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	7 3	7 3	...	8 0	8 0	8 12	...	...		...	...	...
	16	Saran ...	9 0	8 8	11 0	12 6	12 0	13 8	7 0	7 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Champaran ...	8 8	9 0	9 8	12 8	13 8	13 8	7 8	7 8	...	8 0	8 0	7 12	...	..	..	...	...	...
	18	Muzaffarpur ...	8 0	8 8	10 0	12 0	15 0	13 0	6 0	6 0	...	8 8	8 8	7 8	..	...	...	...	...	...
	19	Darbhanga ...	7 11	8 12	9 14	12 1	13 3	13 3	6 9	6 9	...	8 4	8 4	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 21 seers (karkatch); Asansol 20 seers; Kalna 22½ seers (karkatch); Ranigan) 21 seers.

B. Raruparhat report not received.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt (panga) is 18½ seers per rupee.

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 20 seers; Tamluk 20 seers; Ghatal 21½ seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Arambagh 18 seers.

G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 21 seers (karkatch); Barasat report not received; Baduria 21½ seers; Mograhat 18½ seers; Barrackpore 16 seers (karkatch).

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 16 seers (pan, a); Chuadanga 16 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers; Ranaghat 16 seers (crushed).

...s Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th July 1908.

...OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

...A OR RAGI ...e Coracana).		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dál*) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*)			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS. SALT.			Number.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
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...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	12 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 0	8 8	C	20 0	20 0	20 0	Panga. 2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3
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...	...	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	11 4	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	11 4	J	20 0	20 0	20 0	Panga. 1 14 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	11
...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	10 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 0	K	16 0	16 0	16 0	Karkatch. 2 6 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	12
...	...	Not sold.		10 0	10 0	10 8	14 0	Not sold.	Not sold.		12 8	8 8	8 8	L	19 0	19 0	16 0	Panga. 2 0 0	2 0 0	2 4 0	13
...	...	6 0	8 0	10 4	9 0	9 8	12 13	8 8	8 8	12 5	6 8	6 8	7 3	M	19 8	19 8	18 4	Panga. 2 1 0	2 1 0	2 4 0	14
...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	14 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	N	20 0	20 0	19 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 9	15
...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 4	13 8	10 0	10 4	12 8	9 0	9 4	9 0	O	20 0	20 0	19 0	Panga. 1 11 3	2 0 0	2 0 0	16
11 8	...	...	...	...	10 4	11 0	12 8	11 0	11 0	11 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	P	17 0	17 0	16 0	2 4 9	2 4 9	2 8 0	17
...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 4	11 0	8 8	8 8	7 8	Q	19 0	19 0	16 4	Panga. 2 1 6	2 1 6	2 6 9	18
12 1	13 3	...	...	...	10 6	11 0	12 9	11 8	12 1	13 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	R	19 12	19 12	15 6	2 0 3	2 0 3	2 9 0	19

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 20 seers; Lalbagh 16 seers; and Kandi 20 seers.
J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 16½ seers; Magura 16 seers; Bangaon 18 seers; and Narail 14$\frac{3}{4}$ seers (panga).
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 20 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinapore 16 seers; and Bihar 18 seers (panga).
M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 20 seers; Johanabad 20 seers; and Nawadah 19 seers.
N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhabua report not received; and Sasaram 20 seers.
O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20$\frac{1}{2}$ seers (panga); Gopalganj 20 seers (panga).
P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 18 seers per rupee.
Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 20 seers; Hajipur 16 seers.
R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 19 seers Madhubani 18½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quar

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Division.	Number.	Districts	Wheat.			Barley.			Common Rice. Average.			Common Rice. Cheapest.			Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*)			Bajra or Cu (*Pennisetum typh* eum).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.
BIHAR—*concluded.*																				
Bhagalpur Division.	20	Monghyr ...	9 4	9 4	10 8	12 8	12 8	13 0	7 2	7 2	...	7 4	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	
	21	Bhagalpur	8 14	8 14	10 6	12 0	12 10	13 4	7 2	7 9	...	8 3	8 3	7 9	...	...	...	...	...	
	22	Purnea ...	10 0	9 8	9 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 8	...	8 0	8 8	7 0	...	...	..	...	...	
	23	Darjeeling...	6 0	6 0	5 4	6 4	6 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	...	7 8	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	
	24	Santhal Parganas.	7 0	7 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	12 0	6 8	5 4	...	7 4	6 4	7 9	...	...	...	...	...	
ORISSA.																				
Orissa Division.	25	Cuttack ..	7 14	7 14	11 13	...	...	...	7 2	7 8	...	7 8½	7 14	9 3	...	...	—	...	...	
	26	Balasore ...	7 0	7 0	11 0	...	...	...	7 12	7 8	...	8 0	7 12	8 4	...	...	—	...	...	
	27	Angul ...	5 0	5 0	6 0	...	...	...	6 0	5 8	...	6 0	5 8	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	
	28	Puri ...	7 8	7 3	10 8	...	...	...	6 9	7 3	...	6 14	7 8	9 13	...	...	—	...	...	
	29	Sambalpur...	8 0	8 0	11 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	9 0	...	...	—	...	...	
CHOTA NAGPUR.																				
Chota Nagpur Division.	30	Hazaribagh	7 0	7 1	9 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	6 0	6 8	...	7 4	7 8	8 0	...	...	—	...	...	
	31	Ranchi ...	7 8	6 6 to 8 0	8 0 to 8 8	8 0	8 0	10 0	6 4	6 4	...	7 12	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	
	32	Palamau ...	7 14	7 14	10 2	Not sold.	10 2	12 6	7 1	7 5	...	7 11	8 7	7 9	...	...	...	...	...	
	33	Manbhum ..	7 0	7 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	6 8	7 0	...	7 0	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	
	34	Singhbhum	7 8	7 8	11 0	...	...	...	Not reported.	5 8	—	7 0	7 0	8 0	...	—	...	—	...	

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 20 seers ; Jamui 20 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka report not received ; Madhipura 13 seers ; Supaul 20 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers ; Basantpur 16 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 13 seers ; Siliguri 16 seers.
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara report not received ; Godda 16 seers ; Deoghur 20 seers ; Pakour 18 seers and Rajmahal 20 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 20th July 1908.

ion Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th July 1908—concld.

3 OF EIGHTY TOLAHS.

...UA OR RAGI ...sima Coracana).		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*adl*) OR THUR, CAJJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS. SALT.			Number.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
														S			Panga.			
...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	9 0	9 4	11 12	8 4	8 12	8 8	19 0	19 0	18 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 4 0	20
														T			Panga.			
...	...	...	...	...	8 14	9 8	12 0	12 10	12 10	12 0	7 10	7 10	8 2	18 12	18 12	17 10	1 14 6	1 14 9	2 0 6	21
														U			Panga.			
...	—	...	...	...	10 0	8 12	10 8	14 0	Not in stock.	...	6 8	6 12	7 0	20 0	13 0	14 0	2 0 0	3 1 3	2 8 0	22
														V						
11 4	10 4	...	...	...	7 8	8 0	9 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	5 4	5 4	6 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	23
														W			Karkatch.			
...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	10 8	9 0	9 0	10 0	6 0	6 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	24
					Biri or kalai.									X			Karkatch.			
...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 3	12 8	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	12 8	22 0	22 0	22 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 8 0	25
					Chhola.									Y			Panga.			
...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	11 0	...	...	...	6 4	6 0	6 0	20 0	20 0	18 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	2 2 0	26
					Biri.															
					9 0	9 0	10 0													
					Biri.									Z			Karkatch.			
...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 0	10 8	16 0	10 8	3 0 0	2 6 0	3 0 0	27
					Biri.									a						
...	...	...	...	...	8 8	9 8	11 13	...	...	...	5 14	6 9	7 14	25 0	26 0	24 0	1 10 0	1 8 0	1 10 0	28
														b			Karkatch.			
...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 0	11 8	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	7 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	29
																	Panga.			
9 4	14 8	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	11 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	30
																	Panga.			
0 0	20 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 4	9 8	8 0	10 0	8 0	5 0 to 7 4	4 12 to 7 4	6 0 to 8 0	c 16 0	17 0	9 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	4 0 0	31
...	...	...	...	...	9 5	9 7	12 6	8 7	9 0	11 4	6 12	6 12	7 14	18 9	12 6	16 14	...	...	...	32
														d			Panga.			
...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 8	10 0	10 0	...	7 0	7 0	8 8	18 0	16 0	16 0	2 1 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	33
																	Panga.			
...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	11 8	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	34

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 13 seers (panga); Jajpur 16 seers (panga).
Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 21 seers (panga).
Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 10½ seers (karkatch); Phulbani report not received.
a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 24 seers.
b. The retail price of salt at Bargarh is 13½ seers (Bombay).
c. Gumia return not received.
d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gobindapur 16 seers; Jhalda 16 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (*wholesale*) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., i

PRICE PER MAUND O

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice. Average.			Common rice. Cheapest.			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	7 4 0	7 2 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	...	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 14 0
2	Burdwan ...	6 14 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	6 8 0	6 4 0	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 9 6	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	6 14 0 to 7 0 0	6 8 0 to 6 10 0	6 0 0	6 5 0	6 1 0	...	5 6 0	5 3 0	5 6 0 to 5 8 0	...	...	...
4	Patna ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	...	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	3 8
5	Muzaffarpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 3	6 10 6	6 10 6	...	4 10 6	4 10 6	5 11 6	4 10 6	4 10 6	3 10
6	Bhagalpur ...	6 5 0	6 5 0	6 10 6	5 9 0	5 5 0	...	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 4 6	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 13
7	Cuttack ...	7 3 0	7 3 0	6 1 6	5 5 0	5 5 4	...	5 4 9	5 1 3	4 5 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	3 6
8	Sambalpur ...	6 10 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	...	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 4
9	Ranchi ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	6 2 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 0 0 to 6 4 0	4 8 to 5 0

No.	Marts.	Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	Calcutta ...	4 4 0	4 0 0	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0
2	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	5 14 0	6 0 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	7 4 0	7 0 0	7 0
3	Midnapore ...	...	...	...	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	4 14 0	Black mustard. 7 2 0	7 2 0	6 2
											Rapeseed. 6 12 0	6 14 0	5 14
4	Patna ...	Not sold.	Not sold.	3 2 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	5 13 0	5 10 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	6 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 5 3	4 10 6	4 10 6	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	3 2 6	3 2 6	3 5 3	5 4 0	5 4 0	4 14 9	5 10 6	5 10 6	4 15 0	Rapeseed. 6 8 0	6 7 0	6 4
											Mustard. 6 6 0	6 5 0	5 12
7	Cuttack ...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 8	3 3 0	...	...	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	6 1
8	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	7 4 0	7 4 0	5 12
9	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	5 8 0 to 8 0 0	5 8 0 to 8 8 0	5 0 0 to 6 10 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0 to 9 8 0	6 2 to 6 10

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STANDARD SEERS.

...y (*Hordeum vulgare*).			Juar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			Bajra or Combu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).			Number.
	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
0	3 8 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 0 0	1
	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 1 0	2
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 14 0 to 5 2 0	4 12 0 to 5 0 0	3 2 0 to 3 8 0	3
0	3 2 0	2 12 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	2 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 15 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	4
3	3 1 3	2 10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 5 3	5
0	3 2 6	3 13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 3 6	3 2 0	6
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Biri or Kalai. 4 3 4	4 5 7	3 3 0	7
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	4 12 0	3 4 0	8
0	5 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 14 0	4 11 0	4 3 0	9

Til or Jinjili seed.			Sugar (raw).			Cotton cleaned.			Jute.			No.
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
12 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	7 8 0	4 12 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	15 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	1
	—		5 8 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
	—	...	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	5 0 0 to 5 6 0	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	20 0 0 to 21 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	—	...	...	3
8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	4 12 0 to 5 12 0	4 12 0 to 5 12 0	3 6 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	16 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	4
	...	...	3 5 3	3 13 0	3 5 3	...	...	—	...	...	...	5
	...		4 13 0	4 13 0	4 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	—	...	6
8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	3 8 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	...	...	...	7
8 0	6 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	8 0 0	8
...	...	...	6 8 0	5 12 0	5 5 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	22 0 0	...	...	—	9

Continued overleaf.

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.,

Number	Marts.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.												HIDES (COW).			GRASS.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).						TOBACCO LEAF.											
		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	Calcutta ...	48 0 0		43 0 0		46 0 0		8 0 0		8 0 0		8 0 0		Per 100 pieces 100 0 0	100 0 0	475 0 0	1 12 0	1 8 0	1 4
2	Burdwan ...	40 0 0		39 0 0		48 0 0		...		...		...		...	...	...	...	—	—
3	Midnapore ...	37 0 0 to 40 0 0		37 0 0 to 39 0 0		43 0 0 to 46 0 0		Madhukhali. 9 12 0		9 12 0		8 8 0		Uncleaned per piece. 2 8 0 to 3 4 0 Cleaned per piece. 2 12 0 to 3 8 0	2 8 0 to 3 4 0 3 12 0 to 3 8 0	2 8 0 to 3 8 0 2 12 0 to 3 12 0	...	—	—
4	Patna ...	36 0 0 to 39 0 0		37 8 0 to 39 0 0		40 0 0		Pulta. 2 0 0 to 4 0 0		2 0 0 to 4 0 0		2 8 0		30 0 0	30 0 0	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 4
5	Muzaffarpur ...	35 9 0		35 9 0		42 10 0		16 0 0		16 0 0		16 0 0		...	...	—	—	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	42 0 0		44 0 0		45 8 0		12 0 0		11 0 0		7 0 0		...	...	...	...	...	—
7	Cuttack ...	47 9 0		47 9 0		41 14 6		6 4 0		6 4 0		6 1 6		30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7
8	Sambalpur ...	39 0 0		39 0 0		42 8 0		16 0 0		16 0 0		20 0 0		Per piece. 30 0 0	20 0 0	Per lb. 40 0 0	...	...	...
9	Ranchi ...	40 0 0		40 6 0		53 0 0		10 0 0 to 16 0 0		10 0 0 to 16 0 0		10 0 0 to 20 0 0		2 0 0 to 2 8 0	2 0 0 to 2 8 0	0 7 0 to 0 10 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 4

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The 20th July 1908.

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PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			Number.
Present return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1 0 0	1 0 0		...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	1 15 0	Panga. 1 15 0	1 13 0	1
0 8 0	0 11 0		...	...	...	...	...	...	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	1 12 0	Panga. 1 12 0	1 11 6	2
0 5 0	0 7 0		...	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 12 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 0 0 Bombay. 1 12 0 Crushed.	2 0 0 Bombay. 1 12 0 Crushed.	... 1 12 0	3
Not sold.	0 9 0		...	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	2 0 0	Panga. 2 0 0	2 4 0	4
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						5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	0 6 6	0 6 0	0 5 0	1 14 6	1 14 9	2 0 6	6
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N. N. BANERJEI,

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.*

Vital Statistics of the districts of Bengal for the month of May 1908.

...sions.	Districts.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS. Number registered.	BIRTHS. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	DEATHS. Cholera. Number registered.	Cholera. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Small-pox. Number registered.	Small-pox. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Plague. Number registered.	Plague. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Fever. Number registered.	Fever. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa. Number registered.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Respiratory diseases. Number registered.	Respiratory diseases. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Injury. Number registered.	Injury. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Other causes. Number registered.	Other causes. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Total of all causes. Number registered.	Total of all causes. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Average of corresponding month of previous five years. Number registered.	Average of corresponding month of previous five years. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Remarks.
	Burdwan	1,532,716	3,349	27·72	2,077	16·20	102	·72	...	...	3,780	29·52	159	1·08	17	·12	27	·12	773	6·00	6,932	54·24	4,180	32·64	
	Birbhum	902,280	2,393	30·48	1,162	15·36	172	2·24	...	...	2,054	55·28	51	·60	12	·12	17	·12	272	3·60	4,339	57·60	2,365	31·44	
	Bankura	1,116,411	3,471	37·20	1,222	15·44	43	·36	...	...	2,571	26·88	76	·72	7	·07	35	·36	845	9·00	4,757	51·12	2,842	30·48	
	Midnapore	2,789,114	6,780	29·16	2,194	9·36	142	·60	...	...	3,948	16·92	145	·60	8	·02	59	·24	1,024	4·32	7,521	32·28	6,157	26 40	
...n ...	Hooghly, including Serampore.	1,049,041	2,291	26·16	387	4·52	41	·48	2	·01	1,721	29·88	212	2·40	47	·48	65	·72	455	5·16	3,946	34·80	2,603	30·36	
	Howrah	850,514	1,982	27 96	558	7 80	35	·48	5	·06	714	10·56	253	3·48	62	·84	47	·60	403	5·64	2,119	29·88	1,968	27·72	
	24-Parganas	2,078,359	4,916	28·32	1,478	8 28	122	·60	1	·004	2,411	13 80	167	·96	76	·36	81	·36	504	3·36	4,889	28·20	3,662	21·12	
	Calcutta	347,796	1,096	15·48	522	7 32	79	1·08	208	4·32	250	3·48	171	2·52	412	5·76	40	·48	876	12·36	2,900	37·68	2,523	35·64	
	Nadia	1,667,491	4,570	53·00	1,882	13·56	24	·12	...	...	4,434	31·68	20	·12	5	·02	8	·48	552	3·96	6,993	50·28	5,109	36·72	
...ncy ...	Murshidabad	1,353,184	3,972	35·64	540	7·56	23	·12	...	...	3,180	28·56	12	·12	2	·01	10	·36	305	4·44	4,922	41·52	3,459	34·68	
	Jessore	1,818,155	4,124	27·24	1,041	15·08	10	·12	...	...	3,748	24·72	26	·12	2	·01	22	·36	489	3·12	6,330	41·88	4,648	30 72	
	Khulna	1,253,043	2,755	26 28	705	7 32	5	·03	...	...	1,177	14·04	51	·48	1	·008	58	·48	397	5·64	2,243	25·20	2,656	25·32	
	Patna	1,824,742	4,084	30 12	111	·72	870	6·24	29	·12	1,202	11·88	241	·96	105	·72	1,531	11·28	1,084	34·56	5,557	41·04	5,241	34·56	
	Gaya	2,089,933	6,571	38·16	2,720	15 84	1,061	6 12	12	·07	4,845	28 20	95	·48	17	·09	78	·36	1,021	5·88	9,845	57·36	6,248	36·36	
	Shahabad	1,962,086	5,705	35·16	312	1·80	374	2·16	3	·01	3,651	21·24	19	·09	2	·02	14	·36	1,023	5·96	5,371	32·76	5,615	34·32	
...	Saran	2,409,911	6,488	34·32	2,172	10 20	253	1·20	25	·12	5,043	18·13	325	1·56	49	·24	97	·24	2,023	11·52	8,774	43·68	8,510	42·36	
	Champaran	1,790,463	4,809	32 16	1,476	9·84	376	2·52	...	...	4,461	29·88	81	·24	2	·01	84	·48	866	5·76	7,905	48·84	4,750	31·80	
	Muzaffarpur	2,755,183	7,775	33·84	1,487	6 36	195	·36	30	·12	7,488	32 52	154	·60	23	·09	193	·36	1,114	4·80	10,508	45·72	8,578	37·32	
	Darbhanga	2,912,611	6,017	24 72	1,506	6 12	99	·36	31	·12	6,441	26 52	22	·24	3	·01	82	·36	884	3·60	9,198	37·56	8,706	35·76	
	Monghyr	2,008,804	4,789	27·72	614	3·48	320	1·80	25	·12	4,146	24·00	45	·24	2	·01	53	·24	676	3·84	5,898	34·20	6,098	35·28	
	Bhagalpur	2,088,983	4,644	26·64	608	5·06	45	·12	2	·01	4,256	24·56	24	·12	5	·02	63	·36	396	1·92	5,444	31·20	6,174	35·40	
...ur ...	Purnea	1,874,794	4,545	29·04	2,072	13·32	18	·10	...	...	5,749	32·52	12	·07	1	·006	45	·24	118	·72	7,365	47·04	7,825	50·04	
	Darjeeling	249,117	642	30·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	995	52·16	127	6 12	1	·04	5	·24	126	6·00	928	44·64	797	38·28	
	Sonthal Parganas ...	1,809,787	5,512	36·48	744	4·92	182	1·20	...	...	4,192	27·72	225	1·48	1	·006	58	·36	497	3·24	5,759	38·16	4,362	28·92	
	Cuttack	2,082,758	6,168	35·40	1,937	11·52	72	·36	1	·004	2,705	16 08	1,157	6·72	62	·36	147	·84	1,754	10·20	7,952	46·20	4,052	28·80	
	Balasore	1,071,197	3,496	38 76	7,124	79 80	84	·84	...	...	1,207	13·44	297	3·24	...	...	47	·48	1,962	21 96	10,721	120·00	3,000	33·60	
	Puri	1,017,284	3,241	38·16	2,293	27·00	153	1·80	...	...	726	8 16	634	7 08	144	1·68	55	·60	1,314	15·48	5,270	62·16	2,564	30·24	
...	Sambalpur	636,880	2,490	46·80	16	·24	10	·12	...	...	715	13·44	188	3·48	30	·84	28	·48	968	12·48	1,675	31·56	1,253	23·52*	* For two years only. Not under registration.
	Angul and Khondmals ...																								
	Hazaribagh	1,177,961	4,044	41·16	780	7 92	282	2·28	...	...	3,853	39 24	122	1 20	1	·009	56	·60	674	6·96	5,750	58·68	2,927	29·76	
	Ranchi	1,147,925	3,524	35·48	55	·48	295	2·88	...	...	2,324	22·44	192	1 92	2	·01	64	·60	718	7·32	3,503	36·00	2,532	26·76	
Nag-	Palamau	612,600	2,137	41·16	3	·04	39	·48	...	...	1,710	31·08	7	·12	...	...	37	·60	232	4·44	1,919	37 08	1,464	32·16	
	Manbhum	1,301,884	4,251	39·12	4,444	40 92	135	1 08	...	...	3,348	32·64	101	·84	1	·008	23	·12	572	5·28	8,823	81 24	3,454	31·80	
	Singhbhum	613,579	2,015	39·36	582	11 28	12	·12	...	...	1,201	23 20	45	·84	1	·01	17	·24	145	2·88	2,101	41·01	1,154	22·56	
	Tot. 1 ...	56,528,446	135,034	32·04	47,701	10·92	5,534	1·20	491	·10	99,037	23·64	5,358	1·20	1,177	·24	1,920	·36	25,632	6·00	195,930	44·16	139,465	33·12	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	161,322	38 28	12,111	2·76	2 518	·60	4,585	·96	88,544	21·00	3,515	·72	841	·12	2,908	·36	24 933	5·88	139,465	33·12	...	...	
	Difference + or — ...	.....	—26,288	— 6·24	+34,080	+8 16	+2,716	+·60	—3,894	—·86	+10,493	+2 64	+1,843	+·48	+321	+·12	—88	Equal	+699	+·12	+46,504	+11·04	...	...	

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,

The 18th July 1908

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL. I.M.S.,

Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of May 1908.

DISTRICTS.	TOWNS.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS. Number registered.	BIRTHS. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	DEATHS. CHOLERA. Number registered.	CHOLERA. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	SMALL-POX. Number registered.	SMALL-POX. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	PLAGUE. Number registered.	PLAGUE. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	FEVER. Number registered.	FEVER. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA. Number registered.	DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	RESPIRATORY DISEASES. Number registered.	RESPIRATORY DISEASES. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	INJURY. Number registered.	INJURY. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	OTHER CAUSES. Number registered.	OTHER CAUSES. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES. Number registered.	TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS. Number registered.	AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	REMARKS.
...ran ...	1. Burdwan	36,206	17	5·76	29	9·84	5	1·68	...	...	22	7·44	14	4·68	2	·60	4	1·32	4	1·32	80	27·19	71	24·12	
...ura ...	2. Bankura	20,737	49	25·04	8	4·56	...	...	...	...	16	9·24	2	1·08	1	·48	1	·48	10	5·76	38	21·96	38	21·96	
...spore ...	3. Midnapore	33,140	53	19·08	114	41·16	10	3·60	...	...	33	11·72	15	5·40	3	1·08	...	...	18	6·48	212	76·68	81	29·28	
...ly ...	4. Hooghly and Chinsura	29,283	35	15·48	9	3·60	4	1·56	...	...	23	10·56	15	6·12	4	1·56	1	·36	18	7·32	77	31·44	91	37·08	
	5. Serampore	44,451	70	15·00	70	18·84	10	2·64	...	...	87	23·40	37	9·96	2	·48	3	·72	20	5·28	229	61·80	88	23·64	
...ah ...	6. Howrah	157,594	125	15·60	124	9·36	27	1·80	1	·07	246	15·72	60	4·56	27	2·04	8	·36	197	8·04	537	42·36	548	41·64	
	7. Cossipore-Chitpur ...	49,750	34	9·96	6	1·68	...	...	...	...	10	2·88	4	1·08	...	...	...	...	2	·48	22	6·36	33	9·60	
	8. Maniktala	32,387	27	9·96	15	5·52	...	...	...	...	15	5·52	4	1·44	...	...	...	...	1	·36	35	12·96	29	10·68	
...ganas	9. South Suburban ..	26,374	27	12·24	11	4·92	2	·84	...	...	24	10·44	1	·36	3	1·32	1	·36	8	3·60	49	22·20	48	21·72	
	10. Garden Reach ..	28,211	40	16·92	8	2·52	3	1·20	...	...	18	7·56	5	2·04	1	·36	...	...	1	·36	34	14·40	37	15·72	
	11. Barnagore	26,452	16	7·44	25	13·20	...	...	...	...	13	6·60	1	·36	...	...	...	...	12	7·44	58	27·36	59	27·72	
	12. Bhatpara	21,540	21	11·64	9	4·92	2	1·08	...	...	16	8·88	7	4·44	1	·48	2	1·08	4	2·16	42	23·28	45	24·96	
...tta... ...	13. Calcutta	847,746	1,098	15·48	332	7·32	79	1·08	30	4·32	250	5·48	179	3·52	142	5·76	40	1·48	875	19·36	2,065	37·68	2,526	35·64	
...	14. Krishnagar	24,547	22	10·68	19	9·24	...	...	...	...	22	10·68	5	2·40	2	·96	...	...	8	3·84	51	27·36	53	25·80	
	15. Santipur	20,508	17	25·32	1	·36	...	...	...	...	37	16·44	1	·36	...	...	...	...	5	2·16	44	19·56	63	28·08	
...idabad	16. Berhampore	24,507	39	19·08	2	·96	...	...	...	...	42	20·64	2	·96	...	...	...	...	11	5·40	57	27·96	70	34·32	
	17. Patna City	123,091	238	23·16	30	5·72	74	7·20	1	·09	180	9·72	27	2·52	19	1·80	18	1·68	126	12·24	404	39·36	523	50·88	
...	18. Bihar	45,068	31	15·36	2	·48	1	·24	...	...	12	3·12	4	·48	1	·24	2	·48	27	7·08	47	12·48	116	30·84	
	19. Dinapore Nizamut ..	35,000	18	6·36	...	...	2	·60	...	...	15	4·56	3	·96	2	·60	2	·60	21	7·44	43	15·24	54	19·20	
...	20. Gaya	71,436	112	25·08	11	1·80	74	15·08	1	·12	176	39·52	25	4·68	2	·24	5	·84	37	6·12	356	59·76	235	39·48	
...had ...	21. Arrah	16,177	57	14·76	...	...	2	·48	...	...	36	9·24	5	1·44	2	·72	2	·48	3	·72	52	13·44	78	20·16	
	22. Sasaram	23,044	54	27·36	5	2·52	25	11·64	...	...	41	20·76	...	...	1	·48	...	...	4	1·92	74	37·44	80	40·56	
...para...	23. Chapra	45,911	138	34·20	24	6·24	3	·72	...	...	47	12·24	11	2·76	5	1·20	4	·96	55	14·28	156	38·88	161	42·00	
	24. British	14,006	30	25·56	45	21·84	1	2·88	...	...	31	15·96	7	3·84	...	...	1	·48	15	7·20	108	52·44	69	33·48	
...ffarpur	25. Muzaffarpur	47,017	57	22·32	15	4·20	29	7·56	...	...	57	22·56	17	7·08	...	...	5	1·56	5	1·20	205	104·64	123	39·28	
	26. Motipur	13,000	47	26·28	6	3·36	...	...	8	4·44	27	15·60	6	3·36	...	...	2	1·08	41	22·92	91	51·00	120	67·20	
...anga ...	27. Darbhanga	19,944	178	28·20	...	...	2	·36	...	...	14	7·92	10	1·80	...	...	2	·36	134	26·04	202	36·48	219	39·60	
...byr ...	28. Monghyr	15,180	78	26·04	10	3·24	...	...	11	3·60	24	6·96	11	3·60	2	·60	...	...	43	14·28	98	32·76	125	41·76	
...lpur ...	29. Bhagalpur	75,740	136	19·92	20	5·12	3	·36	2	·24	75	11·40	8	1·20	4	·60	...	...	28	4·32	137	21·60	175	27·60	
...ck ...	30. Cuttack	51,254	147	29·64	33	6·72	...	...	...	...	62	12·72	17	3·96	4	·84	1	·12	48	9·96	146	54·08	82	19·08	
...ore ...	31. Balasore	20,880	21	12·20	35	20·04	...	...	...	...	8	1·68	5	1·08	...	...	1	·48	8	4·56	49	28·08	23	15·20	
...i ...	32. Puri	20,734	30	9·72	19	4·56	5	1·20	...	...	35	11·64	16	5·84	3	1·14	3	·72	39	9·48	146	33·00	84	20·40	
	33. Ranchi	23,819	41	20·64	7	3·48	12	6·00	...	...	29	14·52	7	3·48	...	...	1	·48	9	4·44	65	32·64	33	16·56	
	Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	2,222,879	3,551	17·52	1,373	7·52	340	2·01	352	1·68	1,715	9·24	542	2·88	515	2·76	107	·48	1,844	9·84	6,811	36·72	6,180	33·36	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	3,021	19·56	513	2·76	210	1·08	1,145	6·12	1,524	8·76	483	2·52	345	1·80	114	·60	1,749	9·36	6,180	33·36	...	...	
	Difference + or −	.....	−532	−2·04	+860	+4·56	+104	+·96	−833	−4·41	+191	+·48	+59	+·36	+198	+·96	−7	−·12	+104	+·48	+631	+3·36	...	...	

ICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,

The 18th July 1908.

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,

Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 18th July 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 18th July 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 20th July 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	315	30,135	378	444	80,905	770
Jute	60	16,630*	250	34	6,236†	138
Firewood	71	34,250	508	21	17,945	296
Other articles	686	2,12,101	2,301	760	2,15,290	2,302
Total ...	1,132	2,93,116	3,437	1,259	3,20,376	3,506

* Weight by canal measurement, 20,262½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 8,437½ do.

CALCUTTA,
The 21st July 1908.

AMARNATH DASS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 12th to 18th July 1908.

...rvation.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
08				Inches.		°	°	°	°	Inches.		%			Inches.	
ly	12th	144·1	5·0	29·585	83·8	90·1	12·0	78·1	79·0	0·945	77·5	86	SW and WSW ...	96	1·21	Chiefly cloudy, o.
,	13th	146·3	5·3	·563	86·1	91·6	10·6	81·1	79·5	·931	77·1	78	SW and SSW ...	130	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o.
,	14th	146·4	4·1	·551	81·8	89·7	9·2	80·5	79·5	·962	78·1	87	S by W and SSE	137	0·17	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p, t.
,	15th	130·0	2·1	·509	84·3	88·9	8·7	80·2	79·0	·925	76·9	81	SW by W, SSW and S by W.	112	0·52	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
,	16th	143·7	3·4	·542	84·2	89·9	10·8	79·1	79·2	·944	77·5	83	SW, SW by S and W by S.	95	0·74	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, g, p. p, t, <.
,	17th	144·1	2·7	·533	82·5	88·3	11·1	77·2	78·1	·908	76·3	83	WSW ...	155	2·62	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
,	18th	142·7	1·5	·486	80·0	84·4	8·2	76·2	76·6	·888	75·6	91	WSE and SW by W.	231	3·14	Cloudy, o, d, p. ●.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·538
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·523
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	24·1
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	93·5
	°
The mean temperature of the seven days	83·7
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83·5
The extreme variation of temperature	15·4
The maximum temperature	91·6
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	17
	%
The mean relative humidity	84
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	86
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 12th to 18th July 1908	8·40
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	2·92
The total fall from 1st January to 18th July 1908	49·61
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·23

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the ermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the ew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet ove the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the rveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in e Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder; <, lightning; ● continued rain; g, dark, gloomy weather.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 20th July 1908.*

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Offg. Director-General of Observatories.*

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of April 1908, compared with the corresponding period in 1907.

Description of Goods.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	87	986	66	1,056	.....	70	21	.....	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	16,174	35,724	13,403	29,330	.....	.....	2,771	6,394	Probably due to shortage of wagons on E. I. Rs.
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	37	422	23	319	.....	...	14	113	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Twist and yarn. { European	14	146	7	75	.....	... ..	7	71	
(b) Twist and yarn. { Indian ...	537	5,847	397	4,918	.....	..	140	929	
(c) Piece-goods { European	2,080	21,020	2,521	25,707	441	4,687	...	...	
(d) Piece-goods { Indian ...	430	3,572	404	3,697	... .	125	26	...	
(e) Others	62	662	34	361	... .	.....	27	301	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	64	556	132	617	68	61	...	...	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	3	57	2	54	.....	... .	1	3	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	11	166	6	128	..	.....	5	38	
(b) Others	1,226	5,132	1,342	6,738	116	1,726	...	...	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	8	67	7	90	.....	23	1	.....	
2. Cutch	302	3,023	187	1,700	.....	... ..	165	2,223	
3. Indigo	...	.....	1	3	1	3	.....	... ..	
4. Myrabolams	11	148	15	151	4	.....	.....	17	
5. Tanning barks	751	1,117	417	745	.....	.....	334	372	
6. Turmeric	807	8,057	509	4,540	.....	.	298	3,791	
7. Others	94	1,083	47	551	.....	.....	47	486	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	1,001	3,162	1,264	2,706	263	.....	.....	330	
2. Hay, straw and grass ..	105	61	1,276	2,357	1,171	2,289	.....	.....	Fodder.
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	2,919	7,929	5,703	10,137	3,684	2,208	... ..	.....	Potato traffic
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse ...	5,245	20,598	3,151	13,528	.....	... .	2,094	16,570	Abnormal import in 1907.
2. Jawar and bajra ...	11,162	1,00,312	467	2,411	.....	.....	10,695	97,901	
3. Rice { in the husk ...	3,990	18,385	6,988	35,186	2,998	17,801	... ..	...	Good export.
4. Rice { not in the husk	9,053	37,204	14,232	70,210	5,179	32,906	.....	..	Import.
5. Wheat	2,728	14,406	1,761	8,842	.....	.....	967	8,564	
6. Wheat-flour	609	3,059	413	2,821	.....	... ..	.....	238	
7. Makai	9,207	57,390	911	5,013	.....	... ..	8,296	51,377	Less production.
8. Others	3,576	13,780	2,084	8,160	... .	... ..	1,492	5,620	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	9	25	.....	...	.....	....	9	25	
(b) Raw	551	3,936	539	4,085	.....	149	2	.....	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(b) Raw	169	1,063	138	1,141	24	77	.....	...	
XI.—Horns	1	3	3	10	...	.....	7	8	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	1,659	10,184	970	5,097	...	.....	689	4,187	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	502	1,925	899	5,249	534	3,324	.....	...	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,577	11,278	1,576	9,772	.....	...	2	2,506	
XIV.—Lac	78	511	108	774	30	263	.....	... .	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	2	28	10	27	8	..	.....	1	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	11	66	2	51	... .	.....	9	15	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	4	33	5	56	1	23	..	.....	
2. Wines and Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	19	288	20	320	1	86	.....	... ..	
3. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	..	.....	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	4	24	25	184	21	155	... ..	.....	
2. ,, wrought ...	33	1,074	134	1,132	1	138	... .	.....	
3. Copper, unwrought ...	7	49	...	7	.....	.....	7	49	
4. ,, wrought ...	8	69	7	100	.	40	1	.....	
5. Iron and steel—									
Unwrought (dust, slag, pig and old for re-manufacture).	7	38	17	93	10	58	.....	.....	
Wrought—									
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	320	2,728	327	1,141	79	1,413	.....	... ..	
(b) Machinery and mill-work.	15	202	2	284	13	82	.....	.....	
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery.	506	2,083	65	5,244	275	2,561	.....	.....	
6. Metallic ores	17	.....	.....	.....	... .	... ..	179	916	
7. Others	91	815	301	2,154	207	1,344	.....	.....	

Description of Goods.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XVIII.—Mineral substances—									
1. Marble and stone ...	2,452	4,373	2,918	3,315	467	.....	.....	1,058	
2. Chalk and lime ...	1,046	3,308	562	1,769	.....	.....	484	1,539	
3. Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XIX.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	1,043	7,585	2,233	9,066	290	1,481	.....	.....	
2. Castor	87	378	53	360	.....	.....	34	18	
3. Cocoanut	17	137	2	5	.....	.....	15	132	
4. Mustard and rape ...	106	1,185	52	428	.....	.....	54	757	
5. Others	42	351	81	729	39	378	.....	.....	
XX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	899	1,886	682	1,473	.....	.....	216	413	
2. Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Linseed	12,552	48,504	8,297	26,685	.....	.....	4,035	21,819	Poor crops.
4. Poppy	817	4,029	391	1,232	.....	.....	426	2,797	
5. Rape and mustard ...	9,812	42,792	10,889	44,962	1,077	2,240	.....	.....	
6. Til or jinjili	215	1,134	174	652	.....	.....	41	482	
7. Others	511	2,025	919	4,093	408	2 068	.....	.....	
XXI.—Opium	1,483	23,361	508	6,114	.....	.....	1,075	17,247	
XXII.—Paper and Pasteboard ...	293	891	372	1,050	79	159	.....	.....	
XXIII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts ...	133	1,511	152	2,251	19	740	.....	.....	
2. Ghee	427	4,263	275	2,422	.....	.....	152	1 841	
3. Others	1,514	5,512	733	3,922	.....	.....	781	1,713	
XXIV.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(c) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXV.—Salt	12,620	53,031	9,543	41,538	.....	.....	3,077	11,493	
XXVI.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	1,306	4,078	1,423	5,376	117	698	.....	.....	
2. Other saline substances	535	2,249	631	2,634	79	385	.....	.....	
XXVII.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2 Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXVIII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	338	2,738	435	3,499	97	761	.....	.....	
2. Cardamoms	101	930	103	988	2	58	.....	.....	
3. Chillies	881	4,221	1,223	6,799	342	2,569	.....	.....	
4. Ginger	141	1,461	141	1,225	.....	.....	.....	236	
5. Pepper	50	069	95	895	39	226	.....	.....	
6. Others	256	2,321	243	2,419	.....	98	13	.....	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	746	4,909	506	3,331	.....	.....	240	1,569	
Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	6,569	43,568	9,264	64,350	2,695	20,782	.....	.....	Demand up-country.
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	11,818	54,700	16,590	93,892	4,773	39,192	.....	.....	
XXX.—Tea—									
Foreign	.....	3	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	2	 6
Indian	.....	34	.....	28	.....	.....	2		
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured ...	6,086	55,756	4,146	38,822	.....	.....	1,950	16,934	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	.....	.....	1	10	1	10	.....	.....	
(b) Other sorts ...	35	469	56	706	21	237	.....	.....	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought ...	3,343	9,109	2,613	8,009	.....	.....	730	1,100	
2. Logs	1,188	2,563	566	1,551	.....	.....	622	1,012	
3. Poles	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4. Manufactures	434	2,902	571	3,720	137	758	.....	.....	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	25	485	17	213	.....	.....	8	272	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs ...	2	25	2	24	.....	.....	.....	1	
(b) Piece-goods (European	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(c) Piece-goods (Indian	7	12	4	36	.....	24	3	.....	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	.....	.....	1	36	1	26	.....	.....	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	121	724	65	691	.....	.....	56	33	
2. Firewood	2,058	4,555	2,300	3,511	.....	.....	658	1,244	
3. Others, not specified above.	4,982	23,320	6,561	27,376	1,329	4,056	.....	.....	
Total ...	165,618	8,41,013	149,821	6,90,096	27,139	1,48,068	42,935	2,89,985	

W. JENKINS,
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GORAKHPUR, *the 16th July 1908.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for last 10 days of June 1908 on 2,287·05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	838,239	7,25,027 0 0	98,37,511 0	15,75,877 0 0	51,085 0 0	23,51,989 0 0	224,548	313,457	538,005
Or per mile of railway		317 0 3	...	689 0 8	22 5 5	1,028 6 4	...	...	...
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year	13,953,825*	1,24,53,910 0 0*	2,02,21,586 0‡	2,77,67,488 0 0‡	5,65,051 0 0‡	4,07,86,449 0 0	3,951,252§	5,005,524§	8,956,776
Total for 26 weeks ...	14,791,124	1,31,78,937 0 0	19,00,49,097 0	2,93,43,365 0 0	6,16,136 0 0	4,31,38,438 0 0	4,175,800	5,918,981	10,094,781
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 8 days of previous year	675,621	5,71,443 15 8	76,25,929 20	11,21,988 5 10	41,546 1 3	17,34,978 6 9	172,765	231,438	404,203
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year		250 0 10		490 15 4	18 2 11	759 3 1			
Total for corresponding 25½ weeks of previous year	14,418,401	1,34,03,439 12 3	18,07,56,610 0	2,86,07,195 12 10	6,44,029 8 1	4,26,54,705 1 2	3,969,503	5,376,031	9,345,534

* Audited figures up to 23rd May 1908.

Added No. of passengers 19,649 and deducted Rs. 12,402 on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May and supplemental figures for the quarter ended 31st March 1908.

Do. „ „ 400 and added „ 26,000 „ of special and extra trains, &c., not included in previous returns.

Added Mds. 6,02,114 „ deducted „ 36,896 of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May and supplemental figures for the quarter ended 31st March 1908.

Deducted „ 45,000 of traffic carried in excess over East Indian Railway route reserved for payment to Foreign Railways.

Added „ 15,000 „ of amount not included in previous returns.

Deducted „ 7,60,000 „ of rebate on coal.

Do. „ 2,552 „ of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 16th and 23rd May and supplemental figures for the quarter ended 31st March 1908.

Do. „ 4,03,000 of hire and demurrage of vehicles, etc., creditable to expenditure.

Added „ 58,130 of rents of dwelling-houses, shunting charges, &c., less included in previous returns.

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train miles.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs.
*2,287·05	First 11 days of Jan. ...	685,522	6,38,389	1,08,13,017	18,40,635	66,138	25,54,157	1,117	586,113	
*2,287·05	Week ended 18th „ ...	453,317	4,10,730	75,46,502	10,78,557	35,152	15,26,439	667	376,073	
*2,287·05	„ „ 25th „ ...	479,477	4,77,497	72,10,947	11,15,196	37,839	16,30,532	713	386,500	
*2,287·05	„ „ 1st Feb. ...	548,579	6,00,236	73,04,580	11,78,720	39,932	18,78,897	822	387,243	
*2,287·05	„ „ 8th „ ...	642,223	6,20,554	67,78,774	11,47,290	40,148	18,16,992	794	387,895	
*2,287·05	„ „ 15th „ ...	522,987	5,20,774	72,04,757	12,52,162	43,759	18,16,695	794	393,422	
*2,287·05	„ „ 22nd „ ...	587,055	5,55,293	76,82,065	12,53,245	43,825	18,50,361	810	391,806	
*2,287·05	„ „ 29th „ ...	575,504	5,09,716	76,37,244	12,71,065	45,554	18,77,335	821	402,743	
*2,287·05	„ „ 7th March ...	622,809	5,44,839	75,05,102	11,20,879	43,982	17,14,900	750	388,144	
*2,287·05	„ „ 14th „ ...	568,430	5,44,733	77,15,217	10,78,904	54,777	16,58,414	725	378,632	
*2,287·05	„ „ 21st „ ...	476,275	4,34,610	74,70,844	11,14,148	40,027	15,89,375	695	363,388	
*2,287·05	„ „ 28th „ ...	519,075	5,15,047	80,92,115	12,84,547	39,655	18,39,239	804	408,475	
*2,287·05	„ „ 4th April ...	560,984	4,78,644	72,47,146	11,38,395	41,244	16,58,284	725	400,507	
*2,287·05	„ „ 11th „ ...	555,198	4,58,862	70,20,324	11,18,150	44,807	16,21,819	709	401,239	1 10
*2,287·05	„ „ 18th „ ...	504,435	4,75,875	69,77,157	11,24,125	44,489	16,44,489	719	407,980	0 6
*2,287·05	„ „ 25th „ ...	508,033	4,88,360	75,15,502	11,74,945	40,376	17,03,681	744	389,004	5 10
*2,287·05	„ „ 2nd May ...	585,052	5,15,454	71,40,854	11,06,235	36,720	17,18,409	752	388,542	7 7
*2,287·05	„ „ 9th „ ...	651,107	5,20,184	77,93,573	12,35,870	42,015	17,98,068	786	388,224	16 0
*2,287·05	„ „ 16th „ ...	655,922	4,81,458	79,64,145	12,05,762	34,871	17,22,091	753	389,538	6 2
*2,287·05	„ „ 23rd „ ...	598,960	4,75,806	67,80,920	11,01,727	40,722	16,18,255	708	387,766	1 11
2,287·05	„ „ 30th „ ...	575,079	4,70,039	71,11,066	11,30,194	41,508	16,50,051	722	380,784	... 4
2,287·05	„ „ 6th June ...	604,448	4,98,246	74,06,411	11,61,256	42,429	17,01,951	744	384,888	7 6
2,287·05	„ „ 13th „ ...	670,807	5,31,647	74,54,432	11,62,396	37,548	17,31,591	757	375,947	9 7
2,287·05	„ „ 20th „ ...	627,506	5,22,576	67,13,269	11,01,234	34,755	16,14,570	708	378,378	4 6
2,287·05	Last 10 days of „ ...	838,239	7,25,027	98,37,511	15,75,877	51,085	23,51,989	1,028	548,905	5 11
	Suppl. for 31st March ...	5,892	9,462	—1,25,402	—4,722	1,211	5,951	3	... ...	
	„ „ 30th June ...	1 0	26,000	.....	—7,90,000	—4,34,870	—11,98,870	—524	.....	
	Totals up to date ...	14,791,124	1,31,78,937	19,00,49,097	2,93,43,365	6,16,136	4,31,38,438	725	10,094,781	

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. P.
2,243·80	First 12 days of Jan.	992,007	11,69,370	1,01,03,293	18,18,149	55,167	30,62,686	1,365	580,048	5
2,243·80	Week ended 19th „	888,983	10,32,791	60,67,602	10,04,771	36,156	20,73,718	924	361,980	... 11 ...
2,243·80	26th „	697,767	6,23,088	63,30,451	10,06,547	39,976	17,39,611	784	352,754	4 15 10
2,243·80	„ „ 2nd Feb.	467,981	5,57,616	71,21,149	12,02,401	38,256	17,98,273	801	344,068	5 2 3
2,243·80	„ „ 9th „	519,149	4,46,138	64,71,708	11,01,405	36,766	15,84,309	706	338,025	4 7 10
2,243·80	„ „ 16th „	562,677	4,99,257	65,28,739	9,66,379	35,731	15,01,367	669	358,285	4 2 11
2,243·80	„ „ 23rd „	525,576	5,40,246	65,21,875	10,57,570	36,745	16,34,561	728	344,402	4 11 11
2,243·80	2nd March	488,803	4,21,504	61,56,676	10,72,050	37,304	15,30,947	682	343,744	4 7 3
2,243·80	9th „	550,007	4,75,876	67,89,905	10,80,035	34,436	16,05,397	716	353,879	4 8 7
2,243·80	16th „	478,013	4,51,651	62,19,971	10,04,478	35,475	15,31,604	681	350,186	4 5 1
2,243·80	23rd „	420,091	3,95,343	68,71,272	10,28,416	32,365	14,56,124	649	345,735	4 4 0
2,243·80	30th „	472,988	4,85,097	73,76,942	11,00,409	33,085	16,16,591	720	370,825	4 4 1
2,243·80	6th April	475,283	4,18,005	75,03,883	11,07,658	36,495	16,48,158	735	341,118	4 9 0
2,243·80	13th „	529,774	4,99,563	70,00,472	12,30,537	38,161	17,44,261	777	362,754	4 12 11
2,277·60	20th „	546,201	4,62,347	72,93,642	12,38,250	38,620	17,39,220	764	368,201	4 11 7
2,287·34	27th „	544,708	4,55,285	72,96,001	12,74,379	39,645	17,08,302	774	382,067	4 10 1
2,287·34	4th May	605,218	4,72,279	74,14,148	12,54,066	40,542	17,67,787	774	370,650	4 11 1
2,287·34	11th „	586,084	4,38,789	75,25,397	12,19,762	37,274	16,95,825	745	379,028	4 7 7
2,287·34	18th „	572,963	4,57,290	74,01,913	12,34,111	37,827	17,28,828	757	380,138	4 8 9
2,287·34	25th „	599,529	4,65,370	84,46,341	13,17,355	36,674	17,09,449	749	372,58	4 9 6
2,287·34	1st June	548,155	5,01,005	72,74,951	11,97,123	36,050	17,37,178	761	374,046	4 10 4
2,287·34	8th „	508,235	5,24,628	72,35,919	11,83,720	38,845	17,52,193	767	307,884	4 1· 3
2,287·34	15th „	502,099	5,02,015	73,88,491	11,95,231	35,489	17,32,735	759	374,866	4 10 2
2,287·34	„ „ 22nd „	588,708	5,04,105	68,83,775	10,74,941	40,405	16,19,503	709	363,513	4 7 5
2,287·39	Last 8 days of „	675,621	5,71,444	76,25,359	11,21,990	41,546	17,34,979	759	404,203	4 4 8
	Suppl. for 31st March	—567	11,290	—3,0 ,527	—19,278	18,459	10,471			
	„ „ 30th June ...	—1,581	25,291	18,88,101	—6,07,180	—5,28,320	—0,10,206	—308		
	Totals up to date	14,418,491	1,34,03,439	18,07,56,610	2,86,07,195	6,44,070	4,26,54,705	729	9,345,534	4 0 0

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1908 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week ...	34,020	7,743 0 0	18,054 0	714 0 0	10 0 0	8,467 0 0	1,918	220	
Mile of railway ...	.....	348 5 0	.....	32 1 11	0 7 2	380 14 1	...	...	...
Previous 24½ weeks of half-year	752,731*	1,87,272 0 0*	5,33,171 0†	19,730 0 0†	603 0 0‡	2,07,605 0 0	34,521§	3,741§	38,26
Total for 26 weeks ...	786,751	1,95,015 0 0	5,51,225 0	20,444 0 0	613 0 0	2,16,072 0 0	36,439	3,961	40,40
COMPARISON.									
For corresponding 8 days previous year.	23,897	5,425 10 3	18,937 30	597 8 0	6 10 9	6,029 13 0	1,967	253	
Mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.		244 1 1		26 14 1	0 4 9	271 3 11			
For corresponding 25½ weeks previous year	753,728	1,86,232 1 9	5,30,507 10	20,120 12 0	540 14 11	2,06,893 11 11			

* Added No. of passengers 4,025 and added Rs. 767
† Do. Mds. 5,725 ,, deducted ,, 55
‡ Do. ,, 177
§ Do. ,, 229

On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ending 16th and 23rd May 1908, and supplemental figures for the quarter ended 31st March 1908.
On account of rents of dwelling-houses, etc., not included in previous returns.

§ Audited figures up to 23rd May 1908.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907

Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
First 11 days of Jan. ...	32,163	7,303	20,088	1,071	8	8,981	403	2,378	2 12 4
Week ended 18th ,, ...	21,907	4,695	13,262	378	11	4,994	225	1,438	3 5 4
,, ,, 25th ,, ...	23,720	5,056	28,804	982	10	6,048	272	1,498	4 0 7
,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	49,013	10,477	24,135	847	1	11,325	509	1,784	6 5 10
,, ,, 8th ,, ...	57,813	13,164	29,135	847	11	17,022	766	2,088	8 2 5
,, ,, 15th ,, ...	24,710	6,057	30,019	974	6	7,037	317	1,596	4 11 2
,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	33,139	8,053	32,230	903	7	9,053	407	1,434	6 5 0
,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,051	6,422	30,413	1,107	9	7,578	342	1,496	5 1 5
,, ,, 7th Mar. ...	52,829	14,739	15,153	675	6	15,420	694	1,887	8 2 10
,, ,, 14th ,, ...	29,794	6,777	28,967	965	8	7,550	340	1,276	5 14 8
,, ,, 21st ,, ...	29,788	7,069	28,791	1,202	11	8,282	372	1,450	5 12 5
,, ,, 28th ,, ...	24,503	5,589	28,395	1,128	11	6,728	303	1,592	4 4 11
,, ,, 4th April ...	39,495	7,772	30,513	1,226	9	9,027	406	1,5 2	6 0 3
,, ,, 11th ,, ...	45,044	12,143	24,870	1,006	11	13,160	592	1,511	8 8 9
,, ,, 18th ,, ...	49,563	14,037	15,915	640	9	14,674	660	1,735	8 7 3
,, ,, 25th ,, ...	26,686	5,315	17,109	679	7	6,001	270	1,4 3	4 6 2
,, ,, 2nd May ...	23,613	5,338	18,227	702	7	6,077	273	1,4 6	4 1 0
,, ,, 9th ,, ...	26,944	6,955	16,744	592	14	7,561	341	1,4 5	5 0 10
,, ,, 16th ,, ...	29,944	6,960	17,965	582	4	7,546	339	1,4 4	4 7 3
,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	23,554	5,278	17,014	521	13	5,762	259	1,4 5	3 15 8
,, ,, 30th ,, ...	21,907	4,827	14,497	712	9	5,548	251	1,4 3	3 11 4
,, ,, 6th June ...	29,189	6,208	16,586	751	8	6,975	314	1,4 5	4 10 7
,, ,, 13th ,, ...	34,022	8,578	12,232	658	7	9,243	416	1,4 5	6 3 10
,, ,, 20th ,, ...	21,731	5,170	10,483	465	8	5,643	253	1,4 5	3 12 3
Last 10 days of ,, ,,	34,020	7,743	18,054	714	10	8,467	381	2,138	3 15 4
Suppl. for 31st March ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	178	178	8	... ,,	.....
,, ,, 30th June ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	220	220	10	... ,,	... ,,
Totals up to date ...	786,751	1,95,015	5,51,225	20,444	613	2,16,072	374	40,400	5 3 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
First 12 days of Jan. ...	37,060	8,988	37,748	1,261	11	10,260	463	2,070	4 15 4
Week ended 19th ,, ...	32,893	8,005	10,302	295	14	8,314	374	1,278	6 8 1
26th ,,	25,733	6,286	10,927	418	15	6,717	302	1,186	5 10 7
2nd Feb.	34,906	8,536	14,881	666	14	9,212	414	1,180	7 11 10
9th ,,	25,132	6,376	17,754	546	13	6,935	312	1,190	5 1 5
16th ,,	47,072	12,396	16,074	603	6	13,005	585	1,672	
23rd ,, ...	28,6	6,510	23,208	823	11	7,345	330	1,130	
2nd Mar. ...	28,962	6,723	25,383	948	16	7,737	348	1,	
9th ,, ...	28,273		31,746	1,007	12	8,334			0
16th ,, ...	26,905	6,184	26,083		14	7,169		.....	
23rd ,, ...	24,135	5,810	27,490	1,197	5	7,012	315	1,166	6 0 3
30th ,, ...	27,134	6,386	28,193	1,140	6	7,542	339	1,144	
6th April ...	33,130	9,042	29,879	1,200	6	10,248	461	1,186	
13th ,, ...	43,092	13,086	22,479	868	4	14,558	655	1,1 4	8 16 3
20th ,, ...	51,123	14,582	18,149	767	5	15,354	691	1,1 4	10 0 2
27th ,, ...	27,170	6,625	18,344	975	13	7,409	333	1,1 9	10 8 3
4th May	28,050	7,508	15,559	609	10	8,187	368	1,1 0	6 1 7
11th ,,	27,048	6,515	17,170			7,300	328	1,	5 11 1
18th ,,	27,639	6,194	20,140	695	11	6,900	310	1,	
25th ,,	24,569	5,572	40,165	1,281	11	6,864	309	1,188	5 1
1st June	24,718	5,450	23,690		11	6,246	281	1,1 1	5 1
8th ,,	29,381	6,984	13,087	483	12	6,476	291	1,1 0	5 7
13th ,,	23,456	4,980	17,180	635	7	5,631	253	1,1 0	4 1
22nd ,,	24,183	5,201	13,805	473	7	5,771	260	1,1 1	4 15
Last 8 days of	23,897	5,426	18,938	597	7	6,039			4 8 1
Suppl. for 31st March ...		.....		.....	52				
,, ,, 30th June ...		38	9	13	246		15		
Totals up to date ...	763,728	1,86,232	5,30,507	20,121	591	2,06,894	366		

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 days of June 1908, on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period		42,899 0 0	3,01,732 0	21,886 0 0	85 0 0	64,600 0 0	16,630	7,830	24,510
Or per mile of railway	...	262 8 11	...	134 12 9	0 8 5	397 14 1	...	...	...
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year,	747,388*	5,56,896 0 0*	60,23,241 0†	4,61,736 0 0†	5,827 0 0†	10,24,459 0 0	289,510§	140,315§	429,825
Total for 26 weeks	794,543	5,99,523 0 0	63,27,983 0	4,83,622 0 0	5,912 0 0	10,89,059 0 0	306,199	148,145	454,344
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 8 days of previous year	10,228	32,880 4 3	2,03,615 20	22,405 5 0	34 13 0	55,324 6 3	14,124	5,286	19,410
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ...	...	202 8 3	...	138 0 0	0 3 9	340 12 0			
Total for corresponding ... weeks of previous year	1,028,812	7,36,642 4 4	62,24,987 0	4,61,117 0 9	7,344 12 2	12,05,103 10 3	288,127	133,441	421,568

* { Deducted No. of passengers 1,304 and deducted Rs. 4,894 on account of difference between the Approximate and Audited figures for the weeks ended 16t
{ Added ,, ,, 200 ,, added ,, 4,000 and 23rd May 1908 and supplemental figures for quarter ended 31st March 1908.
on account of special and extra trains, &c., not included in previous returns.

† { ,, Mds. 3,75,880 ,, ,, ,, 23,094 on account of difference between the Approximate and Audited figures for the weeks ended 16t
{ Deducted ,, 4,91,000 ,, deducted ,, 15,000 and 23rd May 1908 and supplemental figures for quarter ended 31st March 1908.
on account of revenue coal and stores carried over Delhi-Umballa-Kalka railway during th
half-year.

‡ { Added ,, 1,742 on account of difference between the Approximate and Audited figures for the weeks ended 16t
{ Do ,, 2,050 and 23rd May 1908 and supplemental figures for quarter ended 31st March 1908.
on account of rents of dwelling-houses, &c., not included in previous returns.

§ Audited figures up to 23rd May 1908.

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
*162·36	First 11 days of Jan.	30,141	22,390	3,54,376	26,451	104	48,945	301	27,451	1 14 9
*162·36	Week ended 18th ,,	22,823	17,731	2,89,701	16,145	50	33,926	145	17,138	1 14 9
*162·36	,, ,, 25th ,,	20,880	16,803	2,90,215	19,842	61	36,702	227	18,200	2 0 4
*162·36	,, ,, 1st Feb. ...	25,143	18,953	2,87,510	19,631	61	38,654	237	17,108	2 1 9
*162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	25,703	18,006	2,74,281	18,735	65	36,803	227	16,946	2 3 9
*162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	26,118	17,329	2,75,584	17,462	31	34,922	215	16,810	2 1 3
*162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	28,591	20,494	2,14,344	21,145	48	41,500	206	16,709	2 7 10
*162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	28,845	19,137	2,85,522	21,605	59	40,801	221	17,147	2 6 1
*162·36	,, ,, 7th Mar. ,,	33,611	19,732	2,91,401	23,406	52	43,190	225	16,148	2 9 1
*162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	31,501	21,912	2,99,255	21,539	47	43,578	232	17,242	2 6 0
*162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	31,501	22,680	2,95,851	22,045	55	44,780	276	17,748	2 8 5
*162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	31,870	26,140	2,89,573	17,147	60	43,302	240	17,510	2 7 8
*162·36	,, ,, 4th April ,,	37,550	31,346	4,44,440	36,813	94	68,253	441	18,882	3 10 5
*162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	34,071	25,702	1,70,714	12,676	78	38,456	247	18,720	2 0 11
*162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	24,327	22,672	3,04,290	24,029	39	46,741	288	18,577	2 8 3
*162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	29,934	24,919	3,16,084	25,275	57	50,242	280	17,541	2 10 5
*162·36	,, ,, 2nd May ...	34,100	28,084	2,52,842	19,280	82	44,996	277	17,071	2 8 0
*162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	38,922	30,278	2,62,846	20,623	54	50,955	314	18,824	2 11 4
*162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	31,062	24,461	3,04,426	23,862	33	48,356	282	17,671	2 9 9
*162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	30,075	24,804	3,55,920	28,116	28	52,947	250	17,863	2 5 4
162·36	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	32,054	25,871	2,63,508	19,114	70	45,055	247	15,088	2 5 9
162·36	,, ,, 6th June ...	32,050	29,961	1,65,309	11,770	66	41,797	266	17,611	2 5 8
162·36	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	30,360	27,533	1,65,061	11,004	65	38,602	238	17,233	2 3 11
162·36	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	34,010	25,289	1,67,206	11,840	61	37,170	230	16,045	2 4 1
162·36	Last 10 days of June ...	40,655	42,629	3,01,742	21,886	85	64,600	518	24,510	3 11 —
	Suppl. for 31st March	1,541	2, 17	—57,749	—6,267	1,784	10,079			
	,, ,, June ...	261	4,993	—4,94,001	—1,9,000	2,650	—8,350			
	Totals up to date ...	794,543	5,99,523	63,27,983	4,83,622	5,912	11,89,059	288	454,344	

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concld. *1907.*

										Rate.
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.			Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 12 days of Jan. ...	124,110	90,020	4,09,041	27,467	104		787	31,317	4 0 9
162·36	Week ended 19th ,, ...	127,158	68,813	2,94,412	24,325	234		574	27,087	3 5 11
162·36	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	20,644	20,173	2,87,754	7,184	145		331	14,259	2 10 2
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Feb. ...	28,100	20,350	3,05,445	14,014	77		216	14,514	2 6 8
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	67,288	45,390	2,96,304	16,016	342		384	14,074	4 6 9
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	26,682	17,300	1,63,651	16,004	54		207	13,644	2 7 1
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	26,003	23,915	2,44,316	15,697	100		345	13,415	3 15 6
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Mar. ...	24,760	18,594	3,79,634	16,411	67		216	13,438	3 8 —
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	54,516	22,938	2,14,736	16,088	49	93,013	247	13,305	3 15 10
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	54,518	24,177	2,15,285	17,672			253	14,301	3 13 —
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	29,739	20,867	2,47,757	21,525	44		261	14,069	3 12 10
162·36	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	29,260	24,632	2,54,105	22,024	30		288	16,688	3 12 —
162·36	,, ,, 6th April ...	33,586	27,493	3,53,480	23,217	160		313	15,889	3 13 —
162·36	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	32,691	24,074	1,92,502	14,830	112		240	16,387	3 5 5
162·36	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	32,718	25,076	1,93,139	17,289			261	16,115	3 7 1
162·36	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	30,246	21,705	2,37,912	18,413	52		247	15,536	3 10 —
162·36	,, ,, 4th May ...	33,235	23,932	2,90,288	18,981	68		259	16,441	3 9 —
162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	31,576	21,624	1,55,455	11,856	60		207	17,017	2 8 11
162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	31,740	22,888	2,32,909	16,901	53		245	17,404	1 13 11
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	32,182	22,927	2,50,103	16,314	53		242	17,309	2 4 8
162·36	,, ,, 1st June ...	31,688	22,854	3,20,655	18,421	54		253	16,675	2 4 3
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	36,702	31,133	2,81,256	19,870	39		314	17,427	2 7 8
162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	38,170	25,543	2,94,048	20,780	55		246	16,817	2 15 8
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	37,319	29,278	2,47,846	21,807	43		278	16,587	2 13 2
162·36	Last 8 days of ,, ...	40,2 8	32,880	2,03,615	22,405	30		311	14,410	2 11 9
	Suppl. for 31st Mar. ...	707	700	.....	.....	1,205		12		2 13 7
	,, ,, for June ...	1,307	1,853	—3,81,955	—4,069	3,870		10		
	Totals up to date ...	10,38,942	6,34,642	62,24,987	4,61,118	7,344	12,05,104	287	421,568	

* Audited figures.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for last 10 days of June 1908 on 1,797 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. (a)	Mds.	Rs. (b)	Rs. (c)	Rs. (d)			
...c for the period (10 1,797 miles open ...	547,180	2,31,010	13,04,470	1,90,040	46,520	4,67,570	77,956	(e) 67,445	145,401
...s of railway	304·50	128·55	725·92	105·75	25·89	260·19	.....	.....	
...us 24½ weeks of half-	8,934,279	37,65,097	2,87,85,179	39,87,255	6,51,978	84,04,330	1,398,429	1,172,170	2,570,599
for the half-year ...	9,481,459	39,96,107	3,00,89,649	41,77,295	6,98,498	88,71,900	1,476,385	1,239,615	2,716,000
Comparison.									
...rresponding period (8 previous year on 1,705 ...	427,690	1,00,781	16,33,945	1,91,370	41,169	3,93,320	60,765	(g) 60,934	121,699
... corresponding period ...s year	250·84	94·30	938·33	112·24	24·15	230·69	..	..	.....
...orresponding date of year	8,678,797	36,78,127	3,42,12,283	48,14,752	7,33,783	92,26,662	1,329,938	1,311,576	2,641,514
...r Coaching, Goods and ...ile-mile respectively ...e week		2·96		2·82	·34	3·22			
... for corresponding ...revious year		2·65		3·14	·34	3·13			

(a) Increase due to coolie traffic returning viâ Katihar and to general development.
(b) Decrease in weight under foreign inward due to heavy traffic to Bengal in 1907, foreign outward traffic improved and with longer lead under local and foreign outward, etc., nearly counterbalanced the difference in amount.
(c) Increase chiefly under sundries.
(d) Two days' earnings more in this year than the corresponding period of last year.
(e) Includes 4,577 miles of ballast trains
(f) Includes audited figures up to week ending 16th May 1908.
(g) Includes 9,996 miles of ballast trains.

DARJEELING HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
...ximate earnings for the first 11 days of July 1908	...	Coaching ...	12,440 0 0	25,314 0 0
		Goods ...	12,795 0 0	
		Other earnings ...	79 0 0	
...ed earnings for the corresponding period of 1907	...	Coaching ...	10,275 0 0	26,826 0 0
		Goods ...	16,475 0 0	
		Other earnings ...	76 0 0	
		Decrease	—	1,512 0 0
...ts per mile for the first 11 days of July 1908	...	—	—	496 5 8
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907	...	—	... —	526 0 0
		Decrease	—	29 10 4
...ts from 1st July to 11th July 1908 ...	...	...	... —	25,314 0 0
...o for the corresponding period of 1907 —	...	...	... ...	26,826 0 0
		Decrease	...	1,512 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

No. 4139A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3986A.—The 24th July 1908.*—Mr. A. N. Moberly, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Sambalpur, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Political Agent, Orissa Feudatory States, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. L. E. B. Cobden-Ramsay, or until further orders.

Orissa.

No. 4051A.—The 27th July 1908.—Mr. V. B. Cobden-Ramsay, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hazaribagh, is appointed to act as Deputy Commissioner of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. A. Radice, or until further orders.

Hazaribagh.

No. 4066A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Surendra Lal Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Balasore district.

Balasore.

No. 4076A.—The 28th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. L. Birley, I.C.S., Officiating Magistrate and Collector, 24-Parganas, to be Additional District Magistrate of that district for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, for the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

24-Parganas.

No. 4079A.—The 28th July 1908.—Mr. W. A. Marr, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Shahabad, is appointed to act temporarily as Magistrate and Collector of the 24-Parganas district.

Shahabad.
24-Parganas.

No. 4082A.—The 28th July 1908.—Mr. H. R. T. S. Perrott, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Begusarai, Monghyr, is appointed to act temporarily as Magistrate and Collector of the Shahabad district.

Monghyr.
Shahabad.

No. 4131A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Basanta Krishna Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district.

Howrah.
Jessore.

No. 4134A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Sukumar Haldar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district.

Nadia.
Howrah.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3995A.—The 24th July 1908.*—The Revd. James Henry Sparrow, of the Premananda Faith Missionary Association, is authorized, under sections 6 and 9 of Act XV of 1872, respectively to solemnize marriages between persons one or both of whom is Christian or are Christians, and to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians.

Manbhum.

The Revd. James Henry Sparrow is also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths in the district of Manbhum.

No. 4032A.—The 27th July 1908.—The Revd. H. C. L. Martin, a Chaplain, on probation, on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is appointed to be Chaplain of Dum-Dum, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge of the duties.

24-Parganas.

No. 4039A.—The 27th July 1908.—The Revd. E. W. P. Keeling, Chaplain of the Darjeeling Cantonments, is appointed to be Chaplain of Dinapore, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge of the duties.

Darjeeling.
Patna.

JAILS.—*No. 4010A.—The 24th July 1908.*—Mr. J. Weir, Mill Manager, Alipore Central Jail, is appointed to act as Deputy Superintendent of that Jail, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. Stewart, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3945A.—The 23rd July 1908.*—Mr. A. B. Petter, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is allowed leave for forty-one days, under article 269 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th August 1908.

Cuttack.

No. 3983A.—The 24th July 1908.—Mr. L. E. B. Cobden-Ramsay, Political Agent, Orissa Feudatory States, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th August 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Orissa.

No. 4004A.—The 24th July 1908.—Babu Radha Madhab Naik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for one year, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 23rd April 1908.

No. 4006A.—The 24th July 1908.—Babu Sukesh Chandra Deb Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd July 1908.

No. 4013A.—The 25th July 1908.—Mr. S. J. Mirza, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-three days, under article 242(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st July 1908.

Bankura.

No. 4049A.—The 27th July 1908.—Mr. C. A. Radice, Deputy Commissioner, Hazaribagh, is allowed leave for one month and eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th August 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Hazaribagh.

No. 4073A.—The 28th July 1908.—Mr. Atul Krishna Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balasore, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 20th July 1908.

Balasore.

No. 4092A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Satyendra Nath Batabyal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hazaribagh, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th July 1908.

Hazaribagh.

No. 4117A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Sushil Chandra Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th August 1908.

Murshidabad.

No. 4137A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Bankura.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 4048A.—The 27th July 1908.*—Captain Herbert William Shaweross, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Bridge, leave of absence for six months, with effect from the 8th August 1908.

POLICE.—*No. 4120A.—The 28th July 1908.*—Mr. H. A. S. Burt, Superintendent of Police, Puri, is allowed leave for one month and eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st August 1908.

Puri.

No. 4129A.—The 28th July 1908.—Mr. W. C. Fasson, Superintendent of Police, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of leave on medical certificate for six months.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3961A.—The 23rd July 1908.*—Babu Aghor Nath Banarji, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th June 1908.

Burdwan.

No. 4041A.—The 27th July 1908.—Miss E. E. Greene, Head Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, is allowed extraordinary leave without pay for six days, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of such leave granted to her by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India.

Darjeeling.

JAILS.—*No. 4008A.—The 24th July 1908.*—Mr. T. Stewart, Deputy Superintendent, Alipore Central Jail, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-nine days, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st July 1908.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 4034A.—The 27th July 1908.—Mr. Sorab S. Day, Deputy Collector, Rajmahal, Sonthal Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Sonthal Pargs.

No. 4099A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Nityananda Ghose, Deputy Collector, Puri, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Puri.

No. 4102A.—The 28th July 1908.—The order of the 11th July 1908, vesting Mr. Emmanuel Cyril Probal, Deputy Collector, Puri, with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district, is cancelled.

Puri.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 22nd July 1908 :—

No. 2871A.—The 18th July 1908.—Mr. Gopal Chandra Banarji is posted to the district of Dacca as Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge on the termination of his present appointment as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh.

No. 2896A.—The 20th July 1908.—Babu Shyama Charan Banarji, Munsif of Karimganj, in the district of Sylhet, is allowed leave for two months, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th July 1908, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 2897A.—The 20th July 1908.—Babu Shyama Charan Chakrabatti, Munsif of Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for one day, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Appointment Department Notification No. 2213A., dated the 6th June 1908.

No. 2905A.—The 21st July 1908.—Babu Jogendra Nath Basu, Munsif of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge, Noakhali.

No. 2908A.—The 21st July 1908.—Babu Mohini Mohan Datta, Subordinate Judge of Faridpur, is allowed privilege leave for twenty-nine days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th July 1908.

No. 2909A.—The 21st July 1908.—Babu Bhagabati Charan Mitra, Munsif of Faridpur, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of the same district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Mohini Mohan Datta, or until further orders.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4072A.—The 28th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (c) of Regulation II of the Regulations made under section 1, sub-section (4), of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, for Bengal, as amended by Notification No. 2781, dated the 29th November, 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to prescribe the District Boards of the Cuttack, Balasore, Puri and Sambalpur districts, in the Orissa Division, as the group of District Boards on whose recommendation he will, after the 22nd October 1908, make a nomination to one seat in the Bengal Legislative Council.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Palamau.

No. 2817For.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Priya Nath Sarkar, Forest Ranger, first grade, attached to the Palamau Division, is appointed to act as Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, fourth grade, with effect from the 8th June 1908, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. H. Mee, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, first grade.

24-Parganas.

No. 2720L.R.—The 23rd July 1908.—Whereas an application has been made under section 18 of the Bengal Embankment Act, II (B.C.) of 1882, for silt clearance and excavation of Arapanch inner and outer khal in mile 209 of the 24-Parganas Embankment, Schedule D, No. 92, in the district of the 24-Parganas, and whereas during the course of enquiry into the matter the Collector of the 24-Parganas found it expedient to take immediate action for the excavation of the khal below the existing sluice, and whereas proceedings under section 25 of the said Act have been taken by the said Collector in respect of the above khal and whereas the said Collector after holding an enquiry under section 10 of the said Act has submitted a report in favour of the said proposal which has received the support of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, by whom it has been submitted for consideration by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal. Now therefore the Lieutenant-Governor having considered the said report and the Board's recommendation is pleased to approve of the action taken by the Collector of the 24-Parganas and also to order under section 14 of the said Act that the silt clearance and the excavation of the Arapanch inner and outer khal shall be undertaken at an estimated cost of Rs. 45,402 in accordance with the plans and estimates prepared by the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, and approved and sanctioned respectively by the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle, and the Chief Engineer, Bengal. The cost will be realised from the zamindars of the estates benefited by the scheme.

Monghyr.

No. 2726L.R.—The 23rd July 1908.—Mr. Piyara Mirza, Deputy Collector, Monghyr, is authorised to discharge, in that district, the functions of a Collector under sections 40 and 69 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907.

Purnea.

No. 2727L.R.—The 23rd July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Ishar Husain, Deputy Collector, Purnea, is authorised to discharge, in that district, the functions of a Collector under section 40 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885) as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 2728L.R.—The 23rd July 1908.—Mr. J. Reid, I.C.S., Settlement Officer of Chota Nagpur, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one day in continuation of the privilege leave for two months and fifteen days granted to him by Government Notification No. 1963L.R., dated the 31st March 1908.

No. 2741L.R.—The 24th July 1908.—For rule 16 of the Rules under the Land Improvement and Agriculturists' Loans Acts, published with Notifications No. 1285 (L.R.) and No. 1287 (L.R.), dated the 28th February 1908, at pages 546—553 and 560—566, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1908, *substitute* the following:—

"16. The repayment of the loan shall be made in accordance with the Tables of Equated Repayments of Taccavi Loans, prepared by the Accountant-General, Bengal, similar to the annexed Form F, which show the amounts of equal annual payments necessary to repay a loan advanced with interest at 6¼ per cent. per annum for any number of years from one to twenty."

No. 2754L.R.—The 25th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (8) of section 4 of the Central Provinces Land-revenue Act, 1881 (XVIII of 1881), and with reference to section 3 of the Bengal and Assam Laws Act, 1905 (VII of 1905), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the plot of land, measuring 1,570 acres more or less, which has been excised from the forest area of the Barasambar zamindari in the district of Sambalpur, shall be a 'village' for the purposes of the first-mentioned Act, and shall be known by the name of Jharmunda.

Sambalpur.

No. 2771L.A.—The 27th July 1908.—Declaration No. 1518L.A., dated the 13th March 1908, published at page 695, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the Samastipur Municipality for the excavation of a well, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2802L.R.—The 28th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 109A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Acts, III of 1898 and I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint the District Judge of Khulna to be the Special Judge of that district, for the purpose of hearing the appeals referred to in the said section 109A.

Khulna.

No. 2821L.A.—The 28th July 1908.—Declaration No. 2016L.A., dated the 8th June 1906, published at page 1193, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem, regarding the acquisition of land, for replacing the service land of Shaikh Jonab Ali taken up by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the village of Barisa, pargana Kharija Mondalghat, zilla Midnapore, is hereby cancelled.

Midnapore.

No. 2732Jur.—The 23rd July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the transfer of the undermentioned village in the district of Burdwan from the jurisdiction of one thana to another:—

Burdwan.

Name of village.	Survey No.	Pargana.	From thana	To thana
Eruar ...	1851	Azmatshahi ...	Mangalkot	Sahibganj.

No. 2755Jur.—The 25th July 1908.—In modification of notification No. 1561T.R., dated the 27th June 1908, published at page 1214, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st July 1908, it is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to direct that with effect from the 10th July 1908, the Gobindpur subdivision, in the district of Manbhum, shall be known as the Dhanbaid subdivision, and shall comprise the thanas of Gobindpur, Jheria, Topechanchi, Nirsha and Tundi, and that the head-quarters of the subdivision shall be located at Dhanbaid.

Manbhum.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2783L.A.—The 23rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for quarters for Traffic Native Staff at Ikrah, in the village of Sheikpur, pargana Shergurh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 11 cottahs 4 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·52 acres, bounded on the north, east and west by the Danga lands of Bhiku Goala, and on the south partly by the land of East Indian Railway and partly by the Danga lands of Bhiku Goala, Patnidars, is required within the aforesaid village of Sheikpur.

Burdwan.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land for any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Hooghly-Kutwa Railway at Hooghly and in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway at Asansol.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2732L.A.—The 23rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Giridih Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for extension of thana junction road, in the village of Dhariadih, pargana Kharagdiha, zilla Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1 cottah 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Hazaribagh.

North—Tundy Road,
East—Hakim Tasuddin Hossain's house,
South— Ditto,
West—Thana junction road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dhariadih.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Giridih.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2733L.A.—The 23rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Giridih Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for setting up public latrines in the village of Makatpur, pargana Kharagdiha, zilla Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Hazaribagh.

North—Bhandaridih-Baxidih Road,
East—Dry cultivation,
South— Ditto,
West—Waste land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Makatpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Giridih.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2734L.A.—The 23rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Giridih Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for extension of Goal Tooli Road in the village of Moholichua, pargana Kharagdiha, zilla Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Hazaribagh.

North—Toondy Road,
East— Ditto,
South—Goal Tooli Road,
West—Some houses,

is required within the aforesaid village of Moholichua.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Giridih.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2735L.A.—The 23rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Giridih Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for setting up public latrine in the village of Giridih, pargana Kharagdiha, zilla Hazaribagh,

Hazaribagh.

it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—Dry cultivation,
East— Ditto,
South—Waste land,
West— Ditto,

is required within the a foresaid village of Giridih.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Giridih.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Hazaribagh.

No. 2736L.A.—The 23rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Giridih Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for trenching ground, in the village of Kamaljore, pargana Kharagdiha, zilla Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 9 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—Dry cultivation,
East—Nalla,
South—Nalla and paddy land,
West—Rahar Bari,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kamaljore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Giridih.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Hazaribagh.

No. 2737L.A.—The 23rd July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Giridih Municipality for a public purpose, viz, for trenching ground, in the village of Baramasia, pargana Kharagdiha, zilla Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 12 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—Paddy land,
East—Waste land,
South—Burning Ghat Road,
West—Slaughter-house and waste land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Baramasia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Giridih.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bankura.

No. 2743L.A.—The 24th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Bankura Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the purpose of widening the Muhammadan burial-ground road, in the village of Khudsole, pargana Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 1 cottah 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

PLOT I.

North—By Muhammadan burial-ground land,
East—By Khas Potit lands of Srikanta Raut and Bonwari Lal Banerji and paddy lands of Prem Chand Datta and others and Sukdev Rati,
South—By west maidan road,
West—By the Muhammadan burial-ground road,

PLOT II.

North and west—By paddy jote lands of Sukdev Rati,
South—By paddy jote lands of Prem Chand Datta and others,
East—By Muhammadan burial-ground road,

are required within the aforesaid village of Khudsole.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2769L.A.—The 27th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality, for a public purpose, viz., for the branch sewer to be constructed between north Sealdah Road and Upper Circular Road for the drainage of Fringe Area, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose pieces of land Nos. 24-1, 24-6, 4-2 North Sealdah Road Nos. 6-3, 6-4, 6-5 Harsi Street, and portions of Nos. 6, 7-2-1, 7-2 Harsi Street, and portion of No. 30-1-1 Upper Circular Road, in Sealdah, Dihi Punchannogram, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 4 cottahs 2 chitaks and 13 square feet, are required. The boundaries of the lands are as follows:—

24-Parganas.

PLOT A.

North—Partly by premises No. 5-1 Harsi Street, Nos. 24-5 24-4, 24-3 North Sealdah Road, and partly by premises Nos. 6-6, 7, 7-1 Harsi Street and the remaining portions of premises Nos. 7-2-1 and 7-2 Harsi Street.

South—Partly by premises No. 24-1-1 North Sealdah Road, the remaining portion of premises No. 6 Harsi Street, a private passage, premises No. 6-3-1 Harsi Street, Nos. 4, 4-1 North Sealdah Road and No. 7-1 Harsi Street.

East—Partly by premises No. 5-1 Harsi Street and No. 24 North Sealdah Road, partly by a private passage, and partly by premises No. 6-3-1 Harsi Street and No. 4 North Sealdah Road.

West—Partly by a Municipal drain and partly by premises No. 7-1-1 Harsi Street and the remaining portion of No. 7-2-1 Harsi Street and partly by premises No. 24-4 North Sealdah Road.

PLOT B.

North—Partly by the remaining portion of premises No. 301-1 Upper Circular Road and partly by Municipal drain.

South—Partly by Municipal drain and partly by the remaining portion of premises No. 301-1 Upper Circular Road.

East—Partly by Municipal drains and partly by the remaining portion of premises No. 301-1 Upper Circular Road.

West—By Upper Circular Road.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Corporation.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2770L.A.—The 27th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Rajpore Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a drain in the village of Rajpore, pargana Medanmolla, zilla 24-Parganas it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 cottah and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Municipal drain and the land belonging to Ganga Gobinda Chakerbarti, on the east by the land belonging to

24-Parganas.

Ganga Gobinda Chakraverty and by side drain of Sirkerpara Road, on the south by the land belonging to Jadu Nath Sircar, and on the west by the land belonging to Jadu Nath Sircar and Purna Chandra Ghose, is required within the aforesaid village of Rajpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Rajpore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2788L.A.—The 27th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the residence for the Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, in the village of Alipore, pargana Magura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 9 cottahs 15 chitaks and 23 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north and west by the Agri-Horticultural Society's garden, on the east by the compound of the Municipal Office of District No. IV, and on the south by land belonging to the Corporation of Calcutta, is required within the aforesaid village of Alipore.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of the 24-Parganas.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2818L.A.—The 28th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for extra sidings for stacking wagons at Ondal, in the villages of Ondal and Serampur, pargana Shergurh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 34 bighas 16 cottahs 1·77 chitaks of standard measurement equivalent to 11·51 acres, bounded on the north by the East Indian Railway Company's land; on the south by the cultivated lands of Rameswar Mondal, Khudiram Mondal, Pratap Karmakar, Krista Tanti, Mohan Roy, and khas patit land; on the east by the paddy lands of Rambistoo Bhattacherjee and khas patit danga and on the west by the East Indian Railway Company's land and khas patit danga, is required within the aforesaid villages of Ondal and Serampur.

Burdwan.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1884, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Hooghly-Katwa Railway, Hooghly, as also in the office of the District Engineer, Asansol.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3388.—The 27th July 1908.—The Notification No. 2693, dated the 30th May 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd June 1908, which declared the Dargah of Zafar Khan Ghazi at Tribani, in the district of Hooghly, to be a protected monument, is hereby confirmed under section 3 (3) of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904).

Hooghly.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 3258.—The 23rd July 1908.—The orders contained in Government Notification No. 1275, dated the 20th February 1908, granting privilege leave for two months to Babu Narayan Prasad, Sub-Registrar of Madhipura, is hereby cancelled.

No. 3354.—The 23rd July 1908.—Babu Karun Chandra Chatterjee, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Cossipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and fifteen days with effect from the 6th July 1908.

24-Parganas.

No. 3381.—The 27th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Indian Registration Act, 1877 (III of 1877), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. F. B. Bradley Birt, I.C.S., to be Registrar of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

No. 3386.—The 27th July 1908.—Babu Harihar Prosad Singh, Sub-Registrar, Tegra, in the district of Monghyr, who was granted privilege leave for sixteen days by Government Notification No. 2606, dated the 27th April 1908, has been permitted to return to duty, on the forenoon of the 11th June 1908.

Monghyr.

H. C. STRATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 509S.R.—The 25th July 1908.—Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Nadia, *vice* Maulvi Najm-ud-din Ahmad and, under section 40 of Act II of 1886, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Nadia.

No. 499-O.—The 24th July 1908.—Mr. F. J. R. Field, Factory Superintendent, Patna, on leave, reported his departure from India on the 14th July 1908.

Patna.

No. 504-O.—The 25th July 1908.—Saiyid Raza Ali, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Azamgarh, *vice* Mr. C. S. Delmerick, transferred.

Azamgarh.

Mr. J. E. Vaughan, Assistant Opium Agent, Utraula (Gonda), is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Fatehgarh, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. H. T. Howey.

Gonda. Fatehgarh.

No. 513-O.—The 28th July 1908.—Mr. H. M. Rose, Assistant Opium Agent, is granted privilege leave for one month, in extension of that granted to him in Notification No. 163T.O., dated the 4th June 1908.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4140A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3975A.—The 24th July 1908.—Babu Satya Charan Mukharji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Khulna, to be ordinarily stationed at Satkhira, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bihari Lal Chatarji, No. II, or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 4058A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Kali Prasanna Bagchi, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Serampore, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Gyanendra Chandra Banarji, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 4085A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Shyam Narayan, B.A., LL.B., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Purnea, to be ordinarily stationed at Kishanganj, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kamala Prasad, or until further orders.

Purnea.

No. 4115A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Krishna Sahay, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Saran, to be ordinarily stationed at Chapra, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Yusuf Ali, or until further orders.

Saran.

No. 4123A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Narendra Lal Basu, B.L., is appointed to act as an Additional Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Purulia and Chaibassa, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Khagendra Nath Bose, or until further orders.

Chota Nagpur.

LEAVE.

No. 4105A.—The 23rd July 1908.—Babu Kamala Prasad, Munsif of Kishanganj, in the district of Purnea, is allowed leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Purnea.

The 23rd July 1908.—Babu Bijay Gopal Chatarji, Munsif of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for four days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 1st July 1908.

Jessore.

No. 4106A.—The 24th July 1908.—Babu Gyanendra Chandra Banarji, Munsif of Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave for forty-eight days, viz., two days under article 247 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 3rd August 1908.

Hooghly.

No. 4107A.—The 27th July 1908.—Babu Bijay Keshab Mitra, Munsif of Dantan, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for twenty days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 18th May 1908.

Midnapore.

The 27th July 1908.—Babu Khagendra Nath Bose, Additional Munsif of Purulia and Chaibassa, in Chota Nagpur, is allowed leave for twenty days, viz., three days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 17th August 1908, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

Chota Nagpur.

POWERS.

No. 3929A.—The 22nd July 1908.—Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (2), section 8 of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to invest Mr. V. B. Colden-Ramsay, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Hazaribagh, with the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of the said section.

Hazaribagh.

No. 3969A.—The 24th July 1908.—Mr. Charu Chandra Chakrabatti, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Basirhat, 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

24-Parganas.

No. 4037A.—The 27th July 1908.—Babu Braja Durlabh Hajra, Deputy Magistrate, Cuttack, is vested with powers under sections 133 and 521 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Cuttack.

No. 4090A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Amrita Lal Gupta, Deputy Magistrate, Bhadrak, Balasore, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Balasore.

No. 4125A.—The 28th July 1908.—Mr. W. H. Nelson, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Midnapore, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Midnapore.

Mr Nelson is also vested with powers under section 435 of that Code.

No. 4127A.—The 28th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Hasan Mirza, Deputy Magistrate, Midnapore, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Midnapore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS

No. 2400J.—The 24th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Munshi Mohiuddin Khan to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Bongong Independent Bench, in the district of Bhagalpur.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2405J.—The 24th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Wahid-ud-din Haidar to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sasaram Independent Bench in the district of Shahabad. He is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Shahabad.

RESIGNATION.

No. 2432J.—The 27th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Dhan Kumar Aikat of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Madhubani Independent Bench, in the district of Darbhanga.

Darbhanga.

POWERS.

No. 2430J.—The 27th July 1908.—Under section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Mahabir Prasad Misra, an Honorary Magistrate of the Madhubani Independent Bench, in the district of Darbhanga, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class in respect to cases which may be made over to him for trial within the limits of the Madhubani subdivision.

Darbhanga.

No. 2434J.—The 27th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Bakar, an Honorary Magistrate of the Samastipur Independent Bench, in the district of Darbhanga, is authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Samastipur subdivision in that district.

Darbhanga.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2379P.—The 27th July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, subsection (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Bhut Nath Ghosh, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. III—Mosagram, in thana Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Jogendra Nath Mitra, *removed*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Burdwan.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Bhut Nath Ghosh for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2380P.— The 27th July 1908.—The Notification No. 1178P.D., dated the 28th June 1906, published at pages 1330 and 1331, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th July 1906, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Jogendra Nath Mitra, as President of panchayat of Union No. III—Mosagram, in thana Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Burdwan.

No. 2473P.—The 28th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following further amendments be made in Proclamation No. 2544P.D., dated the 5th October 1907, published at page 1787, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, and in Notification No. 4554P., dated the 17th December 1907, published at page 2226, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, as amended by Notification No. 1769P., dated the 31st March 1908, which was published at page 787 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1908, namely :—

Patna.

Omit "diara No. 935" and "Mangarpal, within the jurisdiction of the Mauer Police Station."

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2420P.—The 27th July 1908.—In the Notification No. 2178P., dated the 14th July 1908, published at page 1276, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, regarding the change of designation of the Saifganj police-station, in the district of Purnea, from "Saifganj" to "Katihar," *for* "subdivision Kissenganj," *read* "Sadar subdivision."

Purnea.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 22nd July 1908.

No. 141.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the formation of a temporary Public Works Division, to be designated "Brickfields Division" comprising the brickfields at Akra, Bally and Russa, with effect from the 1st August 1908, or subsequent date.

2. The Division will be under the control of the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle.

No. 142.—Mr. R. Coryton, Temporary Engineer, is appointed to be Executive Engineer of the "Brickfields Division."

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 27th July 1908.

No. 143.—The undermentioned Assistant Engineers passed the Professional Examination under paragraphs 167—169 of the Public Works Department Code, volume I, on the 15th July 1908:—

Mr. R. J. Angus.
„ C. P. M. Harrison.
Mr. F. A. Betterton.
„ H. C. Vieyra.
Mr. K. K. Chatarji.

The 28th July 1908.

No. 144.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following promotion in the Engineer Establishment with effect from the 25th April 1908:—

Name.	From	To	Nature of promotion.
Mazumdar, Shashi Bhushan ...	Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade.	Permanent.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 24th July 1908.

No. 82Marine.—Mr. C. F. Keys, Acting Branch Pilot, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under article 676(*a*) of Civil the Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st July 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 4141A.

No. 3978A.—The 24th July 1908.—Babu Gurudas Sarkar, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Lalbagh, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for one month, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Murshidabad.

No. 4053A.—The 27th July 1908.—Babu Radha Krishna Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chota Nagpur Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Ranchi.

No. 4056A.—The 27th July 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Upadhyay, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is confirmed in the second grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, with effect from the 28th October 1907.

Murshidabad.

No. 4060A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Rameswar Prasad, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Patna Division.

Patna Division.

No. 4096A.—The 28th July 1908.—Babu Shailesh Nath Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jessore, is confirmed in the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, with effect from the 28th October 1907.

Jessore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6095, dated Calcutta, the 25th July 1908.—Captain G. King, I.M.S., made over charge of the Puri Jail to Captain D. Munro, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 7th July 1908.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 6164, dated Calcutta, the 20th July 1908.—The following 4th-year student passed the final examination for Hospital Assistant from the Temple Medical School, Patna :—

Second Division.

1. S. M. Akram Iman.

No 6216, dated Calcutta, the 21st July 1908.—Senior Assistant Surgeon, Babu Kshirod Chandra Chaudhuri, of the Burdwan Dispensary, is granted privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 23rd May 1908.

No. 6219, dated Calcutta, the 21st July 1908.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon, Babu Surendra Nath Datta, is appointed with effect from the 23rd May 1908 to act at the Burdwan Dispensary during the absence, on leave, of senior Assistant Surgeon, Babu Kshirod Chandra Chaudhuri, or until further orders.

No. 6466 dated Calcutta, the 27th July 1908 —The following fourth year students passed the final examination for Hospital Assistants from the Medical School, Cuttack :—

1. Harigopal Bhattacherji.
2. Mohini Mohun Hazra.
3. Shasanka Sekkar Dhar.
4. Sanat Kumar Chakravarty.

No. 6547, dated Calcutta, th 28th July 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon, Maulvi Ali Ahmad, is appointed, with effect from the 8th June 1908, to act at the Russapagla Dispensary, 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of third grade Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Saiyid Mukhtar Ahmad, or until further orders.

No. 6550, dated Calcutta, the 28th July 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Saiyid Mukhtar Ahmad of the Russapagla Dispensary, 24-Parganas, is granted leave on medical certificate for three months under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th June 1908.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABU SRISH CHANDRA MAJUMDAR, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Dumka Treasury from the 27th July 1908 and has been authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries, *vice* Babu Prfaulla Chandra Ghose.

H. W. P. SCROOPE, *Deputy Commissioner*

DUMKA, *the 24th July 1908.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

NOTIFICATION.

It is notified for general information that the order, issued by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal with their letter No. 649, dated the 14th March 1883, to the address of the District Judge of Jessore, directing, with the sanction of the Government of Bengal, under section 22 of the Bengal Civil Courts Act, VI of 1871, that all appeals from the decrees and orders of the Munsifs of Khulna, Bagirhat and Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, shall be preferred to the Court of the Subordinate Judge of that district, is hereby cancelled

2. All such appeals shall in future be preferred to the Court of the District Judge of Khulna as provided by section 21 (2) of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
CIVIL,
The 24th July 1908.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

Sheriff's Office, the 15th July 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1908 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the twelfth day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute

P. C. TAGORE, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৮ সাল তারিখ ১৫ই জুলাই।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৮ সালের ১২ই, আগষ্ট বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৮ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

পিঃ সিঃ ঠাকুর, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 21st July 1908.—In supersession of this office order of the 14th July 1908, Babu Kali Prasad, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Purnea (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), was absent, on leave, without allowances, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month from the 10th June 1908.

Maulvi Wazir Ali, Guru Instructor of Araria thana, acted as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Purnea, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on the usual acting allowance.

Babu Pabitra Kumar Datta, M.A., temporarily Second Assistant in the Chemical Laboratory of the Presidency College (substantively *pro tempore* in class VI), is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class V of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 25th June 1908 during the deputation of Babu Bidhubhushan Datta, or until further orders.

The 23rd July 1908.—The following confirmations are sanctioned:—

(1) Babu Syama Charan Batabyal, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Birbhum (class VIII), with effect from the 2nd February 1908.

(2) Babu Bejoy Nath Mukerjea, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Birbhum (class VIII), with effect from the 17th February 1908.

(3) Maulvi Muhammad Abul Muzhar, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Birbhum (class VIII), with effect from the 23rd February 1908.

(4) Babu Sarat Chandra Banerjea, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Hooghly (class VIII), with effect from the 23rd March 1908.

(5) Babu Sasi Bhushan Banerjea, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Hooghly (class VIII), with effect from the 23rd March 1908.

(6) Babu Kumud Mohan Ganguli, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bankura (class VIII), with effect from the 14th January 1908.

(7) Babu Bhupendra Krishna Ghosh, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Bankura (class VIII), with effect from the 23rd January 1908.

(8) Babu Kali Pada Mukerjea, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bankura, (class VIII), with effect from the 15th March 1908.

Babu Gopal Chandra Maity, B.A., is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Midnapore, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 4th February 1908.

The 24th July 1908.—Babu Hridaynath Datta, B.A., is appointed temporarily to be Assistant Head Master of the Jessore Zilla School, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment.

This cancels the orders of the 7th March 1908, appointing Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, M.A., temporarily to be Assistant Head Master of the Jessore Zilla School, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service.

The 25th July 1908.—Babu Nritya Gopal Pal, M.A., Third Assistant in the Chemical Laboratory of the Presidency College (class VII), is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 21st April 1908, in the resulting vacancy arising from the death of Babu Prasanna Kumar Ghosh, Head Master, Hazaribagh Zilla School.

The 27th July 1908.—Babu Sures Chandra Gupta, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack, and in class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 45 a month, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, during the deputation of Babu Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta to the Training Class opened in connexion with the Hindu and Hare Schools, Calcutta.

Babu Siba Prasad Bhattacherjea, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Hooghly Collegiate School, and in class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 40 a month, with effect from the 1st July 1908, during the deputation of Babu Kali Prasanna Bose to the Training Class opened in connexion with the Hindu and Hare Schools in Calcutta.

Babu Karunamoy Roy, B.A., is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the Barrackpore Government School, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, during the deputation of Babu Pramatha Nath Bhattacherjea to the Training Class opened in connexion with the Hindu and Hare Schools in Calcutta.

The following arrangements are sanctioned in the Khulna Zilla School, during the deputation of Babu Narayan Das Ghosh, Assistant Head Master of that school, to the Training Class opened in connexion with the Hindu and Hare Schools in Calcutta:—

(1) Babu Pyari Mohan Mukerjea, B.A., Assistant Master in the Khulna Zilla School (class VI), is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the same institution, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Narayan Das Ghosh.

(2) Babu Dwijendra Nath Datt Chaudhury, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Khulna Zilla School, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, *vice* Babu Pyari Mohan Mukerjea.

Babu Dharanindra Nath Chatterjea, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Hindu School, and in class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 35 a month, with effect from the 1st July 1908, during the deputation of Babu Jatindra Nath Mukerjea to the Training Class opened in connexion with the Hindu and Hare Schools in Calcutta.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES, INDIA.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

NOTICE.

AN examination for candidates requiring first and second Class Coal Mine Managers Certificates of Competency under the rules applying to coal mines will be held at the Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles Club, Asansol, on the 5th, 6th and 7th August 1908.

Only persons who have had practical experience in a coal mine are eligible for the examination (*vide* Rules 32 and 33). The necessary instructions will be supplied to intending candidates on application to the Department of Mines, 9, Dacre's Lane, Calcutta.

Applications will be received up to the 15th July 1908 inclusive.

J. R. R. WILSON,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd May 1908.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 3283B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 4th August 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of 1905-06 ...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of 1,739 chests of season 1905-06 and 211 chests of season 1906-07	1,950
Total ...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application in the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th August 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th August 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 20th August 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next, on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 1st September 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 13th October „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	7,800	7,800	15,600

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th June 1908*.

No. 3910B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 1st September 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of ...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of ...	1,950
Total ...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 16th September 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 16th September 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 13th October 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November ,, ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December ,, ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	5,850	5,850	11,700

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

J. N. MITRA,

for Secretary.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, the 24th July 1908.

No. 3797 B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. E. W. COLLIN, I.C.S.

Dated Calcutta, the 21st July 1908.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 75 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Board of Revenue, L. P., direct that the following revised form shall be substituted for the form of baggage receipt annexed to the rules, published under Notification No. 6795B., dated the 2nd December 1907, at pages 2119-2129 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th idem for the landing and shipping of passengers' baggage and the passing of the same through the Calcutta Custom House.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Secretary.

NO. A.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS. BAGGAGE RECEIPT. *Dated* 19 .

PASSENGER PER S.S.

No. of pkgs.	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.	Value.	Rate of duty.	Duty.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.

FIRE-ARMS.

Rifle, Gun, Pistol or Revolver.	
Description. Single or Double barrel ...	
Description. Rifle or Smooth-bore ...	
Maker's name	
Number	
Bore	
Range to which sighted	

INSPECTOR.

FIRE-ARMS.

Rifle, Gun, Pistol or Revolver.	
Description. Single or Double barrel ...	
Description. Rifle or Smooth-bore ...	
Maker's name	
Number	
Bore	
Range to which sighted	

INSPECTOR.

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of July 1908, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th July 1908.

Description of Salt.	In Bonded Warehouses in Calcutta.					Transactions during half-month from the 1st to the 15th July 1908 inclusive.			
	In Sulkea (Government) golas.	In Kidderpore Dock (Government) golas.				Quantity on which duty has been paid	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship's board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and to inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—									
Liverpool and other Panga salt	32,857	2,74,996	3,07,853	16,206	3,24,059	1,06,144	2,74,200	98,030	99,396
Other European countries—									
Spanish salt	5,39,907	84,776	6,24,683	83,347	7,08,030	1,11,232	2,74,547	64,060	54,911
Hamburg and Bremen salt	3,71,960	4,650	3,76,310	93,474	3,99,784	69,328	54,444	19,150	61,012
Hamburg rock	2,179	.....	2,179	.....	2,179	501	..	.....	.....
Port Said salt	1,15,086	.....	1,15,086	.....	1,15,086	38,163	.....		43,985
Aden and Red Sea—									
Aden salt	68,562	2,900	66,462	8,974	75,436	80,900	.....	73,630	45,723
Salif salt	1,93,417	24,856	2,18,273	.....	2,18,273	70,992	.....	.....	84,375
Do. rock salt	6,125		6,125	.....	6,125	703	.....	.....	180
Rawayah salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat and Persian Gulf—									
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	.....	.....							
Ditto ditto rock salt	.....	.....							
British India—									
Bombay salt	2,32,571	3,807	2,36,378	.....	2,36,378	49,211*			36,850
Madras salt	.....	.....							
Cocanada salt	.....	.....							
Vizagapatam salt									
Other places—									
Phoree salt	40,442	.....	40,442	.. ..	40,442				900
Total	16,07,306	3,05,985	20,02,771	1,92,091	21,34,772	4,77,660	6,03,191	2,55,710	4,27,335

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	
Ditto in Sulkea golas	4,375
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	4,114
Abandoned and destroyed	258

In transit—

	Mds.
Liverpool and other Panga salt	24,406
Hamburg and Bremen salt	2,720
Spanish salt	50,680
Aden salt	5,200

* This quantity includes 48,233 maunds Bombay Karkatch salt on which the duty was paid in Bombay.

P. R. CADELL,

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 24th July 1908.* *Collector of Customs.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, on Monday, the 24th August 1908, in Ward No. IV of the Bansberia Municipality in the district of Hooghly, to fill up the vacancy caused by the removal of the name of Babu Karuna Nidhan Singha.

S. L. MADDOX, *Offg. Commr.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 21st July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on Saturday, the 3rd October 1908, in thana Amta, for the election of a member of the Uluberia Local Board, *vice* Babu Annada Charan Chakrabartty, deceased.

A. W. COOK, *Magistrate.*

HOWRAH, *the 22nd July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held on the 15th July 1908, in Ward No. III of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, Kazi Abdul Wahid has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward, in the place of Maulvi Abdul Alim, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Personal Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen are appointed to be additional members of the Committee for the Management of the District Board Dispensary at Sherghati, in the district of Gaya, under rule 21(*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal:—

1. Babu Doman Lal.
2. ,, Kishun Lal.
3. Pandit Barham Pathak.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Addl. Commissioner of Patna.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 22nd July 1908.*

ERRATUM.

IN the notification dated the 23rd June 1908, published at page 1260, Part I, of the *Calcutta-Gazette* of 8th July 1908, regarding the election of a Commissioner of the Bansberia Municipality in the district of Hooghly, *for* "Babu Satindra Deb Rai Mahasay" *read* "Satindra Deb Rai Mahasay."

S. L. MADDOX, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 21st July 1908.*

ERRATUM.

IN the notification of the 12th June 1908 regarding the appointment of members of the several Local Boards in the district of Khulna, published at page 1147, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th June 1908, for "Suk Lal Mazumdar" *read* "Suk Lal Nag Mozumdar."

J. G. CUMMING, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 27th July 1908.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 18th July 1908.*]

No. 2447J.—The 28th July 1908.—The following is republished for general information

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6644—131, dated Simla, the 15th July 1908.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

THE following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the power conferred by section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), is published, as required by the said section, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on or after the 19th day of October 1908, and any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before that date will be considered by the Governor-General in Council.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that for the Provisos to Rules 32 and 33 of the Rules regarding Mine Managers' certificates published with Notification, No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

Proviso to Rule 32.—Provided that this period shall be reduced to four years, and may, if the Board of Examiners think fit, be further reduced to three years, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining training after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

Proviso to Rule 33.—Provided that this period shall be reduced to two years, and may, if the Board of Examiners think fit, be further reduced to one year, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining training after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 25th July 1908.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 24th July 1908.

No. 975.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Woodroffe, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted furlough from the 8th November 1908 to the 31st August 1909, both days inclusive.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 22nd July 1908.

No. 7612-6.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that, for the corresponding items of entry No. 7 in the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 10889—37, dated the 20th December 1907, the following shall be substituted with effect from the 25th July 1908, namely :—

No.	Names of articles.	Per.	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
7	Spices—		Rs. A. P.	
	* * * * *			
	Betelnuts, raw, whole, split, or splieed, from Straits.	Cwt.	7 8 0	5 per cent.
	* * * * *			
	Pepper, black	,,	28 0 0	5 ,,

B. ROBERTSON;
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1106L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Deputy Commissioner of Palamau to be the Chairman of the District Board of Palamau.

Palamau.

No. 1108L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the District Magistrate of Puri to be the Chairman of the District Board of Puri.

Puri.

No. 1110L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the District Magistrate of Cuttack to be the Chairman of the District Board of Cuttack.

Cuttack.

No. 1112L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the District Magistrate of Saran to be the Chairman of the District Board of Saran.

Saran.

No. 1114L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant Governor is pleased to re-appoint the District Magistrate of Champaran to be the Chairman of the District Board of Champaran.

Champaran.

No. 1116L.S.-G.—The 21st July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the District Magistrate of Darbhanga to be the Chairman of the District Board of Darbhanga.

Darbhanga.

No. 1151M.—The 24th July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Revd. W. E. Careless to be a Commissioner of the Howrah Municipality, in the district of Howrah, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Kadir, resigned.

Howrah.

No. 1158M.—The 24th July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Bankura Municipality, in the district of Bankura, of Babu Gagan Lal Pathak to be their Chairman during the absence, on leave, of Babu Rash Bihari Banarji.

Bankura.

No. 1169L.S.-G.—The 24th July 1908.—Under rule 9 of the rules framed under section 5 of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, it is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends to sanction the following application from the District Board of Murshidabad, for a loan of Rs. 34,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, and repayable in forty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 1,242-14-4 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said district.

Murshidabad.

Application to the Government for a loan of Rs. 34,000.

rk or works construction irs of which is required, estimate of et thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	RECEIPT OF LOAN. (a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) Rate of interest.	(c) The number of the instalments, if any, in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The dates proposed for receiving such instalments.	REPAYMENT OF LOAN. (f) Date of instalments, if any.	Amount of each instalment.	A DETAILED ACCOUNT OF THE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITY FOR THE LAST THREE PRECEDING YEARS.							All existing prior charges upon the funds of the local authority.
											Revenue.				Expenditure.			
											Sources from which the revenue is derived.	Amount for 1905-1906.	Amount for 1906-1907.	Amount for 1907-1908.	Objects on which the expenditure was incurred.	Amount for 1905-1906.	Amount for 1906-1907.	Amount for 1907-1908.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
3. Metalling road from Rezinagar to Gardusra ... ... 5,432 4. Ditto road from Chunakhali to Kalloo ... ... 85,787 5. Ditto road from Chunakhali to Jellingee 16,301	Rs. 34,000.	Murshidabad District Fund.	The Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885.	Twenty years.	4 per cent. per annum.	One instalment.	Rs. 34,000.	1st December 1908.	Forty equal half-yearly instalments payable on the 1st June and 1st December, each year commencing from 1st June 1909 till the loan is paid off.	Rs. 1,242-14-4.									A loan of Rs. 20,000 sanctioned by Government for railway feeder roads.
												Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
											Opening balance	43,976	94,653	56,456	Administration	5,049	5,001	4,711	
											Land Revenue	.....	.....	.....	Police	671	1,149	953	
											Provincial rates	67,866	64,593	63,540	Education	27,748	21,415	24,877	
											Interest	729	627	588	Medical	4,445	6,630	5,771	
											Police	13,025	13,029	13,319	Scientific and other Minor Departments.	1,079	1,255	935	
											Education	12	8	8	Superannuation	.....	.....	.....	
											Medical	.....	.....	.....	Allowance and Pension	804	1,461	1,269	
											Scientific and other Minor Departments.	1,565	776	844	Stationery and Printing ...	942	945	1,040	
											Stationery and Printing ...	.....	.....	.....	Miscellaneous	555	661	280	
											Miscellaneous	2,524	1,196	1,162	Famine relief	.....	.....	1,441	
											Civil works	52,917	33,481	51,417	Civil works	62,234	1,24,975	1,06,123	
											Contribution	8,203	4,687	4,674	Contribution	916	992	.....	
															Total ...	1,04,453	1,67,494	1,47,350	
											Total ...	1,91,117	2,18,932	1,91,008	Repayment of loans	.....	.....	.....	
											Deposits and advances ...	12,651	26,990	13,946	Advances and deposits	12,257	16,102	15,184	
															Closing balance	97,058	56,456	41,879	
											GRAND TOTAL ...	2,03,768	2,40,042	2,04,954	GRAND TOTAL ...	2,03,768	2,40,042	2,04,413	

No. 1171M.—The 24th July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Bhudeb Banarji to be a Commissioner of the Arambagh Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Bnupati Charan Gossami.

Hooghly.

No. 1189L.S.-G.—The 25th July 1908 —In exercise of the power conferred by section 15 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the several Local Boards in the district of Monghyr :—

Monghyr.

Local Boards.	*Names of Members.*
Sadar ...	Babu Chandi Prasad Misra. „ Shiba Nandan Prasad Singh. „ Baijnath Goenka. „ Dalip Narayan Singh. „ Priya Nath Banarji. Maulvi Hidayat Husain. „ Nisar Ali Khan. „ Shah Muhammad Kasim. „ Azizul Hakk. „ Shaikh Rahmat Ali. „ Shah Sami Ahmad. Mr. A. Ambler.
Jamui ..	Rao Maheswari Prasad Singh. Babu Ashutosh Bhattacharji. „ Mathura Prasad Singh. Maulvi Amir Safdar. Kazi Muzaffar Ahmad. Babu Shiba Narayan Singh. „ Jadu Prashad. Gajadhur Prashad. Bamdeb Prasad Singh. Rup Narayan Singh. Ram Prasad Singh. Maulvi Abdul Wahid.
Begusarai ...	Mr. L. O'Reilly. „ C. Crowdy. „ W. Barrow. „ E. Finch. Babu Achyutanand Sahay. „ Sri Narayan. „ Nand Kishor Lal. „ Banarsi Prasad Singh. „ Ras Dhari Singh. Maulvi Muhammad Najimuddin. „ Muhammad Amiruddin Ashraf. Babu Debaki Nandan.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

THE following are declared to have passed the 4th grade Public Works Department Accounts Examination held at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, under the authority of Public Works Department Code of 1901:—

(*In order of merit.*)

Examination Registration No.			Centre.
167	1.	Jitendra Nati Mustafi	Civil Engineering College.
181	2.	Bimol Behari Roy	Ditto.
4	3.	Charles Granville Mac Rae	Ditto.
82	4.	Alfred W. Domingo	Ditto.
125	5.	Bradford Joachim	Ditto.
71	6.	Chinta Haran Chatterji	Shillong.
93	7.	Kshetra Mohan Banerji	Civil Engineering College.
5	8.	Nilmoni Mukerji	Ditto.
40	9.	Lakshmi Narayan Roy	Ditto.
52	10.	N. Srinivasam	Rangoon.
23	11.	Sunda Ram	Bombay.
175	12.	Bhupendra Nath Ghose	Civil Engineering College.
9		Bepin Behari Sur	Ditto.
13		Ram Bhusan Chakravarti	Ditto.
105		T. Amaji Rao	Ditto.
185		M. P. Venkati Raya	Ditto.

The following candidates not in Government employ over 25 years of age, have also passed the Examination at the Civil Engineering College Centre:—

6P	1.	Satis Chandra Das.
7P	2.	Narendra Chandra Dutt.
4P	3.	Anath Nath Haldar.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

AWARD OF JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS, 1908.

No.	Name of Scholar.	School from which he appeared.	College in which the scholarship is made tenable.
1	2	3	
	First grade (7), value Rs. 20.		
1	Gobinda Charan Das ...	Uttarpara Government School	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Durgagati Chattoraj ...	Bankura Zilla School	Hooghly College.
3	Haridas Bhattacharji .	Oriental Seminary	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Surendra Kumar Ray ...	Okersa High English School ...	Presidency College.
	Harischandra Mukerji	Hindu School	Ditto.
	Kalidas Mitra ...	Ditto	Calcutta Christian College.
	Balbhadra Prasad Jyotishi	Ranchi Zilla School ...	Presidency College.
	Town of Calcutta.		
	Second grade (6), value Rs. 15.		
1	Amiruddin Ahmad	Calcutta Madrasah	Calcutta Madrasah.
2	Jnanan Kar De	City Collegiate School ..	City College.
3	Jnendranath Basu	Hindu School	Presidency College.
4	Binod Lal Chakrabarti	Ditto	Ditto.
5	Anilendra Nath Ganguli ...	London Missionary Society Institution, Bhawanipur.	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Mohitosh Kumar Ray Chaudhuri.	South Suburban School ...	Presidency College.
	Third grade (11), value Rs. 10.		
1	Asutosh Kundu	Hindu School	Presidency College.
2	Ajay Kumar Gupta ...	Ditto	Ditto.
3	Nibaran Chandra Ray ...	Morton Institution ...	Medical College.
4	Mohit Krishna Bhattacharji ...	Khelat Chandra Institution ...	St. Xavier's College.
5	Bimala Kanta Sarkar ...	Hindu School	Presidency College.
6	Jitendranath Banerji ...	Kalighat High School ...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhawanipore.
7	Mani Kumar Mukerji ...	Metropolitan Institution ...	Ditto.
8	Abu Salim Sorajul Haq ...	London Missionary Society Institution, Bhawnipur.	London Missionary Society Institution, Bhawanipur.
9	Khages Chandra Maitra ...	Hare School	Presidency College.

No.	Name of Scholar.	School from which he appeared.	College in which the scholarship is made tenable.
1	2	3	4
	Third grade (11), value Rs. 10—concld.		
10	Gopendra Krishna Sarkar ...	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.	St. Xavier's College.
11	Probodh Chandra Sen ...	Hindu School	Presidency College.
	Presidency Division (outside Calcutta.)		
	Second grade (6).		
1	Satis Chandra Hajari ...	Banwaribad High English School.	Krishnath College, Berhampore.
2	Pramathnath Bhattacharji ...	London Missionery Society School, Khagra.	Ditto.
3	Anukul Chandra Mukerji ...	Jangipur High English School	Ditto.
4	Rajendra Bhushan Baksi ...	Narail Victoria Collegiate School	Narail Victoria Collegiate School
5	Surendranath Ghosh ...	Kushtea High English School	Ripon College.
6	Hem Chandra Ghosh ..	Taki Government School ...	Krishnath College, Berhampore.
	Third grade (12).		
1	Purna Chandra Banerji ...	Barui,ur High English School	Scottish Churches College.
2	Suresh Chandra Chatterji ...	Baraset Government School ...	Presidency College.
3	Badal Chandra Ghosh ...	Bawali High English School...	Ripon College.
4	Prophulla Nath Maulik ...	Baraset Government School ...	Ditto.
5	Hemendra Kumar Basu ...	Krishnagar Collegiate School...	Krishnagar College.
6	Rakhalraj Saha ...	Kushtea High English School	Ripon College.
7	Harendra Narayan Sanyal ...	Kanchantola J. D. J. Institution	Krishnath College, Berhampore
8	Bholanath Mukerji ...	Banwaribad High English School	Ditto.
9	Nirodebandhu Ray ...	Sailkupa High English School	Scottish Churches College.
10	Nilmadhab Datta ...	Ditto	Pabna Institution.
11	Sudba Kanta Mukerji ...	Khula Zilla School ...	Ripon College.
12	Kaliranjan Chakrabarti ...	Satkhira Prannath High English School.	Ditto.
	Burdwan Division.		
	Second grade (6).		
1	Amulya Charan Pal ...	Howrah Zila School ...	Presidency College.
2	Srinath Chandra Jana ...	Midnapore Collegiate School ...	Midnapore College.

No.	NAME OF SCHOLAR.	School from which he appeared.	College in which the scholarship is made tenable.
1	2	3	4
	BURDWAN DIVISION—*concld.*		
	Second grade (*6*)—concld.		
3	Dharjatidas Chakrabarti ...	Bandgora High English ...	Presidency College.
4	Isan Chandra Mahanti ...	Bankura Zilla School ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
5	Nanigopal Mukerji ...	Rampurhat High English School.	Berhampore College.
6	Jitendra Prasad Sen ...	Bishenpur High English School	Dacca College.
	Third grade (*12*).		
1	Ambujaksha Banerji ...	Raniganj High English School	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
2	Gopendra Krishna Goswami ...	Burdwan Municipal School ...	Burdwan Raj College.
3	Banbihari Das	Birbhum Zilla School ...	Hetampur K. C. College.
4	Sasibhushan Karmakar ...	Bishnupur High English School	City College, Calcutta.
5	Nilkanta Bhattacharji ...	Ditto ditto ...	Sanskrit College.
6	Kshirod Chandra Maiti ...	Midnapore Hindu School ...	Ripon College.
7	Narendra Nath Dutt ...	Midnapore Collegiate School ...	Midnapore College.
8	Birendra Lal Mitra ...	Tamluk Hamilton School ...	Metropolitan Institution.
9	Kali Krishna Mukerji ...	Chatra High English School ...	Ripon College.
10	Kisori Mohan De ...	Uttarpara Government School	Uttarpara College.
11	Krishna Kisor Pal ...	Howrah Zilla School ...	Presidency College.
12	(*Abeyance.*)		
	PATNA DIVISION.		
	Second grade (*6*).		
1	Anugra Narayan Sinha ...	Gaya Zilla School ...	Patna College.
2	Jogendra Nath Ghosh ...	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipore.	Ditto.
3	Mahadeb Chakrabarti ...	Mukerji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.	B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
4	Dwarika Nath Mazumdar ...	Bankipore Anglo-Sanskrit School.	Patna College.
5	Krishnadeva Prasad ...	Patna Diamond Jubilee School	Ditto.
6	Raghu Nandan Panday ...	Chapra Zilla School ...	Ditto.

No.	Name of Scholar	School from which he appeared.	College in which the scholarship is made tenable.
1	2	3	4
		Third grade (12).	
1	Nabajiban Banerji ...	Ram Mohan Roy Seminary, Bankipore.	Patna College.
2	Bilas Chandra Banerji ...	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipore.	B. N. College, Bankipore.
3	Nanda Lal Sarkar ..	Gaya Town School ...	Ditto.
4	Bhagwan Sahay ...	Dumraon Raj High English School.	Patna College.
5	Anil Chandra Gupta ...	Dumraon Raj High English School.	Patna College.
6	Raghu Nath Sircar ...	Chapra Zilla School ...	Ditto. ditto.
7	Jatindra Nath Sen Gupta ...	Hutwa Eden School ...	Ditto. ditto.
8	Rammauni Prasad ...	Matihari Zilla School ...	Ditto. ditto.
9	Shaikh Ghulampur ...	Muzaffarpur B. B. Collegiate School.	Muzaffarpur B. B. College.
10	Surendra Nath Gupta ...	Muzaffarpur Zilla School ...	B. M. Institution, Barisal.
11	Raghu Chandra Chaudhuri ...	Madhubani Watson School ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpore.
12	Ramanand Misra ...	Ditto. ditto.	Ditto. ditto.
		Bhagalpore Division.	
		Second grade (3).	
1	Sudhansu Kumar Banerji ...	Dumka Zilla School ...	Presidency College.
2	Satyanarayan Jha ...	Training Academy, Monghyr ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpore.
3	Sadhu Charan Mandal ...	Jamtara Jung Bahadur Coronation School.	Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
		Third grade (9).	
1	Rakhal Das Ray ...	Bhagalpore Zilla School ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpore.
2	Prophulla Kumar Chanda ...	Ditto. ditto.	Ditto. ditto.
3	Ambika Prasad Sinha ...	Monghyr Zilla School ...	D. J. College, Monghyr.
4	Chittatosh Mitra ...	Jamalpur High English School	T. N. Jubilee College, Monghyr.
5	Rashagobinda Ghosh ...	Dumka Zilla School ...	Hetampur Raj College.
6	Kalidas Panday ...	Pakur Raj High English School	Presidency College.
7	Sachindra Kumar Sen Gupta ...	Purnea Zilla School ...	Scottish Churches College.

No.	Name of Scholar.	School from which he appeared.	College in which the scholarship is made tenable.
1	2	3	4
	Third grade (9)—concld.		
8	Basanta Kumar Chatterji ...	Kishenganj High English School.	Scottish Churches College.
9	Phanindaa Kumar Chakravarti	Darjeeling High School ...	Ditto. ditto.
	Orissa Division.		
	Second grade (4).		
1	Robindra Mohan Datta ...	P. M. Academy, Cuttack ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
2	Shaikh Mansoor ...	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack.	Ditto. ditto.
3	Harihar Das	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
4	Kripasindhu Misra ...	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
	Third grade (8).		
1	Narain Misra	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack.	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
2	Mirza Furkhund Ali Baig ...	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
3	Gopabandhu Chaudhuri ...	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
4	Lakshminarayan Sahu ...	Balasore Zilla School ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
5	Chandramohan Patra ...	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
6	Birendra Nath Chakrabarti ...	Puri Zilla School ...	Hooghly College.
7	Maheswar Parhi ...	Sambalpur High English School.	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
8	Biswaksen Misra ...	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
	Chota Nagpur Division.		
	Second grade (2).		
1	Nirmal Chandra Basu ...	Chaibassa Zilla School ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
2	Nrisinha Chandra Ghosh ...	Giridih High English School	Pesidency College.
	Third grade (5).		
1	Deoki Ram	Hazaribagh Zilla School ...	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
2	Ajodhaya Persad ...	Ranchi Zilla School ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.

No.	Name of Scholar.	School from which he appeared.	College in which the scholarship is made tenable.
		3	
		Third grade (5)—concld.	
3	Rabindra Kumar Basu ...	Palamau Zilla School ...	Presidency College.
	Chandrasekhar Datta ...	Purulia Zilla School ..	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Alidad Khan	Chaibassa Zilla School ...	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
		Females.	
		First grade (1), *value Rs. 20.*	
1	Nirmala Ray ...	... Bethune School, Calcutta ...	Bethune College, Calcutta.
		Second grade (1), *value Rs. 15.*	
1	Marie McNevin ...	... Loreto House, Calcutta ...	Loreto House, Calcutta.
		Third grade (1), *value Rs. 10.*	
1	Pritibala Ghoshal	... Bethune School ...	... Bethune College.

CALCUTTA,
The 28th July 1908.

G. W. KUCHLER, M.A.,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

Dr. CHANDRA'S SCHOLARSHIP IN MATERIA MEDICA AND THERAPEUTICS.

THE above scholarship of the value of Rs. 361-8 will be awarded to the best successful candidate who will be selected at an examination to be held this year in November 1908.

The examination is open to—

(1) All senior students of the Medical College, Calcutta.
(2) Any ex-senior student of the Medical College who may at the time of the examination be studying at any Medical College in India or Europe.
(3) Any graduate or licentiate in Medicine of whatever standing and however employed who may have obtained either in Europe or in India a Medical diploma or degree entitling him to practice Medicine, provided that such graduate or licentiate at some time received a portion of his professional education in the Medical College, Calcutta.

Certificates to the effect that the candidate fulfils the above requirements, together with one of good moral character signed by a person of respectability, should be submitted to the Principal, Medical College, Calcutta, on or before the 10th October 1908.

Candidates are required to write a Thesis on "An enquiry into the Pharmacological properties and Therapeutic uses of the plant Ixora Coccinea" and submit the same to the Professor of Materia Medica and Therapeutics, Medical College, Calcutta, by the 15th November 1908.

Personal attendance at the examination is not necessary

Preference will be given to the candidate whose Thesis bears evidence of original investigation of any worth in connection with the above plant.

The scholarship will be tenable for one year; but it may be tenable for two years in case of exceptional merit on the recommendation of the examiner.

C. P. LUKIS, M.D., F.R.C.S., LT.-COL., I.M.S., *Principal, Medical College.*

CALCUTTA, *the 25th July 1908.*

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June. / To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine, and
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.
For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 12th July 1907.

R. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICES.

PROFESSOR BEPINBIHARI SEN, M.A., University Lecturer on History, will deliver his first lecture at the Senate House, College Square, on Monday next, the 3rd August, at 10 A.M.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th July 1908.

G. C. BANERJI,
Offg. Registrar.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA will deliver his next lecture on English Constitutional History at the Senate House, College Square, on Friday next, the 31st July, at 3-30 P.M.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th July 1908.

G. C. BANERJI,
Offg. Registrar.

PANDEYA RAMAVATAR SARMA, SAHITYACHARYYA, M.A., Srigopal Basu Mallik Fellow, will deliver his next public lecture at the Senate House, College Square, on Thursday next, the 30th July, at 6 P.M., on "The different Forms of Mukti."

The lecture is open to the public.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th July 1908.

G. C. BANERJI,
Offg. Registrar.

MR. HARINATH DE, M.A., University Lecturer on Comparative Philology, will deliver his first lecture on Comparative Philology on Tuesday, the 4th August, at 4-15 P.M., in the Senate House, College Square. Students intending to attend his lectures are requested to communicate with him immediately by *letter* addressed to the Imperial Library, Hare Street, Calcutta.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th July 1908.

G. C. BANERJI,
Offg. Registrar.



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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Birbhum, will be put up to sale at the Birbhum Collectorate, on Friday, the 4th September 1908, corresponding with 19th Bhadra 1315 B. S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force: and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs.	
349	Jalkar Hat Ikra, pargana Alinagore ...	.....	3	
351	Jalkar Gonutia, pargana Ichhapukhuria	186 acres	10	

Birbhum Collector's Office, the 20th July 1908.

FAZL-EL-HUQ, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the brick-field near Adra-Midnapur-Jharia Extension, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Thursday, the 24th September 1908, corresponding with the 8th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Raghunathpur Dâk Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Banchas, mauza Digilla.	346 and 347	South of the railway line.	25 12 10	8 1 35·71	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

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Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharia, mauza Jharia.	174½ in sheet No. 4.	West of the railway line.	8 5 10	2·74	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jheria Coal line, siding No. 1, Messrs. Khanga & Co., Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile in which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharia, mauza Baragarh.	130 to 131, sheet No. 5.	South and north side of the Railway line.	9 3 11·50	3 0 5·87	.....	... ...	...	
2	Ditto ...	Jharia pargana, Gopalichak mauza.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7 12 13	2 2 4·13	.....	... ...	...	
		Total ...	... ...	.....	16 16 8·50	5 2 10				

Land Acquisition Office, Manbhum, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jealgora siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 22nd September 1908, corresponding with the 6th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile in which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharia, mauza Bhumbarri.	177½	South of the Railway line.	7 7 0	2·43	.....	.....	...	
		Total ...	.....	.....	7 7 0	2·43				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
				B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, village Paddogora.	Between miles 135-137.	On the north side of the Railway line.	12 15 5	4 1 1	.....	.....	.....	
Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 8·77	3 1 27	A plot 100×100′ required for pump-house, etc.	0 0 37	.....	
Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Muchamah.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17	.....	.....	.....	
	Total ...	.....	.....	24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Ladna.	176½, sheet No. 6.	West of the Railway line	0 16 16	0·28	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, mauza Paidiadih.	Ditto ...	East of the Railway line.	2 15 9	0·92	.....	.....	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	176½, sheet No. 7.	Ditto ...	3 11 7	1·18	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...		.....	.....	2·38				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Saturday, the 22nd August 8, at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate ount is kept for that share.

	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3	Chacher, ph. Behea ...	1,713 9 8	.....	The share to be sold is 5 annas 4 pies. The ijmali shares will also be sold, other shares are excluded from the sale.	Tirbeni Prosad Singh and others.	571 3 2	.....	343 15 1
5	Amaon, ph. Chainpur	11,361 13 8	.....	The share of Khata I to be sold is— Ismailpur ... ... As. 3; Amaon ... ... 3; Amarha ... ... 3; Anantpur-Khilopur ... ... 3; Baheri ... ... 3; Piparia ... ... 3; Bhadansa ... ... 3; Nati ... ... 3; Pipra-Sakarmar ... ... 3; Pakaribar ... ... 3; Jamurni ... ... 3; Chak Kalanudi alias Chakea ... ... 3; Chintamanpur ... ... 3; Dasauti ... ... 3; Dewane ... ... 3; Dandwawirán ... ... 3; Rampur bareju ... ... 3; Sahebahe ... ... 3; Sardaur ... ... 3; Sirihara ... ... Bachhara ... ... Milki ... ... Nibi ... ... 3; Rajpur ... ... Bharuhia ... ... Mohamadpur ... ... Saraila ... ... 3; Saraidharhand ... ... 3; Dandwa dakhli ... ... 3; Pakhratad ... ... 3; Sikandarpur ... ... 3; Sikara ... ... 3; Karausi ... ... 3; Kundwa ... ... 3; Kharsaunda ... ... 3; Mehea ... ... 3; Nanaubja ... ... 3; Dighi ... ... 3; Lahepakar ... ... 3; and Khatas 14, 24, 39, 40, 45, 76, 77, 96 and 98 will also be sold, other shares are excluded from the sale.	Nanak Chand ...	1,678 4 9	.....	471 7 2
	Sikthea, ph. Chousa...	634 6 9	Whole ...	.....	Sheodhar Prosad ...	.....	48 6 9	.....
	Tajpur Chamari, ph. Nonaur.	1,376 9 0	Do. ...	.....	B. Hukum Chand ...	.....	1 4 0	.....
3	Kanai, ph. Pero ...	960 0 0	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is 9 annas and other shares are excluded from sale.	B. Rajbahadur and others.	540 0 0	.....	1 11 6
	Jagatpur-Khaira, ph. Sasaram.	690 10 8	Whole ...	.....	Lala Badri Prosad and others.	.....	34 0 8	.....
	Lilari Sarimpur, ph. Sasaram.	1,188 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Mahipal Bahadur Singh.	.....	325 0 6	.....
	Pandepur, ph. Behea	1,008 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ram Sakhi Kuar ...	.....	132 5 0	.....
	Banagopal Chapra, ph. Behea.	663 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Haribar Prashad and others.	.....	61 13 0	.....

Arrah, the 23rd July 1908.

W. A. MABB, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estate the district of Cuttack will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 31st August 1908 at 12 A for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be underst that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is to be sold, arrears from
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A
13	Killa Bisunpur ...	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 11a.	Laksmidhar Das and others.	579 15 4	.....	229
17	Killa Chhedra ...	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 2p. 8kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 9p. 12kt.	Jogendra Nath Bose and others.	2,004 7 4	.....	36 1
26	Kt. ta. Sunderpur, ph. Jajpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 1p. 7kt. 7b. 6g. 2kd. 3bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 10p. 12kt. 8b. 13g. 1kd. 1bd.	Sana Dei, wife of Kripa Sindhu Jhampala Singh, and others.	1,031 14 9	.....	824
33	Ta. Korkora, ph. do.	801 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ch. Narsingh Charan Mahapatra.	.....	400 11 7	.....
35	Kt. ta. Rantrapur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 9p. 3kt. 7b. 16g. 1kd. comprised in all the mauzas and shares of mauzas excluding 8a. in ma. Bampura which represents an interest of 2a. 2p. 16kt. 8b. 3g. 3kd. of the mahal.	Ram Krista Bose ...	1,301 4 0	.....	53
58	Kt. ta. Naharapur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 3p. 16kt. 13b. 15g. 3bd. of the mahal excluding 10a. 8p. 3kt. 2b. 4g. 3kd. 1bd. represented by 12a. of ma. Rana, 8a. of ma. Kapasipatna, 1a. of ma. Bidyadharpur Samil Kapasi, 16a. of ma. Kapasi, 9a. of ma. Digraj Samil Khalzaria, Kapileswar, 16a. of ma. Kapileswar Samil Rana, 1a. of ma. Badyarajpur Samil Bidyadharpur, 13a. 4p. of ma. Balipasi, 12a. 9p. 12kt. of ma. Sridharpur, 9a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Tipura, 1a. of ma. Solada, 15a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Itra, ma. Banpur, Badyarajpur, Sirsipur, Beparibramhapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeswar, Khalgaria, Barbati, Erbank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukteipur, Bhatsahi and Taramadan and 16a. of ma. Naharapur, 5a. 9p. of ma. Bara Balipara, Arjunpur, Saito, Dovabil and Samsundarpur, 3a. 4p. 10kt. of ma. Satsalapur, 10a. 9p. 12kt. of ma. Hirapur, 6a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Gopaldehuri and 16a. of ma. Utaipur, Kothsahi, Nayagobindpur, Nakhuapal, Badhaipal and Gardia, 12a. of ma. Kakharudihi, 9a. of ma. Andatola, 8p. of ma. Ranbajpur, 10a. 8p. of ma. Solaparhi, 9a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Sarisudha, 15a. 9kt. of ma. Ranigora, 12a. 4p. 17kt. 12b. 16g. of ma. Kodandpur, 13a. 9kt. of ma. Indas Nos. 1 and 2, Debidwar and Khalgaria, 11a. 10p. 4kt. 8p. of ma. Ranigarh, 12a. 4p. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area 29'30, 12a. of ma. Solampur 8a. 2p. 4kt. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area '47, 8a. of ma. Trilochanpur Nos. 1 and 2, Jalpur and Jalhara, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Hirapur, 6a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Salkhumbi, Basudebpur and Bokhanpur.	Gopal Charan Mahanti.	1,933 3 0	.....	1,803 1
58/46	Kt. ta. ditto, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. 6p. 12kt. 9b 1kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in ma. Banpur, Badyarajpur, Sirsipur, Beparibramhapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeswar Khazaria, Barabati, Erbank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukdeiti entire, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Kodandpur excluding 13a. 5p. 7kt 6b. 19g. 2kd. 1bd. which represents 16a. of all other mas. and remaining share of the above mauza.	Chandramani Panda and others.	913 1 0	.....	142
59	Kt. ta. Kalimegha, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 10p. 4kt. 2b. 1g. 1kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 3a. 1p. 15kt. 13b. 18g. 3kd. represented by 1a. of ma. Panasa, 7a. of ma. Bhatsahi, 1a. 3p. 15kt. of ma. Ichhapur.	Ram Krista Bose and others.	1,285 5 0	.....	283
65	Kt. ta. Bhimkarpur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 11a. 5p. 8kt. 10b. 2g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas except 4a. 1p. 13kt. 5b. 6g. 2kd. 2kt. in ma. Mantapur, Ranjit, and Mahamalia, 7a. 3n. in ma. Belampur, Sudgobinda, Akhandaleswar, Arai Haripur and Paikola, 3a. 7p. 10kt. of ma. Kusigram, Balipokhari and Champamaral Nos. 1 and 2, 9a. 11p. 5kt. in ma. Chainpur, 3a. 3p. in ma. Jogeswarpur, 12a. 1p. in ma. Dasa Abatar, total representing 4a. 6p. 11kt. 5b. 17g. 2kd. of the mahal.	Kangoi Dinabandhu Baliarsingh Mahapatra and others.	527 11 0	.....	209
423	Ta. Mirpur, ph. Tisania.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 8p. 5kt. 10b. 12g. 2kd. 1bd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 5a. 3p. 14kt. 5b. 7g. 1kd. 3bd. represented by 16a. of ma. Singhipur Tantura, Markandpur Suand, Karuna, Boda Barpal, Sarbara, Baniapal, Baniapal-samil Lenkasahi and Singhipursamil Jari.	Sundar Das ...	4,151 5 0	.....	1,019

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2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Ta. Mirpur, ph. Tisania.	.....	.....	Kt. 3a. 7p. 17kt. 15b. 1g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in ms. Singpur, Tuntura, Markandpur, Suand, Karuna and Boda, Singpur Samil Jari entire, 3a. in ma. Baniapal and Baniapal Samil Lenkasahi excluding 12a. 4p. 2kt. 18g. 1kd. represented by all other mauzas and the remaining shares of the above mauzas.	Gourang Charan Das	1,341 4 0	.....	459 2 0
Ta. ditto, ph. ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 7p. 16kt. 6b. 5g. 2kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in ma. Badpal and Sarbara entire, 13a. in ma. Baniapal and Baniapal Samil Lenkasahi excluding 14a. 4p. 3kt. 9b. 14g. 1kd. 1bd. represented by all other mauzas and the remaining shares of the above mauzas.	Rama Chandra Das...	738 13 0	.....	184 4 0
Kt, ma. Kadarabad, ph. Padmapur.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 7p. 9kt. 12b. 10g. 3kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 2a. 4p. 10kt. 3b. 9g. 1bd. represented by ma. Sankhpur entire, 11a. in ma. Ramchandrapur, 11a. 3p. 10kt. in ma. Tilda, Ramkrishtapur, Jagulaipara and Mohanpur.	Sebendrapada Bandopadhya.	666 14 0	.....	171 13 3
Kt. ta. Jasarajpur, ph. Kerualkhand.	823 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ch. Radyanath Rajguru Mahapatra and others.	.....	412 0 0	.....
Ta. Narendrapur, ph. Suknai.	6,888 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Arnopurna Debya ...	.....	3,444 0 0	.....
Ma. Basudeipur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 2a.	Srimatya Radharani Dasi, mother and guardian of Akhoy Kumar Ghose, and others.	641 6 0	.....	269 3 9
Ta. Marilo, ph. ditto	978 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Chintamani Mahapatra and others.	.....	488 0 0	.....
Ta. Ramkristapur, ph. Sunghara.	1,203 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Lala Madan Mohan Rai and others.	.....	99 3 9	.....
Ta. Raisinghara, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 1kt. 13b. 6g. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 4p. 18kt. 2b. 14g. represented by ma. Narijang entire.	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	1,512 12 0	.....	675 3 6
Kt. ma. Odasingh, etc., ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Choudhury Krutibas Das and others through their common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	524 7 0	.....	262 7 0
Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Ditto ...	548 15 0	.....	274 15 0
Pt. Ekramnagar, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 10p. 3kt. 12b. 17g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 2a. 1p. 16kt. 3b. 2g. 2kd. represented by ma Bansura and Kuhunda entire, 7a. 1p. 4kt. in ma. Jansoti and Mirjapur, 2a. in ma. Harigole, Buhalo, Chamarigole, Nunhar, Banahara, Banpali, Patpur, Jignipur, Kulia, Khandgan, Matkatpur, Mahajanpur, Nichintkoli, Kautpati and Riso.	Lalla Reedha Mohan Rai and others.	824 6 0	.....	45 7 9
Ma. Nahang, ph. Sunghara.	504 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sri Radhamadhab Thakur, Marfat Srimatya Sadhabi Dei.	.....	20 5 11	.....
A. D. ma. Madhyakutch, &c., ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the manzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Ch. Kurtibas Das and others.	1,321 2 0	.....	661 0 0
Tape Gopalpur, ph. Alti.	9,363 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Samant Laksmi Narayan Jagdeb.	.....	4,682 0 0	.....
Thane Mahamadabad, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 8p. 14kt. 10b. 17g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in all mauzas, excluding 3p. 5kt. 5b. 2g. 1kd. represented by ma. Mahipur, Gargali and Haripur entire.	Babu Balaram Bhramarbar and others.	3,530 12 0	.....	1,761 0 9
Ta. Kristanandpur, ph. Kalubisi.	1,581 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Huran Nisa Bibi and others.	.....	791 0 0	.....
Ta. Kusunpura, ph. ditto.	5,395 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kartik Chandra Rai Chowdhury and others.	.....	2,698 0 0	.....
Ta. Muguria, ph. ditto.	4,567 13 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	2,283 11 0	.....
Ta. Sital, ph. ditto	3,383 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	1,691 7 5	.....
Ta. Saralpur, ph. ditto.	4,107 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Laksmidhar Pattanaik.	.....	2,054 0 0	.....
Kt. ma. Kani, &c., ph. Kokakhand.	636 0 0	Do ...	.....	Taponidhi Ganeswar Bharathi Gosain.	.....	317 14 11	.....
Ta. Bistupur, ph. Asureshwar.	7,796 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimatya Arnapurna Debya.	.....	3,898 0 0	.....

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
1066	Ta. Sridharpur, ph. Asureshwar.	3,183 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Chandramani Dei, grandmother and guardian of Balatab Charan Kanungo, minor.	.....	200 12 0	.....
1102	Ta. Gopalpur, ph. ditto.	5,961 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Harihar Das, Sebait, Srigopinath Jew Thakur, through his common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	5,850 8 3	.....
1253	Kt. ta. Puran, ph. Karimul.	750 14 7	Do. ...	.....	Ch. Kurtibas Das and others, through their common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	375 11 9	.....
1262	Ma. Pubkachh, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 11a. 4p. 19kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 4a. 7p. 1kt.	Ditto ...	973 13 0	.....	486 1
1295	Ma. Jagarnathpur, ph. Kohunda, Jaipur.	2,034 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ganeswar Das and others.	.....	1,004 13 9	.....
1302	Ma. Bazapur, &c., ph. ditto.	639 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Jagarnath Santra.	.....	318 8 6	.....
1315	Kt. ta. Radhakantprasad, ph. Barnán.	1,149 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Chaitan Panda and others.	.....	559 1 0	.....
1458	Ta. Muraripur, ph. Abantak.	964 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Paluni Dei, wife of Baishnab Charan Santra and others.	.....	477 0 0	.....
1470	Ta. Bichna, ph. Paina.	1,093 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	546 0 0	.....
1474	Ta. Radhaprosad, ph. Choudkulat.	2,747 10 4	Do. ...	.....	Babu Hemendra Nath Rai, common manager, estate Balingarpur.	.....	2,746 15 0	.....
1476	Ta. Gobindprasad, ph. ditto.	7,517 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ba. Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, common manager.	.....	3,756 15 0	.....
1490	Ta. Narsingprosad, ph. Tikan.	3,244 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	1,622 0 0	.....
1491	Ma. Sanajari, ph. do.	831 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Saraswati Jema Dei Monima.	.....	416 0 0	.....
1512	Ta. Gobindprosad, ph. ditto.	6,643 1 0	Do. ...	.....	Ba. Baleram Bhramarbar Rai and others.	.....	3,270 15 6	.....
1656	Ta. Julelo, ph. Saragada.	733 7 6	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Narsing Charan Mahapatra.	.....	364 3 10	.....
1664	Ta. Dhaneswar, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 10p. 8kt. 5b. 13g. 1c. 1bd. comprised in all the mas. except 15a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Gopalpur, Tarando, Taula *alias* Kantabonia, Mathurapur, Makandpur, Kuanserpur, Padmapokhari, Utarkhaturia, Biridibi, Tulsipur, Pandiapara, Saito, Barada, Adhang, Basapatali, Dala, Kopand, Biramonipur, Chhatrapur, Jahnakana, Talang, Batitanki, Dasasadia, Talari, Tailada, Turang, Alia *alias* Aliha, Ghikoili, Benapur, Santra, Sanapatali, Chilpeda, Khanjbantira, Fasilpur, Gobargali, Nigodh, Santeahi, Tarakote, Salkana, Brahmanda, Banasipur *alias* Banasarpur, Gobindpursasan *alias* Gobindpusan, Khasalpur, Tajpur, Ochinda, Khajuria, Saisri *alias* Malari, Adhasbatia, Nanda *alias* Nahanda and Jahara, 9a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c in mas. Khatnatikiri, Oasia, Hatapar, ph. Matkatabad, Hatapur, Bernapada *alias* Biramanpada, Kodmia, Saipatia, Nanpokhari, Khudo, Dhanteri, Ranpal, Bhakundari, Mangranga, Gobindpur and Barunaipada Nos 1 and 2, 15a. 6p. 16kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Karada, 11a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Baratmana, 15a. 6p. 19kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Aladajalsarpur and Kantura, 15a. 8p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Jalanda, 15a. 8p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Brahmapur, Kantoo, Narendrabhog and kt. 5a. 4p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Dhaneswar, total representing kt. 14a. 1p. 14kt. 10b. 6g. 2c. 3bd. of the mahal.	Bidyadhar Samant Sing Mahapatra and others.	1,015 3 0	.....	486 1
1778	Ta. Mahanga, ph. Matkatnagar.	826 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Janardan Prosad Rai and others.	.....	412 1 4	.....

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2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Matkatnagar.	Rs. A. P.	.....	Kt. 12a. 0p. 5kt. 2b. 10g. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 3a. 2p. 14kt. 13b. 1g. represented by 16a. of ma. Marada, 4a. of ma. Balarampur and Belpada Mukadami Chahapada and Jamupada Hastabad, 2a. 8p. of ma. Gobindpur and 2a. of ma. Khandole and Ranigoda.	Chowdhury Jagernath Santra Mahapatra and others.	Rs. A. P. 1,175 3 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 60 8 4
Ma. Umar, ph. ditto	663 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Sunamali Juna Dei and others.	.....	27 5 0	.....
Kt. ta. Jafarpur, ph. Matkatahad.	509 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ba. Radhasyam Das Sabait of Sri Radhamohan Thakur.	.....	255 0 0	.....
Kt. ta. Cuttack, ph. Cuttackhaluli.	.....	... ..	Kt. 9a. 4p. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a. 8p.	Chowdhury Bijoyram Das and others.	542 9 0	.....	271 5 0
Ta. Padmanabhpur, ph. Dhiarakhpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 9p. 9kt. 14b. 8g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 10a. 2p. 10kt. 1b. 11g. 1c.	Samanta Lakhmi Narayan Jagadale.	1,820 12 0	.....	1,819 4 6
Ta. Raghunath, ph. Sallo.	815 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raghunath Pareja ...	.....	408 0 0	.....
Ta. Chitalpur, ph. do.	828 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	.....	392 2 0	.....
Ta. Gonesh Prosad, ph. Hariharpur.	1,414 9 5	Do. ...	.....	Gonesh Prosad Bhagat	.....	702 9 2	.....
Pt. Madhyasasan, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 7a. 8p. 3kt. 1b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a. 3p. 16kt. 14b. 18g. 3c.	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	774 13 0	.....	382 15 0
Kt. ma. Chikinia, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 14kt. 7b. 8g. 3c. comprised in all the mas. except 6 pies in ma. Chikinia which represents 4p. 5kt. 8b. 11g. 1c. of the mahal.	Baban Das	782 14 0	.....	179 13 2
Ma. Sedhal, ph. Khandi.	... ..	.....	Kt 12a. 4p. 10kt. 10b. 13g. 1c. 2bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 3a. 7p. 9kt. 5b. 6g. 2c. 2bd.	Srimatya Jhumpa Dibya.	554 9 0	.....	87 5 4
Ta. Puting, ph. Jhaukar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a.	Deokali Kuaner ...	1,148 0 0	.....	574 0 0
Ta. Dhaltang, ph. ditto.	1,607 15 0	Whole ...	.....	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	.....	792 8 7	.....
Kt. L. B. ta. Janardanpur, ph. Barpala.	1,149 8 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	.....	1,146 9 0	.....
Kt. ta. Bisinabar, ph. Sukhrabad.	2,049 7 0	Do. ...	.....	Narasing Paharaj and others.	.....	989 10 0	.....
Kt. Kasang, ph. Painda.	...	.....	Kt. 10a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a.	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	1,635 10 0	.....	813 6 0
Ditto, ph. ditto ...	...	... ..	Kt. 6a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 10a.	Ditto ...	981 6 0	.....	491 0 0
Ta. Gopinathpur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. 7p. 16kt. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 7a. 4p. 4kt.	Jagannath Santra Mahapatra and others.	569 4 0	.....	253 1 9
Kt. ta. Niali, ph. Deogan.	... .	.....	Kt. 7a. 10p. 18kt. 11b. 3g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a. 1p. 6kt. 4b. 16g. 1c.	Choudhury Balkrista Das and others.	863 9 0	... ..	339 12 6
Ma. Amarpada, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 8p. 2kt. 8b. 2c. 1c. 1bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 2a. 3p. 17kt. 7b. 17g. 3c. 3bd.	Nimai Charan Mitra and others.	882 3 0	.....	30 13 6
Ta. Singipur, ph. Kate.	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a.	Choudhury Jadumoni Das, guardian of Ch. Radhakrist Das, minor and others.	636 10 0	.....	636 10 0
Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. 5p. 16kt. 7b. 15g. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 13a. 6p. 3kt. 8b. 5g.	Choudhury Jogendra Das and others.	791 2 0	.....	395 10 0
Ta. Madhab, ph. Kate.	2,069 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sri Gopinath Deb Thakur Sebait Choudhury Kritibas Das and others.	.....	2,069 0 0	...
Kt. ma. Sunanda, ph. do.	576 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Choudhury Kritibas Das and others.	.....	576 0 0	.....
Ta. Bhatpada, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 15kt. 14b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 4a. 4p. 4kt. 2b.	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	568 4 0	.....	245 12 8

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.
2767	Kt. ta. Noda, ph. Benahar.	629 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	.....	261 5 3	....
2768	Kt. ta. Debi, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 4p. 1kt. 13b. 2g. 1c. 2bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a. 11p. 18kt. 2b. 17g. 2c. 2bd.	Kasinath Kanungoe and others.	633 6 0	.....	204
2771	Ta. Narsingpur, ph. do.	685 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Udoyanath Das and others.	.....	257 6 0	.....
2782	Ma. Sangrampur, ph. do.	723 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Lakhmidhor Das and others.	.....	361 6 3	....
2784	Ta. Haripur, ph. do.	771 2 4	Do. ...	.....	Sricharan Patnaik ...	.....	382 8 0	....
2802	Kt. ta. Lakhmidhar, ph. do.	2,362 5 11	Do. ...	.....	Lakhmidhar Das and others.	.....	638 7 5	....
2807	Ta. Achhutpur, ph. Kornia.	796 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Biraktsore Mahanti and others.	.....	371 9 3	....
2816	Ta. Saibir, ph. Saibir	.....	.....	Kt. 3a. 8p. 6kt. 13b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 12a. 3p. 13kt. 2b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Kreetibas Das and others.	5,258 10 0	.....	2,605
2816/1	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 1kt. 14b.	Choudhury Bijiram Das.	2,836 10 0	.....	1,411
2816/2	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 4p. 18kt. 7b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 7p. 1kt. 9b.	Choudhury Harihar Das.	2,008 0 0	.....	927
2816/3	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Kulamoni Das.	1,329 12 0	.....	662
2816/4	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Dasarathi Das.	1,585 4 0	.....	789
2816/5	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Radhakrist Das.	1,585 4 0	.....	789
2816/6	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 14kt. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 11p. 5kt. 15b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Nilamoni Das.	1,500 15 0	.....	749
2816/7	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 9p 17kt. 12b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 2p. 2kt. 3b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Murtanjay Das.	1,173 5 0	.....	584
2816/8	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 10p. 10kt. 15b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 1p. 9kt. 1b.	Choudhury Padmanabh Das.	1,251 8 0	.....	623
2816/9	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Narahari Das.	1,329 10 0	.....	661
2816/10	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Jeram Das.	1,585 3 0	.....	788
2816/11	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Ghanasyum Das.	1,329 10 0	.....	661
2822	Kt. ta. Dalbad, ph. Sujanagar.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 4p. 11kt. 8b. 7g. 2c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 1a. 7p. 8kt. 7b. 12g. 2c.	Choudhury Harihar Das.	560 14 0	.....	280
2823	Ta. Eranch, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Ta. 13a. 5p. 11kt. 14b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 1a. 6p. 14kt. 4b. 6g.	Raghunath Parija ...	922 6 0	.....	461
2824	Ta. Utaharan, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 5p. 9kt. 9b. 4g. 2c. comprised in all the mas. of the estate, excluding 5a. 6p. 10kt. 6b. 15g. 2c., represented by 5a. 10p. 11kt. 5b. 14g. 1c. 2bd. of ma. Damodarpur and 5a. 6p. 8kt. 14g. 1c. 2bd. in all other mas. of the estate.	Ditto ...	897 2 0	.....	445
3019	Kt. ta. Sayedpur, ph. Sujabad.	629 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, common manager.	.....	313 15 6	.....
3020	Ma. Sithalo, ph. Deogan.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 10b. 11kt. 4b. 5g. ½bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 5a. 1p. 8kt. 11b. 14g. 3c. 3½bd.	Choudhury Kreetibas Das and others.	597 10 0	.....	297
3073	Thane Alamgir, ph. Alti.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 6kt. 11bd. 18g. 2c. 1bd. comprised in all other mas. of the estate except ma. Patunia and Hatimanda centre which represents 3a. 11p. 13kt. 4b. 6g. 1c. 3bd. of the mahal.	Surendra Nath Rai...	1,292 7 0	.....	546
3198/4	Kt. ta. Birtole, ph. Jhankar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a.	Deokali Kunear ...	1,411 6 0	.....	704

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	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Kt. ta. Korkara, ph. Jajpur.			Kt. 15a. 4p. 15kt. 5b. 6g. 1c. 2bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. except 2a. 10p. 10kt. of ma. Udaypur which represents 7p. 4kt. 10b. 13g. 2c. 2d. of the mahal.	Chondhury Dibya Sing Mahapatra and others.	920 8 10		208 1
Ta. Kasaba, ph. Ahias.			Kt. 6a. 1p. 1kt. in each of the mas. of the state excluding 9a. 10p. 19kt.	Nilmadhab Parhi and others.	,011 13 0	.....	635 13 11
Ta. ditto, ph. do.			Kt. 4a. 6p. 6b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 11a. 5p. 19kt. 10b.	Sheikh Saheb Jan and others.	748		
Ma. Damodarpur, ph. do.	528 0 0	Whole		Munshi Sheikh Latifar Roheman Ahemad Mian and others.	.....		
Ma. Jari, ph. Dobgram.			Kt. 13a. 6p. 9kt. 7g. 2c. 3bd. comprised in all the mas. except 1a. 8p. 15kt. 8b. 3g. 1c. in ma. Champapal, Falpur, Hansanabad, Koraipaharajpur. Nimaro and Tina, 1a. 8p. 1kt. 15b. 15g. 3c. in ma. Chhotegari and 2a. 7p. 19kt. 4b. 12g. 1c. in ma. Jari which represents kt. 2a. 5p. 10kt. 15b. 12g. 1c. 1bd. of the mahal.	Balatuoni Panda	3320 14 0	.....	1,580 4 6
Ma. do., ph. ditto	1,541 0 0	Whole	.....	Juganath Samal ...		75[illegible] 6 1	
Ma. do., ph. ditto	897 0 0	Do.	.....	Parasuram Samal ...	.....	279 0 0	...
Ta. Alkundo, ph. ditto.			Kt. 9a. 11p. 9kt. 5b. 13g. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 6a. 10kt. 10b. 7g represented by 8a. 9p. 9kt. of ma. Bitana, 3a. 5p. 9kt. of ma. Barapada, 7a. 3p. of ma. Haladidihi, 7a. 9p. 9kt. of ma. Purasotampur, Babchandrapur, Jhinkiri and Bulaipur, 5a. 1p. 9kt. of ma. Piritpur Behari, Kertaitbindha, Sanudihi and Sunda.	Mani Charan Samal and others.	795 2 0	.....	564 17 6
Kt. ma. Sandihi, ph. ditto.			Kt. 8a. 4p. 1bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 7a. 7p. 19kt. 15b. 19g. 3c. 3bd.	Babu Doyarudra Panda.	369 4 0	.....	178 12 0
Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.			Kt. 12a. 9p. 10kt. 8b. 1g. compresed in all the mas. of the mahal excluding 3a. 2p. 9kt. 7b. 19g. represented by 16a. of ma. Katikata, Barapada, Nagpur, Ramachandrapur, Jhinkir, Bitana, Kapila, Raghunathpur, Kamalpur, Damodarpur, Similia, and Narua and 1a. 10g. of ma. Samdilli and, 4a. of ma. Singpur.	Krusta Charan Panda	611 0 0	.....	294 6 6
Ta. Ijapur, ph. Katia	1,462 0 0	Whole		Munshi Sheikh Makbal Roheman Ahemad.	.....	1,770 8 0	
Ma. Kuans, ph. do.			Kt. 15a. 11p. 2kt. 9b. 18g. 2c. 1bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 17kt. 6b. 1g. 1c. 3bd. represented by 2p. 12kt. of ma. Tarangsagarpur.	Siba Prosad Mahanti and others.	561 12 0	.....	
Kt. ta. Itna, ph. Kokakhand.	531 0 0	Whole		Durga Charan Choudhury.	.....	149 [illegible] 6	
Ta. Purusotampur, ph. Saraswati.	1,218 0 0	Do.		Dinabandhu Mal and others.	.....	605 0 0	
Ma. Brajasundar, ph. Kodinda.	694 0 0	Do.		Brajasundar Patjesi	.....	346 12 4	
Kt. ta. Udyanath, ph. Benahar.	1,325 10 4	Do.		Udyanath Das and others.	.....	661 4 8	
Kt. ta. Narahari, ph. ditto.	1,030 11 7	Do.		Krusta Charan Das and others.	.....	514 2 8	

Cuttack, the 22nd July 1908.

A. GARRETT, Collector.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 21st July 1908.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government securities	2,50,44,098	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,62,50,000	0	0	Other authorised investments	22,88,395	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 70,96,319 1 11				Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,25,38,175	8	9
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,11,34,850 10 2	1,82,31,169	13	1	Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,02,08,093	0	9
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	17,06,36,470	2	2	Bills discounted and purchased	2,24,45,394	13	7
Bank Post Bills, &c.	10,58,932	11	8	Balances with other Banks	11,26,013	3	0
Sundries	14,61,235	10	0	Bullion			
				Dead Stock	18,24,864	5	10
				Stamps	15,784	13	10
				Sundries	4,78,717	9	10
					13,59,64,536	7	7
				Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs. 5,24,62,961 13 3			
				Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... †,, 3,92,10,310 1	9,16,73,271	13	4
Rupees	22,76,37,808	4	11	Rupees	22,76,37,808	4	11

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,05,580 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 2,64,847 8 0
,, 5,70,427 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 23rd July 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 47·89.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

MEMORANDUM.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.		ASSETS.	Rs.	
Government Balance at Head Office	1,87,166	Increase.	Bank's Investments	23,22,156	Decrease.
Ditto at Branches ...	7,55,479	Decrease.	Loans	4,43,958	Increase.
Other Deposits	30,30,123	Increase.	Accounts of Credit	8,62,159	Do.
Post Bills	14,493	Do.	Mercantile Bills	8,48,960	Decrease.
			Cash at Head Office	53,01,795	Increase.
			Do. at Branches	9,62,566	Decrease.

Percentage 47·89.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 22nd July 1908.

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NOTICE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Darbhanga.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No. 91 OF 1908.

Babus Mahamaya Prasad Singh, Bhagwati Prasad Singh, Bindheshwari Prasad Singh, Lachhmi Prasad Singh, Saraswati Prasad Singh, and Anant Prasad Singh, sons of Rai Ganga Prasad Singh Bahadur, deceased of Darbhanga decree-holder, *versus* Babus (1) Laliteswar Singh *alias* Jhothu Babu and (2) Bhabeshwar Singh *alias* Shibji Babu, sons of Maharaj Kumar Guneshwar Singh, deceased; Babus (3) Modeshwar Singh *alias* Gopiramanji Major and (4) Rateshwar Singh *alias* Rohini Nandanji, minor, through Babu Kailash IshwarBose, guardian *ad litem*, sons of Babu Sureshwar Singh *alias* Sahebji, deceased; Babus, Narmadeshwar *alias* Lachhmi Nandanji, (6) Tirteshwar Singh, *alias* Harnandanji and (7) Rabateshwar Singh *alias* Sheonandanji, the three minor sons of Babu Hareshwar Singh *alias* Ramji Babu, deceased, through Mosammat Lachhmi Babuasin, guardian *ad litem*, Babu, (8) Madaneshwar Singh *alias* Gourinandanji, (9) Mohaneshwar Singh *alias* Ganesh Nandanji and (10) Debi Nandanji, minor sons of Babu Laliteshwar Singh abovenamed through the said Babu Laliteshwar Singh, guardian *ad litem*, Babu (11) Jugeshwar Singh *alias* Madan Mahanji, (12) Bhubaneshwar Singh *alias* Krishna Mahanji and (13) Brij Mahanji, minor sons of abovenamed Babu Bhabeshwar Singh through Babu Kailash Ishwar Bose, guardian *ad litem*, judgment-debtors.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned properties of the abovenamed judgment-debtors will be sold for the realization of Rs. 10,12,381-3 in execution of a mortgage decree by the Nazir of the Court at A.M. on the 15th August 1908.

Schedule of Properties.

(1) The right and title of the judgment debtors, *i.e.*, the entire mauza Pusaho, pargana Padri, with dependencies named below bearing tauzi No. 2620 (old) and 1887 (new) and Cess No. 1088, situated in thana and Sub-Registry Roserah, district Darbhanga, the Government jama of which is 37-14 and the area 11,631 acres 2 roods and 11 poles. The estimated value of the abovenamed entire property (including houses of tenants roofed or unroofed, known or unknown) is Rs. 2,00,000 for the commencement of bid :—

(1) Pushaho, (2) Ujan, (3) Bajor Sarakat, (4) Beda Chhouri, (5) Bela, (6) Belhati, (7) Belouna *alias* Betouna, (8) Bhatgaon, (9) Pipra Nisf, (10) Pachrukhi, (11) Parsouni, (12) Purandaha, (13) Pusti *alias* Tilathi, (14) Tetrahi, (15) Takebazpur, (16) Jajmohra, (17) Chandauli, (18) Chhachhandih, (19) Supteoula, (20) Salha, (21) Simeya, (22) Sakardiha, (23) Kabotan *alias* Tilahi, (24) Kudahi, (25) Khastin, (26) Khutouna, (27) Khaira, (28) Madhobpur, (29) Narma, (30) Narmowa, (31) Ekrukha.

(2) The right, title and interest of the judgment-debtors, *i.e.*, the entire mahal Koosdaha, pargana Parari with dependences named below bearing tauzi No. 2617 (old) and 1884 (new), Cess No. 661, situated in thana and Sub-Registary Rosirah, district Darbhanga, the Government jama of which is Rs. 58-10-9 and the area 5,561 acre 1 rood, 34 poles, the estimated value of the abovenamed entire property (including houses of tenants roofed or unroofed, known or unknown) is Rs. 1,00,000 for the commencement of the bid :—

(1) Kusdaha, (2) Bordoul, (3) Bikhan, (4) Bhaluka *alias* Narkati, (5) Bhadhor Khurd, (6) Bhadhor *alias* Ban, (7) Pusti, (8) Tilakpur, (9) Charowtar, (10) Salha Buzrug, (11) Sahoda *alias* Sahora, (12) Kapsia, (13) Kiratpur, (14) Lachhminia *alias* Majhoul, (15) Narowch Pachhim.

PRAYAG NATH, Sub-Judge.

Laheriasara, Darbhanga, the 20th July 1908.

(912—1)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1908, at 12 o'clock noon, purusant to a decree and on order made in suit No. 54 of 1904 (Srimati Kamini Moni Dasi and another *versus* Choonilal Nowgie) and dated, respectively, the 10th day of March 1904 and 27th day of February 1908 the undivided half share of the undermentioned properties :—

Lot No. I.—No. 127, Cornwallis Street in Sootanutty, in the town of Calcutta, a partly two-storied and partly three-storied brick-built dwelling-house with the land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by measurement 2 cottahs 8 chittacks more or less, and bounded on the north by premises No. 126, Cornwallis Street, belonging to Hari Kamini Debi, on the east by Cornwallis Street, on the south by Mohendra Bose's Lane, and on the west partly by premises No. 15, Mohendra Bose's Lane and partly by premises No. 126, Cornwallis Street.

Lot No. II.—No. 36 (formerly No. 22), Fariapukur Street in Sootanutty, in the town of Calcutta, a two storied brick-built dwelling-house with the land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by measurement 4 cottahs and 12 chittacks more or less, and bounded on the north by premises No. 96, Cornwallis Street, on the east by a passage which is treated as a part and parcel of Furrea Pooker Street, on the south by Furrea Pooker Street, and on the west partly by premises No 95. Cornwallis Street and partly by No. 95-1, Cornwallis Street.

Lot No. III.—No. 221, Upper Circular Road in Sootanutty, in the town of Calcutta, a piece of tenanted land measuring 3 cottahs 14 chittack and 30 square feet more or less, and bounded on the north by premises No. 220, Upper Circular Road, and partly by premises No. 216, Dum-Dum Road, on the east by premises No 222, Upper Circular Road, on the south by a common passage leading to these premises and to premises No 222, Upper Circular Road, and on the west partly by premises No. 220, Upper Circular Road and partly by Upper Circular Road.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar or at the office of Babu Anil Nath Bose, Attorney for the plaintiffs at No. 3, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Anil Nath Bose, Plaintiff's Attorney.
Calcutta, the 16th July 1908. (868—1—864)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to an order of the Calcutta High Court in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 359 of 1899 (wherein Sreemutty Basanta Kumari Dasi is plaintiff and Kartik Chunder Nundan and others are defendants), dated the 23rd day of January 1907, by the Official Receiver of the said Court in his sale room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 5th day of September 1908, at 12 o'clock noon, the following properties belonging to the estate of Issur Chunder Nundon, deceased, unless previously disposed of by private treaty :—

Lot. No. I.—All that piece or parcel of land or ground containing by estimation 18 cottahs, more or less, situate at, lying in and being premises No. 41 Ramtanoo Bose's Lane, in Sutanutty, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded on the north by two tenanted houses belonging to Mati Lal Burdhan, on the east by the premises No. 42 Ramtanoo Bose's Lane (lot No. II), on the south by the dwelling-house of Nogendra Nath Dey, on the west partly by the dwelling-house of Bisseswar Ghose and Kedar Nath Ghose and partly by the dwelling-house of Upendra Nath Chakravarty, being premises Nos. 29-2 and 29-3, Ram Kanto Bose's Lane, respectively.

Lot No. II.—All that piece or parcel of tenanted land or ground containing by estimation 10 cottahs, more or less, situate at, lying in and being premises No. 42 Ramtanoo Bose's Lane in Sutanutty in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta and butted and bounded on the north by the dwelling-house of Mati Lal Bardhan, on the east partly by the dwelling-house of Priya Nath Pal and partly by a small tiled hut belonging to Saraswati Bewa, on the south by the dwelling-house of Nagendra Nath Dey, and partly by two-tiled huts and on the west by the premises No. 41 Ramtanoo Bose's Lane.

Note.—The two lots will be put up for sale together in the first instance, but if in the opinion of the Receiver a sufficient bid is not offered, they will be sold separately.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Official Receiver or at the office of Messrs. Ghosh and Kar, Attorneys, for the defendant Sreemutty Nandarani Dasi at No. 12 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale ; and will be produced at the sale.

Ghosh and Kar, Attorneys for the defendant Sreemutty Nandarani Dasi.

K. S. BONNERJEE,
Official Receiver, High Court.

High Court, Original Side, Receiver's Office, dated this 24th day of July 1908. (940—1—865)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the decree made in suit No. 69 of 1904 (Bholanath Dhur *versus* Monorunjun Bose and others and dated the 1st September 1904 by the Registrar, Original Jurisdiction, in his sale-room by public auction on Saturday, the 15th August 1908, at 12 o'clock noon the following property, viz :—

One bigha 6 cottahs and 12 chittacks of rent-free land, Holding No 30, Subdivision H, Division 4, in Punchannogram, mauza Tangra, Sub-Registry Sealdah, in district 24-Parganas, bounded on the north by the land of Kanai Jalia, on the south by the land of Ram Chand Mozoomdar, on the east by the tank of Kanai Jalia, and on the west by land belonging to the estate of the late Rani Rashmoni and by Aushutosh Deb's land.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Office of Babu Aushutosh Dhur, Attorney for the plaintiff at No. 12-1, Old Post Office Street, any day before the sale and will be produced at the time of the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Aushutosh Dhur, Attorney for the Plaintiff.

High Court, the 2nd July 1908.

(870—1—849)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of MAHOMED HOSSAIN and another, insolvents.

On the 8th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. C. Mitter, Attorney. (871—2)

In the matter of J. K. ANDERSON, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. C. Morgan, Attorney. (872—2)

In the matter of DENO BUNDHU DUTT, an insolvent.

On the 20th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. C. Mandal, Attorney. (873—2)

In the matter of NEEM CHAND RAKA, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Bannerjee, Attorney. (874—2)

In the matter of NOGENDRA LAL MUKERJEE, an insolvent.

On the 3rd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (875—2)

In the matter of KAILAS CHUNDRA KAR, an insolvent.

On the 12th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person, (876—2)

In the matter of DEMOSTHENES BEINOGLON, an insolvent.

On the 13th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Fox & Mandal, Attorneys. (877—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH ANTHONEY SAMDRA, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (878—2)

In the matter of GEORGE CARRISON, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (879—2)

In the matter of ISSOOF MOSUM ASUM, an insolvent.

On the 17th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. C. De, Attorney. (880—2)

In the matter of GOLAM MOJID, an insolvent.

On the 20th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Pal, Attorney. (881—2)

In the matter of AJIMUDDIN HAJI, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Pal, Attorney. (882—2)

In the matter of EDWARD GEORGE MANN, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of July instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (883—2)

In the matter of KUSUM KUMAR MITTER, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of July instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 29th day of June 1907 to the 30th day of June last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (921—1)

In the matter of JOHN MARSHALL PARKER, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of July instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 5th day of April 1907 to the 30th day of June last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (922—1)

In the matter of NARENDRA NATH CHATTERJEE, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of July instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 6th day of June 1907 to the 30th day of June last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (923—1)

In the matter of LAKSHMI NARAIN DUTT, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of July instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 9th day of August 1905 to the 30th day of June last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days beforelthe day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (924—1)

In the matter of ALFRED DIGGORE FROOD, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of July instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 6th day of May 1903 to the 30th day of June last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (925—1)

In the matter of GIRDHARILAL and RAMDEO, insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvents, on the 22nd instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (926—1)

In the matter of JOSEPH ANTHONY SAVEDRA, residing at No. 6 Chandney 2nd Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately an assistant at Messrs. Kilburn & Co. and also lately an extra Clerk in the Turf Club, at present unemployed, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic, Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 15th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (927—1)

In the matter of JOSEPH KNOX ANDERSON, carrying on business as a Boot and Shoe maker at No. 75 Lindsay Street and No. 72-2 Bentinck Street, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 19th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

C. C. Morgan, Attorney. (928—1)

In the matter of MAHOMED HOSSAIN and ALTAF HOSSAIN, both residing at No. 156 Harrison road, in the town of Calcutta, traders in silk clothes, both joint in food, worship and estate, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 8th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. C. Mitter, Attorney. (929—1)

In the matter of GEORGE CARRISON, residing at No. 1 Metcalf's Street, in the town of Calcutta, serving as an Examiner in the Government of India Printing Department, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 16th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (930—1)

In the matter of NOGENDRA LAUL MUKERJEE, at present residing at No. 34 Hurtooki Bagan Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as jeweller at No. 192 Cornwallis street, in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Nogendra Laul Mukerjee, and at present having no employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 3rd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (931—1)

In the matter of EDWARD GEORGE MANN, of No. 9 Mott's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a Gunner of the Fire Engine Hooghly, under Port Commissioners, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 4th day of July instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (932—1)

In the matter of AJIMUDDIN HAJI, residing at No 3, Blochmann's Street, in the town of Calcutta, a Seacunny on board the Flat Gewankhali of the Navigation Railway Company, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 22nd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (933—1)

In the matter of DEMOSTHENES BEINOGLOU, residing at No. 40, Elliot Road, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as a Commission Agent in gunny-bags at No. 6, New China Bazar Street in Calcutta, aforesaid under the name and style of D. Beinoglou, a trader, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 13th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Fox and Mandal, Attorneys. (934—1)

In the matter of GOLAM MOJED, residing at No. 8, Wellesley Street, Calcutta, a Sircar in the employ of Abdul Huq, Ghat Serang, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 20th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (935—1)

In the matter of YOSOOF MOSUM AZUM, residing at No. 136, Machuabazar Street, Baripara, in the town of Calcutta, a service-holder, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 17th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

G. C. De, Attorney. (936—1)

In the matter of DINO BUNDHOO DUTT, of No. 39, Newa Pooker's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, who lately carried on business as a Commission Agent at No. 33, Mourahatta Street, Barabazar, in Calcutta, under the name, style and firm of Dino Bundhoo Dutt, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 23rd day of March last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

N. C. Mandal, Attorney. (937—1)

In the matter of KAILASH CHUNDER KAR, residing at No. 19, Gopee Kristo Pal's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carried on fish business, now a piece-work Compositor in the Bengal Secretariat Press, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 12th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (938—1)

In the matter of NEEM CHAND RAKA, residing at No. 28, Silp Thacoor's Lane, Barabazar, in the town of Calcutta, who formerly carried on business in Kora Dhooty in co-partnership with Golap Chand Prem Chand of Sinthia in the district of Birbhum under the name, style and firm of Luchmipat Sujanmull at No. 51, Cross Street, in the town of Calcutta, and on the said firm of Luchmipat Sujanmull being mutually dissolved carried on business in Kora Dhooty under the name, style and firm of Sugan Chand Neem Chand at No. 51, Cross Street, in the town of Calcutta, at present employed as a broker of piece-goods in the firms of Luchmi Chand Joharmull and Panna Lal Chouthmull, a trader, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 1st day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Banerjee, Attorney. (939—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors Saloman Cassim and others that the insolvency petition of the judgment-debtor Balak Das Naik, of Chata Baloon, thana Chauki and district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that the 31st July 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

A. GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Office, the 17th July 1908. (886—1—848)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors Moti Lal Nandi and others that the insolvency petition of the judgment-debtor Hari Das Sen, son of late Thakur Das Sen of Bijur, thana Satgachia, chauki and district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that 31st July 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

ARTHUR GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Office, the 17th July 1908. (888—1—867)

In the Court of the District Judge, Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors Ram Ram Chandra and others that the insolvency petition of the judgment-debtor Radha Raman Saha, son of late Nani Choora Shaha, of Katwa, thana and chauki Katwa, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that 3rd August 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

A. GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Office, the 17th July 1908. (889—1—866)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the Insolvency petition of Bipin Chandra Pramanik, son of Sambhu Chandra Pramanik of Baidyabati, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 27 of 1908, and that the 10th August next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd July 1908. (901—1—853)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the Insolvency petition of Hem Chandra Pole, son of Natabar Pole of Shibpur, thana Shibpur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 24 of 1908, and that the 6th August next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd July 1908. (902—1—860)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 8 OF 1908.

SHAIKH BAHARUDDIN, son of Shaikh Panchu of Akuni, thana Chanditala, district Hooghly, was, on the 4th July 1908, adjudicated an insolvent. The 22nd August next has been fixed for framing a schedule of debts and creditors when persons having claims against him are to prove them in this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd July 1908. (903—1—864)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the Insolvency petition of Bharatchandra Ghosh of Ballabhpur-Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 26 of 1908 and that the 7th August 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 23rd July 1908. (908—1—851)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the Insolvency petition of Sarada Prasad Singha Rai of Maniktala, Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 25 of 1908, and that the 6th August next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 23rd July 1908. (909—1—852)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Sheikh Isha Laik, son of Delwar Laik of Kotalpur, thana Polba, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 28 of 1908, and that the 31st August next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th July 1908. (916—1—860)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 52 of 1908.

Sheik Ulfat Hossein, Khansama, son of late Sheik Golam Ali of Ice Factory Lane, Entally, thana Beniapukur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed applicant was declared an insolvent on the 20th day of July 1908.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

(910—1—866)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 22 of 1908.

Bhusan Chandra Das, son of late Kasi Nath Das of Cossipore, Dihi Panchannagram, Thana Cossipore, District 24-Parganas, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed applicant has been adjudicated an insolvent under section 16 (2) (*a*) of Act III of 1907, by this Court on the 1st June 1908 and that the petitioner shall pay into Court monthly Rs. 4 for a period of two years.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

(911—1—867)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 50 OF 1908.

Sheikh Didar Baksh, son of late Sheikh Putoo Ostagar of No. 2, Asgar Mistry's Lane, Gobra, thana Beniapukur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed applicant was declared an insolvent on the 13th July 1908. The 10th August 1908 is fixed for creditors to prove their debts.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 23rd July 1908. (917—1—861)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Saran.

PRESENT:

H. Foster, Esq., I. C. S., District Judge of Saran.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1908.

In re

Suba Singh, son of Pergash Singh, deceased, of mauza Ghuri Tola appertaining to Sitab Diara, pargana Manjhi, district Saran, petitioner, *versus* Maharaj Kumar Siri Nivas Prasad Singh Bahadur, minor, through Mr. Rutherford, Manager under the Court of Wards, resident of Dumraon, pargana Bhojpur, district Shahabad. Opposite Party.

IT having been, on the 3rd July 1908, ordered that the matter of the petition of the said Suba Singh should be heard on the 10th August 1908, when the said insolvent should appear to be examined before this Court, the fact is hereby notified for the information of all whom it may concern.

SHYAMA KANTA NAG, *for* District Judge.

Chapra, the 25th July 1908. (918—1—855)

ASOKA KUMAR ROY, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (915—4—858)

ATMA RAM, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court. (919—4—859)

DEBENDRA NARAYAN BHUTTACHARYYA, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (869—4—835)

JOYTISH CHANDRA SARKAR, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta (864—4—842)

KSHIROD BIHARI CHATTERJEE, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (829—4—844)

NAGENDRANATH BANERJI, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (906—4—862)

RAJ KUMAR ROY, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (914—4—846)

SARAT PROSAD SARVADHIKARI, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (884—4—847)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908:—

1.	Asimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add 880	To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.
3.	Balia	...	„ 889	
4.	Bhimpore	...	„ 1992	
5.	Munair	...	„ 2458	
6.	Masandha	...	„ 4368	
7.	Phulwari	...	„ 5058	
8.	Sunda	...	„ 5859	
9.	Shahjehanpore		„ 7305	
10.	Ghyaspur	...	„ 7692	
11.	Beswak	...	„ 9898	
12.	Bihar	...	„ 10516	
13.	Maldah	...	„ 11771	
14	Narhat	...	„ 11772	
15.	Pillich	...	„ 11823	
16.	Raggir	...	„ 12561	
17.	Samai	...	„ 12585	
18.	Sanaut	...	„ 12605	
19.	Telhara	...	„ 12606	
20.	Ukri	...	„ 13570	

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W 650/660 of 07/08	Ra/48 59180	500	Babu Kishori Lall, Banker, Meerut (Cantonment).
	Pa/91 45152	100	
	Ua/59 43668	100	
	Ua/64 31022	100	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,

Assistant Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 15th July 1908.

Currency Notes.

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Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W/62 of 08/09	UA/65 97926	100	Karim Bux Haji, Shaheb Bazar, P. O. Ghoramara. Rajshahi.
	97927	100	
	„ 97928	100	
	„ 97929	100	
	UA/64 72353	100	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,

Assistant Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 8th July 1908.

Notice under Section 12 of Bengal Survey Act, V of 1875.

WHEREAS as required by the above-quoted section of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the following Subdivision of Grand Division 5 of Government Estate of Panchannogram has been duly notified on the dates as shown below, and as no objection has been preferred, the boundaries of all holdings situated within Sub-division S, are hereby confirmed under section 12 of Bengal Survey Act: —

Grand Division, No. 5.

Sub-division S on 26-3-07

R. B. SMART,

Assistant Superintendent of Survey,
In charge Calcutta Sub-Survey.

L. BIRLEY,

Collector and Superintendent of Survey under Act V of 1875.

5, Alipore Road, the 15th July 1908.

Notification.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that on the 29th of April 1908, the treasure described hereunder was found in S. F. $\frac{47}{2\ (a)}$ dry of Vembanur village, Perambalur taluk, Trichinopoly district, Madras Presidency, by Odla Nallan Chetti of Pasumbalur Perambalur taluk, Trichinopoly district:—

Serial No.	Description	No.	Weight in Rs. A. P.
	Twisted gold rings	2	1 1 6
	Gold ring, round	1	0 7 6

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at his office at 12 noon on the 7th December 1908 with a view to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

C. T. H. JOHNSON, Acting Collector.

Trichinopoly Collectors' Office, the 20th July 1908.

Notice.

CANDIDATES are invited for the post of Sheristadar in the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum on a monthly salary of Rs. 80 rising to Rs. 140 by annual increments of Rs. 6.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th August 1908.

K. N. ROY,
District Judge.

Birbhum, the 20th July 1908.

WANTED for the Patna College an M.A in Arabic on Rs. 125 per mensem. The applications should reach the Principal on or before the 7th August 1908.

V. H. JACKSON,
Offg. Principal, Patna College.

Bankipore, the 18th July 1908.

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Settlement Office, Fatehsing, in the district of Murshidabad, a Head Clerk on a salary of Rs. 40 (forty) only, plus an allowance of Rs. 7 per month for doing works in connection with some other petty estates. The selected candidate shall have to furnish a security of Rs. 200 only in cash. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th August 1908.

None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and is unable to furnish the security.

M K. DEV, Collector.

Berhampore, the 20th July 1908 (913—3)

Notice.

WANTED a whole-time tutor for the minor ward of the Baikuntpur Estate on a monthly salary of Rs. 100 with board and lodging free. Must be a graduate with experience as a tutor. Must also be a strict disciplinarian and thoroughly honest. The selected candidate will have to live with the ward. Applications will be received up to 10th August 1908.

JOHN F. GRUNING,
Deputy Commissioner, Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri, the 23nd July 1908. (904—2)

WANTED by the District Board, Pabna, a graduate with Agricultural diploma from the Shibpore Civil Engineering College or any recognised College, to teach Agriculture in the Board's Technical Schools theoretically and practically. The pay is Rs. 75. Applications will be received up to the 15th August.

GOPAL CHANDRA SARKAR, Vice-Chairman.

Pabna, the 21st July 19 08. (907—1)

Advertisement.

WANTED permanently for the District Board of Manbhum—

(1) A Supervisor on a salary of Rs. 150 and a conveyance allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem and travelling allowance according to the Civil Service Regulations. Candidates must have the qualifications of a Supervisor of the Public Works Department and at least five years' practical experience of roads and building works.

(2) A Surveyor Estimator Draftsman on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 per month by annual increments of Rs. 4. Preference will be given to a neat and quick Draftsman having experience in preparing road projects, including bridge work, and plans and estimates for buildings.

(3) A Clerk and Tracer on Rs. 25 rising to Rs 35 per month by annual increments of Rs. 2. Preference will be given to a candidate having some experience of the routine work in the office of a Subdivisional Officer of the Public Works Department and able to prepare tracings of plans and sections of roads, buildings, etc.

II. The appointments will be on probation for six months to begin with, and confirmation will follow on approved service.

III. Applications with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned, must be addressed Chairman, District Board of Manbhum, Purulia, and must reach him before the 31st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, I.C.S.,
Chairman, District Board, Manbhum.

Purulia District Board's Office, the 13th July 1908. (852—2)

Wanted

AT once an experienced Sub-Overseer on a salary of Rs. 30 and consolidated travelling allowance of Rs. 15 per mensem. None need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.G., dated the 20th December 1901.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the District Engineer, Darbhanga, up to the 3rd August 1908.

Laheriasarai, the 20th July 1908. (899—1)

Wanted

AT once a 3rd Clerk for the District Engineer's Office, Darbhanga, on a salary of Rs. 30 rising to Rs. 40 by an annual increment of Rs. 2.

None need apply who has no experience of the work of a District Engineer's Office and has not passed the Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University.

Applications in the candidate's own handwriting with the copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 1st August 1908.

E. G. BARTON, B.A., B.E., M.I.C.E.,
District Engineer.

Darbhanga, the 13th July 1908. (854—2)

Wanted at once

TWO Sub-Overseers—one on Rs. 45 *plus* Rs. 15 and the other on Rs. 50 *plus* Rs. 15 per month. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules.

Apply at once to the District Engineer, Palamau, Daltonganj.

Daltonganj, the 14th July 1908. (858—2)

Notice.

WANTED at once for the District Engineer's Office, 24-Parganas—a passed Accountant for three months on a salary of Rs. 80 per month; a passed Sub-overseer for two months, consolidated salary Rs. 50 per month; a passed Overseer for one month, salary Rs. 60 and travelling allowance Rs. 45 per month.

Applications will be received up to 1st August 1908.

BINOY KRISHNA BASU,
District Engineer, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 20th July 1908. (890—2)

Howrah Mills Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-sixth Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, *the 7th August 1908, at 12-45 p.m.* to receive the Directors' Report, pass the audited accounts to 30th June 1908, declare a dividend and transact any other business that may be brought forward.

Dividend Warrants will be made out in favour of Shareholders whose names are in the Company's books on the 23rd July 1908.

The Share Transfer Register of the Company will be closed from Friday, *the 24th July, to Friday, the 7th August 1908*, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
ERNSTHAUSEN, LIMITED,
Managing Agents.

Calcutta, the 16th July 1908. (860—3—837)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of George Jamieson Scott, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of section 320 of Act X of 1865 that Letters of Administration with copy Trust Disposition and Settlement and Codicils annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the 20th day of May last, been granted to Lockhart Smith of 4, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are required to send the particulars thereof to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of September 1908, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the administrator, the said Lockhart Smith, amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Lockhart Smith will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 21st day of July 1908.

SANDERSON & Co.,
Attorneys for Lockhart Smith, Administrator to the estate of the above named deceased.

(900—3—863)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

Name.	Post Box No.
A	
Abrecht & Co.	19
Arracan Co., Ld.	28
Agelasto & Co., A.	37
Alliance Bank of Simla, Ld.	43
Army Department, Government of India ...	62
Allen Brothers & Co.	77
Atherton & Co., G.	98
Assmann & Co., F. A. D.	103
Arthur Koppel	109
Atlas Assurance Co., Ld.	123
Apcar & Co.	130
Acerboni & Co., F.	135
Anderson Wright & Co.	140
Andrew Yule & Co.	150
Allahabad Bank, Ld.	165
Artin & Co., Y.	167
Arathoon, Ld.	217
Army & Navy Co-Operative Society, Ld. ...	232
Alexander Young & Co.	243
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Birkmyre Bros.	18
British India Marine Service Club ...	35
Becker Gray & Co.	41
Bird & Co.	46
Boekel, Wm. Oscar	47
Barlow & Co.	49
Barry & Co.	50
Biswas & Co., D. N. ...	79
Brindaban Chandra Dutt ...	84
Bathgate & Co. ...	86
British-American Tobacco Co., Ld.	89
Bank of Bengal Secretary and Treasurer	110
Blackburn, G. A. ...	113
Bakshi & Co., S. A. B.	114
Bengal Coal Co., Ld.	117
Blackwood Blackwood & Co.	120
Boisogomoff, Ld.	128
Burk Brothers	134
Bombay Company, Limited, The ...	139
Begg Dunlop & Co.	171
Balch Bailey & Co.	173
Brooke Bond & Co., Ld.	187
Burn & Co., Ld.	191
Bevan & Co., T. E.	206
Brownlie & Murray, Ld. (Agents)	230
Bank of Burma, Ld.	253
Bharat Insurance Co., Ld. ...	256
Bengal Chamber of Commerce, Secy.	280
Burjorjee Framjee & Co. ...	284
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"Capital"	14
Cooke & Kelvey	20
Crompton & Co., Ld.	24
Calcutta Tramways Co., Ld.	32
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	40
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ld. ...	59
Consul-General for Italy	75
Cohn Bros. & Fuchs	91
Carl Lichtenstein & Co.	97
Consul-General for the Netherlands ...	125
Colonial Trading Co. of Trieste, Ld. ...	132
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Jagir & Co., R.	12
John Dickinson & Co., Ld.	45
Jardine, Skinner & Co.	51
Jules, Karpeles & Co.	96
Jessop & Co.	108
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James Scott & Sons, Ld.	152
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United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa and East Africa, and also South Africa if superscribed on the cover *viâ* United Kingdom or Aden.	July. 30		6 P.M	6-45 P.M	
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.			Parcels 5 P.M. M. O. 4 P.		
Australasian Colonies.	August. 3	5-45 P.M.	4-30 ,,	4-45 P.M.	2-45 ,,
*Straits Settlements, China and Japan, per S.S. *Fooksang*.	July. 28	12 noon	11 A.M	10 A.M.	0 A.M.
Ditto ditto, S.S. *Aumsang*.	31	8-30 P.M.	6 P.M	6-45 P.M.	5 P.M.
Burma	July. 30 August. 3	7-30 ,,		6-45	5
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	August. 1	7-30 ,,		6-45 ,,	5
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	July. 31	7-30 ,,	6	6-45 ,,	5
Port Blair *viâ* Rangoon.	August. 1	7-30 ,,	6	6-45 ,,	5
South Africa (Letters) S.S. *Umkuzi* from Colombo.		5-45 ,,	4-30 ,,	4-45 ,,	2-45 ,,
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		(*a*)	(*a*)	(*a*)
1. Arracan and Chittagong	4-45 P.M.	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M	5 P.M.
2. Bombay, Central Provinces, Midnapur, Purulia, Chaibassa, *viâ* Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	1-15 P.M.	1 ,,	11-45	11-30 A.M.
3. Places on the East Indian Railway (Loop Line).		1-30	12-45 P.M.	12 noon.
4. Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Lower Assam.	3-55	3-25		2-30 P.M.
5. Midnapur, Orissa and Madras Presidency.	5-45			4 ,,
6. Cuttack, Midnapur, Punjab, United Provinces, Bombay Presidency, Central India, Sind and Baluchistan, Eastern Bengal, Central Bengal and Murshidabad.	7-30			5 ,,

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Port Barrera—Light established.

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Position.—On Colorada point, western side of entrance to harbour.

Lat. 12° 32′ 30″ N., long. 123° 22′ 40″ E., on chart No. 3369.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—103 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Structure.—Concrete house, 16 feet high.
Charts affected.—No. 3369, Luzon to Masbate island.
,, 2577, St. Bernardino and Mindoro sea.
,, 943, Moluccs passage to Manila.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 133.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 343; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 683 of 1908. (*This office No. 935 of 23 June 1908.*)

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 31 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MASBATE, WEST COAST.

Bugui point—Shoal in southern approach.

No. 303 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 953 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A shoal of the undermentioned description is reported to exist in the southern approach to Bugui point, as follows:—

Position.—With Gato island S. 40° E., distant 4 miles.

Bugui point light N. 35° E.

Lat. 12° 29′ 20″ N., long. 123° 9′ 45″ E.

Depth.—4 fathoms (estimated).
Description.—Small extent.
Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3369, Luzon to Masbate island.
„ 2577, St. Bernardino and Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 253.
Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 30 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, SOUTH COAST.

Sibuguey bay—Shoals in—.

No. 304 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 954 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned shoals exist in Sibuguey bay as given below.

Position.—Pandalusan island, lat. 7° 28′ N., long. 122° 39′ E., on chart No. 2578.

Position.						Depth.	
At a distance of $2\frac{1}{16}$ miles	N. 59° W.	from	Pandalusan island.			3	feet.
„ $20\frac{3}{4}$ „	N. 47° E.	„	Tulnalutan	„		$4\frac{1}{2}$	fathoms.
„ $19\frac{3}{4}$ „	N. 52° E.	„	„	„		$5\frac{1}{2}$	„
„ 17 „	N. 52° E.	„	„	„		31	
„ $14\frac{1}{4}$ „	N. 41° E.	„	„	„		5	„
„ $10\frac{1}{4}$ „	N. 45° E.	„	„	„		$2\frac{1}{2}$	„
„ $11\frac{3}{4}$ „	N. 54° E.	„	„	„		Not given.	
„ $14\frac{1}{4}$ „	N. 62° E.	„	„	„		„	

Remarks.—The above depths have not been reduced to low water.

These dangers, which are steep-to, are distinguished by discoloration of the water, with the exception of the 3-foot shoal north-westward of Pandalusan island.

Variation.—2° E.
Charts affected.—No. 943, The Philippine islands.
„ 2578, Sulu or Mindoro sea.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, pages 392, 393.
Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 35 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Batu islands—Bank westward of, non-existence of shoal.

No. 305 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 955 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A bank of the undermentioned description exists to the westward of Tanah Balah, Batu islands, as follows :—

Position.—Lat. 0° 19′ S., long. 98° 15½′ E.

Depth.—6 fathoms.

Description.—A small coral reef.

Non-existence of Shoal.—It is considered that the above is identical with the "Shoal reported 1895" on the charts, 3 miles to westward of it. This shoal has been searched for without success, and a depth of 48 fathoms having been obtained in the former reported position, it has therefore been erased from the chart.

Charts affected.—No. 2760, Acheh head to Chingkuk bay.

„ 748*b*, Indian ocean.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 376.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1046 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST.

River Min entrance—Buoys moved.

No. 306 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 956 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The following alterations have been made in the positions of the undermentioned buoys in the entrance to the river Min.

Position.—Sharp peak, lat. 26° 8′ N., long. 119° 40′ E.

Alterations.

a. Outer bar red conical buoy.

Moved about 3 cables N. 75° E. from its former position, and is now moored in a position from which Sharp peak bears N. 65° W., distant $5\frac{5}{10}$ miles.

b. No. 2 fairway buoy.

Moved about 4¼ cables N. 88° E. from its former position, and is now moored in a position from which Sharp peak bears N. 61° W., distant 4½ miles.

Variation.—1° W.

Chart affected.—No. 2400, River Min.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 271; Supplement, 1907.

Notice to Mariners, No. 1894 of 1907. (*This office No. 35 of 25th January 1908*).

Authority.—H.M.S. *Alacrity*, Hydrographic Note, No. 2 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MALACCA STRAIT, SELÁNGOR.

Selángor river light—Alteration in character.

No. 307 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 957 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On or about 1st July 1908 the white fixed light at Selángor will be replaced by a light of the character given below.

Position.—Lat. 3° 20½′ N., long 101° 14¾′ E.

Character.—*White occulting every thirty seconds*, thus:—

Light,	Eclipse,
27 secs.	3 secs.

Elevation.—244 feet; 90 feet above the ground.
Visibility.—19 miles.
Order.—2nd order.
Structure.—Iron cylindrical tower on concrete pedestal, painted white.

Charts affected.—No. 794, Pulo Berhala to cape Rachado.
„ 1355, Malacca strait.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 421.

China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 189.

Authority.—Board of Trade, 15th June 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Shimonoseki strait—Wrecks dispersed.

No. 308 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 958 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned wrecks in Shimonoseki strait have been dispersed, as follows:—

1. Wreck off Ganryu Jima.

Former position.—3½ cables N. 47° E. from Ganryu Jima summit (110 feet).

Lat. 33° 56½′ N., long. 130° 56′ E.

2. Wreck on Ozo ne.

Former position.—8¾ cables N. 52° W. from Mana ita iwa light.

Lat. 33° 55½′ N., long. 130° 53′ E.

Variation—5° W.
Charts affected.—No. 3114, Moji and Simonoseki ko.
„ 1578, Simonoseki strait.
„ 532, „ „
Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, pages 504, 505; Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1174 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—NEW CALEDONIA, EAST COAST.

Tupéti passage, Cereiat rock—Amended description of.

No. 309 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 980 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The amended position and description of Cereiat rock in Tupéti passage is as follows:—

Position.—Situated at a distance of $1\frac{7}{16}$ miles N. 51° E. from Kindo island.

Lat. 21° 35¼′ S., long. 166° 23′ E.

Depth.—2½ fathoms.
Description.—A coral patch about 20 feet in diameter.
Variation.—10° E.
Chart affected.—No. 936*b*, New Caledonia.
Publications.—Pacific Islands, vol. II, 1900, page 354.

Notice to Mariners, No. 501 of 1908. (*This office No. 181 of 1st May 1908.*)

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 942 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF.

Bahrein harbour approach—Colour of buoy altered.

No. 310 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No 74 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The colour of the buoy in the approach to Bahrein Harbour has been altered as follows.

Position.—Latitude 26° 20′ 37″ N., long. 50° 33′ 11″ E.

Alteration.—Colour altered from White to Red.

Charts affected.—No. 20, Bahrein Harbour.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, pages 134 to 138.

Notice to Mariners No. 107 of 1907. (*This office No. 453 of 4th October 1907.*)

Authority.—H. M. S. 'Redbreast,' Hydrographic Note No. 1 of 1908.

INDIA. WEST COAST—Gulf of Cambay.

East cape, Dholera Light—Alteration in.

Erratum.

No. 311 (first publication).—In notice to Mariners, No. 152, dated 16th April 1908, issued by this office (British Admiralty Notice No. 405 of 1908), the arc of visibility of the Dholera Light from seaward should be from N. 65° E. through west to S. 4° E.

Authority.—Bombay notice No. 73 of 1908.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay (Goa) coast.

Goa—Lights discontinued.

No. 289 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 70 of 1908), are republished : —

Particulars.—The undermentioned lights at the entrance of Mandovi River have been discontinued until further notice.

Position.—(1) Reis Magus, east of the fort.

(2) From westward of Panjim.

(3) „ eastward of Panjim.

(4) Gaspar Dias, north of the fort.

Charts affected.—No. 492, Aguada to St. George's Island.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 257.
West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 164.

Authority.—Port Officer of Portuguese India.

INDIA, WEST—Kathiawar coast.

Diu—Lights discontinued.

No. 290 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 71 of 1908), are republished : —

Particulars.—The undermentioned lights have been discontinued until further notice.

Position.—(1) Forte do Mar.

(2) Couraça.

(3) Simbor.

Charts affected.—No. 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, Nos. 217 and 218.

West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 258.

Authority.—Port Officer of Portuguese India.

CHINA SEA—TAIWAN (FORMOSA), NORTH COAST.

Tansui (Tamsui) Ko—Wreck in entrance.

No. 291 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 918 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A wreck of the undermentioned description lies sunk in the entrance to Tansui (Tamsui) Ko, as follows:—

Position.—With the light on Tamsui pier S. 86° E., distant $13\frac{4}{10}$ cables, Beacon light N. 42° E.

Lat. 25° 10¾′ N., long. 121° 23¾′ E.

Description.—S.S. *Chidori*, not visible above water.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 2376, Plan of Tamsui harbour.
„ 3658, Auran road to So. O. wan.
„ 1761, Ockseu islands to Tung Yung.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol, III, 1904, page 254; Supplement, 1907

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 2036 of 1908.

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—GULF OF TOKYO ENTRANCE.

Uraga channel—Experimental whistle buoy withdrawn.

No. 292 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 919 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The whistle buoy of the undermentioned description, placed for experiment in the northern approach to Uraga channel, has been withdrawn.

Former Position.—On the southern side of Okino ne.

At a distance of 2 miles S. 62° E. from Koshiba zaki.

Lat. 35° 20′ N., long. 139° 41′ E.

Description.—Red conical truncated whistle buoy.

Variation.—4° W.

Chart affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 368.

Notice to Mariners No. 730 of 1907. (*This office No. 311 of 1st July 1907.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 2036 of 1908.

KOREA, SOUTH COAST—FUSAN HARBOUR.

Sorio—Mole under construction.

No. 293 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 920 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A mole is under construction to the northward of the existing mole at Sorio, Pusan (Fusan) harbour, as follows:—

Position.—Outer end $2\frac{1}{10}$ cables N. 46° E. from the white and red lights on existing mole head.

Mole head light, lat. 35° 6′ N., long. 129° 2¼′ E.

Direction of Mole.—N. 48° W. from the above position to the coast.

Description.—The mole is at present submerged.

Marks.—Whilst the mole is submerged a white flag, with the letter I in red, will be displayed from the works; as soon as the mole is above water, three wooden beacons, each exhibiting a *white* light, elevated 5½ feet, will be established on it 100 yards apart.

Variation.—5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1259, Fusan harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 199.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 119.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 2038 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE MAIN STRAIT.

Keppel harbour—Bank in western approach.

No. 294 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 921 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A bank has been found to exist in the western approach to Keppel harbour as follows:—

Position.—Situated at a distance of 11½ cables S. 36° W. from the Beri Beri hospital pier head.

Lat. 1° 15½′ N., long. 103° 47′ E.

Depth.—7 fathoms.

Note.—"Posn. approx." has been placed on the chart against this danger.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2404, Singapore Main strait.

„ 2403, Singapore strait.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 241.

Authority.—Master Attendant, Singapore, 8th May 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON—MANILA BAY ENTRANCE.

La Monja light—Particulars of—.

No. 295 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 922 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The particulars of the undermentioned light in the entrance to Manila bay are as follows:—

Position.—On rock.

Lat. 14° 22½′ N., long 120° 31′ E.

Name.—La Monja.

Character—Red fixed.

Elevation.—129 feet.

Visibility.—7 miles.

Structure.—Concrete house, 16 feet high.

Chart affected.—No. 976, Manila bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 137.

China Sea, vol. II, 1906, page 317.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 62; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 688 of 1908. (*This office No. 234 of 4th June 1908.*)

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 29 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN- PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, WEST COAST.

Juanico strait—Buoy and beacon established.

No. 296 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 923 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A buoy and beacon of the undermentioned descriptions have been established in Juanico channel, as follows :—

Buoy.

Position.—In a depth of 6 fathoms, at a distance of 1½ cables south-westward of Santa Rita island.

Lat. 11° 25′ 40″ N., long. 124° 57′ 20″ E.

Description.—Red conical buoy, marked No. 2.
Remarks.—Vessels should pass between this buoy and Santa Rita island.

Beacon.

Position.—On 3-foot shoal 3 cables S. 77° E. from Kaguaian point.

Lat. 11° 20′ 20″ N., long. 124° 58′ 10″ E.

Description.—A post, having two white square day marks with red square centres erected on a concrete base.
Elevation.—12 feet.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least 50 yards.
Variation.—1° E.
Chart affected.—No. 2987, San Pedro Bay to Libukan Islands.
Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, pages 361 and 362 ; Supplement 1906.
Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 33 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—AUCKLAND APPROACH.

Caution—Waiheke channel—Telephone cable across.

No. 297 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 924 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A telephone cable has been laid across Waiheke channel.
Position.—The shore ends of the cable are situated as follows :—

a. Ponui island.

At a distance of 3 cables eastward from Ponui head.

b. On Waiheke island.

At a distance of 2¾ cables northward of Finger point.

Finger point, lat. 36° 49¾′ S., long. 175° 10′ E.

Caution.—Mariners are prohibited from anchoring in the vicinity of the cable which is laid directly between the above positions.
Chart affected.—No. 1896, Auckland harbour.
Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 60 ; Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 25 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—STEWART ISLAND.

Half Moon bay—Rock in—.

No. 298 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 925 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A rock of the undermentioned description exists in Half Moon bay, as follows :—

Position.—At a distance of 5½ cables N. 41° E. from the wharf end.

Lat. 46° 53½′ S., long. 168° 10′ E.

Depth.—8 feet.
Description.—A pinnacle rock.
Buoy.—A buoy (not described) has been placed to mark the position of the rock.
Variation.—18° E.
Chart affected.—No. 2541. Plan of Paterson inlet.
Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 323; Revised Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 24 of 1908.

AFRICA. NORTH-EAST—Red Sea—Gulf of Suez, western shore.

Strickland shoal—Beacon, coast guard station established.

No. 299 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 948 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned beacon and Coast Guard station have been established respectively on and near Strickland shoal, Gulf of Suez, as follows:—

1. Beacon.

Position.—On inner or Western Strickland shoal, lat. 29° 41¼′ N., long 32° 23¼′ E.
Remarks.—This beacon is conspicuous.

2. Coast Guard station.

Position.—Lat. 29° 41′ N., long. 32° 21′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 757, Gulf of Suez.
Publication.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 91.
Authority.—H. E. H. Coast Guard cruiser *Nour Ee Bahr*, 20th May 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red sea, western shore.

Koseir—Beacon and buoy established.

Ras Benàs—Conspicuous tomb.

No. 300 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 949 of 1908) are republished:—

Particulars.—A buoy and beacon have been established at Koseir, and a conspicuous tomb exists on Ras Benàs, as follows:—

1. Koseir. Buoy and beacon.

Position.—The buoy has been placed on the chart in 3 fathoms at a distance of 3 cables S. 49° E. from, and the beacon on the reef 3¼ cables S. 69° E. from, the southern angle of the fort.
Southern angle of fort, lat. 26° 6½′ N., long. 34° 17′ E.
Description.—Not given.

2. Ras Benàs.

Position.—Lat. 23° 54′ N., long. 35° 47′ E.
Description.—Conspicuous tomb.

Variation.—3° W.
Chart affected.—No. 8*b*, Red Sea.
Publications.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, pages 120, 127; Supplement, 1904.
Authority.—H. E. H. C. G. cruiser *Nowr Ee Bahr*, 20th May 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Java, north coast.

Inderamayu west road—Intended light-buoy.

No. 301 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 951 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A light-buoy of the undermentioned description will be established in Inderamayu West road, as follows:—

Position.—In a depth of 5 fathoms.

Lat. 6° 14′ 25″ S., long. 108° 13′ 55″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted in red and black horizontal stripes, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eel
10 secs.	10 secs.

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Java, western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 98.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1047 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—Arabian coast.

Baharein Harbour—Shoal in approach.

No. 285 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 67 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned shoal is reported to exist in the approach to Baharein Harbour. Want of time would not permit its being examined.

Position.—About 22½ miles N. 45° E. (true) from Ras Tanura.

Latitude 26° 54′ N., Longitude 50° 28′ E.

Depth.—5 fathoms.

Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western sheet.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 146.

Authority.—H. M.'s "*Lapwing*," Hydrographic Note No. 1 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—Arabian coast.

Koweit Harbour—Light established.

No. 286 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 68 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at Koweit as follows.

Position.—On the British Residency flagstaff.

Latitude 29° 23′ N., Longitude 47° 59′ 30″ E.

Character.—Red fixed.

Visibility.—5 miles.

Power or order.—6th order.

Charts affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western sheet.

„ 22, Koweit Harbour and approaches.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 158. Admiralty list of lights, Part VI, 1908, page 38.

Authority.—H. M.'s "*Lapwing*," Hydrographic Note No. 2.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red sea, eastern shore—Yenbo approach.

Thetis reef—Beacon re-erected.

No. 287 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 878 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 22nd January 1908, a beacon of the undermentioned description was erected in the approach to Yenbo, as follows:—

Position.—On Thetis reef.

Lat. 23° 38¾′ N.; long. 38° 1¾′ E.

Description.—Iron cage beacon.

Elevation.—About 27 feet.

Chart affected.—No. 8*b*, Red Sea.

Publications.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 262 ; Supplement, 1904.

Authority.—H. B. M. Consul, Jeddah, 30th April 1908, through Foreign Office.

CHINA SEA—Cochin China.

Saigon river—Signals indicating submarine boat exercises.

No. 288 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 884 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned signals will be made when submarine boats are exercising in the Saigon river entrance.

Position.—Cape St. James lighthouse, lat. 10° 19¾′ N., long. 107° 5′ E.

Signals.—*a.* A square flag with 2 horizontal bands, red and yellow.
b. A red ball.

Exhibition of.—Signal (*a*) will be hoisted at the fore, and signal (*b*) aft, in place of the national flag on board the vessels convoying the submarine boats.

Signal (*a*) will also be hoisted at the semaphore on cape St. James.

Convoy.—Submarine boats when being exercised will always be accompanied by a torpedo boat, torpedo-boat destroyer, cruiser or other steam-vessel, stationed about 50 yards astern of the submarine.

Caution.—All vessels approaching must pass at least 50 yards astern of the convoy, and carefully observe the movements of, and any signals made from it.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages. 406, 407.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 838 of 1908.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PORT OFFICER, CALCUTTA, FOR THE YEAR 1907-08.

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Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 25th July 1908.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

Letter No. 3074, dated 3rd July 1908, from the Port Officer, Calcutta, submitting the Annual Report of his Department for 1907-08.

There were 52 pilots on the active list at the close of the year 1807-08, against 50 at the end of 1906-07. There were two casualties, one Branch Pilot and one Leadsman Apprentice having been invalided during the year. Five

Leadsmen were recruited from England. It was intended to fill one of these appointments locally, but no eligible candidate came forward. Arrangements have been made to obtain three recruits during the current year to meet the requirements of the service.

2. One thousand five hundred and sixty-seven vessels arrived at the port and 1,562 departed with a gross tonnage of 6,010,081 inwards and 5,985,574 outwards. The average tonnage of steam sailing vessels inwards and outwards was 3,824, as compared with 3,846, 3,722 and 3,734, the averages for the three previous years respectively. The pilotage receipts amounted to Rs. 13,49,151 during the year as against Rs. 14,21,189, Rs. 13.62,785, and Rs. 13,54,169, respectively, during the past three years. The rates for pilotage vary with the draft of the vessel and not with the tonnage, and the fall in the receipts would appear to indicate that a larger tonnage of cargo is now being carried for the same draft.

3. There has been an increase in the number of inward vessels drawing over 21 feet and decrease in the outward as compared with those of the previous year. The number of such vessels piloted inwards and outwards was 334 and 896, against 315 and 954 respectively in the year before. One sailing ship of more than 21 feet draught entered the port and one departed during the year.

4. *Six* inward vessels only were neaped at Diamond Harbour during the year for want of sufficient depth of water over the bars of the river, while last year *twenty* vessels were neaped at Diamond Harbour, *one* at Saugor Island and *six* at Calcutta. The bars were exceptionally good during the year owing, no doubt, partly to the successful dredging operations of the *Sandpiper*. Only *6* vessels were detained at the Sandheads for want of pilots, against *13* during the previous year, the average detention being 29 hours and 4 minutes.

5. There were 5 collisions and 20 groundings, against 9 collisions and 30 groundings in the previous year. In three cases of collisions the pilots were free from blame, and in two they were found to have been negligent. In respect to the groundings, the pilots were in fault for error of judgment in two cases only.

6. Fifty-four preliminary enquiries were held, as the result of which three cases were referred to Departmental Courts and five to special Courts of Enquiry. No Marine Court under Act XII of 1859 was held during the year.

7. Eighty-three candidates appeared at examinations for Colonial and Home Trade Certificates of Competency, of whom forty-six passed. Four hundred and thirty-two candidates appeared at examinations for Certificates of Competency as Master, Serang, Engineer and Engine-driver under the Inland Steam-vessels Act, VI of 1884, but only 250 passed.

8. Mr. G. Robertson was the First Engineers and Shipwright-Surveyor throughout the year. Mr. E. G. Venn, Chief Engineer, R.I.M., was the Second Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor. The appointment of a Third Surveyor was found necessary to cope with the increase of work, and Mr. H. R. Stark acted in the newly-created appointment from the 24th June to 31st October 1907 as a temporary measure. Mr. F. Olford, Engineer, Royal Indian Marine, was appointed permanently as Third Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor from the 4th November 1907.

9. Commander St. L. S. Warden, R.I.M., presided over the Department throughout the year. Commander A. S. Balfour, R.I.M., continued as Assistant Port Officer and Deputy Shipping Master up to the 16th of December 1907 when he reverted to the Royal Indian Marine on being relieved by Lieutenant H. E. Harold, R.I.M., who has held the post up to the close of the year.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. A. INGLIS,

Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT ON THE GOVERNMENT CINCHONA PLANTATION AND FACTORY IN BENGAL FOR THE YEAR 1907-08

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1318M dl.—The 22nd July 1908.—The following extracts paragraphs 1 to 12 from the Annual Report on the Government Cinchona Plantation and Factory in Bengal, for the year 1907-08, are published for general information

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Forty-sixth Annual Report of the Government Cinchona Plantation, British Sikkim, being that for the financial year 1907-08, and also the Report of the Factory of the same year, by W. W. SMITH, ESQ., *Officiating Superintendent of Cinchona Cultivation in Bengal and Officiating Government Quinologist.*

Weather and General.—At the head-quarters division Mungpoo, rainfall to the amount of 96·46 inches was recorded against an average of 123·02 inches during the preceding 20 years, the total number of wet days being 176; and the greatest amount during one day 5·62 inches. Similarly Munsong rainfall was deficient, the total measured being 72·07 inches against an average of 90·72 during the preceding six years; number of wet days 191; the largest fall in one day 2·08 inches.

2 *Plantation and Crop.*—Cinchona extensions in all divisions amount to 110·63 acres with 290,140 young trees. Of these 52·68 acres *Ledgeriana* (143,423 plants) were put out in the Mungpoo plantation and 11·27 acres *Hybrid* (*No. 2*) (19,638 plants) in the Sittong Division. No land now remains of sufficiently good quality to justify further extensions of Cinchona, and these will be discontinued in this area. At Munsong 46·68 acres of *Ledgeriana* (127,079 plants) have been added, the total area of this species now amounting to 544·61 acres.

The total number of Cinchona trees of all sorts on the permanent plantations on 31st March 1908 was 3,471,216. Of this number, 2,779,746 were *Cinchona Ledgeriana*, being 1,626,035 on Mungpoo plantation and 1,153,711 on Munsong plantation. The remainder consisted of 346,699 of *Hybrid* (*No. 1*) (all on Mungpoo plantation), 92,992 of *Hybrid* (*No. 2* and 251,779 of *Cinchona Succirubra*, both mostly on Mungpoo plantation. Details are given in Appendices A(1) and A (2). The decrease in the number of trees on the plantation as a whole since last year is 227,561 plants.

Cultivation has been but moderately maintained in the head-quarters division. The use of bonemeal was discontinued, the result not being sufficient to justify a continuation of expenditure under this heading. Mortality continues very high amongst the *Ledger* trees in this area, and the current season will show a further and marked decrease. Munsong has been kept in a good state of cultivation throughout the year and the trees continue to thrive well over the whole area.

Propagation by cuttings of selected *Hybrid* (*No. 2*) has been continued, the number of stock plants containing 6 per cent. Quinine Sulphate and upwards having increased from 1,200 to 6,820. The whole of these with their frames have been transferred to Munsong in anticipation of sanction to open out new land where conditions for Cinchona cultivation are so much better than those existing at Mungpoo.

Bark harvest (dry) for the year from all divisions amounted to 445,638 lbs., an increase of 16,081 over the preceding year. Of this total *Ledgeriana* bark was 419,388 lbs., *Succirubra* 407 lbs., *Hybrid (No. 1)* 21,914 lbs. and *Hybrid (No. 2)* 3,929 lbs. (Of *Ledgeriana* bark Munsong contributed 131,479 lbs. against 89,031 for 1906-07. The latter was obtained almost entirely from thinnings.

3. *Factory and Outturn.*—The total quantity of bark worked up in the Factory was 945,900 lbs. made up of 764,954 lbs. of *Ledgeriana* and 167,074 lbs. of *Hybrid (No. 1)* and 2,022 lbs. of *Officinalis* and 11,850 lbs. of *Succirubra*. The output of Quinine Sulphate, amounted to 27,564 lbs., being an increase of 11,499, or 71·57 per cent. on last year's output and the largest quantity ever turned out by the Factory in one year. This is in part due to the new machinery, but principally to the new method of working by which each vat produces double the amount it did previously.

Only 3,370 lbs. of Cinchona Febrifuge was produced, but this was sufficient to leave a stock in hand of 1,843lbs. and with a greater demand far more could now be produced.

No Cinchonidine Sulphate was manufactured during the year, there being an ample quantity in stock to meet the very limited demand for it. The total outturn of the Factory for the year is 30,934 lbs., being an increase of 12,216 lbs. 12 oz. over that of the preceding year.

The average yield of Quinine Sulphate from the bark used in the Factory was 2·90 per cent., a difference of ·22 per cent. from last year's figures, 2·68 per cent. These low figures will not occur in future years, for the whole of the accumulation of old and poor bark has now been worked up, and only the bark now being produced or bought will be available. The yield at the end of the year had risen to 3·34 per cent., and should rise still further, while in the course of a few years bark from the selected trees should be coming in, and a normal yield of 6 or 7 per cent. be obtained.

The Factory officers have analysed 546 samples of bark for the Plantation, while work for the improvement of Factory and other methods is constantly going on.

4. *General Charges.*—The charges against the department as a whole amount to Rs. 21,834-8-6, as against Rs. 48,104-1-6 charged last year. The total is made up of Rs. 4,748 13-6 for pay of clerical and menial staff; Rs. 543 5 for postal and telegraph charges; Rs. 874 for advertising manufactured articles; Rs. 1,475 for taxes (Road cess and Public Works cess); Rs. 5,353 10-6 for extension of plantations; Rs. 5,854-10-6 for additions to Factory; and Rs. 2,985-1 for erection and alteration of bungalows. The details are given in Appendix D.

5. *Plantation Charges.*—The total plantation charges amount to Rs. 90,715-1-3, of which the sum of Rs. 64,461-14-3 was incurred for Mungpoo plantation and Rs. 26,253-3 for Munsong. Against the total plantation charges has to be placed the yield of 445,638 lbs. of bark, valued at Rs. 89,567-6-10.

6. *Factory Charges.*—The working expenses of the Factory were Rs. 90,408-9-7, being Rs. 81,983-9-7 incurred in the manufacture of Sulphate of Quinine and Rs. 8,425 in making Cinchona Febrifuge. The value of the bark put through the Factory was Rs. 1,85,788-12-2. The details are given in Appendix C (2).

7. *Issue of Manufactured Articles.*—The amount of Sulphate of Quinine sold during the year was 16,957 lbs. 6½ oz., being 1,176 lbs. 14 oz. in excess of last year's sales. The Medical Depôt, Lahore Cantonment, took 2,500 lbs., the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal, for pice packets 600 lbs., the Superintendent, Central Prisons, Lahore, 30 lbs., and the Superintendent, District Jail, Bannu, 27 lbs. more than in the previous year. On the other hand, the Medical Depôt, Calcutta, the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal, for jails and lock-ups, and the Government officers and dispensaries, etc.,

took, respectively, 500 lbs., 12 lbs. and 998 lbs. 9 oz. less than they did in 1906-07. The Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Eastern Bengal and Assam, took 25 lbs. of Sulphate of Quinine during the year. Of Cinchona Febrifuge 3,339 lbs. 12 oz. were sold, showing a decrease of 530 lbs. over last year's sale due chiefly to the fact that the Medical Depôt, Calcutta, the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal, and the Government officers, and the general public took amongst them 726 lbs. 12 oz. less than last year's supply. The Medical Depôt, Lahore Cantonment, on the other hand, took 200 lbs. more than in the preceding year. Of Cinchonidine Sulphate, only 164 lbs. 12 oz. were issued. The details are given in Appendix F. A detailed statement of the sales of Sulphate of Quinine, Sulphate of Cinchonidine and Cinchona Febrifuge to dispensaries in the various provinces is given in Appendix G.

8. *Receipts.*—The toral receipts for the year amount to Rs. 2,23,681-2, being Rs. 11,410-3-4 more than last year's receipts and Rs. 20,722-14-8, more than the year's expenditure. The total budget grant for the year was Rs. 2,31,131. Owing to labour difficulties at Munsong and other causes this sum was not spent in full, there being a saving of Rs. 28,172-12-8. Of the receipts, Rs. 67,862-6 were in cash and Rs. 1,55,818-12 by book credit. Of the cash sales, Rs. 41,819-8-6 were for Sulphate of Quinine, Rs. 22,933-2—for Cinchona Febrifuge, Rs. 717-3—for Sulphate of Cinchonidine, Rs. 1,440 for Amorphous Alkaloids, Rs. 378 for Cinchona Bark and Rs. 574-8-6-for Miscellaneous items (sale proceeds of old casks and fines for cattle trespasses in the Cinchona plantation). The book credits include Rs. 1,09,531-4 for Sulphate of Quinine to Medical Depôts; Rs. 42,537-8 for the same to prisons for making into pice-packets; Rs. 375 to the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Eastern Bengal and Assam and Rs. 3,375 for Cinchona Febrifuge and Sulphate of Cinchonidine issued to the Medical Depôts. The details are given in Appendix B. The outstandings on 31st March 1907 were all recovered.

9. *Stock Account.*—On the 31st March 1908 there were in stock 14,3 6 lbs. 11½ oz. of Sulphate of Quinine valued at Rs. 1,53,778-14-3; 762 lbs. of Sulphate of Cinchonidine valued at Rs. 8,572-8; 1,843 lbs. of Cinchona Febrifuge, valued at Rs. 13,822-8; 14,925 lbs. of Amorphous Alkaloids, valued at Rs. 13,059-6; 409,119lbs. of Cinchona Bark, valued at Rs. 81,033-2-8; 12,285 gallons of oil, valued at Rs. 9,151-15 9; 175,062 lbs. of chemicals, valued at Rs. 14,688-15-6; and sundry stores, valued at Rs. 5,649-11. The total value is Rs. 2,99,757-1-2 taken at the average rate at which such stock was sold during the year.

10. *Profit and Loss Account.*—This is shown in the form prescribed by Government as Appendix E. The surplus on the year's working is Rs. 52,967-8-5, or deducting non-recurrent charges, Rs. 44,127-12-11.

11. *Sale of Quinine at Post Offices.*—The quantity of Sulphate of Quinine issued to the Prisons Department for conversion into pice-packets during the year was 4,000 lbs., being an increase of 600 lbs. over last year's issue.

12. *Miscellaneous*—(*a*) *Land rent.*—The revenue collected from the settlers within the Cinchona reserves for grazing and land rent amounts to Rs. 3,717-1-6. This sum was paid into the Darjeeling Treasury, no credit being taken for it in the Cinchona accounts.

(*b*) *Fuel Plantation.*—Fifteen acres of firewood plantation were cleared during the year, yielding 8,800 maunds of oak and 8,300 maunds of miscellaneous wood, total 17,100 maunds of firewood, and 174·70 acres were planted out with 118,794 plants of selected species—*Quercus Griffithii Q. semiserrata*, *Sekima Wallichii*, and *Betula cylindrastachys*.

(*c*) *Bungalows.*—The bungalow for the Factory Assistant has been completed and occupied since July, and a house has been erected for the Factory clerk.

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THE MYSORE DASARA INDUSTRIAL AND AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION, 1908.

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F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 23rd July 1908.

THE MYSORE DASARA INDUSTRIAL AND AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION, 1908.

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PROSPECTUS OF THE MYSORE DASARA INDUSTRIAL AND AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION OF 1908.

INTRODUCTORY.

WITH the sanction of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, the Committee issue the following prospectus in connection with the Exhibition of 1908.

2. *Opening of the Exhibition.*—This year the Exhibition will commence on Wednesday, 30th September 1908, and close on Wednesday, 14th October 1908. The cattle show will begin on Tuesday, 6th October, and close on Thursday, 8th. From the experience of last year it may be observed that the show offers a good opportunity for people desirous of purchasing good specimens of Mysore cattle.

3. *Object of the Exhibition.*—The primary aim of the Committee is to impart to the Exhibition an educative character and to bring together articles, machinery, and processes the use of which it is desirable to bring to the notice of the raiyat, the artizan and the manufacturer by actual demonstration. But as the exhibition of solitary samples may not afford sufficient information and may not be attractive to the visiting public, articles intended for sale will also be admitted.

4. *Articles on sale* versus *samples.*—Articles on a large scale sent merely for sale will have to be kept in separate stalls and under the charge of the exhibitors or their agents. There is no objection to the sale of samples, but they will not be allowed to be removed from the Exhibition grounds till the termination of the show. Articles admitted for purposes of sale alone may be removed after purchase. But no article will be allowed to leave the Exhibition grounds without a gate pass.

5. *Plan of the buildings.*—A plan of the Exhibition grounds and buildings and the extent of covered and open space available is appended this prospectus. Those who desire to have

special facilities for the sale of articles or demonstration of processes are requested to place themselves in communication with the Secretary to the Exhibition Committee.

6. *Lectures and Demonstrations.*—Lectures will be delivered by competent persons in English and Kanarese on subjects connected with industry, agriculture, health and sanitation, the value of agricultural implements and machines, their cost, construction and repair. Arrangements will also be made for holding a competition on the Exhibition grounds in ploughing and weaving and processes connected therewith. The exact time and place of the lectures and demonstrations will be announced later on by hand-bills and notices.

7. *Donations.*—The Committee would thankfully accept donations for awarding prizes or medals from individuals or Associations desiring to give an impetus to any special branch of agriculture or industry.

8. *Classification of Exhibits.*—The Exhibition of 1908 will be confined to the main groups and sub-heads indicated in the prize list subjoined to this prospectus.

9. *Open to all India.*—The Committee invite exhibits from all the Districts in the State as well as from outside. They also appeal to the various Agricultural Departments and Associations in other parts of India, Burma and Ceylon to help them with exhibits and suggestions.

10. *Judges.*—Leading raiyats and non-official gentlemen will be invited to assist the Committee in judging the exhibits.

11. *Admission fees for visitors.*—An admission fee of annas two per head will be levied each time a person enters the Exhibition buildings. There will be no season tickets, nor family tickets, nor special tickets at half rates for pupils. Only children in arms who are less than three years of age will be admitted free.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

1. *Noxious Articles.*—Explosives or any substance noxious or dangerous will not be admitted by the Committee.

2. *Particulars re exhibits.*—Intending exhibitors are requested to send to the Secretary to the Exhibition Committee particulars of exhibits they intend to forward and the amount of space which their exhibits may take up in Form A appended to this prospectus. Printed forms may be obtained from the District, Divisional and Taluk offices, or from the Secretary to the Committee; plain paper of foolscap size may also be used provided all the headings in the form are properly copied and filled up.

3. *Applications from exhibitors.*—Applications in Form A should reach the Secretary to the Committee not later than 1st August 1908. Each application should contain a post card on which the address and post town of the exhibitor are legibly written.

4. *Lists from Taluks.*—Deputy Commissioners of Districts, Subdivisional Officers and Amildars of Taluks are requested to convene, as early as possible, a meeting of the leading artizans, raiyats and merchants residing within their respective charges, to explain to them fully the object and scope of the exhibition and to distribute to them forms of application, to have them filled up by intending exhibitors and to forward them to the Secretary to the Committee. This will give the Committee an idea of the total space required and enable the exhibitors to make a good choice of the exhibits by preventing a number of them from sending exhibits of the same quality and description.

5. *Articles not enumerated.*—The classified list of prizes will show the nature of articles which can compete at the Exhibition. Articles not specially enumerated in the price list may, however, be admitted by the Committee at their discretion.

6. *No fees to be charged for exhibits.*—No fees will be charged for the admission or registration of the exhibits or for the space allowed for them.

7. *Acceptance of exhibits.*—The Committee reserve to themselves absolute discretion as regards the acceptance and rejection of exhibits and the allotment of space covered or uncovered.

8. *Delivery of exhibits.*—Articles intended for the exhibition may be brought by the exhibitor or his agent or servant and delivered at the Exhibition ground or sent by post or railway or through the Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

9. *Payment of freight and transport charges.*—No exhibits in respect of which the necessary freight or transport charges have not been paid by the exhibitor, will be accepted by the Committee.

10. *List of particulars.*—All packages received or delivered and all implements and machinery intended for the Exhibition must bear a label specifying the name and number of exhibits and the registered number of the exhibitor and must be addressed to the Secretary. They must contain a list, in duplicate, showing the name or description of the article, its price,

the place of production or manufacture, name of the manufacturer or exhibitor. In the case of exhibits in the Agricultural section, essential particulars such as the season of sowing, the soil on which they are grown, the quantity of seed per acre, the manure used, whether any irrigation is required, the time required for the maturing of crop, the average yield per acre, and any other interesting details regarding cultivation should be given.

11. *Exhibits which have already won prizes.*—Exhibits which have won prizes or medals in the Mysore Exhibitions of 1906 and 1907 are precluded from competing for prizes though there is no objection to there being accepted for purposes of show or sale.

12. *Date of delivery of exhibits.*—Intending exhibitors are requested to send the exhibit so as to reach Mysore on the 10th September 1908, from which date the Committee will arrange to take charge of exhibits. **But no exhibits will be received after the 23rd September 1908.**

13. *Belated exhibits.*—Articles that are not delivered at the Exhibition Hall in the time fixed may be admitted at the discretion of the Committee subsequent to the dates mentioned in paragraph 12, but shall not be entitled to compete for prizes.

14. *Perishable articles.*—Vegetables, fruits, dairy produce, and other perishable articles, may, however, be delivered at the Exhibition Hall till 7 P.M., on 29th September 1908.

15. *Admission of exhibits.*—No exhibits will be admitted whithout a pass signed by the Secretary or members of the Committee on duty at the Exhibition grounds.

16. *Responsibility of exhibitors.*—Exhibitors will have to pay every expense of transit, delivery, fixing and removing their exhibits, and they must either personally or by their agents or servants superintend their reception and removal, in default of which the Committee reserve to themselves the right of doing whatever may be considered necessary at the expense of the exhibitor.

17. *Committee accept no responsibility.*—No responsibility will be accepted by the Committee as to any damage or loss howsoever occurring.

18. *Special facilities.*—Exhibitors are requested to mention in their applications whether they wish to illustrate practically any processes of manufacture or the working of any implement or machinery, and if so, to state briefly the nature of the demonstration and any special facilities they require.

19. *Special arrangement to be made at the exhibitor's expense.*—If the exibitors require any special arrangements to be made (or have to mount their machinery) they must carry them out at their own expense, but the Committee will be glad to give such aid as may be possible in the shape of getting skilled or unskilled manual labour at the exhibitor's expense. The expenses of demonstrating machinery and implements should be borne by the exhibitor except where special arrangements have been made with the Committee.

20. *Valuable exhibits.*—All valuable exhibits must be forwarded under the charge of an attendant.

21 *Exhibits unaccompanied by men in charge.*—Exhibitors who are unable to attend personally or send their agents in charge of exhibits may make special arrangements with the Committee for the exhibition of their goods on payment in advance in full of the estimated expense.

22. *Weighing of exhibits.*—The Committee entrust the work of receiving the exhibits to responsible officials. But as the goods are landed near the Exhibition grounds by special arrangement, it is not possible to weigh every consignment before taking delivery of it. So exhibitors are requested to take every possible precaution in packing their exhibits and to send to the Committee in time an accurate list of exhibits sent by them. Exhibitors who wish that their consignment should be weighed at the Railway Station before delivery should intimate their wish to the Secretary in time and remit in advance a special fee of one rupee on each consignment to be thus weighed.

23. *Acknowledgment of exhibits.*—Receipt of exhibits will be acknowledged by return of the duplicate list mentioned in paragraph 10 to the exhibitor duly signed by the Secretary. No other kind of receipt will be sent. Any differences between the list and the articles actually received will be noted in the duplicate list.

24. *Free pass to exhibitors.*—In cases in which the owners themselves are in charge of exhibits, the necessary free pass will be given.

25. *Free admission to bonâ fide raiyats and artizans.*—Raiyats and artizans unable to pay fees, belonging to the Mysore State or from outside, who produce certificates of identification signed by their respective Taluk Officers in Form B appended to this prospectus, will be admitted free.

26. *Space for exhibits on sale.*—Accommodation will be found within the Exhibition grounds, as far as possible, for articles intended for sale. But those who wish to send articles on a large scale would do well to have temporary booths put up at their own cost in the Exhibition grounds, by previous arrangement with the Committee.

27. *Commission on sale.*—A commission of one anna in the rupee on sales of exhibits conducted in the Exhibition stalls and grounds will be levied by the Committee from all exhibitors.

28. *Articles on sale.*—Articles on sale or articles sold should in every case have cards attached to them notifying the same.

29. *Removal of exhibits.*—All exhibits must be removed within a week after the close of the Exhibition. Exhibits remaining after that time will be disposed of as the Committee deem fit. Perishable articles will be allowed to be removed at the option of the owners or purchasers within 24 hours after the opening of the Exhibition.

30. *Exhibits on loan.*—Works of art and articles of special merit including those of antiquarian interest will be thankfully received. Gentlemen willing to lend them are requested to place themselves in communication with the Secretary, or any of the members of the Committee who will inform them of the acceptance of the offer and will make necessary arrangements in connection with the exhibition of the articles.

31. *Exhibits belonging to any Department of Government.*—Articles or cattle exhibited by any Department of Government will not be eligible for money prizes or medals, but may be awarded certificates of merit. This rule does not preclude Government servants or pupils of Industrial Schools from competing for prizes if the exhibits are manufactured by themselves.

32. *Admission of live-stock.*—All cattle and sheep brought for the show will be located in a convenient place before the first selection and only such of the animals as are selected will be permitted to be picketed in the sheds provided at the show-yard according to breed, age and size, etc.

33. *Accommodation for cattle.*—Accommodation will be provided by the Committee free of cost for about 150 head of cattle.

34. *Grant for fodder.*—A sum of four annas will be given by the Committee for each head of cattle selected per day for fodder for the four days from 6th to 9th October (both inclusive).

35. *Admission to the show grounds.*—Only pass or ticket-holders will be allowed to the Show grounds, while the cattle are judged.

36.—*Animals which have won prizes.*—No animal which has won a prize in previous years in the Mysore Exhibitions will be eligible for a prize.

37. *Practical test.*—Working cattle may, at the owner's option, be subjected to a practical test as to their powers of draught. They must be the *bonâ fide* property of the exhibitor.

38. Single bullocks will also be tested both for riding and draught purposes at the owner's option.

39. *Caretaker.*—Each animal on lot competing separately must be in charge of a caretaker who will remain in charge of the exhibit and must be ready to lead it out at any time as required by the Committee.

40. *Distribution of prizes and medals.*—Prizes and medals will be distributed at the close of the Exhibition. This year it is proposed to hold a distribution of prizes in the Exhibition grounds on or about the 12th October.

41. *Number of Judges.*—The Judges in each class or group will not be less than three, but no prizes will be awarded unless in the opinion of the Judges the exhibits merit the reward. Judges cannot compete for prizes in classes or sections in which they are Judges.

42. *Photograph of articles exhibited.*—No article exhibited may be copied, photographed, drawn or reproduced in any manner without the special permission of the exhibitor and the Committee. General photographs of the stalls may, however, be taken with the permission of the Committee.

43. *Committee's decision final.*—The Committee have full power to make rules for the conduct of the Exhibition under these regulations and their decision is final in all cases.

44. *Acceptance of rules.*—All persons who become exhibitors shall be held to signify their assent to and acceptance of the foregoing rules and regulations, and also of such other rules as the Committee may hereafter issue, not inconsistent with these Regulations.

45. *Communications regarding the Exhibition.*—All communications regarding the Exhibition should be addressed to the Secretary to the Mysore Dasara Exhibition Committee and directed to Bangalore till 10th September 1908 and to Mysore after 10th September 1908.

REVENUE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
2nd June 1908.

K. SUBBA RAU,
Secretary.

THE MYSORE DASARA INDUSTRIAL AND AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION, 1908.

Classified List of Exhibits and Prizes.

GROUP I.

[No prizes will be awarded unless the exhibits are truly worthy of them.]

Description.	Money Prizes.				No of Medals.		
	1		2		Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.
Class I.—Field Produce.	No.	Value Rs.	No.	Value Rs.			
(a) Cereals or Grains.							
1. Hot season paddy (Vaisakha Bhatta), 5 seers by measure.	7	4 each	7	2 each	...	...	...
2. Cold season paddy (Kartika Bhatta)	7	4 „	7	2 „	...	...	.
3. Collection of different varieties of paddy, 2 seers, each kind.	...	...	1	3	...	...	1
4. Field ragi, 5 seers	2	4 each	2	2 each	...	...	...
5. Garden ragi	2	4 „	2	2 „	...	..	...
6. Collection of different varieties of ragi, 2 seers, each kind.	1	4	1	2	...	...	...
7. Haraka	1	4	1	2	...	...	...
8. Great millet (bili jola). 5 seers ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
9. Do. (kempu jola), do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
10. Collection of different varieties of jola, 2 seers, each kind.	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
11. Italian millet (navane), 5 seers ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
12. Little millet (samé), do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
13. Indian-corn or maize (muskin jola), a dozen cobs.	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
14. Spiked millet (sajje), 5 seers ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
15. Panicum milliaceum (baragu), 5 seers	1	3	1	2	..	...	...
16. Wheat do. do. ...	...	...	1	3	...	...	1
17. Collection of grains most suitable for growing in dry seasons, 2 seers, each kind.	1	6	1	4	...	...	...
(b) Pulses.							
1. Dhal (togari), 5 seers by measure ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
2. Horse gram (hurali) do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
3. Bengal gram (kadale) do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
4. Black gram (ooddu) do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
5. Green gram (hesaru) do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
6. Lentil (karamane) do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
7. Peas (buttaney) do. ...	1	3	1	2	..	...	...
8. Beans (avare) do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
9. Other edible pulses, 2 seers of each kind.	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
(c) Oil and oilseeds.							
1. Gingili oilseed (achellu), 2 seers by measure.	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
2. Gingili oil, 25 tolas in bottle ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
3. Ramtil (hutchellu), 2 seers by measure.	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
4. Ramtil oil, 25 tolas in bottle ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
5. Castor-oil seeds (haralu), 2 seers by measure.	1	3	1	2	...	...	...

Description.	Money Prizes.				No. of Medals.		
	1		2		Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.
Oil and oilseeds—concld.	No.	Value Rs.	No.	Value Rs.			
Castor-oil, 25 tolas	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Pongamea seeds (honge), 2 seers ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Do. oil, 25 tolas	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Bassia seeds (ippe), 2 seers ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Do. oil, 25 tolas	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Ground-nut (kadalekayi), 2 seers ...	1	4	1	2	...	...	...
Do. oil 25 tolas in bottle ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Safflower seed (kusamba), 2 seers ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Do. oil, 25 tolas	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Dry cocoanut (khobri), 2 seers ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Cocoanut oil, 25 tolas	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Collection of other oilseeds, 2 seers, each kind.	1	5	...	...	...	...	...
Collection of other oils, one seer, each kind.	1	...	1	5	...	...	1
Mustard oil, 25 tolas	1	3	1	2	...	...	1
Best collection of ground-nuts, 2 seers of each kind.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Class II—Plantation and Garden Products.							
Sugarcane, any variety, 20 canes ...	1	5	1	3	...	...	1
Collection of varieties of sugarcane, 6 canes of each kind, indigenous and non-indigenous variety.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Rubber, collection of samples half lb. each, in sheets or biscuit.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Tobacco, raw and cured, 2½ seers by weight, each kind.	1	4	1	2	...	...	1
Arecanuts (best), 2 seers by weight, each.	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
Betel-leaves, 500	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Cocoanuts, a bunch and six stripped fruits.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Ginger, green, 2½ seers by weight ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Arrowroot tubers, 2 seers do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Tapioca, 2 seers by weight ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Tamarind, do. do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Seegakayee, do. do. ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
Best collection of spices and condiments	...	...	1	4	...	...	1
Best collection of coffee, 2 seers by weight, each kind.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Best collection of cardamom, 2 seers by weight, each kind.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Class III.—Vegetables and Fruits.							
General collection of indigenous vegetables including potatoes.	1	12	1	8	...	...	...
Do. exotic do. ...	1	15	1	10	...	...	...
Do. of indigenous fruits ...	1	12	1	8	...	...	...
Do. of exotic do. ...	1	15	1	10	...	...	...

Description.	Money prizes.				No. of Medals.		
	1		2				
	No.	Value Rs.	No.	Value Rs.	Gold.	Silver.	Bronze
Class IV.—Dyes.							
1. Collection of vegetable dyes, 1 seer by weight.	1	5	...	...	...	...	...
2. Best variety of cotton yarn dyed with vegetable dye-stuff, with explanatory notes as to the processes adopted in dyeing and the samples of dye-stuffs used.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
3. Ditto woollen yarn ditto ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Class V.—Forest Products.							
1. Soapnuts (Hugoti), 2 seers by weight.	1	4	1	2	...	...	...
2. Marking nuts, 2 seers by weight	1	4	1	2	...	...	...
3. Lac crude, 2 seers „	1	4	1	2	...	...	...
4. „ prepared, colored „	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
5. „ shell 1 seer „	1	4	1	2	...	...	...
6. Collection of gums and resins, 2 seers each.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
7. Collection of tanning materials, 2 seers.	1	4	1	2	...	...	...
8. Medicinal plants, roots leaves, and flowers, half a seer each, with a description of their properties and uses.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
9. Collection of timbers and ornamental woods.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
10. Collection of nuts, beads, reeds and grasses, useful for industrial purposes, with the samples of work in which they have been made use of.	...	...	1	3	...	...	1
Class VI.—Sugar, Honey, Bees'-wax, etc.							
1. Sugarcane jaggery in cakes or blocks of 10 seers, by weight.	1	4	1	2	...	...	1
2. Sugarcane jaggery in balls or lumps, 10 seers, by weight.	1	4	1	2	...	...	1
3. Genuine native refined sugar (not factory refined, reboiled,, 10 seers by weight.	1	4	1	2	...	...	1
4. Factory refined sugars with samples of massucuite and molasses, 3 lbs. of each.	...	...	1	4	...	...	1
5. Sugar, raw, centrifugalled, cane sugars, 3 lbs. of each.	1	4	...	...	...	...	...
6. Brown sugar, indigenous, 3 seers ...	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
7. Collection of jaggery made from plants other than sugarcane, 10 seers of each.	1	10	1	7	...	...	...
8. Honey in combs, 2 combs ...	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
9. Honey run, 5 seers by weight	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
10. Bees'-wax unbleached, 5 seers „	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
11. Do., bleached „	1	3	1	2	...	...	...
12. For the best exhibit of sugar or sugarcandy manufactured in India directly from the sugarcane (not refined sugar).	...	...	...	...	...	1	1

Description.	Money prizes.				No. of Medals.		
	1		2		Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.
	No.	Value Rs.	No.	Value Rs.			
Class VII.—Dairy Products.							
1. Butter—To be manufactured on the spot.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Class VIII.—Essential Oils.							
1. Collection of grass oil, properly named; with samples of plants from which the oil is distilled half seer measure, each kind.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
2. Collection of indigenous scents, one tola each.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Class IX.—Fibres.							
1. Cotton (Herbaceous) properly named, unginned, if possible, same still in bolls, 2 seers by weight.	...	...	1	4	...	...	1
2. Do. tree, properly named, unginned, if possible, same still in bolls, 2 seers.	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
3. Collection of cotton not less than a dozen varieties.		...	...	...	1	1	...
4. Wool properly named, 2 seers by weight.	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
5. Silk cocoons	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
6. Silk reeled (stating kind of reel used) 1 seer.	...	...	1	5	...	...	1
7. Collection of wild silk cocoons, with sample of silk reeled from each, 1 seer of silk cocoons, 2 seers by weight.	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
8. Cocoanut fibre, with sample of yarn and rope or mat, 5 seers.	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
9. Aloe fibre with sample of leaf, yarn and rope or mat, 5 seers by weight.	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
10. Rhea fibre with sample of plant and yarn and cloth, 5 seers.	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
11. Sunn-hemp (Sanabugida), 5 seers ...	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
12. Hibiscuscinnabinus (Holadapundriki).	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
Mudder (Ekka)	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
13. Plantain fibre with sample of plant and yarn.	...	...	1	4	...	...	1
Pineapple fibre	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
Collection of other fibres, 2 seers each.	1	7	1	5	...	...	...
Class X.—Fodder Plants.							
Best sample of hay, 1 maund ...	...	...	1	4	...	...	1
Collection of grasses properly named either in English or vernacular, 5 seers by weight.	...	...	1	4	...	...	1
Collection of other fodder plants properly named either in English or Kanarese.	...	...	1	4	...	...	1

Description.	Money prizes.				No. of Medals.		
	1		2		Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.
Class XI.—Manures.	No.	Value Rs.	No.	Value Rs.			
1. Collection of oilcakes and other fertilizers of vegetable origin.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
2. Collection of fertilizers of animal origin.	...	...	1	4	...	...	1
3. Mineral and chemical fertilizers ...	...	...	1	4	...	1	1
4. Best collection of fertilizers ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
GROUP II.							
Agricultural Implements and Machines.							
1. Water-lifts to be worked by manual labour or animal power.	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
2. Water-lifts to be worked by machinery.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
3. Oil-presses serviceable for general use, but not yet generally used in Mysore.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
4. Paddy-husking machine ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
5. Winnowing machine	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
6. Cotton gins other than those in general use.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
7. Sugarcane mills judged by extraction, draft and durability.	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
8. Other sugar-making machinery ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
9. Chaff-cutter	1	20	1	10	...	...	...
10. Ploughs with iron or steel mould boards.	1	15	1	7	...	...	...
11. Harrows	1	12	1	6	...	...	...
12. Cultivators	1	15	1	7	...	...	...
13. Land-rollers	1	12	1	6	...	...	...
14. Seed drills with adjustable mechanical seed distributes.	1	20	1	10	...	...	...
15. Agricultural implements of Indian pattern, showing a decided improvement on those in general use.	1	20	1	10	...	...	...
16. Ploughing competition	...	50	...	...	...	...	...
17. For prizes for implements and machinery not enumerated above, showing a marked improvement on similar implements and machines in general use in Mysore.	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
18. The Committee also intend to award to any machinery which is exceptionally good and which is capable of being adopted by small capitalists.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
GROUP III.							
Industrial Section.							
I.—Machines, implements and tools.							
1. Any machine or implement (other than textile machines) likely to materially improve existing local industries.	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
2. Any machine or implement likely to develop a desirable new industry.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
3. The best exhibit of any set of tradesmen's tools.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1

Description.	Money prizes.				No. of Medals.		
	1		2		Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.
II.—Textile Section.	No.	Value Rs.	No	Value Rs.			
a) Machines—							
Sizing and warping machines ...	...	...	...	...	..	1	1
Improved silk-reeling machines ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Fibre-extracting machines for ordinary hand-power.	...	...	...	...	..	1	1
b) Fabrics—							
Cotton sadies or seerais ...	1	7	1	5	...	...	...
Do. dhotis or punchays ...	1	7	1	5	...	...	...
Cotton and silk sadies ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Ditto dhotis ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Fine cloth and turbans of fibres ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Silk maguta ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Silk sadies ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Silk handkerchief ...	...	...	1	5	...	...	1
Lace made with real or imitation gold or siver thread.	1	12	1	8	...	...	...
Turbans	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Towels	1	7	1	5	...	...	...
Checks	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Sashes	1	5	1	3	...	...	...
Fine muslin pieces	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Collection of mill-made goods ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Cotton carpets	...	...	..	...	...	1	1
Woollen do.	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
Kumblis, fine	1	15	1	7	...	...	...
Do., coarse	1	10	1	5	...	...	...
Grass matting, fine	1	7	1	5	...	...	...
For punchays and turbans with good design.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
For sadies, good design ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
For *bonâ fide* weavers, for weaving in the Exhibition compound, a fly-shuttle loom or country looms (cloths to be prescribed by the Committee later on).	4	25 each	4	15 each ...	1	2	...
III.—Metal work, etc.							
Iron and Steel.							
Cutlery including axes, Indian make	1	10	1	7	...	...	...
Curkutties, knives, etc. ...	1	10	1	7	...	...	...
Locks, bolts, etc. ...	1	10	1	7	...	...	...
Safes	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Musical wire	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Railings, etc.	1	10	1	7	...	...	...
Springs and carriage accessories ..	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
IV—Brass, Copper work, etc.							
Any collection of household brass utensils.	1	10	1	5	...	...	...
Ditto copper ...	1	10	1	5	...	...	...
Bell-metal vessels	1	10	1	5	...	...	...
Figures showing good workmanship, brass, copper and other alloys.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Silver vessels, ordinary ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Ditto, ornamental ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Collection of aluminium vessels ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Lamps of good workmanship ...	1	7	1	5	...	...	...

Description.	Money prizes.				No. of Medals.		
					Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.
V.—Carving and inlaid work and miscellaneous.	No.	Value Rs.	No.	Value Rs.			
1. Carving in sandal wood						1	...
2. Do. in other woods						1	...
3. Do. in ivory	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
4. Sculpturing or carving in other materials.						1	...
5. Inlaid work						1	...
6. Lacquer works						1	1
7. Toys		10				...	...
8. Imitation fruits		10				...	...
9. Chrome leather goods						1	1
10. Ordinary ditto						1	1
VI. Collection of furniture not less than five in number.						1	1
VII. (*a*) Oil paintings						2	2
(*b*) Clay models						1	1
VIII. Book-binding						1	1

GROUP IV.—Live Stock.

A sum of Rs. 500 is provided for prizes for cattle as against Rs. 400 awarded last year.

APPLICATION FORM.

Date _____ *1908.*

To

The Secretary,

Mysore Dasara Industrial and

Agricultural Exhibition,

Mysore.

SIR,

I WISH to exhibit the articles as per particulars given in the enclosed form at the Mysore Dasara Industrial and Agricultural Exhibition to be held at Mysore in September 1908.

I consent to abide by the rules and regulations of the Exhibition Committee, and on being informed that my name has been enrolled as an Exhibitor, I shall be glad to furnish any further information required.

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Signature of the intending Exhibitor ... _____

Address in full { Town _____ Taluk _____ District _____

FORM A.

The Mysore Dasara Industrial and Agricultural Exhibition, 1908.

me of the article.	Description of the article.	Group and sub-head to which it belongs.	Name of Manufacturer or Exhibitor.	Place of manufacture (District, Taluk and Town).	Price of the article.	Whether it may or may not be sold at the Exhibition.	Covered or open space required.	Whether any special structure, stands, cupboards would be required, if so, what.	Whether any practical illustration of machinery is intended to be given.	Whether manual or animal labour would be required.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

I guarantee that the particulars given above are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, correct and accurate.

FORM B.

Name of Taluk-----

Date----- *1908.*

This is to certify that

is a bona fide $\frac{raiyat}{artisan}$, *and as he is unable to pay fees and is likely to be benefited by seeing the Mysore Exhibition of 1908, he may be admitted free.*

$\frac{Amildar}{Tahsildar}$ *Officer in charge of Taluk.*

Seal of the officer if he has one.

LIVERPOOL COLONIAL PRODUCTS EXHIBITION, 1908.

No. 3397.—The 27th July 1908.—The following Resolution of the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information:—

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6690—6711—8, dated Simla, the 16th July 1908.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

THE following papers relative to the Colonial Products Exhibition to be held at Liverpool in 1908 are published for general information. The Government of India will not participate in the Exhibition.

THE NEXT COLONIAL PRODUCTS EXHIBITION WILL BE HELD AT ST. GEORGE'S HALL, LIVERPOOL, FROM DECEMBER 7TH TO DECEMBER 19TH, 1908.

THE publication of this Prospectus is dictated by a double purpose: to offer a *résumé* of the principal details of the late Colonial Products Exhibition, and also, by emphasising the record success obtained by it and by giving a recapitulation* of the many flattering notices and opinions concerning it, to point out the amount of encouragement that has been derived from it to proceed still further with the task of demonstrating the immense importance to this country of improved and extended trade relations with her Colonies.

* Not printed.

Judging from the cordial support extended to, and the amount of enthusiasm aroused by, the last four Exhibitions—the first undertakings of the kind ever organised in Great Britain outside the Metropolis—it is a reasonable presumption that another, even on a still more extended scale, offering a greater diversity and larger number of Colonial products, will achieve a still larger measure of success, and so promote the furtherance of a greater amount of commercial reciprocity between the Colonies and the Mother Country. It might be said *en passant*, that on all sides it has been agreed that the increase of business through the Liverpool Colonial Products Exhibition has been enormous, and no doubt H. R. H. the Prince of Wales recognised this fact when he graciously became a Patron.

The resources of our Colonies, mineral—agricultural and manufacturing—increase rapidly as the time goes on, and no year passes but finds the oversea portions of the Empire in a better position to help to the attainment of that object which it is the desire of every citizen to see realised—the establishment of the Empire on a self-contained and self-supporting basis, independent of supplies from alien lands, and powerful to hold its own by the aid of its own people and by that aid alone.

That this end can be accomplished there is little room for doubt, providing there be unanimity of feeling and mutual interests between the peoples of our Colonies and ourselves; and it is difficult to discover any action on our part more valuable, helpful, and effective than endeavouring, as far as possible, to offer to the people of this country opportunities of realising by personal inspection the vast commercial wealth of our Colonies, as illustrated by the number and extent of the commodities with which they are able to supply us.

With this object in view it is intended to hold the fifth Colonial Products Exhibition from December 7 to December 19, 1908, which shall be more extended in its scope than the last, and for this purpose every effort will be made to obtain direct from each separate Colony samples of each and every product it is able to supply.

With many months available for organisation, preparation, and communication with the various Colonial authorities, whose co-operation may be safely reckoned on, the President and Managers entertain sanguine hopes of producing a collection of Colonial Products which, for extent and diversity, has never before been gathered together in one place on any previous occasion. Sir Alfred L. Jones, K.C.M.G., will again act as President.

Those Colonies desirous of obtaining space in this forthcoming important Exhibition should send in their application as soon as possible to the Joint-Managers at 14, Dale Street, or 21, Water Street, Liverpool, where a plan of the Hall can be seen and all information obtained.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

1. The Exhibition will be open each day from 12 o'clock noon to 10 P.M., and will be confined to the Exhibition of Colonial Products, Machinery, Exports, Imports, etc.

2. The Managers reserve the right to decline any application, and no application will be entertained unless made on the proper form. The space will be allotted in the order in which application is made.

3. In the event of the applications being greater than the available space will accommodate, the Managers reserve the right of curtailing any Exhibit.

4. The charge for Exhibits are:—For stalls, 7 feet frontage by 6 feet, 2/6 per square foot. Office space in the building free. Special positions by arrangement, 50 per cent. of rent of Stall payable 7 days after allotment of space, the balance on or before November 7, 1908.

5. Exhibitors taking space for the Exhibition must fit up same at their own expense. By special arrangement with the Liverpool Corporation, machinery in motion will be allowed in the Exhibition. All work must be done to the satisfaction of the City Surveyor and Resident Electrical Engineer. Exhibitors will not be allowed to sub-let the whole or part of the space allotted to them.

6. No office shall be erected in any part of the Hall other than that specially allotted for the purpose by the Managers.

7. A Catalogue of Exhibits will be published, mainly compiled from the information given by Exhibitors.

8. All banners, decorations, and show-boards must be hung subject to the approval of the Managers, who may at any time remove those disapproved of. No Exhibitor shall be permitted to display Exhibits or show-boards in such a manner as to occasion inconvenience, deprivation of or injury to light, or otherwise disadvantageously affecting the display of other Exhibitors.

9. Only papers, price-lists, or advertisements relating to goods of the Exhibitor are allowed to be distributed from or exhibited at his own stand, and no pamphlets or advertisements may be distributed in any other part of the building.

10. No crate or packing case must come into the Hall, but all goods must be received and unpacked in the carriage entrance on the west side of the Hall, and carried to the stands. Exhibitors must provide their own staff at their own cost to unpack, place in position, keep in order, repack and remove their Exhibits, and in default the Managers may, at the expense ofthe Exhibitor, do whatever may be considered necessary, but this course will only be adopted as a last resource. The greatest care must be exercised in fitting up the stands.

11 Exhibitors' and attendants' tickets will be issued, and will be available for Exhibitors and the actual assistants or attendants only.

12. The Managers will take such precautions as they may consider advisable for the protection of all articles exhibited, but will not be responsible for any loss or damage occurring to any Exhibit or property of Exhibitors from fire or any cause whatever, and all articles, from the time of their being placed in the Exhibition Buildings, shall be at the sole risk of the Exhibitors.

13. No nails or screws shall be driven in either the walls, pedestals, or flooring of the Hall, and every Exhibitor shall make good, at his own cost, all damage done by him or his employés

14. All matters in connection with the Exhibition not provided for by these regulations shall be settled or determined by the Managers, whose decision shall be final.

15. All inquiries during the Exhibition should be made at the Office of the Managers in the building, between the hours of 12 noon and 6 P.M.

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R. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF THE JUTE CROP OF BENGAL, 1908.

The following note is published for general information.

F. W. Duke,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 27th July 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Preliminary Forecast of the Jute Crop of Bengal, 1908.

[On an average of the five years ending 1905-06, the area under jute in the territory which this forecast relates has represented some 16·6 per cent. of the total area under jute in British India.]

In accordance with the orders of Government, this forecast deals only with the estimated area sown. It gives also a general survey of prospects, but without any reference to the probable outturn either in percentage figures, or in bales. The information upon which the forecast has been framed was submitted by the Collectors of the different districts between the fourth and the seventh of July. The information, therefore, refers to the area sown before the end of June and no account has been taken of the effect of climatic conditions on the crop since that date.

2. *Acreage.*—The estimated area sown during the current and four preceding years is given below:—

1904	...	...	...	595,900
1905	...	...	...	569,309
1906	...	...	...	780,400
1907	...	...	...	931,200
1908	...	...	...	574,300

In addition there was an area of 32,000 acres in 1907 in the State of Kooch Behar and the area sown this year is estimated at 30,000 acres.

3. *Weather conditions.*—Purnea is by far the most important jute-growing district in Bengal. It produces from one-third to one-fourth of the total crop. The other districts of any importance are Hooghly, Howrah, 24-Parganas, Nadia, Murshidabad and Jessore. The weather conditions in Purnea were, on the whole, favourable. The Kissengunj sub-division got 1½ inches of rain in the month of March, 3 inches in the first week, and 3 inches in the fourth week of May. The districts round Calcutta were

less fortunate: they got no rain in March, very little in April, and the May rainfall was not at all general. It is reported from Howrah that the heavy rains in the end of June damaged the crop and it is probable that some damage was caused in other districts after the submission of the returns.

The season has, therefore, on the whole, been unfavourable for sowings. In addition to this, it is reported from many of the districts that the cultivator has sown more rice and less jute, as the price of the former was very high last year and that of the latter low.

Below is the usual statement of the rainfall in the seven principal jute-growing districts from March to June for the current and the four years preceding:—

Name of district.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.
Purnea .	15·20	16·79	15 54	16·87	10·97
Murshidabad .	20·93	19·96	11·71	20·06	16·48
24-Parganas .	22·22	18·80	14·01	27·75	22·58
Nadia .	21·81	23·57	13·36	24·87	24·45
Jessore	29·04	21·78	17·26	29·19	24·74
Howrah .	19·91	17·18	13·06	27·18	28·05
Hooghly .	19·15	16·92	12·52	24·70	22·09

4. *District Returns.*—The total area under jute, inclusive of that in the State of Cooch Behar, is estimated at 604,300 acres. This shows a decrease of 37 per cent. on the area sown last year, viz., 963,200 acres. The Collectors of Murshidabad, Bhagalpur, Cuttack, Midnapur, Hooghly, Champaran and the Sonthal Parganas report that sowings were still going on at the end of the last month, but the extra area sown is not likely to make much difference in the total.

5. *Conditions and prospects.*—The crop in Purnea, Hooghly, Nadia, Jessore, Khulna and in parts of Murshidabad is reported to be fair. It is poor in Howrah and parts of Midnapur, 24-Parganas and Murshidabad.

6. *General.*—The District Officers report that very little jute is left in their districts from last year's harvest.

7. *Combined Forecast of Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam.*—The Director of Agriculture of Eastern Bengal and Assam reports that the area under jute last year is now estimated at 3,010,800 acres. His forecast of the area sown this year is 2,263,900 acres, or 25 per cent. below last year's estimate. Taking the two Provinces together, the area sown this year is calculated to be 2,868,200 acres, a decrease of 28 per cent. on the revised estimates for last year.

W. R. GOURLAY,

CALCUTTA,
The 15th July 1908.

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

(The following extracts from the Weather and Crop Report received on the 14th July are printed for information.)

Purnea.—Rainfall 0·50; jute becoming stunted on account of drought.

Burdwan.—Rainfall—Sadar 14·36 inches. Heavy rain has done some damage to jute in thanas Jamalpur and Raina.

Chinsurah.—Rainfall—Sadar 9·67 inches; prospects of jute fair; weeding of jute going on.

Nadia.—Rainfall 5·03; excessive rain in Meherpur subdivision has damaged jute on lowlands.

Jessore.—Rainfall 8·86. The recent rain has done damage to jute on lowlands of the Sadar, Jhenidah, Magura and Narail subdivisions.

Khulna.—Rainfall—Sadar 8·24 inches. Heavy rainfall of the week affected jute crop to some extent.

W. R. GOURLAY,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 15th July 1908.

APPENDIX I.

Preliminary Forecast of the Jute Crop of Bengal, 1908.

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate area sown last year (1907).	Estimated area sown this year (1908).	Whether much, little, or no jute remains in the district from the crop of the year 1907.	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
							Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.		Acres.			
Burdwan	Burdwan ...	1,721,960	1,284,200	21,700	12,800	Little ...	38,749	1889 to 1892 and 1903 to 1907.	132	Latter part of April to end of May.	The weather and rainfall were not altogether favourable for the growth of the crop. Sowings were slightly late. They have been completed. The crop is expected to be worse than that of last year. Owing to the fall in the price of jute and the rise in the price of rice more lands are being prepared for paddy cultivation: hence the decrease in the area under jute. The weather was not favourable at the time of sowing.	
	Midnapore ...	3,919,040	2,190,600	10,800	10,400	Very little in Sadar and Tamluk little in Contai and about ¼ remains undisposed of in Ghatal.	35,342	1893 to 1898.	29	Whole of May.	The weather and rainfall were favourable in the Sadar Sub-division in two thanas of Contai but not favourable in Ghatal and Tamluk. The condition of the crop is good at the Sadar Sub-division, fair in two, good in two and poor in the remaining four thanas of Contai, poor in Tamluk and bad in Ghatal, owing to excessive rain. The sowings were a little late in the Sadar Sub-division and late in the Contai, Tamluk and Ghatal Sub-divisions. Sowings are still going on in places except in Ghatal where they are completed. In the Sadar Sub-division the crop is expected to be better than last year's crop. In the Contai Sub-division it is better in two thanas, about the same in one and worse in the rest. The decrease in the area sown this year in the Contai Sub-division is due to want of rain at the time of sowing in Ghatal, it is due to the fall in the price of jute and to the extension of paddy cultivation.	

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate area sown last year (1907).	Estimated area sown this year (1908).	Whether much, little, or no jute remains in the district from the crop of the year 1907.	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crop was began this year.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
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		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.		Acres.			
BURDWAN—*concld.*	Hooghly ...	761,210	445,900	65,000	51,900	Little ...	Not cadastrally surveyed.			Middle and end of May.	The rainfall and weather were not favourable. The condition of the crop is fair. Sowings were late. In the Sadar and Serampore Sub-divisions sowings have been completed, but in the Arambagh Sub-division they are still going on. The crop of this year is expected to be the same as that of the previous year. Absence of rain in the early part of the season is the cause of decrease in the area sown this year.	
	Howrah ...	526,400	250,000	61,700	33,900	A little remains in the jurisdiction of Amta thana.	...	...	...	15th April to 31st May.	The weather and rainfall were not favourable for the crop. Its condition is poor. The date of sowing was early in the Sadar Sub-division and normal in the Uluberia Sub-division. Sowings have been completed. The decrease in area is due to want of rain in the beginning of the season and to the cultivators not getting adequate prices last year. Also to high prices in rice which have induced the raiyats to reserve their fields for rice cultivation this year.	
	24-Parganas ...	2,100,833	1,079,700	86,400	59,000	Large quantity in the Basirhat subdivision.	...	...	...	May ...	The weather and rainfall were not favourable. The condition of the crop is poor in all the Sub-divisions except Basirhat and a part of Barasat where it is fair till now. The sowings were late everywhere in the district. They have been completed. The crop is expected to be worse than that of last year in all the Sub-divisions except Basirhat from where it is reported to be better than last year although the area sown is less. Unusually high prices of food-grains, the low price of jute, want of timely rainfall and excessive heat account for the decrease in the area sown this year.	

	Nadia ...	1,727,520	1,043,800	93,000	42,900	about 20 per cent. of last year's crop.	Not cadastrally surveyed.			May ...	The weather and rainfall were not favourable. The condition of the crop is fair. The sowings were late. They have been completed. The crop of this year is expected to be worse than that of last year owing to the late heavy rain-fall. The lands have been submerged in places. The decrease in the area sown is due to low prices obtained last year.
	Murshidabad	1,371,520	983,500	95,400	80,600	Little ...	...	...	...	May ...	The weather and rainfall were not favourable. The condition of the crop is poor in some tracts and fair in others. Sowings were late. They are going on. The crop is expected to be worse than that of last year. Decrease in the area is due to want of rain.
	Jessore ...	1,872,153	1,191,000	142,800	49,800	A small quantity.	...	...	...	April and May.	The weather and rainfall were not favourable. The condition of the crop is fair. Sowings were late. They have been completed. The crop is expected to be better than that of last year. The decrease in the area sown this year is due to the fact that the high prices of food-grains and the low price of jute last year have induced the cultivators to grow paddy in the place of jute.
	Khulna ...	3,049,616	670,000	37,500	16,700	Some ...	85,522	1903 to 1905.	614	15th May	The weather and rainfall were unfavourable for the growth of the crop in the Sadar and Bagerhat Sub-divisions, but not unfavourable in the Satkhira sub-division. The present condition of the crop appears to be fair. The sowings were late this year. Sowings have been completed. The crop is expected to be worse in the Sadar and Bagerhat sub-divisions and better in the Satkhira sub-division in comparison with the crop of last year. The decrease in the area sown this year is due to the fall in the price of jute and to the rise in that of paddy. The cultivators have sown more lands with paddy this year than jute.
PATNA ...	Champaran ...	2,269,940	1,447,600	5,800	2,000	No jute ...	2,269,940	1892 to 1899.	606	Beginning of February and March.	The weather and rainfall were very unfavourable, owing to drought. The condition of the crop is poor for want of timely rain. Sowings were late and in some parts had to be repeated. They are still going on in the British Subdivision, but completed in the Sadar Subdivision. The crop is expected to be much worse owing to late sowing and want of rain. The decrease in the area sown this year is due to many indigo factories having given up experimental cultivation and short sowings due to drought.

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate area sown last year (1907).	Estimated area sown this year (1908).	Whether much, little, or no jute remains in the district from the crop of the year 1907.	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
							Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.		Acres.			
Patna—*concluded.*	Muzaffarpur ...	1,942,400	1,627,000	4,000	1,800	Little ...	1,942,400	1892-93 to 1898-99.	500	From February onwards.	The weather and rainfall were generally favourable. The condition of the crop is fair. Sowings were normal. They have been practically completed. The crop is expected to be worse than that of last year. The decrease in the area sown this year is due to the unfavourable condition both for growth and retting, to poor prices obtained last year and to a general disbelief as regards the suitability of the crop to the district.	
Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur ...	2,704,640	2,673,300	6,700	6,700	Little ...	1,220,410	1902 to 1904.	151	Middle of June.	The weather and rainfall were favourable. The condition of the crop is good. The sowing was normal, little early in the Sapaul Subdivision. It is still going on. The crop is expected to be better than that of last year.	
	Purnea ...	3,196,153	1,694,400	264,000	234,000	Very little	2,506,346	1901-02 and 1904-05.	98,903	Last week of April.	The weather and rainfall were favourable. The condition of the crop is fair. The sowings were a little late for want of rainfall; they were completed in May. The crop is expected to be a little inferior to that of last year. The heavy fall in the price of jute during the last year has discouraged cultivators from sowing this crop, the price fetched by jute being less than that fetched by rice.	
	Darjeeling ...	744,960	164,500	3,600	3,100	Very little	200,513	1897-98 and 1901-02.	2,332	From the beginning of April.	The weather and rainfall were not very favourable. The condition of the crop is fair. Sowings were late. They have been completed. The crop is expected to be worse in comparison with that of last year. The decrease in the area sown is due partly to the fall in the price of jute last year and partly to the want of rain at the time of sowing.	

BHAGALPUR—*concluded.*	Sonthal Parganas.	3,560,900	1,545,300	8,900	1,200	Very little	3,272,009	1889 to 1903-04.	1,247	Middle of May.	The weather and rainfall were not favourable. The condition of the crop is poor. Sowings were late. They have been completed except at Sahebganj in the Rajmahal Sub-division. The crop is expected to be worse than that of last year. The decrease in the area sown is due to want of timely rain and the low price at which jute sold last year. In the Rajmahal Sub-division, many cultivators have substituted other crops for jute this season owing to the latter cause.
ORISSA	Cuttack ...	2,339,560	1,223,500	17,600	13,800	A small quantity.	2,088,487	1888 to 1895.	652	15th May	The weather and rainfall were not favourable for the growth of the crop. The crop is being sown. The sowings were late for want of rain. They are still going on. As the sowings are still going on, the crop of this year cannot be expected to be as good as that of last year. The decrease in the area is partly due to want of timely rain and largely to the low price of jute. There are still considerable stocks in the mufassil. A larger area will go down under paddy this year.
	Balasore ...	1,334,368	932,200	5,400	3,600	Little ...	1,095,779	1891-92 to 1894-95.	138	15th May	The weather and rainfall were unfavourable to the growth of the crop. The condition of the crop is fair. Sowings were normal and have been completed. The crop of this year is on the whole better than the crop of last year. The decrease in the area sown is due to want of seasonable rain.
	Total Bengal ...	35,331,103	20,042,100	931,200	574,300						
	Add for Cooch Behar.	...	...	32,000	30,000						
	Total ...	35,331,103	20,042,100	963,200	604,300						

APPENDIX II.

Statement of Rainfall from March to June each year from 1904 to 1908.

Name of district.	Rainfall in 1904.				Rainfall in 1905.				Rainfall in 1906.				Rainfall in 1907.				Rainfall in 1908.			
	March.	April.	May.	June.	March.	April.	May.	June.	March.	April.	May.	June.	March.	April.	May.	June.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches
Burdwan	1·05	0·10	6·58	9·54	3·05	3·61	6·92	3·15	2·46	0·01	3·47	4·77	3·48	1·19	3·09	9·93	0·26	0·56	5·15	16·10
Midnapore	2·07	0·87	5·02	12·21	3·02	3·10	4·87	2·93	2·40	0·02	2·53	7·87	4·26	1·16	3·76	15·85	0·09	0·07	5·61	13·13
Hooghly	1·06	0·30	6·09	11·10	2·05	5·00	7·33	2·54	3·27	0·01	4·30	14·94	3·86	1·59	4·86	14·03	0·02	0·49	4·48	17·10
Howrah	2·63	0·65	5·88	10·75	4·11	4·11	6·96	2·00	3·73	0·01	4·08	6·24	3·49	1·31	6·26	16·12	0·12	0·21	4·65	23·07
24-Parganas ...	1·84	0·38	7·51	12·49	3·43	5·21	8·06	2·10	2·05	0·02	4·57	7·60	4·42	1·55	4·64	17·14	0·04	0·15	3·02	19·37
Nadia	0·86	2·73	10·71	7·52	4·42	4·77	10·12	4·26	1·92	0·01	4·53	6·90	3·50	4·21	5·78	11·09	0·20	0·68	3·40	20·17
Murshidabad ..	0·29	1·31	10·39	9·03	3·91	2·83	8·88	4·34	1·62	0·13	2·85	7·44	1·83	2·65	4·10	11·48	0·01	0·16	2·22	14·09
Jessore	1·03	6·40	12·55	9·06	3·33	4·80	8·96	4·09	2·04	Nil	7·96	6·63	4·03	4·63	7·01	13·52	1·04	1·06	5·57	17·07
Khulna	2·18	2·74	11·02	10·63	5·81	5·76	6·17	4·84	1·58	0·16	4·58	7·07	3·39	4·96	5·91	12·96	0·33	0·52	6·11	13·15
Champaran ...	Nil	0·07	4·33	8·56	0·77	0·64	3·57	4·83	0·08	0·02	0·90	8·33	1·58	0·71	0·94	4·25	0·64	Nil	0·80	5·87
Muzaffarpur ...	Nil	0·13	3·78	6·10	1·04	0·73	2·90	2·20	0·22	0·01	2·09	6·96	1·62	1·11	0·99	6·10	0·28	Nil	1·54	2·71
Bhagalpur	0·06	0·40	6·99	6·75	1·55	1·13	5·18	2·26	0·36	0·05	2·53	10·26	1·90	1·29	3·16	9·63	0·19	0·00	2·43	3·94
Purnea	Nil	0·54	7·76	6·90	1·25	2·70	6·38	6·46	0·21	0·09	3·45	9·68	1·59	2·46	3·39	9·52	0·52	0·62	4·61	5·22
Darjeeling	0·26	4·72	11·78	21·98	1·06	3·81	9·62	16·97	1·07	0·75	8·38	19·80	3·45	4·03	7·57	23·65	2·16	1·74	11·88	16·43
Sonthal Parganas	0·25	0·33	7·01	10·84	3·00	1·13	4·63	1·82	0·86	0·07	2·09	6·95	2·82	1·39	2·96	11·76	0·13	0·10	2·37	8·94
Cuttack	0·46	0·01	3·57	12·92	2·13	1·60	4·70	3·02	0·26	0·20	2·22	8·91	2·00	5·71	2·48	8·05	1·12	0·10	1·54	14·65
Balasore	1·42	0·46	4·45	12·75	3·07	3·89	2·71	3·95	2·22	0·06	3·80	0·30	2·34	4·86	3·75	10·74	0·55	0·16	3·25	10·04

NOMINATION OF A MEMBER OF THE BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE DISTRICT BOARDS OF THE ORISSA DIVISION.

RESOLUTION—No. 4070A.

APPOINTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 28th July 1908.

THE seat in the Bengal Legislative Council of the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose, who was nominated as the representative of the District Boards of the Presidency Division on the 23rd October 1906, will be vacated on the 22nd October 1908.

2. In paragraph 5 of the Resolution of this Government, No. 1553J., dated the 25th March 1893, it was prescribed that District Boards should be grouped together, Division by Division, and that District Boards within each divisional area should take it in turns to exercise the privilege bestowed upon them of recommending a person for nomination to the Council. In the same paragraph, a sketch was given of the form which the rotation would probably assume, but it was mentioned that the Lieutenant-Governor could not bind himself or his successors as to the exact order in which the privilege would in future be exercised.

3. As there will still be five Indian non-official members representing Bengal proper on the Council, when the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose vacates his seat, the Lieutenant-Governor has decided that the District Boards of the Orissa Division, which have not been represented on the Legislative Council since 1902, should be allowed the privilege of recommending a person for nomination to the Council in order to fill the vacancy. A notification will, therefore, be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* specifying the District Boards of the Orissa Division as the group of Boards on whose recommendation the Lieutenant-Governor will make a nomination to the seat.

4. The following statement shows the District Boards which will send delegates to vote for a person to be recommended for the vacant seat, and the number of votes assigned to them according to the scale shown in paragraph 5 of the Resolution of this Government No. 2307A., dated the 31st March 1897:—

Division.	District Boards.	Ordinary income (1906-07).	Number of votes to be recorded by the representat ve.
		Rs.	
Orissa ...	Cuttack	1,48,028	3
	Balasore	79,745	2
	Puri	70,642	1
	Sambalpur	64,291	1

5. Under Rule IV of the Regulations framed by the Governor-General in Council with the approval of the Secretary of State under section 1 (4 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, for Bengal, the Lieutenant-Governor desires that the Commissioner of the Orissa Division will at once address the Chairmen of the District Boards enumerated in the above list, requesting them (*i*) to convene a special meeting of their Boards, at which one member of the Board should be selected to represent them for the purpose of making the recommendation for the seat in Council, and (*ii*) to submit the names of any candidates for the Council who may offer themselves for recommendation.

6. The period of three months laid down in Rule VII of the Regulations as that within which a recommendation shall be made to the Lieutenant-Governor will run from the date on which the Commissioner of the Division issues his request to the Chairmen of the District Boards.

7. All candidates for the Council should be proposed and seconded by two members of one of the District Boards included in the group; and their names, addresses and qualifications, with those of their proposers and seconders, should be reported to the Commissioner by the Chairman of the Board to which the proposer and seconder in each case belong, so as to reach him not later than a month before the date fixed for the appointment of a representative under Regulation V (c), which date should at the same time be notified to the Commissioner. It will be the business of each Chairman to see that this is done.

8. The Commissioner should enter the names of candidates who have been duly proposed and seconded, with those of their proposers and seconders, and the other particulars above noted, as they reach him, in a list to be kept for the purpose; and he should circulate this list to all District Boards included in the group, so as to reach them before the date fixed for the appointment of a representative. On the date on which the meeting for the purpose of appointing a representative is held, the list of candidates mentioned above should be circulated to each member present at the meeting. It will rest with the District Boards, if they see fit, to give clear and definite instructions to their representatives as to the way in which they should vote, that is, as to the candidate for whom they should vote, declaring the name of the candidate to whom all their votes should be given or, if to be given to more than one candidate, the order and manner in which such votes should be given.

9. As soon as the representatives have been selected, they will be called upon by the Commissioner of the Division to meet together on an early and convenient date, with special reference to the limit imposed by Regulation VII of the Regulations, and at such convenient place as he may specify, for the purpose of electing, by a majority of votes, a person whom they will recommend to the Lieutenant-Governor to be nominated as a member of the Council.

10. The electoral representatives present at this meeting shall elect one of themselves to be Chairman, and he shall preside and be responsible for the fair and proper conduct of the voting.

11. The names of all candidates entered on the list mentioned above, together with those of their proposers and seconders, shall be read out by the Chairman, and the representatives shall then proceed to vote. The person elected must obtain a majority of the votes of the representatives present. If on the occasion of the first vote an absolute majority is not obtained, the name of the candidate who obtains the least number of votes shall be withdrawn from the election, and another vote shall then be taken for the remaining candidates, and so on, until an absolute majority is obtained.

12. The Chairman of the meeting shall without delay report to the Commissioner of the Division the name of the person elected, with the number of votes obtained, and any other information which it may appear desirable to communicate, and he shall, on behalf of the meeting, recommend to the Lieutenant-Governor the nomination to the Council of the person so elected. The Commissioner shall submit the report from the Chairman of the meeting, with any observations he may wish to add, to the Chief Secretary to the Government, by whom the recommendation will be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor.

13. Attention is drawn to Rule VI of the Regulations framed by the Governor-General in Council with the approval of the Secretary of State, which runs as follows:—

VI.—It shall be a condition in the case of any person to be recommended by a Municipal Corporation or group of Municipal Corporations that he shall be a person resident within the Municipality or the District in which it is situated, or in some one of the Municipalities constituting the group or of the districts in which they are situated.

A similar condition shall also apply to persons to be recommended by District Boards.

Explanation.—A person is not "resident" within the meaning of this Rule unless he has a place of residence in the locality concerned, and such practical connection with that locality as qualifies him to represent the inhabitants thereof.

If at any time the question is raised whether a person proposed for election is "resident" within the meaning of this rule, the question shall be referred to, and decided by, the Local Government, whose decision shall be final.

Under this rule it is not necessary that the person recommended should be a member of any District Board concerned, but he must be resident within the Division from which the recommendation is made. Subject to this condition, the rules declare no limit of qualification.

14. It is desirable that the subsidiary arrangements now sanctioned shall, as far as possible, be given effect to by the District Boards concerned with the minimum amount of official interference. The Divisional Commissioner and the District Magistrates will, of course, afford any assistance which may be required, and will do their utmost to facilitate the smooth working of the elections; but Government officers are forbidden to take part, directly or indirectly, in the election by convassing, influencing votes, or otherwise interfering with the free choice of the District Boards. No indication should be given by any official member of any of the District Boards concerned as to the manner in which he himself intends to vote.

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Commissioner of the Orissa Division, for information and guidance, and for communication to the District Boards in his Division.

ORDERED also that a copy be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 27th July 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	1·19	7	7	Rainfall at Kalna 1·45, Katwa 2·38, and Raniganj 3·33 inches. Transplantation of winter rice going on. Jute and other crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	1·41	7	7	Rainfall at Rampurhât 2·15 inches. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	1·34	6½	6½	Rainfall at Vishnupur 3·89 inches. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice going on. Prospects of crops good. Persons gratuitously relieved on the 24th instant—men 244, women 709 and children 254—total 1,207. Orders issued to close the test-works temporarily. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease Common rice selling at 5 to 6½ seers a rupee in the affected area.
4	MIDNAPORE .	0·98	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 0·65, at Tamluk 2·11, and at Ghatal 6·48. Transplantation of paddy progressing except in Daspur owing to floods. Condition of jute fair and that of sugarcane good. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Contai and Ghatal, and at 6½ seers per rupee at Tamluk.
5	HOOGHLY ...	0·77	6½	6⅝	Rainfall general. Weather cloudy. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute, *aus* paddy and sugarcane fair. Weeding of jute and *aus* paddy and transplantation of *haimantik* paddy continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	4·70	6¾	6½	Weather unsettled. Rainfall at Ulubaria 7·68. Floods in the Damodar and Rupnarayan apprehended at Ulubaria. Transplantation being pushed on. Prospects of jute not very favourable. Prospects of *aus* paddy at Ulubaria favourable. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder sufficient. Common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee at Ulubaria.
7	24-PARGANAS	5·12	6¾	6¾	Weather seasonable. Rainfall sufficient everywhere. Condition of jute not favourable, partly damaged by recent rain in Basirhat and Diamond Harbour. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 6¾ seers at Basirhat, 6⅝ seers at Diamond Harbour and 7 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	2·12	6⅝	6⅝	Rainfall at Ranaghat 0·99, Chuadanga 0·18, Meherpur 1·35 and Kushtia 0·27 inches. Prospects of *aus* paddy fair and that of *aman* paddy good. Jute on high lands doing well. Prospects of jute on low lands not improved. Weeding of jute continuing. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity prevalent in the Meherpur subdivision. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder barely sufficient. Persons attending test-works on the 20th—2,764 men only. 2,450 persons given gratuitous relief during the week. Total weekly cost being about Rs. 884.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	1·39	7	7	Rainfall at Lalbagh 0·59, Kandi 1·09 and Jangipur 0·62 inches. Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of *bhadoi* crops favourable. *Bhadoi* paddy being harvested in Lalbagh. Condition of jute good. Weather favourable for jute in Jangipur Transplantation of *aman* paddy going on. Stocks of food-grains not likely to be sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	0·82	7	7	Rainfall at Magura, 0·95 Bangaon 0·91 and Narail 0·66, inche. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* paddy and weeding of *aus* paddy going on. Condition of jute not favourable. Stocks of food-grains getting exhausted. Prices of food-grains stationary. High prices continuing. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. Cattle-disease reported from the Narail subdivision. Three hundred and eight persons employed on District Board test-works and 2,871 persons being given gratuitous relief.
11	KHULNA ...	1·51	8½	8½	Rainfall at Satkhira 1·85 and Bagerhat 1·70 inches. Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops fair and that of jute not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	0·46	7½	7½	Weather hot and cloudy. *Bhadoi* crops doing well *Mandua* being transplanted. More rain urgently wanted for transplantation of paddy. Sugarcane promising well. Prices of food-grains almost stationary. Food-stocks likely to be sufficient if not largely exported. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. *Makai* not available.
13	GAYA ...	0·82	8½* / 9½†	8* / 9†	Rainfall during the week almost general, but scanty everywhere except Aurangabad. Weather cloudy, later hot. Sugarcane promising well. Prospects of *bhadoi* crops good so far. Transplantation of paddy going on, but more rain badly wanted for it. Prices almost stationary with a slight fall at Sadar. Cattle-disease reported from some villages in the Nawadah subdivision. Fodder and water ample.
14	SHAHABAD ...	1·05	8 / 10†	8	Rainfall at Buxar 0·27, Bhabua 1·20, Sasaram 1·21, and Dehri 2·40 inches. Sugarcane doing well. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops nearly finished. Transplantation of *marua* in progress. More rain wanted for paddy seedlings. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Agricultural stock normal. Cattle-disease reported from a village in thana Kharghahar. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	SARAN ...	0·04	8 9*	8 10*	Weather hot. Weeding of *bhadoi* paddy going on. Rain urgently wanted. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Food-stock resources external. Agricultural stock in good condition. Cattle-disease reported in village Kanakpura. Fodder and water, sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	8 10½*	8 11*	Rainfall at Bettiah 0·23 inches. Weather very hot sometimes cloudy. Weeding of *bhadoi* crops and transplantation of paddy going on. More rain wanted. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	8¼ 10¼*	8¼ 10¼*	Rainfall at Hajipur 0·51 inches. Weather hot and occasionally cloudy Prospects of standing crops generally fair, but more rain badly wanted. Common rice and maize selling at 7½ and 9¼ seers per rupee respectively at Hajipur and 7¾ and 10¼ seers per rupee respectively at Sitamarhi. Transplantation of paddy and *marua* and sowing of the *bhadoi* crops still continuing where possible Scarcity not apprehended. Agricultural stock in good condition. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·13	8 2/16 11*	8¼ 12*	Weather very hot. Very little rainfall during the week. Want of rain retarding progress of agricultural operations. Transplantation of paddy and weeding of *bhadoi* paddy going on. No apprehension of scarcity. Agricultural stock sufficient Cattle-disease reported in three villages in thana Banipati and one village in thana Phulparas. Fodder and water available.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	7 9*	7 9*	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *bhadoi* crops finished. Transplantation of paddy going on. Rain badly wanted. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. Agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease reported.
20	BHAGALPUR ..	0·31	8 2/16 10 1/8*	8 2/16 9½*	Weather hot; at times cloudy. More rain urgently wanted for standing crops. Prospects of jute in Madhipura good. Cattle-disease reported from three mauzas in Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	0·21	8	8	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Rain very badly wanted. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy being retarded everywhere Both *bhadoi* and jute suffering for want of rain. Condition of agricultural stock good. No apprehension of scarcity yet. Cattle-disease reported from Forbesganj thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 8 and 7¾ seers a rupee at Araria and Kishanganj respectively.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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		This week.	Previous week.	
1	3	4	5	6
	Inches.			
DARJEELING ...	3·02	7 10*	7 10*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize growing and being harvested in some places. Potatoe being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy growing. Winter rice and *bara marua* being transplanted. Terai—Transplantation of winter paddy in slow progress. Rain urgently needed. Standing crops doing fairly well Prospects of jute crop fair. Condition of agricultural stock good.
SONTHAL PARGANAS.	1·07	6¼ 9*	6 3/16 9*	Rainfall at Deoghur 2·01, Godda 0·47, Jamtara 1·90, at Pakaur 0·91 and Rajmahal 0·36 inches. More rain wanted. Transplantation of paddy going on. Prospects of maize fair Jute doing well. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Small loans being given to poorer cultivators who are feeling the effects of high prices. Fodder and water sufficient.
CUTTACK ...	2·34	7 3/17	7 3/64	Rainfall general. *Beali* paddy and jute being weeded; *Saradh* paddy and *mandia* being transplanted. *Arhar*, turmeric, cotton and sugarcane growing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of cattle generally good. Prospects of standing crops good 704 men, 1,532 women and 3,752 children—total 5,988—given gratuitous relief. 144 men, 300 women and 526 children—total 970—on test-works.
BALASORE ...	2·00	7½	7½	Rainfall at Bhadrak 2·78 inches. Weather seasonable. Sowing, transplanting and puddling of *saradh* paddy continuing. Sugarcane thriving. Weeding of jute continuing; its prospects fair. Vegetables doing well. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some parts of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Jellasore, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Basta and Baliapal thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. 349 men, 2,092 women and 2,967 children—total 5,408—at Bhadrak, and 109 men, 428 women and 432 children—total 969—at Sadar receiving gratuitous relief. 83 men, 181 women and 172 children—total 436—attending test-works at Bhadrak. Common rice selling at 7 seers at Bhadrak.
ANGUL ...	3·31	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Phulbani 1·02 inches Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of *mandia* and paddy in progress. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee in Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief in Angul—81 men, 278 women and 538 children—total 897, and in Khondmals—119 men, 172 women and 75 children—total 366. Persons on test-works—105 men, 116 women and 7 children—total 228—in Angul, and 169 men, 66 women and 60 children—total 295—in Khondmals
PURI ...	2·75	6⅞	6⅞	*Beali* paddy being weeded and *saradh* paddy and miscellaneous crops growing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending test-works—men 442, women 245 and children 794—total 1,481. Recipients of gratuitous relief—men 313, women 982 and children 936—total 2,231. 79 men attended piece-works.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	5·30	8½	8½	Weather cloudy. Rainfall insufficient in two circles of the Bargarh Tahsil. Sowing of autumn rice continuing. Reploughing and transplantation of winter and autumn rice in progress. Sugarcane in good condition. Stocks of food-grains and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Rinderpest in both Tahsils. Common rice selling at 9 seers a rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	3·26	7¼* 8†	7½ 9	Weather hot and cloudy. More rain likely to injure *makai*. Sowing of paddy in progress. State of standing crops good. Cattle-disease in one thana. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 645, women 1,710 and children 1,009—total 3,364. Persons relieved on District Board works—men 27, women 5 and children 9—total 41. 499 persons doing piece-work.
30	RANCHI ...	1·17	7¼*	8*	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy in progress. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6¼ seers per rupee at Sadar. Persons attending test-works—men 379, women 454 and children 311—total 1,144. Gratuitously relieved in un-declared area—men 155, women 608 and children 39—total 802. Persons on famine relief-works in declared area—men 2,151, women 2,587 and children 2,524—total 7,262. Gratuitously relieved in the declared area—men 463, women 1,394 and children 1,361—total 3,218.
31	PALAMAU ...	1·70	7⅔	7⅔	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Sowing of paddy and *bhadoi* crops continuing. Sugarcane doing well. Local grain stocks insufficient. Agricultural stock normal. Some cattle-disease. Fodder and water generally sufficient. Gratuitous relief being discontinued.
32	MANBHUM ...	4·12	7	7	Rainfall at Gobindpur 1·80. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of winter rice still in progress. Prices of staple food grains practically stationary. Stocks of food-grains adequate at present. No sign of scarcity. Demand for labour good. Agricultural stock in fair condition. Cattle-disease not reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	0·89	6	6	Weather rainy and cloudy. Transplanting operations going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and at 7½ seers per rupee at Seraikella.
34	COOCH BEHAR	0·99	8⅛	8⅛	Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of *haimant* paddy and harvesting of *bâri* paddy continuing. Condition of jute fair. Prospects and condition of other standing crops favourable. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Murua rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1					
		Inches.			
35	Feudatory States, Orissa.*				Rainfall during the week— Inches. Bonai ... ... 2·69; Narsingpur ... 1·58; Hindol ... ... 2·80; Pal Lahera .. ... 5·95; Athmallik ... ... 0·64; Dhenkanal ... ... 4·52; Keonjhar ... ... 1·19; Daspalla ... ... 3·03; Mourbhanj ... .. 2·57; Baramba ... ... 1·82; Athgarh ... ... 1·17; Boad ... ... 2·51; Kalahandi ... ... 3·52; Talcher ... ... 1·27; Ranpur ... ... 3·95; Rairakhol ... ... 2·99; Sonpur ... ... 2·31; Banra ... ... 3·38; Patna ... ... 0·80; Nayagarh ... ... 2·17; Nilgiri ... ... 4·64; Gangpur ... .. 3·63; Khandpara ... ... Copious rainfall for 4 days. Sowings of paddy in progress in Bonai, Athmallik, Dhenkanal, Baramba, Boad, Kalahandi, Sonpur, Patna, Rairakhol and Gangpur. Puddling of paddy going on in Hindol, Dhenkanal, Daspalla, Mourbhanj, Athgarh, Ranpur and Nayagarh. *Bahura* operation (reploughing) being carried on in Bonai, Keonjhar and Baramba Transplantation going on in Bonai, Narsingpur, Hindol, Pal Lahera, Dhenkanal, Keonjhar, Daspalla, Mourbhanj, Talcher and Ranpur. All crops in Athmallik, paddy plants in Narsingpur and Mourbhanj, sugarcane in Narsingpur, Hindol, Dhenkanal, Athgarh, Boad, Kalahandi, Ranpur and Nayagarh, cotton in Hindol, Ranpur and Patna, *beali*, *sean* and *saradh* in Dhenkanal, Indian-corn and *gora* paddy in Keonjhar, *gahuchi* and maize in Talcher and *kodua* in Ranpur are doing well. Agricultural stock, fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 6 seers in Rairakhol, Athgarh and Keonjhar and 6½ seers in Rairakhol to 10 seers in Talcher and 11 seers in Patna.	

* The report is for the week ending the 15th July 1908.

General Summary.—Rain was heavy in Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Sambalpur and parts of Midnapore, moderate in Darjeeling, Angul, Hazaribagh and Manbhum and light in other districts except Monghyr, where there was no rain during the week under report. Transplantation of winter rice and weeding of *hadoi* crops are going on, but more rain is urgently wanted in Bihar for standing crops and for transplantation of winter paddy, especially in Darbhanga and Purnea. *Bhadoi* paddy and jute are reported to be suffering for want of rain in Purnea. Prospects of the sugarcane crop are fair. Condition of jute is fair, but unfavourable on low lands in Howrah and in most districts of the Presidency Division. The price of common rice is stationary in most districts; it has slightly risen in Hooghly, Patna, the Sonthal Parganas and Ranchi and fallen in Howrah, Gaya and Darbhanga. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. Supply of fodder and water is sufficient throughout the Provinces. Cattle-disease is prevalent in Jessore, Gaya, Shahabad, Saran, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau. Gratuitous relief was given to 29,801 persons, of whom 15,889 were in Orissa. Test-works in Nadia, Jessore, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 8,245 persons. Test-works in Bankura have been temporarily closed. The number of persons on famine relief works in Ranchi was 7,262.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 25th July 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 25th July 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 27th July 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	493	78,731	797	406	92,580	878
Jute	74	25,482*	340	36	10,425†	132
Firewood	111	86,950	1,629	37	30,775	466
Other articles	647	1,89,141	2,056	658	2,42,667	1,679
Total ...	1,325	3,80,304	4,822	1,136	3,76,347	3,155

* Weight by canal measurement, 32,500 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 11,062½ do.

CALCUTTA,
The 28th July 1908.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 19th to 25th July 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
908.		°		Inches	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches	
ly	19th	148·4	4·8	29·505	83·5	89·1	10·6	78·5	78·9	0·955	77·8	89	SSW, SW by W and S by W.	132	0·76	Partially cloudy, o, d.
,	20th	150·2	1·2	·531	83·3	88·1	9·0	79·1	79·4	·965	78·1	88	S by E, SW by S and WSW.	82	0·12	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
,	21st	134·4	0·9	·518	80·3	86·1	10·1	76·0	77·8	·921	76·7	90	SW, NNW and S by W.	79	2·87	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p
,	22nd	139·1	1·4	·524	81·8	86·6	9·1	77·5	78·6	·955	77·8	92	SW by S, SE and SSE.	100	1·55	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
,	23rd	150·3	4·9	·555	84·1	89·3	9·8	79·5	80·2	·984	78·7	85	S by E and SSE.	102	0·05	Partially cloudy, o, d.
,	24th	149·4	5·1	·583	84·8	90·6	11·0	79·6	80·1	·985	78·8	87	S by E, E and SE	111	0·04	Partially cloudy, o, d, p.
	25th	146·0	5·5	5·87	84·0	89·6	10·6	79·0	79·2	·950	77·7	86	SE and SSE ...	103	0·14	Partially cloudy, d, p.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·543
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·518
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		23·8
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		92·9
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		83·2
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·4
The extreme variation of temperature		14·6
The maximum temperature		90·6
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		11
		%
The mean relative humidity		88
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 19th to 25th July 1908		5·53
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		2·69
The total fall from 1st January to 25th July 1908		55·14
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		31·92

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Knudsen's Barograph and from observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the new Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; p, passing temporary showers; d, drizzling rain.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 27th July 1908.*

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Offg. Director-General of Observatories.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1908-09

Area leased for irrigation up to end of May 1908

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land actually irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Long-term leases.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED. SEASON LEASES. Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.	Grand Total.	RAINFALL, 1908-09. During month.	RAINFALL, 1908-09. Up to end of month.	RAINFALL, 1907-08. During month.	RAINFALL, 1907-08. Up to end of month.	Remarks.
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Orissa	Cuttack	Taldanda system	1,342	99	101	33	33	71,215	2	...	33	...	56	71,255	2·9	2·9	1·01	8·32	
		Kendrapara do.	2,485	168	73	...	...	30,518	...	...	...	29	29	30,568	2·58	2·58	7·02	14·45	Average rainfall of Kujang, Balikuda and Jagatsinghpur.
		High Level, Range I	708	19	...	...	12	7,455	...	...	7	...	7	7,462	1·24	1·30	3·38	8·02	Average rainfall of Kendrapara, Marsaghai, Kendrapara, Nurtang and Ichapur.
		Ditto. Range II	728	...	...	...	...	5,428	...	...	...	...	...	5,428	1·12	1·24	1·19	8·02	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jenapur.
		Jajpur Canal	780	...	...	11	12	19,763	...	...	5	4	9	19,772	2·14	2·23	4·84	6·42	Average rainfall of Jajpur and Akhoyapada.
	Balasore	Dudhai Canal	241	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jajpur.
		High Level, Range III	728	14	2	27	139	30,331	...	...	276	7	283	30,716	1·74	1·64	4·81	8·03	Akhoyapada.
		Total Orissa Canals ..			...	79	527	256,046	3	...	329	31	353	271,200	..	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	..	...	...	...	242,818	...	...	546	18	564	242,952	...	...	...	...	
South-Western	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	37	...	...	...	46,655	...	...	..	...	...	46,655	9·35	9·39	4·18	6·69	
	Howrah	Panchkura	522	5	...	...	...	564	...	...	...	...	...	564	5·89	5·89	2·07	3·74	
		Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	...	...	...	...	45	4·71	4·71	8·96	9·72	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	...	...	47,264	...	...	...	...	...	47,264	..	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	30,649	..	...	...	...	...	30,649	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,430	47	17	...	...	19,525	...	...	..	...	...	19,525	7·09	8·05	5·63	7·24	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	..		...	...	..	18,277		...	...	...	...	18,277	..		...	...	

Circle.	District.	Canal	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in mon	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of l irrigated during the year to the end of the month.	Approximate area of la under irrigation up to same date last year.	Season leases. Long-term leases.	Season leases. Kharif.	Season leases. Rabi.	Season leases. Sugarcane.	Season leases. Hot-weather.	Season leases. Total.	Grand Total.	Rainfall, 1908-09. During month.	Rainfall, 1908-09. Up to end of month.	Rainfall, 1907-08. During month.	Rainfall, 1907-08. Up to end of month.	Remarks.
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Sone	Shahabad	Western Main	4,342	449	44	326	487	17,667	...	...	...	266	266	17,933	0·02	0·02	0·19	0·59	
		Buxar	1,226	122	118	3,480	4,174	92,924	...	...	...	3,824	3,824	96,748					
		Arran	2,009	202	201	8,892	7,070	130,969	...	...	...	9,541	9,541	140,510	0·03	0·03	0·30	0·52	
	Patna and Gaya	Eastern Main	1,466	127	127	1	17	3,506	...	...	...	1	1	3,507	0·35	0·35	0·16	0·63	
		Patna				3,178	3,829	82,313	...	...	...	3,308	3,308	85,621					
		Total Sone Canals	...	...	...	15,886	16,316	327,179	...	...	...	16,940	16,940	344,119	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	332,189	...	...	...	24,763	24,763	356,952	...	...	...	...	
Gandak	Champaran	Tour	174	18	10	324	268	...	...	...	...	223	223	223	1·65	1·65	1·41	2·24	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	178	178	178	...	...	...	...	
		Dhaka	300	Nil	Nil	193	203	...	...	...	...	335	335	335	2·86	2·86	1·91	2·93	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	261	261	261	...	...	...	...	
	Saran	Saran	Canals closed.																
		Grand Total	...	...	...	16,383	16,314	644,900	3	...	319	17,529	17,851	662,760	...	...	...	...	
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	632,463	...	...	536	25,220	25,806	658,269	...	...	...	...	

Calcutta,
The 28th July 1908.

A. N. Das,
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EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of April 1908 as compared with the same month of the previous year (for four weeks).

No.	Staples.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	38	43	.....	5	
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	66,054	67,668	.....	1,614	
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	180	341	.....	165	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	72	171	.....	99	
	(b) Ditto, Indian	475	430	45	.....	
	(c) Piece-goods, European	2,273	1,758	515	.....	
	(d) Ditto, Indian	604	289	315	.....	
	(e) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	207	181	26	.....	
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium	12	6	6	.....	
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations	11	6	5	.....	
	(b) Others	59	23	36	.....	
6	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Cutch	104	17	87	.....	
	(4) Indigo	.....	1	.....	1	
	(5) Myrabolams	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(6) Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Turmeric	702	637	65	.....	
	(8) Others	31	31	.....	.....	
7	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	1,364	1,194	170	.....	
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	3,540	2,649	891	.....	
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,960	1,833	127	.....	
9	Grain and Pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse	9,768	4,118	5,650	.....	
	(2) Jawar and bajra	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Rice in the husk	13,735	42,575	.....	28,840	
	(4) Do. not in the husk	11,234	16,002	.....	4,768	
	(5) Wheat	229	67	162	.....	
	(6) Do. flour	1,683	1,119	564	.....	
	(7) Others	3,058	1,156	1,902	.....	
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	725	1,930	.....	1,205	
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	83	55	28	.....	
11	Horns	11	12	.....	1	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	225	1,371	.....	1,146	
13	Jute					
	(1) Raw	60,994	26,464	34,530	.....	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	2,672	2,271	401	.....	
14	Lac	183	95	88	.....	
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought	1	.....	1	.....	
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	.....	1	.....	1	
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	45	27	18	.....	
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	105	81	24	.....	
	(3) Wine					
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.					
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	42	21	21	.....	
	(2) Do., manufactured	236	394	.....	158	
	(3) Copper, unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(4) Do., manufactured	14	.....	14	.....	
	(5) Iron and steel—					
	(a) Unwrought	.....	52	.....	52	
	(b) Wrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(i) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	3,859	3,443	416	.....	
	(ii) Machinery and mill works	237	446	.....	209	
	(iii) Other manufactured, including hardware and cutlery.	1,816	858	958	.....	
	(6) Metallic ores	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Others	1,085	2,045	.....	960	
18	Mineral substances—					
	(1) Marble and stone	4,636	2,397	2,239	.....	
	(2) Chalk					
	(3) Lime	3,059	2,822	237	.....	
	(4) Others					
19	Oils—					
	(1) Kerosine	12,768	14,374	.....	1,606	
	(2) Castor	11	13	.....	2	
	(3) Cocoanut	182	140	42	.....	
	(4) Mustard and rape	837	772	65	.....	
	(5) Others	149	223	.....	74	

No.	STAPLES.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	EXPLANATIONS OF FLUCTUATIONS BY TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
20	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor	18	.....	18	.....	
	(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Linseed	1,472	1,705	.....	233	
	(4) Poppy	...	.....	..	.....	
	(5) Rape and mustard	9,689	3,982	5,717	.....	
	(6) Til or jinjili	27	1	26	.....	
	(7) Others	164	506	.....	342	
21	Opium	1	1	.....	.....	
22	Paper and pasteboard	1,114	671	443	.....	
23	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	5	4	1	.....	
	(2) Ghee	61	43	18	.....	
	(3) Others	1,213	1,460	.....	247	
24	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	26	83	.....	57	
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(c) Others	844	3	841	.....	
25	Salt	11,532	7,842	3,690	.....	
26	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	8	6	2	.....	
	(2) Other saline substances	433	249	184	.....	
27	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	45	47	.....	2	
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	
28	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	1,790	1,407	383	.....	
	(2) Cardamoms	27	18	9	.....	
	(3) Chillies	913	560	353	.....	
	(4) Ginger	155	104	51	.....	
	(5) Pepper	68	57	11	.....	
	(6) Others	310	857	.....	547	
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallised, including sugar-candy.	1,708	1,176	532	.....	
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	2,042	1,395	647	.....	
	(b) Gur, *rab*, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	2,042	2,126	.....	84	
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Indian	105	36	69	.....	
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	4,445	3,367	1,078	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	85	111	.....	26	
	(b) Other sorts					
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	7,736	3,131	4,605	.....	
	(2) Manufactured	564	434	130	.....	
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw	231	21	210	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs					
	(b) Piece-goods, European	60	4	56	.....	
	(c) Ditto, Indian					
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures ...					
34	All other articles of merchandise	11,283	6,108	5,175	.....	
	Total ...	271,570	240,097	73,907	42,434	

CALCUTTA, *the 20th July 1908.*

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for *Offg. Examiner of Accounts.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 11 days of July 1908, on 2,287·05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	866,359	6,98,612 0 0	11,315,612 0	17,83,633 0 0	60,490 0 0	25,42,735 0 0	247,207	340,338	587,545
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	305 7 5	.....	779 14 2	26 7 2	1,111 12 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1½ weeks ...	866,359	6,98,612 0 0	11,315,612 0	17,83,633 0 0	60,490 0 0	25,42,735 0 0	247,207	340,338	587,545
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 13 days of previous year.	1,034,609	9,19,173 1 10	12,350,352 20	19,17,941 5 11	72,068 8 5	29,09,183 0 2	278,250	375,271	653,521
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	402 3 5	.....	839 4 0	31 8 7	1,273 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 1½ weeks of previous year.	1,034,609	9,19,173 1 10	12,350,352 20	19,17,941 5 11	72,068 8 5	29,09,183 0 2	278,250	375,271	653,521

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,287·05	First 11 days of July ...	866,359	6,98,612	11,315,612	17,83,633	60,490	25,42,735	1,11·2	587,545	4 5 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. **1907**

2,285·30	First 13 days of July ...	No. of passengers. 1,034,609	Rs. 9,19,173	Mds. 12,350,353	Rs. 19,17,941	Rs. 72,068	Rs. 29,09,183	Rs. 1,273	No. 653,521	Rate. Rs. A. P. 4 7 3

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 11 days of July 1908 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	52,003	(a)13,183 0 0	12,935 0	524 0 0	13 0 0	13,720 0 0	2,108	242	2,350
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	593 0 5	.....	23 9 2	0 9 4	617 2 11	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1½ weeks ...	52,003	13,183 0 0	12,935 0	524 0 0	13 0 0	13,720 0 0	2,108	242	2,350
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 13 days of previous year.	47,166	11,190 2 2	22,815 0	982 8 0	8 14 0	12,181 8 11	1,819	423	2,242
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	503 6 1	.....	44 3 1	0 6 6	547 15 8	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 1½ weeks of previous year.	47,166	11,190 2 2	22,815 0	982 8 0	8 14 9	12,181 8 11	1,819	423	2,242

(a) Increase is due to greater movements of pilgrims on account of *Rath Jattra*.

TARKESUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

ben ase.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
32'23	First 11 days of July ...	52,003	13,193	12,835	524	13	13,730	617	2,350	5 13 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

32'23	First 13 days of July ...	No. of passengers. 47,106	Rs. 11,190	Mds. 22,815	Rs. 983	Rs. 9	Rs. 12,182	Rs. 548	No. 2,212	Rate. Rs. A. P. 5 6 11

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 11 days of July 1908 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
raffic for the period	51,248	39,632 0 0	351,796 0	22,968 0 0	63 0 0	62,663 0 0	18,376	8,131	26,507
mile of railway	.....	244 1 7	.....	141 7 5	0 6 3	385 15 3	.....	.....	.....
vious weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 11 weeks ...	51,248	39,632 0 0	351,796 0	22,968 0 0	63 0 0	62,663 0 0	18,376	8,131	26,507
COMPARISON.									
or corresponding 13 days of ous year.	63,583	41,970 11 5	335,379 30	29,568 4 0	85 1 3	71,624 0 8	21,626	8,618	30,244
s of railway corresponding l of previous year.	.....	258 8 1	.....	182 1 10	0 8 5	441 2 4	.....	.....	.....
or corresponding 11 weeks vious year.	63,583	41,970 11 5	335,379 30	29,568 4 0	85 1 3	71,624 0 8	21,626	8,618	30,244

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

) ge.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
36	First 11 days of July ...	51,248	39,632	351,796	22,968	63	62,663	386	26,507	2 5 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

3	First 13 days of July ...	No. of passengers. 63,583	Rs. 41,971	Mds. 335,380	Rs. 29,568	Rs. 85	Rs. 71,624	Rs. 441	No. 30,344	Rate. Rs. A. P. 2 5 11

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th July 1908 on 2,287·05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
		(a)	(b)						
Total traffic for the period ...	541,602	4,27,776 0 0	7,908,427 0	11,31,246 0 0	38,716 0 0	15,97,738 0 0	157,010	224,285	381,295
Or per mile of railway	...	187 0 8	...	494 10 1	16 14 11	698 9 8	...	...	...
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year	865,349	6,98,612 0 0	11,325,612 0	17,83,633 0 0	60,490 0 0	25,42,735 0 0	217,207	349,338	587,545
Total for 2½ weeks ...	1,407,951	11,26,388 0 0	19,234,039 0	29,14,879 0 0	99,206 0 0	41,40,473 0 0	404,217	574,625	968,840
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding weeks of previous year	578,165	5,02,614 13 8	6,990,747 20	10,27,516 9 3	38,702 9 8	15,68,834 0 7	145,861	199,243	345,104
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ...	...	219 14 11	...	449 9 11	16 15 0	686 7 10	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 2½ weeks of previous year	1,612,771	14,21,787 15 7	19,341,199 0	29,45,157 15 2	1,10,771 2 1	44,78,017 0 9	428,121	570,511	998,632

(*a*) The decrease is due chiefly to lesser movements of pilgrims.
(*b*) The increase is chiefly in coal.

1908.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train-mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,287·05	First 11 days of July ...	865,349	6,98,612	11,325,612	17,83,633	60,490	25,42,735	1,112	587,545	4 5 3
2,287·05	Week ended 18th ,, ...	541,602	4,27,776	7,908,427	11,31,246	38,716	15,97,738	699	381,295	4 3 1
	Totals up to date ...	1,407,951	11,26,388	19,234,039	29,14,879	99,206	41,40,473	7 01	968,840	4 4 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,285·30	First 12 days of July ...	1,034,169	9,19,173	12,571,572	19,17,291	71,029	29,07,493	1,273	677,721	4 7 3
2,285·30	Week ended 20th ,, ...	578,165	5,02,614	6,990,747	10,27,516	38,702	15,68,834	686	345,104	4 8 9
	Totals up to date ...	1,612,771	14,21,787	19,341,199	29,45,157	1,10,771	44,78,017	684	998,825	4 7 3

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th July 1908 on 22·25 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	29,374	6,979 0 0	11,100 0	257 0 0	7 0 0	7,243 0 0	1,512	134	1,646
Or per mile of railway ...	...	313 15 2	.....	12 0 2	0 5 0	325 4 4	...	...	...
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year	52,063	15 18 0 0	12,825 0	524 0 0	15 0 0	15,729 0 0	2,138	242	2,380
Total for 2½ weeks ...	81,977	20,162 0 0	23,944 0	791 0 0	23 0 0	20,973 0 0	3,650	396	3,846
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	31,967	7,119 13 8	12,938 20	599 13 0	6 3 9	7,635 15 5	1 018	226	1,234
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	320 4 6	...	22 14 11	0 4 6	343 7 11	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 2½ weeks of previous year	81,325	18,317 14 10	35,755 29	1,492 5 0	15 2 6	19,817 6 4	2,827	649	3,476

TARKESUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

...ngs.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1908	First 11 days of July ...	52,603	13,183	12,835	524	13	13,720	617	2,659	5 12 6
1908	Week ended 18th ,, ...	29,374	6,979	11,109	267	7	7,253	326	1,476	4 13 7
	Totals up to date ...	81,977	20,162	23,944	791	20	20,973	943	3,846	5 7 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded 1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1907	First 13 days of July ...	47,169	11,190	22,815	983	9	12,182	548	2,312	5 6 11
1907	Week ended 29th ,, ...	34,067	7,121	12,939	510	6	7,636	343	1,254	6 1 3
	Totals up to date ...	81,236	18,310	35,754	1,493	15	19,818	892	3,566	5 11 7

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 18 July 1908, on 162·30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles Run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week ...	33,905	27,701 0 0	208,512 0	15,391 0 0	50 0 0	43,041 0 0	11,662	1,958	13,620
On the railway ...	...	170 0 0	...	61 3 10	1 3 11	233 1 9	...	...	...
Previous 15 weeks of half-year ...	51,284	39,622 0 0	351,796 0	22,978 0 0	63 0 0	62,663 0 0	18,376	8,151	26,527
Total for 27 weeks ...	85,189	67,323 0 0	560,308 0	38,231 0 0	114 0 0	1,05,704 0 0	30,038	13,080	43,067
COMPARISON									
for corresponding period of previous year	32,013	26,661 0 0	271,168 10	18,074 0 0	47 10 0	1,,781 12 0	12,479	5,153	17,632
ile of railway corresponding Week of previous year ...	...	115 11 8	...	111 5 2	0 4 7	257 5 5	...	...	...
for corresponding period of previous year ...	35,629	65,631 4 5	503,788 0	47,747 13 0	134 11 5	1,13,413 12 8	31,093	13,771	47,867

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

...n ...ge.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1908	First 11 days of July ...	51,248	39,332	354,760	22,968	63	62,363	382	24,707	2 5 1
1908	Week ended 18th ,, ...	36,068	27,600	208,512	14,634	44	42,280	259	16,330	2 9 7
	Totals up to date ...	87,316	67,132	563,272	37,602	107	104,643	641	41,037	2 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for [illegible] in comparison with 1907—concld 1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1907	First 13 days of July ...	63,583	41,071	337,250	20,[illegible]	[illegible]	61,024	111	30,344	2 [illegible]
1907	Week ended 29th ,, ...	32,043	25,060	274,198	18,[illegible]	47	43,682	254	17,301	2 [illegible]
	Totals up to date ...	95,626	66,131	611,448	37,[illegible]	102	1,04,706	365	[illegible]	[illegible]

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the First 11 days of July 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 11 days ...	789,240	2,98,080 0 0	1,789,550 0	2,70,560 0 0	22,960 0 0	5,91,600 0 0	117,823	(b)53,879	171,702
Or per mile of railway	619	234 0 0	1,405 0	212 0 0	(a)5 0 0	(a)451 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 11 days ...	789,240	2,98,080 0 0	1,789,550 0	2,70,560 0 0	22,960 0 0	5,91,600 0 0	117,823	53,879	171,702
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 13 days of previous year ...	923,232	(c)3,26,129 0 0	2,233,212 0	(c)3,10,791 0 0	23,456 0 0	(c)6,59,376 0 0	135,008	90,340	225,348
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,272 miles)	726	257 0 0	1,756 0	244 0 0	2 0 0	503 0 0	... ...	... ...	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	923,232	3,26,129 0 0	2,233,212 0	3,10,791 0	22,456 0 0	6,59,376 0 0	135,008	90,340	225,348

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 16,700.
(b) Excluding ballast train miles 20,376.
(c) Decreases are due to 11 days traffic against 13 days in the previous year.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the First 11 days of July 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 11 days ...	80,840	23,750 0 0	50,170 0	3,610 0 0	710 0 0	28,070 0 0	8,888	(a)2,000	10,888
Or per mile of railway ...	940	276 0 0	583 0	42 0 0	8 0 0	326 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 11 days ...	80,840	23,750 0 0	50,170 0	3,610 0 0	710 0 0	28,070 0 0	8,888	2,000	10,888
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 13 days of previous year	77,783	20,624 0 0	56,672 0	4,514 0 0	180 0 0	25,318 0 0	9,409	1,831	11,240
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	904	240 0 0	659 0	52 0 0	2 0 0	294 0 0	... ...	... ...	... ...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	77,783	20,624 0 0	56,672 0	4,514 0 0	180 0 0	25,318 0 0	9,409	1,831	11,240

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 1,000.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the First 11 days of July 1908, on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 11 days ...	6,940	2,330 0 0	35,960 0	2,980 0 0	20 0 0	5,330 0 0	682	(a)1,606	2,288
Or per mile of railway	207	69 0 0	1,070 0	89 0 0	1 0 0	159 0 0	...	...	...
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 11 days ...	6,940	2,330 0 0	35,960 0	2,980 0 0	20 0 0	5,330 0 0	682	1,606	2,288
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 13 days of previous year	6,796	2,249 0 0	39,821 0	3,089 0 0	13 0 0	5,351 0 0	806	3,922	4,728
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	202	67 0 0	1,185 0	92 0 0	.....	159 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	6,796	2,249 0 0	39,821 0	3,089 0 0	13 0 0	5,351 0 0	806	3,922	4,728

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 1,590.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 11 days of July 1908, on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 11 days ...	16,050	5,550 0 0	21,560 0	1,730 0 0	30 0 0	7,310 0 0	3,401	(a)729	4,130
Or per mile of railway	314	103 0 0	399 0	32 0 0	.....	135 0 0	...	...	...
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
Total for 11 days ...	16,050	5,550 0 0	21,560 0	1,730 0 0	30 0 0	7,310 0 0	3,401	729	4,130
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 13 days of previous year	17,658	5,820 0 0	21,190 0	1,696 0 0	517 0 0	8,033 0 0	3,750	540	4,290
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	332	109 0 0	398 0	32 0 0	10 0 0	151 0 0	..	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	17,658	5,820 0 0	21,190 0	1,696 0 0	517 0 0	8,033 0 0	3,750	540	4,290

(a) Ballast train-miles *nil*.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	410,060	1,75,260 0 0	1,199,570 0	1,60,810 0 0	14,180 0 0	3,49,250 0 0	73,744	(b)32,836	106,580
Or per mile of railway	322	137 0 0	942 0	126 0 0	(a)3 0 0	(a)276 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	789,240	2,98,080 0 0	1,789,556 0	2,70,560 0 0	22,960 0 0	5,91,600 0 0	117,823	53,879	171,702
Total for 3 weeks ...	1,199,300	4,73,340 0 0	2,989,126 0	4,31,370 0 0	37,140 0 0	9,41,850 0 0	191,567	86,715	278,282
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year...	403,109	1,79,973 0 0	1,343,273 0	1,73,534 0 0	13,515 0 0	3,57,372 0 0	70,858	50,478	121,334
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,272 miles)	319	135 0 0	1,059 0	137 0 0	1 0 0	273 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,326,341	4,97,102 0 0	3,576,485 0	4,84,375 0 0	35,271 0 0	10,16,748 0 0	205,864	140,818	346,682

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 10,600.
(b) Excluding ballast train miles, 19,159.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	36,670	11,020 0 0	25,150 0	2,110 0 0	370 0 0	13,500 0 0	5,656	(a)1,500	7,156
Per mile of railway	426	128 0 0	292 0	25 0 0	4 0 0	157 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	80,540	23,750 0 0	50,170 0	3,010 0 0	710 0 0	25,070 0 0	8,838	2,060	10,388
Total for 3 weeks ...	117,210	34,770 0 0	75,320 0	5,120 0 0	1,080 0 0	41,570 0 0	14,544	3,500	18,044
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	33,704	10,778 0 0	38,483 0	2,161 0 0	101 0 0	13,040 0 0	4,915	1,491	6,406
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	393	126 0 0	447 0	25 0 0	1 0 0	152 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	111,547	31,493 0 0	95,155 0	6,675 0 0	281 0 0	38,368 0 0	14,224	3,372	17,646

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles, 600.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1908 on 38·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,720	1,610 0 0	15,280 0	1,110 0 0	10 0 0	2,730 0 0	406	(a) 942	1,348
Or per mile of railway	111	48 0 0	455 0	33 0 0	.....	81 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	6,940	2,330 0 0	35,960 0	2,980 0 0	20 0 0	5,330 0 0	682	1,606	2,288
Total for 3 weeks ...	10,660	3,940 0 0	51,240 0	4,090 0 0	30 0 0	8,060 0 0	1,088	2,548	3,636
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,816	1,100 0 0	15,954 0	1,470 0 0	15 0 0	2,585 0 0	450	2,278	2,728
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	84	33 0 0	475 0	44 0 0	.....	77 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	9,612	3,349 0 0	55,775 0	4,559 0 0	28 0 0	7,936 0 0	1,256	6,209	7,465

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 700.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th July 1908 on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	11,570	3,340 0 0	14,470 0	1,090 0 0	20 0 0	4,450 0 0	2,132	(a) 378	2,510
Or per mile of railway ...	214	62 0 0	268 0	20 0 0	.....	82 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	16,950	5,550 0 0	21,560 0	1,730 0 0	30 0 0	7,310 0 0	2,4[illegible]	729	4,130
Total for 3 weeks ...	28,520	8,255 0 0	36,030 0	2,820 0 0	50 0 0	11,670 0 0	5,533	1,107	6,640
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	11,023	3,255 0 0	16,719 0	1,116 0 0	71 0 0	4,412 0 0	1,953	357	2,310
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	217	64 0 0	330 0	22 0 0	2 0 0	88 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	28,681	9,075 0 0	37,909 0	2,813 0 0	588 0 0	12,476 0 0	5,703	897	6,600

(a) Ballast train-miles, *nil*.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 11 days of July 1908 on 1,797 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. (a)	Mds.	Rs. (b)	Rs. (a)	Rs. (c)		(d)	
Total traffic for the period (11 days) on 1,797 miles open ...	523,420	2,02,410	14,82,860	2,05,260	37,470	4,45,140	89,084	67,145	156,229
Or per mile of railway	291·27	112·64	825·19	114·22	20·85	247·71	.....	.....	.....
For previous Nil weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1½ weeks ...	523,420	2,02,410	14,82,860	2,05,260	37,470	4,45,140	89,084	67,145	156,229
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period (13 days) of previous year on 1,705 miles open	571,832	2,27,210	22,41,773	3,10,337	39,390	5,76,937	99,072	(e) 81,369	180,441
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	335·39	133·26	1,314·82	182·02	23·10	338·38	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	571,832	2,27,210	22,41,773	3,10,337	39,390	5,76,937	99,072	81,369	180,441
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		2·27		3·06	·24	2·85			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		2·29		3·81	·22	3·30			

(a) Decreases due to corresponding period being 2 days more.
(b) Decrease due to heavy grain traffic to Bengal in 1907, and to the reason given in note (a).
(c) Two days earnings less in this year than in the corresponding period of previous year.
(d) Includes 5,480 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes Nil miles of ballast trains.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 11 days of July 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	84,500	50,000 0 0	3,66,000 0	63,500 0 0	7,500 0 0	1,21,000 0 0	25,099	28,022	53,121
Or per mile of railway ...	110·03	65·10	474·71	82·36	9·73	157·19	32·68	36·35	69·03
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 2 weeks ...	84,500	50,000 0 0	3,66,000 0	63,500 0 0	7,500 0 0	1,21,000 0 0	25,099	28,022	53,121
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year†	90,191	51,669 0 0	5,41,421 0	1,03,814 0 0	8,786 0 0	1,64,269 0 0	26,351	34,899	61,250
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	117·44	67·28	702·23	134·65	11·40	213·33	34·31	45·26	79·57
Total to corresponding date of previous year	90,191	51,669 0 0	5,41,421 0	1,03,814 0 0	8,786 0 0	1,64,269 0 0	26,351	34,899	61,250

† Represents the earnings for 13 days.

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

Receipts for first 11 days of July 1908.			Receipts for first 13 days of July 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 11th July 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 13th July 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	1,21,000	157·19	771	1,64,269	213·33	771	12,17,145	...	771	12,70,795	...	.....	53,650

DARJEELING HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 18th July 1908	...	Coaching ...	4,967 0 0	13,089 0 0
		Goods ...	8,084 0 0	
		Other earnings ...	38 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907	...	Coaching ...	4,506 0 0	15,988 0 0
		Goods ...	11,441 0 0	
		Other earnings ...	41 0 0	
		Decrease ...		2,899 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 18th July 1908				256 10 4
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907				313 7 10
		Decrease ...		56 13 6
Receipts from 1st July to 18th July 1908				38,403 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907				42,814 0 0
		Decrease ...		4,411 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING AUGUST 1908.

Month and date.	Day of the week	Station.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1908.				
August 7th ...	Friday ...	Arrive Bankipur ...	8 A.M.	By special train.
„ 8th to 14th	.....	Halt at Bankipur.		
„ 15th ...	Saturday ...	Leave Bankipur ...	Daybreak	By river on the *Rhotas*.
		Arrive Monghyr ...	3 P.M.	

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	REMARKS.
1908.				
August 16th ...	Sunday ...	Leave Monghyr ...	2 P.M.	
		Arrive Bhagalpur ...	8 P.M.	
„ 17th ...	Monday ...	Halt at Bhagalpur.		
„ 18th ...	Tuesday ...	Leave Bhagalpur ...	5 A.M.	
		Arrive Jangipur ...	4 P.M.	
„ 19th ...	Wednesday ...	Arrive Murshidabad ...	9 A.M.	
„ 20th ...	Thursday ...	Arrive Berhampore ...	5 A.M.	
„ 21st ...	Friday ...	Leave Berhampore ...	3 A.M.	
		Arrive Calcutta ...	5 P.M.	

NOTE.—

(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Lady Fraser.
Captain H. L. Fraser, 10th Royal Hussars, Private Secretary.
Captain A. H. B. Foster, The King's Own, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain R. C. Dodgson, R.F.A., Aide-de-Camp.
The Hon'ble Mr. F. W. Duke, I.C.S., Chief Secretary.
Lieut.-Col. W. J. Buchanan, I.M.S., Inspector-General of Prisons, from Bankipur.
The Commissioners of Divisions within their respective charges.

(2) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the Bengal Government Camp, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) The Lieutenant-Governor's arrival at Bankipur will be public; all other arrivals and departures will be private.

The timings for the river portion of the tour are approximate.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

BELVEDERE,
The 1st August 1908.

H. L. FRASER, CAPT.,
Private Secretary.

No. 4913A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4142A.—The 29th July 1908.*—The order of the 21st July 1908, transferring Maulvi Abul Muhammad Rashad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, to the Contai subdivision of the Midnapore district, is cancelled.

Darbhanga.
Midnapore.

No. 4155A.—The 29th July 1908.—Mr. Charu Chandra Chakrabatti, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Basirhat, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the Contai subdivision of the Midnapore district.

24-Parganas.
Midnapore.

No. 4245A.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Godda, Sonthal Parganas, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision, *vice* Mr. A. W. Stark, on leave.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 4250A.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Tej Chandra Mukharji, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Bhagalpur, and *ex-officio* Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Monghyr, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh, or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.
Nadia.

No. 4922A.—The 4th August 1908.—Mr. E. H. Berthoud, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sitamarhi, Muzaffarpur, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. C. Woodman, or until further orders.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 4924A.—The 4th August 1908.—Mr. J. M. Fletcher, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Muzaffarpur, is appointed to have charge of the Sitamarhi subdivision of that district, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. E. H. Berthoud, or until further orders.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 4933A.—The 4th August 1908.—Babu Hari Bhushan De, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Bagerhat subdivision of the Khulna district.

Khulna.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 4232A.—The 31st July 1908.*—Lieutenant C. P. J. Layard, 75th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, is appointed to act, in addition to his Military duties, as Adjutant of the Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps, with effect from the 10th July 1908, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant C. W. Ford, or until further orders.

No. 4894A.—The 4th August 1908.—Commander E. W. Petley, C.I.E., V.D., Commandant, Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps, acted as Adjutant of that Corps from the 22nd to the 26th April 1908, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant C. W. Ford.

EDUCATION.—*No. 4958A.—The 4th August 1908.*—Babu Kiran Chandra Mitra, Professor, Hooghly College, is appointed to be a Professor in the Patna College, with effect from the date on which he joined the latter appointment.

Hooghly.
Patna.

No. 4960A.—The 4th August 1908.—Babu Jyoti Bhushan Bhaduri, Professor, Patna College, is appointed to be a Professor in the Hooghly College, with effect from the afternoon of the 13th July 1908.

Patna
Hooghly.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 4886A.—The 4th August 1908.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), and the orders issued thereunder, and with the previous sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-nominate the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal to be a member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, with effect from the 17th August 1908.

Council.

No. 4902A.—The 4th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), and the orders issued thereunder, and with the previous sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. William Henry Hoare Vincent, I.C.S., to be a member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Council.

JAILS.—*No. 4908A.—The 4th August 1908.*—The services of Captain J. M. Woolley, I.M.S., on furlough, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 4181A.—The 30th July 1908.*—Mr. H. D. Van' Grieken, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hazaribagh, is allowed leave for two months and two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 23rd July 1908.

Hazaribagh.

No. 4189A.—The 31st July 1908.—Mr. D. G. K. McGavin, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Bhagalpur.

No. 4229A.—The 31st July 1908.—In modification of the order of the 1st June 1908, Babu Hem Kumar Mallik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajmahal, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for one month and twenty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th June 1908, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 4243A.—The 31st July 1908.—Mr. A. W. Stark, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Godda, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 4247A.—The 31st July 1908.—Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh, District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is allowed leave for forty-one days, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd August 1908.

Nadia.

No. 4260A.—The 31st July 1908.—Mr. Debendra Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hazaribagh, was on leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 27th January 1908 to the 18th February 1908, both days inclusive.

Hazaribagh.

No. 4919A.—The 4th August 1908.—Mr. H. C. Woodman, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Muzaffarpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th August 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 4936A.—The 4th August 1908.—Babu Bipin Bihari Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bagerhat, Khulna, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Khulna.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 4897A.—The 4th August 1908.*—Surgeon-Captain Vivian St. John Croly, 1st Battalion, Bengal-Nagpur Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for one year and three months, with effect from the 15th July 1908.

No. 4898A.—The 4th August 1908.—Captain Andrew Small, Cossipore Artillery Volunteers, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for six months, with effect from the 1st August 1908.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 4912A.—The 4th August 1908.*—In supersession of the order of the 29th June 1908, the Reverend G. J. Chree, Senior Chaplain, St. Andrew's Church, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under article 592 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 13th July 1908.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—*No. 4899A.—The 4th August 1908.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. William Charles Macpherson, C.S.I., of his office of Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

POWERS.

No. 4198A.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Anadi Ranjan Basu, Deputy Collector, Purnea, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Purnea.

No. 4914A.—The 4th August 1908.—Mr. J. H. Lindsay, Covenanted Deputy Collector, Rampur Hât, Birbhum, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Birbhum.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 29th July 1908 :—

No. 2959A.—The 27th July 1908.—Babu Girindra Lal Ray, Munsif of Pingna, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for two months and fifteen days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

No. 2960A.—The 27th July 1908.—In supersession of the Appointment Department Notifications Nos. 1445A., dated the 20th April 1905, and 2407A., dated the 23rd June 1908, Babu Satish Chandra Biswas, Munsif of Rampur Boalia, in the district of Rajshahi, is allowed leave for four months and fifteen days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st April 1905.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4289A.—The 1st August 1908.—The following rules are added as rules (7) and (8) of the rules, affecting the promotions and confirmations of officers of the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service and of the Subordinate Civil Service with respect to their passing the Departmental Examinations, laid down in the Resolution of this Government, No. 3297A.—D., dated the 29th September 1906:—

"(7) If the duties on which an officer is employed are held to be so arduous as to deprive him of all opportunity of preparing for the Departmental Examinations, and if, on the facts being represented to Government, Government is unable, in the interests of the public service, to transfer the officer to duties of a less arduous nature, his liability to pass the examinations will be suspended until he is relieved of those duties, and his promotion or confirmation will be allowed to go on as if he had passed. The case of each officer will, however, be considered on its own merits."

"(8) An officer admitted to the benefits of rule (7), will, on being relieved of the duties for which such special consideration was shown, be required to pass completely at the first or second* Departmental Examination following his relief, and if he cannot do so, his promotion or confirmation will then be regulated in accordance with the ordinary rules."

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2886For.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 31 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following be substituted for rule II (*b*) of the Rules for the Protected Forests of the Sundarbans in the 24-Parganas district, which were published with Notification No. 2819For., dated the 8th November 1906:—

24 Parganas.

(*b*) Poles, fuel and other forest produce, except wax and honey—

(*i*) Poles, being pieces under 3 feet in girth and 8 feet or over in length—

	Rs.	A.	
Amur or *goran*	1	4	for each 25 maunds.
Other kinds	0	13	for each 25 maunds.
(*ii*) Fuel, being pieces under 3 feet in girth and under 8 feet in length—			
Amur or *goran*	1	0	for each 25 maunds.
Other kinds	0	7	for each 25 maunds.
(*iii*) Other forest produce, except wax and honey	0	7	for each 25 maunds.

Explanation.—The maunds on which the abovementioned payments are to be calculated are maunds by boat measurement, which shall be estimated in accordance with the rules contained in Notification No. 1840, dated the 25th August 1906.

No. 2887For.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 39 of the Indian Forest Act (VII of 1878), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the charges prescribed in rule II of the Rules for the Protected Forests in the Sundarbans of the 24-Parganas district, which were published with Notification No. 2819For., dated the 8th November 1906, as amended by Notification No. 2886For., dated the 31st July 1908, shall also be levied on all forest produce exported from lands leased under the Rules of 1879 for the lease of waste lands in the Sundarbans, subject to the levy of the following additional charge for logs, poles and fuel of *sundari* (*Heritiera minor, Buch.*), and *Passur* (*Carapa moluccensis*, Lam.), namely:—

	Rs.	A.	
Logs, *i.e.*, pieces over 3 feet in girth at the thick end	0	1	per running foot.
Poles, *i.e.*, pieces less than 3 feet in girth at the thick end and over 8 feet in length ...	1	12	per 25 maunds by boat measurement.
Fuel, *i.e.*, other pieces	1	5	per 25 maunds by boat measurement.

2. Notification No. 2820For., dated the 8th November 1906, is hereby cancelled.

* If the time intervening between the date of relief of any such officer and the date of the following Departmental Examination be less than two months, the ordinary rules will be enforced if he cannot pass at the third Departmental Examination held after the date of relief.

Jessore. *No. 2883L.A.—The 31st July 1908.*—In line 4 of declaration No. 2285L.A., dated the 29th June 1908, published at page 1218, Part I. of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st July 1908, *for* the word "Navasan" *read* "Nabharan."

Bankura. *No. 2888L.R.—The 31st July 1908.*—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in Revenue-free Estate No. 256, Nowa-Bankati, situated in pargana Vishnupur, in the district of Bankura.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other sources of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Bankura. Burdwan. *No. 2889L.R.—The 31st July 1908.*—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in mauzas Khursi, Ramkristopur, Khord jungli, Raula, Burampur, and Chattra-khanda, in thana Indas, in the district of Bankura, and in mauzas Kas-puskarni and Darika in thana Khandaghosh, in the district of Burdwan, appertaining to patni tenure Ramkrista-pur included in estate Shaharjora, tauzi No. 10 of the Bankura Collectorate.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Bankura.

No. 2890L.R.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in the patni tenure Mirzapur, appertaining to estate Barahazari, tauzi No. 2 in the district of Bankura.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually-increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply; and

(ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Bankura.

No. 2891L.R.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made

and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in mauza Chuamasina in Patni Lot Haripur, appertaining to estate Vishnupur, tauzi No. 1 of the Bankura Collectorate.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2894L.R.— The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act 1 of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in villages Gumai, Protappur, Bhunyabar, Kesabbar and Belun, appertaining to estate Gumai, tauzi No. 946, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tennure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tennure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2895L.R.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in estate Khandakhola, tauzi No. 974, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2896L.R.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of revenue-free lands lying in village Pathra, and appertaining to estate Baradiha, bearing No. 253 in Register B and No. 581 in Register C, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Burdwan.

No. 2899L.R.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 101 (2) (*c*) and 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in Government estate Char Kashtosali, tauzi No. 4039, in thana Purbasthali, in the district of Burdwan.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

24-Parganas.

No. 2900L.R.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 101 (2) (*c*) and 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in the Government estates noted below:

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;
(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;
(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;
(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and
(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;
(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;
(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;
(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority—

Tauzi No.	Name.			Pargana.
2454	Hajipur	...	...	Muragachha.
1319	Gar Hajipur	...	...	Ditto.
2713	Shibpur	...	...	Hatiaghar.

No. 2943L.R.—The 3rd August 1908.—Mr. J. A. Hubbuck, I.C.S., employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Bhagalpur, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for ten days, from the 19th September 1908.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2946L.A.—The 3rd August 1908.—Declaration No. 307T.R., dated the 25th April 1907, published at page 787, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th May 1907, in respect of the acquisition of land for the extension of the Chandka road post, is hereby cancelled.

Puri.

No. 2951L.R.—The 3rd August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in estate Banamalipur, bearing tauzi No. 1286, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;
(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;
(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;
(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;
(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;
(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;
(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
(i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and
(ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;
(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;
(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;
(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;
(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2952L.R.—The 3rd August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in Estate Pandit Satghora, bearing tauzi No. 526 in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2953L.R.—The 3rd August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in estate Basudeb Chak, bearing tauzi No. 4442 in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private-lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2954L.R.—The 3rd August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in the Patni Taluq Lot Santitara, appertaining to the estate bearing tauzi No. 47-1 in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2955L.R.—The 3rd August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in the Patni Lot Jangalpara, appertaining to Estate No. 15-6 of the Burdwan Collectorate, but situated within the jurisdiction of the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and if is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Champaran.

No. 2962L.A.—The 4th August 1908—Declaration No. 1723L.A., dated the 23rd March 1907, published at page 510, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, in respect of the land required by the District Board of Champaran for a feeder road in the village of Telkulia, in the district of Champaran, is hereby cancelled.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.
Manbhum.

No. 2963L.R.—The 4th August 1908.—Mr. J. D. Sifton, I.C.S., is appointed to be Settlement Officer, Chota Nagpur.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.
Manbhum.

No. 2964L.R.—The 4th August 1908.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint Mr. J. D. Sifton, I.C.S., to be Superintendent of Survey in the districts of Ranchi, Singhbhum and Manbhum.

Singhbhum.
Midnapore.

No. 2965L.R.—The 4th August 1908.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875,) Mr. J. D. Sifton, I.C.S., is appointed to be Superintendent of Survey in respect of that portion of the Dhalbhum estate, bearing tauzi No. 1 on the revenue-roll of the district of Singhbhum, which lies in the district of Midnapore.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

No. 2966L.R.—The 4th August 1908.—Mr. J. D. Sifton, I.C.S., is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885) as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act, as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 1379L.R., dated the 5th March 1908, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purpose of carrying out the survey and record-of-rights in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer in these districts, under rule 1, Chapter II, of the Rules made under the Bengal Tenancy Act for the Chota Nagpur Division (except the district of Manbhum), published under Government Notification No. 3395L.R., dated the 24th November 1903.

Midnapore.
Singhbhum.

No. 2967L.R.—The 4th August 1908—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to authorise Mr. J. D. Sifton, I.C.S., to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, in respect of that portion of the Dhalbhum estate, bearing tauzi No. 1 on the revenue-roll of the district of Singhbhum, which lies in the district of Midnapore.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer in respect of the same area under Rule 40 (Chapter VI) of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

No. 2968L.R.—The 4th August 1908.—With reference to the provisions of section 3 (1) (*a*) of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897 (Bengal Act IV of 1897), as amended by Bengal Act V of 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint Mr. J. D. Sifton, I.C.S., to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer for the purpose of commuting predial conditions and services under section 9A of that Act, in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

No 2939L.R.—The 3rd August 1908—Babu Sashi Bhusan Bhattacharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Cuttack, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-one days, in continuation of the privilege leave for one month and-a-half granted to him in Government Notification No. 1161T.R., dated the 15th June 1908.

Cuttack.

No. 2978L.R.—The 4th August 1908.—Under section 3 (16) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Acts III of 1898 and I of 1907, the Subdivisional Officers in the district of Midnapore are authorized to discharge the functions of a Collector under section 58 of the said act.

Midnapore.

This is in modification of Notification No. 2568L.R., dated the 16th July 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2843L.A.—The 29th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Kushtia Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a road in Ward No. III, of Kushtia Municipality connecting Naptipara road with High road, in the village of Majumpur in Kushtia town, pargana Mahamudshahi, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 4 cottahs 3 chitaks and 21 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Naptipara road, on the east by lands owned by Samina Bewa, Hanip Shaikh, Chini Karegar, Kasimaddi Mandal, Johur Mia, Abdul Latif Joardar and Rasul Khan, on the south by Drain of High road and on the west by lands owned by Samina Bewa, Rajani Paramanik, Chini Karigar Kasimaddi Mandal, Johur Mia, Abdul Latif Joardar and Rasul Khan, is required within the aforesaid village of Majumpur in Kushtia town.

Nadia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2844L.A.—The 29th July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government, at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for widening Bustee Roads in Soortibagan, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, pieces of land Nos. 7-1, 9, Hailiday Street, 8, 10, 12, 13, Syed Sally Lane, 23, 24, Tarachand Dutt Street and 21, 21-1, 22 and 23, Soortibagan Lane, in Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 16 cottahs 11 chitaks and 30 square feet, are required. The boundaries of the lands are as follows:—

24-Parganas.

PLOT A.

North—The remaining portions of premises Nos. 21-1, 22 and 23, Soortibagan Lane.
South—Hope Lane.
East—Syed Sally Lane.
West—Soortibagan Lane.

PLOT B.

North—The remaining portions of premises Nos. 9, Halliday Street and 21, Soortibagan Lane.
South—Hope Lane.
East—Halliday Street.
West—Syed Sally Lane.

PLOT C.

North—Tarachand Dutt Street.
South—Part of Plot B.
East—The remaining portion of premises No. 21, Soortibagan Lane.
West—Syed Sally Lane.

PLOT D.

North—Tarachand Dutt Street.
South—Star Lane.
East—Syed Sally Lane.
West—The remaining portion of premises No. 23, Tarachand Dutt Street.

PLOT E.

North—Tarachand Dutt Street.
South—The remaining portions of premises No. 9, Halliday Street and 21, Soortibagan Lane.
East—Halliday Street.
West—Part of Plot C.

PLOT F.

North—Syed Sally Lane.
South—Tarachand Dutt Street.
East—The remaining portions of premises Nos. 24, Tarachand Dutt Street and 10, Syed Sally Lane.
West—Syed Sally Lane.

PLOT G.

North—Public Road.
South—Tarachand Dutt Street.
East—Syed Sally Lane.
West—The remaining portion of premises No. 24, Tarachand Dutt Street.

PLOT H.

North—The remaining portions of premises, Nos. 12 and 13, Syed Sally Lane and 7-1, Halliday Street.
South—Syed Sally Lane.
East—Partly by Halliday Street and partly by Syed Sally Lane.
West—Syed Sally Lane.

PLOT I.

North—Syed Sally Lane.
South—Public Road.
East—Syed Sally Lane.
West—Remaning portions of premises Nos. 8 and 10, Syed Sally Lane..

PLOT K.

North—Part of premises No. 126, Harrison Road.
South—Syed Sally Lane.
East—Remaining portion of premises No. 12 and 13, Syed Sally Lane.
West—Syed Sally Lane.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Corporation.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2884L.A.—The 31st July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway Company, Limited, for diversions in the 26th mile of the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway, in the villages of Basirhat and Tapa, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 14 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

24-Parganas.

Plot No. 1—On the north by the remaining land of Brindaban Dey, Atal Behari Pal and Shyama Charan Pal, on the east by the remaining land of Shyama Charan Pal, on the south by the borrowpit of the District Board road, and on the west by the remaining land of Brindaban Dey,

Plot No. 2,—On the north by the District Board road, on the east by the remaining land of Baharali Nikari and Messrs. Martin and Company, on the south by the remaining land of Baharali Nikari, Banku Bihari Kundu and Thakur Das, and on the west by the remaining land of Thakur Das,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Basirhat and Tapa.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Messrs. Martin and Company, Nos. 6 and 7, Clive Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2901L.A.—The 31st July 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of two quarters for the two Munsifs at Tamluk in the village of Abasbari, pargana Tamluk, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 15 cottahs 9½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land of Ram Tarak Mukherjee, on the south by the Civil Court compound land of Government, on the east by the river Rupnarain, and on the west by the eastern bank of the Bandpukur tank, is required within the aforesaid village of Abasbari.

Midnapore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Aquisition Collector, Tamluk.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2948L.A.—The 3rd August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for manufacture of bricks at Bhairamara, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the villages of Nowdapara and Bhairamara, pargana Taragani, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 16 bighas 13 cottahs 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by existing brick-field and Bamni khal, on the east by the land belonging to Felu Roy, Mati Poramanik and Fakir Sirdar and Eastern Bengal State Railway, on the south by the land belonging to Fakir Sirdar, Fazle Mondle, Mati Poramanik and Felu Roy, and on the west by the land belonging to Amanat Sirdar and Bamni khal, is required within the aforesaid villages of Nowdapara and Bhairamara.

Nadia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Rajbari-Section, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2982L.A.—The 4th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Gaya, for a public purpose, viz., for constructing a pound-shed at Mayee, in the village of Mayee, pargana Narhat, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 3·55 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by footpath of village Mayee to Rajgir; on the south by Pind Shew and the cultivated lands of Jaffar Khan; on the east by cultivated lands of Jaffar and Manzoor Khan, and on the west by Muhammadans burial-ground, is required within the aforesaid village of Mayee.

Gaya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Gaya.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

REGISTRATION.

No. 3513.—The 30th July 1908.—Babu Pran Kumar Roy Chaudhuri is appointed temporarily to act as Joint Sub-Registrar of Hasanabad, in the district of 24-Parganas, from the 1st to the 30th June 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar.

24-Parganas.

No. 3515.—The 30th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Haidar Ali, Joint Sub-Registrar, Hasanabad, in the district of 24-Parganas, is granted leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months in extension of the leave granted to him under Government Order No. 2805, dated the 6th July 1908.

24-Parganas.

No. 3517.—The 30th July 1908.—Kazi Mahammadur Rahman, Sub-Registrar Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two days, and extraordinary leave without allowances, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty-two days, in extension of the leave already granted to him under the orders of the 6th April 1908.

Hooghly.

No. 3558.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Krishna Dhan Mallik, Sub-Registrar, Naihati, in the district of 24-Parganas, is granted combined leave for six months, with effect from the 7th March 1908, or any subsequent date on which he was relieved, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and ten days, and leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for the remaining period.

24-Parganas.

No. 3560.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Kishori Mohan Bose, Probationer, Calcutta, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Naihati, in the district of 24-Parganas, with effect from the 12th March to 10th May 1908.

24-Parganas.

No. 3562.—The 31st July 1908.—Maulvi Basharat Karim Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, Habra, in the district of 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Naihati, in the same district, with effect from the 11th May 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 3567.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Gopi Krishna Banarji, Sub-Registrar, Dum-Dum, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

24-Parganas.

No. 3589.—The 3rd August 1908.—Babu Gopi Krishna, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Arrah, in the district of Shahabad, was granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 16th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Shahabad.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 548S.R.—The 4th August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 155 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules which were published under Notification No. 2288.R., dated the 3rd March 1908, at pages 572 and 573 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th idem:—

(1) In rules 1, 4, 5 and 9 of Part I, and rule 5 of Part II, *before* "wood naphtha," *wherever these words occur, insert* "crude."

(2) In rule 4 of Part I, *after* the words "with the spirit" *insert* the words "which shall not be of less strength than 30 per cent. over-proof," and insert a foot-note as follows:—"Importers should notice that the authorities in Bombay require that spirit should be denaturalised at a strength not less than 50 per cent. over proof."

(3) In rule 3 of Part II, *before* the words "wood and mineral naphtha," *insert* the word "crude."

No. 550S.R.—The 3rd August 1908.—Babu Girish Chandra Dutta, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Bhagalpur, *vice* Babu Girish Chandra Sarkar, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Bhagalpur.

No. 552S.R.—The 1st August 1908.—Mr. E. C. Prabal, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Puri, *vice* Babu Muralidhar Ray Chaudhuri, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Puri.

No. 554S.R.—The 3rd August 1908.—Mr. Cyril St. John Howe, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Hazaribagh, *vice* Babu Satyendra Nath Batabyal, and, under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Hazaribagh.

No. 545-O.—The 1st August 1908.—Babu Hemanta Kumar Roy, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for three weeks, with effect from the 4th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Benares Agency.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1348Medl.—The 29th July 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Satish Chandra Banarji (II), attached to the Charitable Dispensary at Muzaffarpur, held medical charge of the Civil station of that district in addition to his own duties from the afternoon of the 16th to the forenoon of the 22nd June 1908.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 1385Medl.—The 31st July 1908.—Military Assistant Surgeon F. H. Gleeson has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave for six months on private affairs.

No. 1403Medl.—The 1st August 1908.—The following passed students of the Medical College, Calcutta, are admitted into the service of Government as Assistant Surgeons with effect from the dates mentioned against their names:—

Calcutta.

Babu Ekendra Nath Ghosh	...	4th June 1908.
„ Garib Das Gupta	...	6th „ „

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4964A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 4253A.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Bidhu Bhushan Banarji, Munsif of Midnapore, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Bhagalpur and *ex-officio* Subordinate Judge, Monghyr, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Tej Chandra Mukharji, or until further orders.

Midnapore. Bhagalpur.

No. 4256A.—The 31st July 1908 Babu Atul Chandra Gangali, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Bidhu Bhushan Banarji, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 4272A.—The 1st August 1908.—Babu Raj Narayan, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Hazaribagh, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Amulya Chandra Ghosh, or until further orders.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 4917A.—The 4th August 1908.—Maulvi Najabat Husain, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Bhagalpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Banka, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Abinash Chandra Nag, or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.

LEAVE.

No. 4943A.—The 28th July 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Yusuf Ali, Munsif of Chupra, in the district of Saran, is allowed leave for three weeks under Article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 5th August 1908, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

Saran.

The 28th July 1908.—Babu Amulya Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Hazaribagh, in Chota Nagpur, is allowed leave for thirty days under Article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 3rd August 1908.

Hazaribagh.

No. 4944A.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Abinash Chandra Nag, Munsif of Banka, in the district of Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for thirty days under articles 260 and 271 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 3rd August 1908, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

Bhagalpur.

No. 4945A.—The 1st August 1908.—Maulvi Usman Ali, Munsif of Kishanganj, in the district of Purnea, is allowed leave for twenty days under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 11th June 1908.

Purnea.

POWERS.

No. 4267A.—The 1st August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. C. L. Philip, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

24-Parganas.

Mr. Philip is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and also with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code.

No. 4950A.—The 4th August 1908.—Mr. A. R. Stark, Deputy Magistrate, Shahabad, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Shahabad.

No. 4952A.—The 4th August 1908.—Babu Pulin Bihari Aikat, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Ranchi, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Ranchi.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS

No. 2524J.—The 30th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Hira Lal Ghosh to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Rajpur Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 2526J.—The 30th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Purna Chandra Singh and Maulvi Kundkar Abu Taib to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Kandi Independent Bench, in the district of Murshidabad.

Babu Purna Chandra Singh is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Murshidabad.

No. 2543J.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Gosain Das Datta to be a Magistrate of the first class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Midnapore. He is authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of that district and is empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language. He is also vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Midnapore.

No. 2374J.—The 24th July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. John Christie Wilson, Mr. James Sime, Mr. Peter Alexander Harper and Mr. James Aitken Keyden to be Magistrates of the third class in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that the said Magistrates, or two or more of them, shall sit together as a Bench at Sankrail in the Sadar subdivision of that district, which shall exercise the powers conferred by the said Code upon a Magistrate of the third class, in respect of such cases arising within that subdivision as may be made over to it for trial. The Bench shall also take cognizance of, on police reports, and try, cases under section 34 of Act V of 1861, arising within the area defined below, comprising the village Sankrail :—

Howrah.

On the North—The Rajganj-Andul road up to Jorehat ferry ghat where it meets the Sankrail Ramchandrapur road, running from east to west;

On the East—River Hooghly;

On the South—The southern boundaries of the Belvedere Jute Mills at Sankrail;

On the West—Ramchandrapur-Sankrail road, which runs through the western side of the Sankrail old bazar up to the south boundary of the Belvedere Jute Mill.

No. 2561J.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Shibadas Bhattacharji to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Vishnupur Independent Bench, in the district of Bankura.

Bankura.

RESIGNATIONS

No. 2424J.—The 27th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. Alfred Henry Wathen of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Kurseong Independent Bench, in the district of Darjeeling.

Darjeeling.

No. 2592J.—The 30th July 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. George Williamson of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Titagarh Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

H. C. STEEATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2622J.—The 9th July 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 14 of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that, with effect from the 10th July 1908, the Munsif's Court which is held at Gobindpur, in the district of Manbhum, shall be held at Dhanbaid in the same district.

Manbhum.

Notification No. 1971J., dated the 7th July 1908, is hereby cancelled.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2545P.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Kshetra Nath Singh Ray, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. VIII—Jargram, in thana Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Hari Mohan Mukharji, *removed*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Burdwan.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Kshetra Nath Singh Ray for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2546P.—The 31st July 1908.—The Notification No. 1178P.D., dated the 28th June 1906, published at pages 1330 and 1331, Part I. of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th July 1906, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Hari Mohan Mukharji, as President of the panchayat of Union No. VIII—Jargram, in thana Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Burdwan.

No. 2548P.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Kailash Chandra Chatarji, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. VI—Muragachi, in thana Nakasipara, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Ghaneshyam Mukharji, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Kailash Chandra Chatarji for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2549P.—The 31st July 1908.—The Notification No. 1286P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1362 to 1365, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Ghaneshyam Mukharji, as President of the panchayat of Union No. VI—Muragachi, in thana Nakasipara, in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 2551P.—The 31st July 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Tarini Charan Basu, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XII—Lokenathpur, in thana Damurhuda, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Jogesh Chandra Chatarji, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Tarini Charan Basu for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2552P.—The 31st July 1908.—The Notification No. 262P., dated the 11th January 1907, published at page 95, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, conferring upon Babu Jogesh Chandra Chatarji, as President of the panchayat of Union No. XII—Lokenathpur, in thana Damurhuda, in the district of Nadia, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 2639P.—The 4th August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 34 of Act V of 1861 (The Police Act, 1861), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend the provisions of that section to village Sankrail, in police-station Sankrail, in the district of Howrah, within the boundaries specified below :—

Howrah.

On the North.—The Rajganj-Andul Road up to Jorehat Ferry Ghat, where it meets the Sankrail-Ramchandrapur Road running from east to west.

On the East.—The Hooghly River.

On the South.—The southern boundaries of the Belvedere Jute Mills at Sankrail.

On the West.—Ramchandrapur-Sankrail Road, which runs through the western side of the Sankrail old Bazar up to the southern boundary of the Belvedere Jute Mill.

No. 2577P.—The 1st August 1908.—It is hereby notified that the proclamation No. 1046P., dated the 25th February 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, regarding the quartering of an additional police force in Maksudpur and certain other villages within the Sadar subdivision of the district of Muzaffarpur, will take effect from the 23rd June 1908, the date on which the additional police force was entertained.

Muzaffarpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 30th July 1908.

No. 145.—Babu Srish Chandra Chakrabatti, Executive Engineer, Akhoyapada-Jajpur Division, is granted privilege leave for one day, viz., the 7th July 1908, in extension of that granted to him in Bengal Government Notification No. 126, dated the 7th July 1908.

The 31st July 1908.

No. 146.—Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, Deputy Collector, Revenue Division, Orissa Canals, is granted, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month and ten days, with effect from 19th August 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 147.—Babu Raghabananda Das, Sub-Deputy Collector attached to the Revenue Division, Orissa Canals, is appointed to hold charge of the Division, during the absence of Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, Deputy Collector, on leave.

The 4th August 1908.

No. 148.—The portion of notification No. 191, dated the 25th October 1907, which relates to the promotion of Mr. C. B. Lines to Assistant Engineer, first grade, is hereby cancelled.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 30th July 1908.

No. 83Marine.—The following regulations for the admission of locally selected candidates into the Bengal Pilot Service are published for general information, in supersession of those published under notification No. 74Marine, dated the 7th July 1908 :—

REGULATIONS FOR THE ADMISSION OF LOCALLY SELECTED CANDIDATES INTO THE BENGAL PILOT SERVICE AT CALCUTTA, CORRECTED UP TO JUNE 1908.

1. In any year in which a local candidate is to be appointed to the Bengal Pilot Service a competitive examination will be held in or about the month of March, and six months prior notice of the examination will be published by the Local Government. The number of vacancies available for local candidates shall also be declared, and they will be filled up by the successful candidates in order of merit; but no local candidate shall be appointed who does not satisfy the Examiners, or who in other respects does not come up to the requirements of the following rules.

2. Candidates must be not less than 18, or more than 22 years of age, and must be descended from European or Eurasian parents domiciled in India. Each candidate must

produce a Board of Trade or Colonial Certificate of Competency as a 2nd Mate or any higher grade. Provided that an intending candidate who, in the month of March in any year in which no examination is held, is not more than 22 years of age, and has fulfilled the conditions of service laid down in rule 4 below, shall not be debarred, on account of being over the prescribed age, from appearing at the next examination held.

3. Each candidate must produce a medical certificate of good health and physical fitness to work as a Pilot in a tropical climate, and also satisfactory evidence as to his moral character. Each passed candidate will, before appointment, be required to undergo a further examination as to his physical fitness by the Medical Board sitting at Calcutta, and will not be appointed unless the Board certifies him to be in all respects physically fit to work as a Pilot on the Hooghly.

4. He must have served four years at sea, of which not less than three years must have been in a merchant sailing vessel employed in the foreign trade of not less than 300 tons register, as a seaman or apprentice, and must produce satisfactory certificates from the Masters he has sailed under.

5. Before being admitted to the examination, the candidate will have to satisfy the Examiners that he has passed the Middle Scholarship Examination under the Code of Regulations for European Schools, or that he has passed the Calcutta University Entrance Examination. Candidates will be examined in Navigation and Seamanship up to the standard of a 2nd Mate in the Merchant Service.

6. He will on being appointed to the service receive Rs. 100 per mensem.

7. A Leadsman Apprentice will go through such a course of training and pass such examinations as the Government of Bengal may from time to time prescribe. He will, whilst in this grade, receive a salary of from Rs. 100 to Rs. 150 a month, in accordance with the duty on which he is employed. He will also receive such share of the lead-money paid by the ships on which he does duty as may from time to time be fixed by the Government of Bengal.

8. After five years' service as a Leadsman Apprentice, he will be allowed to appear at an examination to qualify him for appointment as Mate Pilot, but if he shows exceptional ability and has passed each previous examination in his first attempt, bears a very good character and is otherwise well reported on, this period may, with the special sanction of the Government, be reduced to four and-a-half years, when, if successful in the examination, he will be promoted to the grade of Mate Pilot on the occurrence of a vacancy. While remaining as a Leadsman Apprentice after passing this examination, he will receive a salary of Rs. 175 a month.

9. After three years' service as a Mate Pilot, he will be permitted to go up for an examination to qualify for appointment as Master Pilot, and, if successful, he will be promoted to that grade on the occurrence of a vacancy.

10. Vacancies which occur in the grade of Branch Pilot will be filled up by promotion from the Master Pilot's grade, of men who have passed the Branch Pilot's examination.

11 Branch Pilots and Pilots who have passed the Branch Pilots' examination, will, while under 55 years of age, be examined at intervals of three years by the Marine Surgeon with respect to their eyesight and general physical fitness for the performance of their duties. All Pilots who continue in the service after attaining the age of 55 years will be similarly examined every year.

12. If the Local Government has reason to believe that a Pilot is, owing to physical unfitness of any kind, incapable of discharging his duties properly, it shall arrange for his medical examination, and shall take such action as may seem desirable when the results of that examination are communicated. In particular, Pilots shall be medically examined after the occurrence of any accident to the vessels in their pilotage charge, if the circumstances tend to show that the accident was in any way attributable to physical unfitness on the part of the Pilot.

13. Pilots are not entitled to any salary while on pilotage duty, but receive as their remuneration a share, at present 50 per cent., but liable to alteration at the discretion of the Government of Bengal, of the pilotage dues paid by ships piloted by them.

14. Every member of the Pilot Service is subject to such rules as the Government of India, or as the Government of Bengal under the control of the Government of India, may from time to time respectively make in regard to discipline, leave, leave allowances, number of officers in the service, distribution into grades, tonnage of ships to be allotted to the several grades, etc., and in all respects he is amenable to such orders as may be passed by the Government of Bengal, and is liable to degradation, suspension and dismissal, by the Government of Bengal, for any breach of such rules or orders, or for misconduct.

15. The principal leave and pension rules at present in force are contained in Chapter XXXIII of the Civil Service Regulations, fourth edition, and are summarised in Chapters XXXI and XXXII of the Code of Regulations for the Bengal Pilot Service; but it is to be understood that the rules are subject to alteration at the discretion of the Government of India. Pilots are required to contribute towards the cost of pensions for their widows and orphans under rules which will be found in the chapter of the Civil Service Regulations quoted above.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 4th August 1908.

No. 85Marine.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Port Said, it is hereby notified, for general information, that Port Said is declared an infected port, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, issued by this Government, will be enforced in the ports of Orissa against vessels arriving from Port Said.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORRIGENDUM.

The 3rd August 1908.

No. 84Marine.—In the first line of paragraph 4 of the Resolution of this Government, No. 2279Marine, dated the 25th July 1908, on the Annual Report of the Port Officer, Calcutta, published in pages 1209 and 1210 of the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, for the word *six* read *two*.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 4965A.

No. 4179A.—The 30th July 1908.—Babu Iswari Prasad Singh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Singhbhum, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-four days, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Singhbhum.

No. 4183A.—The 30th July 1908.—Pandit Lakshmi Misra, Sub-Deputy Collector is posted to the Bhagalpur Division, on being relieved of his Settlement duties in Bihar. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Bhagalpur Divn.

No. 4239A.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Radha Krishna Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Singhbhum district.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

No. 4241A.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Lalit Mohan Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, Khunti, Ranchi, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Ranchi.

No. 4258A.—The 31st July 1908.—Babu Sharbari Kanta Gupta, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Hazaribagh district.

Hazaribagh.

He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 4270A.—The 1st August 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Khundkar Ali Tahir, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Baugaon, Jessore, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Jessore.

Maulvi Khundkar Ali Tahir is also vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

No. 4274A.—The 1st August 1908.—Babu Labanya Mohan Sanyal, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Supaul, Bhagalpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Bhagalpur.

No. 4891A.—The 4th August 1908.—Pandit Lakshmi Misra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district.

Bhagalpur Divn.
Monghyr.

No. 4927A.—The 4th August 1908.—Babu Lalit Kumar Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Midnapore.

No. 4946A.—The 4th August 1908.—Babu Rameswar Prasad, Sub-Deputy Collector, Patna Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Darbhanga district.

Patna Division.
Darbhanga.

No. 4948A.—The 4th Augus 1908t.—Babu Radha Charan Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, Balasore, is transferred to the Bhadrak subdivision of that district.

Balasore.

No. 4954A.—The 4th August 1908.—The officers, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class:—

Manbhum.
Ranchi.

Babu Jyoti Prasad Das, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Dhanbaid, Manbhum.
„ Nalinindra Lal Bose, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Khunti, Ranchi.

No. 4956A.—The 4th August 1908.—The substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrates, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class:—

Gaya.
Muzaffarpur.

Maulvi Saiyid Amanat Husain	...	Jahanabad, Gaya.
Babu Jadubansha Sahay	...	Gaya.
„ Kshitish Chandra Sen	...	Muzaffarpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 6628, dated Calcutta, the 29th July 1908.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Hira Lal Singh, Second Assistant Chemical Examiner to Government, Calcutta, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st August 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 6631, dated Calcutta, the 29th July 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon, Babu Nani Lal Pan, did supernumerary duty in the Sadar Dispensary at Purulia from the 1st to the 8th July 1908, both days inclusive.

No. 6782, dated Calcutta, the 30th July 1908.—The following 4th-year students passed the final examination for Hospital Assistants from the Campbell Medical School :—

1.	Lakshmi Charan Pal	... 2nd Division.
2.	Hari Charan Pal	... Ditto.
3.	Miss Mary Sinha ...	... Ditto.
4.	Nalini Mohan Roy	... Ditto.

No. 6866, dated Calcutta, the 31st July 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Rajendra Kumar Ray is granted privilege leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 22nd July 1908.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following Rule made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT,
CRIMINAL DEPARTMENT,
The 30th July 1908.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

IT IS ORDERED that the following Rule be inserted after Rule VII, Chapter XV, Part IV, page 96 of "The Rules of the High Court, Appellate Side," published in Part I, pages 1523 to 1583 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th November 1902:—

VIIA. Copies of judgments convicting Government officers of criminal offences as well as copies of judgments of acquittal and orders of discharge will be supplied free of charge on the application of the Head of the Department concerned.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

The 15th July 1908.

Sheriff's Office, the 15th July 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1908 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the twelfth day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute

P. C. TAGORE, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৮ সাল তারিখ ১৫ই জুলাই।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে শ্রীযুত বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৮ সালের ১২ই, আগষ্ট বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৮ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

পিঃ সিঃ ঠাকুর, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 27th July 1908.—Babu Pulin Behari Basu, Head Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division (class VIII), having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 11th July 1908, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 26th May 1908 is cancelled.

The 28th July 1908.—Maulvi Mosaraf Hossain, B.A., is confirmed as 2nd Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 21st June 1908.

The 29th July 1908.—Maulvi Ali Akbar, B.A., is appointed temporarily to be an Assistant Master in the Anglo-Persian Department of the Calcutta Madrasah, with effect from the date on which he joined that appointment, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Wali, resigned.

Maulvi Ali Akbar is also appointed substantively *pro tempore* to class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service.

The 30th July 1908.—Babu Raksha Kali Sil, Head Clerk, Calcutta Madrasah (class III), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st July 1908, or such subsequent date as he might have availed himself of it.

Babu Hrishi Kesh Sen, 2nd Clerk, Calcutta Madrasah (class II of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Head Clerk of the Madrasah and in class VIII of the Subordiate Educational Service on the usual acting allowance, *vice* Babu Raksha Kali Sil, on leave.

The 31st July 1908.—Babu Janaki Nath Chatterjea, a Clerk in the office of the Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th July 1908.

Babu Khettra Mohan Chatterjea, Assistant Sub-Inspector of Schools, Purulia (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Clerk in the office of the Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Janaki Nath Chatterjea.

Pending the arrival of Babu Manmohan Chandra, Babu Bishnu Pada Banerjea, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Dumka Zilla School (class II of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the same Institution and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 16th April 1908.

Babu Ashutosh Ganguli, Cashier, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (class V), is allowed leave of absence for 28 days, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1908.

He is permitted to affix the ensuing Puja holidays to his leave under article 220 of the Regulations.

Babu Shyama Pada Bhattacherjea, Assistant Accountant, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Cashier of that College and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence on leave, of Babu Ashutosh Ganguli.

Babu Surendra Nath Banerjea, a Clerk in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, under orders of transfer to the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong (class IV), was absent on leave for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 31st March 1908.

Babu Joy Narayan Pradhan was allowed to act as Clerk of the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Surendra Nath Banerjea.

The 1st August 1908.—Maulvi Abdul Majid, an Assistant Master in the Balasore Zilla School (class III of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Haran Chandra Gupta.

Maulvi Abdul Muqtadir is appointed as a supernumerary officer in class V of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 1st April 1903, but he will continue to be employed in the preparation of a Catalogue of Arabic and Persian manuscripts in the Oriental Library at Bankipore.

Maulvi Azimuddin Ahmed is appointed as a supernumerary officer in class V of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 1st April 1905, but he will continue to be employed in the preparation of a Catalogue of Arabic and Persian manuscripts in the Oriental Library at Bankipore.

Babu Mukunda Lal, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bhagalpur (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave without allowances for six months, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 18th June 1908.

Babu Sarada Prasad will continue to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bhagalpur, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Mukunda Lal.

Babu Madhu Sudan Das, B.A., is appointed temporarily to as an Assistant Master in the Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Nilmani Sadhu Khan.

The 4th August 1908.—Babu Satyendra Nath Das Gupta, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Purulia Zilla School and in class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 45 a month, with effect from the 9th July 1908, during the deputation of Babu Akshoy Kumar Sen Gupta to the David Hare Training

Babu Benoy Bhusan Sarkar, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Bhagalpur Zilla School, under training at the David Hare Training College (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 1st July 1908, in the vacancy arising from the transfer of Babu Jay Ram Babaji Chawan, Drawing Master, Sambalpur High School, to the Central Provinces.

The following arrangements are sanctioned consequent on the absence, on deputation, of Babu Basanta Kumar Mitra, B.A., Head Master of the Arrah Zilla School, to the David Hare Training College, Calcutta:—

(1) Babu Upendra Kumar Chatterjea, Assistant Head Master of the Arrah Zilla School (class V), to act as Head Master of that institution.

(2) Babu Tulsi Prasad, B.A., to act as Assistant Head Master of the Arrah Zilla School and in class V of the Subordinate Educational Service, on a salary of Rs. 75 a month.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 3910B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 1st September 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Total	...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 16th September 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 16th September 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 13th October 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November ,, ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December ,, ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	5,850	5,850	11,700

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.
J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary.*
BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1908.*

No. 3797B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. E. W. COLLIN, I.C.S.
Dated Calcutta, the 21st July 1908.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 75 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Board of Revenue, L. P., direct that the following revised form shall be substituted for the form of baggage receipt annexed to the rules, published under Notification No. 6795B., dated the 2nd December 1907, at pages 2119-2129 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th idem for the landing and shipping of passengers' baggage and the passing of the same through the Calcutta Custom House.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
R. B. MISRA, *Secretary.*

C. H. No. 480. 1 **No. A.**

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS. **BAGGAGE RECEIPT.** *Dated* 19 .

PASSENGER PER S.S.

No. of pkgs.	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.	Rate of duty.	Duty. Rs.	A.	P.
	Total duty ...							
	Landing fees ...							
	Wharf rent ...							
	TOTAL ...							

Passenger's Signature.

INSPECTOR.

C. H. No. 480. 1 **No. A.**

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS. **BAGGAGE RECEIPT.** *Dated* 19 .

PASSENGER PER S.S.

No. of pkgs.	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.	Rate of duty.	Duty. Rs.	A.	P.
	Total duty ...							
	Landing fees ...							
	Wharf rent ...							
	TOTAL ...							

The passenger is advised to keep this form in case of future re-importation of goods.

For particulars of arms, see reverse.

INSPECTOR.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Sadar, in the district of Purnea :—

1. The District Magistrate of Purnea ... *Ex-officio* President.
2. The Civil Surgeon of Purnea ... ... *Do.* Secretary.
3. The Vice-Chairman of the Purnea Municipality } *Do.*
4. The Vice-Chairman of the Purnea District Board }
5. Mr. J. H. Lewis.
6. Mr. T. B. Byers.
7. Babu Satkauri Banarji.
8. ,, Prithi Chand Lal Chowdhury.
9. ,, Kamakhya Nath Ghosh.
10. Syed Asad Reza.
11. Babu Ram Prasad.
12. ,, Kalika Nand Singh.
13. ,, Kirtya Nand Singh.

E. H. C. WALSH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 29th July 1908.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 1st August 1908.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 31st July 1908.

No. 1730.—His Excellency the Governor-General is pleased to declare that Lieutenant-Colonel S. Inagaki, Japanese Military Attaché in India, shall have the privilege of private entrée to Government House.

MEDICAL.

The 28th July 1908.

No. 865.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. F. A. Harris, M.D., F.R.C.P., I.M.S. (Bengal), is appointed to officiate as Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Punjab, during the absence, on leave, of Colonel T. E. L. Bate, C.I.E., I.M.S. (Bengal), or until further orders.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 31st July 1908.

No. 380.—In supersession of the Home Department Notification No. 308, dated the 21st June 1908, it is hereby notified that the Reverend G. J. Chree, Presidency Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, Bengal, is, with effect from the 13th July 1908, granted privilege leave for three months.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 31st July 1908.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 650.—Henry Owen Weller to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Vansomeren promoted. Dated 5th June 1908.

A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1214L.S.-G.—The 31st July 1908.—Mr. G. W. O'Brien is appointed to be a member of the Branch Road Committee, Kurseong, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Mr. E. R. Douglas.

Darjeeling.

No. 1218M.—The 31st July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Sridhar Narayan Singh to be a Commissioner of the Roserah Municipality, in the district of Darbhanga, *vice* Babu Raj Narayan Kumar, resigned.

Darbhanga.

No. 1228L.S.-G.—The 31st July 1908.—Under section 5 (*a*) of the Central Provinces Local Self-Government Act, 1883, Pandit Bishwa Nath Gountia has been elected to be a member of the Local Board of Bargarh, in the district of Sambalpur, *vice* Babu Sridhar Gountia, deceased.

Sambalpur.

No. 1230M.—The 31st July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Satrohan Prasad to be a Commissioner of the Sitamarhi Municipality, in the district of Muzaffarpur, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Nazirul Muhammad, resigned.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 1237L.S.-G.—The 31st July 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 112 of the Bengal Cess Act of 1880 (Bengal Act IX of 1880), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Messrs. A. G. Robertson and A. J. H. Tietkins to be members of the District Road Committee, Darjeeling, *vice* Messrs. G. G. Gordon and W. G. Judge, who have ceased to be members under section 115 of the Act.

Darjeeling.

No. 1239L.S.-G.—The 31st July 1908.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*i*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published, as required by section 143 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Lieutenant-Governor on or after the 15th September 1908.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed as aforesaid will be considered by the Lieutenant-Governor.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*i*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in rule 4 of the rules framed under the said clause, and published with Notification of the 1st July 1888 at pages 263-265, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th idem :—

For "Rs. 20" in line 2 of the said rule, *substitute* "Rs. 50." The rule as now amended reads as follows:—

"4. Disbursements by the District Engineer and his subordinates shall, as a rule, be confined to payments not exceeding Rs. 50. All cash payments by the District Engineer and his subordinates shall be met from the imprest."

No. 1243M.—The 3rd August 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Chakdaha Municipality, in the district of Nadia :—

Nadia.

The Subdivisional Officer, Ranaghat.
The Sub-Registrar, Chakdaha.
Babu Pran Dharan Mitra.
„ Basanta Kumar Mitra.
„ Srinath Mazumdar.
Kazi Badri Alam.
Kazi Muhammad Matlub.
Babu Panchanan Bhattacharji.
„ Jiban Bihari Singh.
„ Durga Gati Bhattacharji Shiromony.
Jagnapati Mukharji.
Babu Mahananda De.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act, the Subdivisional Officer, Ranaghat, to be Chairman of the above Municipality.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention, and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the revised general line of buildings on each side of Clive Street, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 13th March 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE ;
The 29th July 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention, and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on each side of Raicharan Pal Lane, and on west side of Ram Mohon Bera Lane, in Ward No. 20, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 8th May 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 29th July 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention, and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on each side of Middle Road, Entally, in Ward No. 19, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 8th May 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 29th July 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

THE Senate will proceed in the month of August 1909 to the election of a Tagore Professor of Law for the term of one year, to commence on the 1st of August 1910.

The salary of the Professorship is Rs. 9,000 per annum, and the Professor will be expected to deliver a course of not less than twelve lectures on one of the following subjects:—

(*i*) Mercantile Law and Usage, including the Law of Sale of Goods, with special reference to British India.

(*ii*) Codification in British India.

(*iii*) The History of Moslem Legal Institutions with special reference to the law of *Wakf*.

The salary of the Professor shall be paid in twelve equal monthly instalments, the first instalment to be paid on the first day of the month following that in which the first lecture is delivered.

Candidates for the Professorship are requested to forward their applications to the Registrar on or before the 1st May 1909, stating on which of the abovenamed three subjects they are prepared to lecture. Each candidate will forward with his application one hundred copies of a brief Synopsis of his proposed lectures; and, if he so pleases, the same number of copies of his Introductory Lecture.

The Professor will not, later than the month of August following his election, forward to the Registrar a complete copy (manuscript or typewritten) of the Lectures which he proposes to deliver. The copy will be referred to a Committee of the Faculty of Law consisting of not more than three members to be chosen by the Faculty, who will examine the same and before the 1st November report to the Faculty whether the work is complete and ready for the press. If upon such report the Faculty are satisfied that the work is complete, the Professor will commence to deliver his lectures in the month of December, and complete the delivery thereof in the following February. The copy of the Lectures delivered will remain in the custody of the Registrar, and will be sent to press as soon as practicable after delivery thereof.

If the Professor fails to submit the copy of the Lectures, or if the copy submitted be found, on examination, to be incomplete and not ready for the press, the matter will be referred to the Faculty of Law, upon whose recommendation the Senate may either extend the time or cancel the appointment.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 3rd August 1908.

G. C. MUKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar, Calcutta University.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates have passed the Preliminary Examination in Law, 1908:—

FIRST DIVISION.

(*In alphabetical order.*)

	Dasgupta, Manmathanath ...	...	Ripon College.
2.	Mukhopadhyay, Sibakinkar	...	Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

(*In alphabetical order.*)

	Bandyopadhyay, Kalikumar	...	Krishnath College.
	,, Rajanikanta	...	Ripon College.
	,, Samarendra	...	Ditto.
	Bardhan, Sisirkumar ...	...	Bangabasi College.
	Basu, Hemantakumar ..	...	Ripon College.
	,, Jogendranath ...	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Mrinalkanti ...	...	Ripon College.
	Bhaduri, Gangacharan ...	...	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Kalikrishna	...	Metropolitan Institution.
10.	,, Munindramohan	...	Krishnath College.
	Chakrabarti, Akhilchandra	...	Dacca College.
	,, Gobindachandra	...	Ripon College.
	,, Jaychandra ...	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Sureschandra	.	Ripon College.
	Chattopadhyay, Anukulchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Madhabchandra	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Rakhaldas	...	City College.
20.	Das, Basantakumar (I) ...	...	Ripon College.
	,, Jatindranath ...	...	Midnapore College.
	Datta, Manablal ...	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	De, Srischandra ...	...	Ripon College.
	Dhar, Amulyaratan ...	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Suroschandra	...	Dacca College.
	Ghatak, Hemchandra ...	...	Ripon College.
	,, Pasupati ...	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Ghosh, Nripendranath ...	...	Ripon College.
	,, Purnachandra ...	...	Metropolitan Institution.
30.	,, Rajendrakumar ...	...	City College.
	Guchhait, Ramkrishna ...	...	Midnapore College.
	Gupta, Abanikumar ...	...	Ripon College.
	,, Kamalnath ...	...	Ditto.
	,, Kulakundaliniprasad	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Haldar, Bhudhar ...	...	Ripon College.
	,, Mayataru ...	...	Ditto.
	Jugal Kishora ...	...	Behar National College.
	Konar, Dibakar ...	..	Ripon College.
	Majumdar, Sankardas ...	...	Krishnath College.
40.	Mandal, Dwijendranath ...	...	Ripon College.
	Matura Subba Rao ...	...	Bangabasi College.
	Mitra, Mahimaranjan ...	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Ramanimohan ...	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Jitendranath	...	Ripon College.
	,, Satyacharan	...	Ditto.
	Nath, Panchkarilal ...	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Ray, Prankumar ...	...	Victoria College, Cooch Behar.
	,, Sachindradhar ...	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Sen, Binaybhushan ...	...	Dacca College.
50.	,, Jogeschandra ...	...	Ripon College.
	,, Naliniranjan ...	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Charuchandra ...	...	Krishnath College.
	,, Dwijapada ...	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Sikdar, Satischandra ...	...	Ripon College.
55.	Sin Hla Aung ...	...	Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 3rd August 1908.

G. C. MUKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE Griffiths Memorial Prize for 1906 has been equally divided among the three following competitors whose Essays have been specially recommended by the Examiners: —

		Rs.	
Babu Panchanan Niyogi, M.A.	...	300	For a Thesis "on the formation of Ethyl Nitrite and Nitroethane by the interaction of alkyl Sulphates with the Nitrites of the alkali metals and metals of the alkaline earth."
Babu Phanindralal Ganguli, M.A.	...	300	For an Essay on "Binary Stars."
Babu Gopalchandra Chatterjee, M.B.	...	300	For an article "on a specific thermo-labile toxine found in culture media of the bacilli of the Typhoid group and its application in the differentiation of these bacilli."

SENATE HOUSE,
The 3rd August 1908.

G. C. MUKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar, Calcutta University.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

1. On the recommendation of the Syndicate and Senate, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the appointment of Professor R. Pischel, PH.D., Berlin, as Reader to the University of Calcutta for 1908-09, in the subject of "The Philology of the Prakrit Language."

2. On the recommendation of the Syndicate and Senate, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the appointments of the following gentlemen as University Lecturers for the term of two years in the subjects mentioned against their names:—

Professor E. Vredenburg, B.SC., F.G.S.	...	Geology.
L. Fermor, Esq., A.R.S.M., F.G.S. ...	...	Ditto.
Professor Bipin Behari Sen, M.A. ...	...	History.
Rev. A. Tomory, M.A. ...	...	Political Economy and Political Philosophy.
Professor Binayendranath Sen, M.A.	...	Ditto ditto.
Dr. A. Shorawardy, M.A., PH.D. ...	...	Arabic.
Pandu Ramavatara Sarma, M.A. ...	...	Sanskrit, Group A.
Pandit Pramathanath Tarkabhushan	...	Ditto, ditto.
Pandit Rajendranath Vidyabhushan	...	Ditto, ditto.
Dr. T. Bloch, PH.D. ...	...	Ditto, ditto I.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 4th August, 1908

G. C. MUKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

NOTIFICATION.

[*In re* Director of Public Instruction's Circular No. 181, dated the 25th October 1904.]

THE half-yearly examination in the Art of Teaching of Teachers teaching English subjects in Government and aided schools in the Orissa Division and the Orissa Tributary and Feudatory States will be held at the Mission High School, Cuttack, on the 20th August 1908, at 11 A.M.

(*N. B.*—Candidates who have passed at least the Entrance examination are eligible for this examination. Experienced teachers who have not passed any University examination may be examined by the undersigned, if considered fit.)

The examination of Teachers teaching Vernacular subjects in the same class of schools will be held in the Training School, Cuttack, on the 29th August 1908, at 11 A.M.

(*N B.*—Only those who have passed at least the Middle English or Middle Vernacular examination are eligible for this examination.)

Candidates are required by the 22nd August 1908 at the latest to apply in writing for admission to the examinations and to furnish the information requisitioned below :—

1. Name (in full).
2. Name of father.
3. Name of native village and district.
4. Name of school in which at present employed.
5. Number of years he has served as a teacher.
6. (*a*) Whether (if he is a candidate for the English Subjects examination) he has passed the Entrance examination.
   (*b*) Whether (if he is a candidate for the Vernacular Subjects examination) he has passed by the Middle Vernacular Standard examination.
   (*c*) Whether (in either case) he has not passed either of the above public examinations.

Candidates are requested to bring their University or other certificates with them to the examinations.

The subjects of examination will be (in English)—

(*a*) A lesson in English Literature.
(*b*) A lesson in Arithmetic (Practice or Division of Vulgar fractions).
(*c*) A lesson in the History of India (Vedic period).

The subjects of examination will be (in Uriya)—

(*a*) A lesson in Uriya Literature.
(*b*) A lesson in Arithmetic (Practice or Division of Vulgar fractions).
(*c*) A lesson in the History of India.

Candidates must come prepared with full notes on the lessons they intend to give. The notes must specify—

(*a*) The aim of the lesson.
(*b*) The time it will take to give the lesson.
(*c*) The class to which it is to be given.
(*d*) The subject-matter.
(*e*) The method or methods to be adopted in imparting the subject-matter.

There will be a further examination for both classes of candidates in Class Control and in the Art of Teaching, which will include Object Lessons, Class Management, Organization and Discipline.

Candidates for English Subjects are requested to state whether they have studied Salmon's Art of Teaching or Barnett's Teaching and Organization, and those for Vernacular Subjects should state whether they have studied the Senior and Junior Teachers' Manuals in Uriya or Bengali.

CUTTACK,
The 29th July 1908.

MADHU SUDHAN RAO,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June. / To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine, and
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 12th July 1907.

R. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

Dr. CHANDRA'S SCHOLARSHIP IN MATERIA MEDICA AND THERAPEUTICS.

THE above scholarship of the value of Rs. 361-8 will be awarded to the best successful candidate who will be selected at an examination to be held this year in November 1908.

The examination is open to—

(1) All senior students of the Medical College, Calcutta.

(2) Any ex-senior student of the Medical College who may at the time of the examination be studying at any Medical College in India or Europe.

(3) Any graduate or licentiate in Medicine of whatever standing and however employed who may have obtained either in Europe or in India a Medical diploma or degree entitling him to practice Medicine, provided that such graduate or licentiate at some time received a portion of his professional education in the Medical College, Calcutta.

Certificates to the effect that the candidate fulfils the above requirements, together with one of good moral character signed by a person of respectability, should be submitted to the Principal, Medical College, Calcutta, on or before the 10th October 1908.

Candidates are required to write a Thesis on "An enquiry into the Pharmacological properties and Therapeutic uses of the plant Ixora Coccinea" and submit the same to the Professor of Materia Medica and Therapeutics, Medical College, Calcutta, by the 15th November 1908.

Personal attendance at the examination is not necessary

Preference will be given to the candidate whose Thesis bears evidence of original investigation of any worth in connection with the above plant.

The scholarship will be tenable for one year; but it may be tenable for two years in case of exceptional merit on the recommendation of the examiner.

C. P. LUKIS, M.D., F.R.C.S., LT.-COL., I.M.S., *Principal, Medical College.*

CALCUTTA, *the 25th July 1908.*

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1908.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Birbhum, will be put up to sale at the Birbhum Collectorate, on Friday, the 4th September 1908, corresponding with 19th Bhadra 1315 B. S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks
			Rs.	
349	Jalkar Hat Ikra, pargana Alinagore ...	.....	3	
351	Jalkar Gonutia, pargana Ichhapukhuria ...	186 acres	10	

Birbhum Collector's Office, the 20th July 1908.

FAZL EL-HUQ, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the brick-field near Adra-Midnapur-Jharia Extension, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Thursday, the 24th September 1908, corresponding with the 8th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Raghunathpur Dák Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
	Manbhum	Pargana Banchus, mauza Dugtila.	346 and 347	South of the railway line.	25 12 10	8 1 35·71				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharia, mauza Jharria.	173½ in sheet No. 4.	West of the Railway line.	8 5 10	2·74				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

OTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jheria Coal line, siding No. 1, Messrs. Khanga & Co., Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will put up to sale at 12 noon, on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at nbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile in which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Highas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement of lease.	Boundary of lot.
				B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Baruguria.	130 to 131, sheet No. 5.	South and north side of the Railway line.	9 3 11·50	3 0 5·87				
Ditto ...	Jharria pargana, Gopalchak mauza.	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	7 12 13	2 2 4·13				
	Total ...	... ...	.....	16 16 8·50	5 2 10				

Land Acquisition Office, Manbhum, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

OTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jealgora siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on day, the 22nd September 1908, corresponding with the 6th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Highas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement of lease.	Boundary of lot.
				B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Bhulanbarri.	177½	South of the railway line.	7 7 0	2·43				
	Total ...			7 7 0	2·43				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lots.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, village Paddogora.	Between miles 135-137.	On the north side of the Railway line.	12 15 5	4 1 1	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 8·77	3 1 27	A plot 100×100' required for pump-house, etc.	0 0 37	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Muchiarah.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...	.....	.....	24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lots.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Ladna.	176½, sheet No. 6.	West of the Railway line						
	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, mauza Paddiadih.	Ditto ...	East of the Railway line.	2 15 9					
	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	176½, sheet No. 7.	Ditto ...	3 11 7	1·18				
		Total				2·78				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

CE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in he district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Saturday, the 22nd August 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

en in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate is kept for that share.

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
hacher, ph. Behea ...	1,713 9 8		The share to be sold is 5 annas 4 pies. The ijmali shares will also be sold, other shares are excluded from the sale.	Tirbeni Prosad Singh and others.	571 3 2		342 15 1
maon, ph. Chainpur	11,261 13 8		The share of Khata I to be sold is—	Nanak Chand ...	1,878 4 9	.....	471 7 2
			Ismailpur ... ... 3 Amaon ... ... 3 Amartha ... ... 3 Anantpur-Khilopur ... ... 3 Baheri ... ... 3 Piparia ... ... 3 Bhadansa ... ... 3 Nati ... ... 3 Pipra Sakarmar ... ... 3 Pakaribar ... ... 3 Jamurni ... ... 3 Chak Kalanudi *alias* Chaken ... ... 3 Chintamanpur ... ... 3 Dasauti ... ... 3 Dewane ... ... 3 Dandwawirán ... ... 3 Rampur bareju ... ... 3 Sahebahe ... ... 3 Sardaur ... ... 3 Sirihara ... ... Hardharа ... ... Milki ... ... Nilj ... ... 3 Rajpur ... ... Bharuhia ... ... Mohamadpur ... ... Saraila ... ... 3 Sarai burhand ... ... 3 Dandwa dakhil ... ... 3 Fakhrabad ... ... 3 Sikandarpur ... ... 3 Sikora ... ... 3 Karaust ... ... 3 Kadwa ... ... 3 Kharsaunda ... ... 3 Medea ... ... 3 Nanrabja ... ... 3 Dighi ... ... 3 Lalpakar ... ... 3 and Khatas 14, 24, 39, 10, 45, 75, 77, 26 and 28 will also be sold, other shares are excluded from the sale.			
thee, ph. Chousa.	634 6 9	Whole ...	..	Sheodhar Prosad ...	.....	48 6 9	
jpur Chainari, ph. onaur.	1,275 0 0	Do. ...	....	B. Hukum Chand ...			
nai, ph. Pero ...	960 0 0	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is 9 annas and other shares are excluded from sale.	B. Rajbahadur and others.			1 11 6
ratpur-Khaira, ph. saaram.	690 10 8	Whole ...	.....	Lala Badri Prosad and others.	.....	34 0 8	
ari Sarimpur, ph. saaram.	1,152 0 0	Do.		Mahpal Bahadur Singh.		325 0 5	
adopur, ph. Behea	1,003 0 0	Do.		Ram Sakhi Kuar ...		132 5 0	
nagopal Chapra, . Behea.	653 0 0	Do.		Haribar Prashad and others.		61 13 0	

, the 23rd July 1908.

W. A. MARR, Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Cuttack will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 31st August 1908 at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
13	Killa Bisunpur			Kt. 5a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 11a.	Laksmidhar Das and others.	579 15 4		229 3 3
17	Killa Chhedra			Kt. 14a. 2p. 8kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 9p. 12kt.	Jogendra Nath Bose and others.	2,904 7 4		36 11 6
26	Kt. ta. Sunderpur, ph. Jajpur.			Kt. 15a. 1p. 7kt. 7b. 6g. 2kd. 3bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 10p. 12kt. 8b. 13g. 1kd. 1bd.	Sana Dei, wife of Kripa Sindhu Jhampula Singh, and others.	1,031 14 9		824 9 9
33	Ta. Korkora, ph. do.	801 0 0	Whole		Ch. Narsingh Charan Mahapatra.	.....	400 11	
35	Kt. ta. Rantrapur, ph. do.			Kt. 13a. 9p. 3kt. 7b. 16g. 1kd. comprised in all the mauzas and shares of mauzas excluding 8a. in ma. Bampura which represents an interest of 2a. 2p. 16kt. 8b. 3g. 3kd. of the mahal.	Ram Krista Bose ...	1,301 4 0		
58	Kt. ta. Naharapur, ph. do.			Kt. 5a. 3p 12kt. 13b. 15g. 3bd. of the mahal excluding 10a. 8p. 3kt. 2b. 4g. 3kd. 1bd. represented by 12a. of ma. Rana, 8a. of ma Kapasipatna, 1a. of ma. Bidyadharpur Samil Kapasi, 16a. of ma. kapasi, 9a. of ma. Digraj Samil Khalzaria, Kapileswar, 16a. of ma. Kapileswar Samil Rana, 1a. of ma. Badyarajpur Samil Badyadharpur, 13a. 4p. of ma. Balipasi, 12a. 9p. 12kt. of ma. Sridharpur, 9a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Tipura, 1a. of ma. Sobada, 15a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Itra, ma. Banpur, Badyarampa, Sirajpur, Bejaribaudhapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeswar, Khalgaria, Barbati, Erbank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukdeipur, Bhatsahi and Taramad n and 16a. of ma. Naharapur, 5a. 9p. of ma. Bara Balipara, Arjunpur, Saito, Dovahil and Samsundarpur, 3a. 4p. 10kt. of ma. Sasalapur, 10a. 9p. 12kt. of ma. Hirapur, 6a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Gopaldehuri and 16a. of ma. Utaipur, Kothsahi, Nayagobindpur, Nakhuapal, Badhapal and Gardia, 12a. of ma. Kakharudihi, 9a. of ma. Andatola, 8p. of ma. Ranbajpur, 10a. 8p. of ma. Sobapathi, 9a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Sarisudha, 15a. 9kt. of ma. Ranigora, 12a. 4p. 17kt. 12b. 16g. of ma. Kodandpur, 13a. 9kt. of ma. Indas Nos. 1 and 2, Dehadwar and Khalgaria, 11a. 10p. 4kt. 8p. of ma. Ranigarh, 12a. 4p. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area 29'30, 12a. of ma Sobanpur 8a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area '47, 8a. of ma. Trilochanpur Nos. 1 and 2, Jalpur and Jalhara, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Hirapur, 6a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Salkhumbi, Basudebpur and Bokhanpur.	Gopal Charan Mahanti.	1,933 3 0		1,803 10 0
46	Kt. ta. ph. do.	ditto.		Kt. 2a. 6p. 12kt. 9b 1kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in ma. Banpur, Badyarapur, Sirajpur, Bejaribrandhapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeswar Khazaria, Barabati, Erbank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukdeiti entire, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Kodandpur excluding 13a. 5p. 7kt. 6b. 16g. 2kd. 1bd. which represents 16a. of all other mas. and remaining share of the above mauza.	Chandramani Panda and othe	913 1 0		142 7 7
59	Kt. ta. Kalia ph. do.			Kt. 12a. 10p. 4kt. 2b. 1g. 1kd comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 3a. 1p. 15kt. 13b. 18g. 3kd. represented by 1a. of ma. Panasa, 7a. of ma. Bhatsahi, 1a. 3p. 15kt. of ma. Ichhapur.	Ram Krista Bose and others.	1,285 5 0		283 0 11
65	Kt. ta. Bhimi ph. do.			Kt. 11a. 5p. 8kt. 10b. 2g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas except 4a. 1p. 13kt. 5b. 6g. 2kd. 2kt. in ma. Mantapur, Ranjit, and Mahamalia, 7a. 3b. in ma. Belampur, Sudgobinda, Akhandaleswar, Arai Haripur and Paikol, 3a. 7p. 10kt. of ma. Kusigram, Balipokhari and Champamarai Nos. 1 and 2, 9a 11p. 5kt in ma. Chainpur, 3a. 3p. in ma. Jogeswarpur, 12a. 1p. in ma. Dasa Abatar, total representing 4a. 6p. 11kt. 5b. 17g. 2kd. of the mahal.	Kangoi Dinabandhu Baliarsingh Mahapatra and others.	527 11 0		209 4 11
425	Ta. Mirpur, ph. Tisania.			Kt. 10a. 8p. 5kt. 10b. 12g. 2kd. 1bd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 5a. 3p. 14kt. 5b. 7g. 1kd. 3bd. represented by 16a. of ma. Singhipur Tantura, Markandpur Suand, Karuna, Boda Barpal, Sarbara, Baniapal, Baniapalsamil Lenkasahi and Singhipursamil Jari.	Bunlar Das	4,151 5 0		1,019 10 0

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	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mirpur, ph. Tisa-			Kt. 3a. 7p. 17kt. 15b. 1g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in ms. Singpur, Tuntura, Markandpur, Suand, Karuna and Boda, Singpur Samil Jari entire, 3a. in ma. Baniapal and Baniapal Samil Lenkasahi excluding 12a. 4p. 2kt. 18g. 1kd. represented by all other mauzas and the remaining shares of the above mauzas.	Gourang Charan Das	1,341 4 0	.....	469 2 0
litto, ph. ditto ...			Kt. 1a. 7p. 16kt. 6b. 5g. 2kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in ma. Badpal and Sarbara entire, 13a. in ma. Baniapal and Baniapal Samil Lenkasahi excluding 14a. 4p. 3kt. 9b. 14g. 1kd. 1bd. represented by all other mauzas and the remaining shares of the above mauzas.	Rama Chandra Das...	738 13 0	.....	184 4 0
ma. Kadarabad, Padmapur.			Kt. 13a. 7p. 9kt. 12b. 10g. 3kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 2a. 4p. 10kt. 3b. 9g. 1bd. represented by ma. Sankhpur entire, 11a in ma. Ramchandrapur, 11a. 3p. 10kt. in ma. Tilda, Ramkrishtapur, Jagulaipara and Mohanpur.	Sebendrapada Bandopadhya.	666 14 0	.....	
ta. Jasarajpur, Keruakhand.	823 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ch. Radyanath Raiguru Mahapatra and others.	.....	412 0 0	
arendrapur, ph. nai.	6,888 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Annopurna Debya ...	.....	3,444 8 0	
Basudeipur, ph.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 2a.	Srimatya Radharani Dasi, mother and guardian of Akhoy Kumar Ghose, and others.	641 6 0	.....	
arilo, ph. ditto	978 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Chintamani Mahapatra and others.	.....	488 0 0	
Ramkristapur, unghara.	1,203 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Lala Madan Mohan Rai and others.	.....		
aisinghara, ph.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 1kt. 13b. 6g. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 4p. 1kt. 2b. 14g. represented by ma. Narijang entire.	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	1,512 12 0		
ma. Odasingh, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Choudhury Krutibas Das and others through their common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	524 7 0		
Ditto, ph.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Ditto ...	548 15 0	.....	274 15 6
ramnagar, ph.	.....	.....	Kt. 13b. 10p. 3kt. 12b. 17g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 2a. 1p. 16kt. 3b. 2g. 2kd. represented by ma Rangura and Kuhunda entire, 7a. 1p. 4kt. in ma. Jankoti and Mirjapur, 2a. in ma. Rarigole, Buhalo, Chamarigole, Nunhar, Bamahara, Banpali, Patpur, Jagnipur, Kulia, Khandgan, Matkatpur, Mahajanpur, Nachintkoili, Rautpati and Riso.	Lalla Reedha Mohan Rai and others.	824 6 0	.....	45 7 9
Sahang, ph. ma.	504 0 0	Whole		Sri Radhamadhab Thakur, Marfat Srimatya Sadhabi Dei.	.....	20 5 11	.....
ma. Madhya- &c., ph.			Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Ch. Kurtibas Das and others.	1,321 2 0	.....	661 0 6
Gopalpur, ph.	9,363 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Samant Laksmi Narayan Jagdeb.	.....	4,682 0 0	
Mahamadabad,			Kt. 15a. 8p. 14kt. 10b. 17g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in all mauzas, excluding 3p. 5kt. 5b. 2g. 1kd. represented by ms. Mahipur, Gargali and Haripur entire.	Babu Balaram Bhramarbar and others.	3,539 12 0		1,761 0 6
ristanandpur, lubiai.	1,581 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Hurun Nisa Bibi and others.	.....	791 6 0	
sunpura, ph.	5,395 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kartik Chandra Rai Chowdhury and others.	.....	2,698 0 0	
uguria, ph.	4,567 13 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	2,283 11 0	
l, ph. ditto	3,383 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...		1,691	
ralpur, ph.	4,107 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Laksmidhar Pattanaik.		2,054 3 0	
, Kani, &c., akhand.	636 0 0	Do ...	.....	Tapomi bhi Ganeswar Bharathi Gosain.		317 14 11	
dupur, ph. war.	7,796 0 0	Do, ...		Srimatya Arnapurna Debya.		3,898 0 0	

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		3						
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1065	Ta. Sridharpur, ph. Asureshwar.	3,183 0 0	Whole		Chandramani Dei, grandmother and guardian of Balstab Charan Kanungoi, minor.		200 12 0	
	Ta. Gopalpur, ph. ditto.	5,801 0 0	Do.		Chowdhury Haribar Das, Sebait, Sri Gopinath Jew Thakur, through his common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.		5,850 8 3	
1252	Kt. ta. Puran, ph. Karimul.	750 14 7	Do.		Ch. Kurtibas Das and others, through their common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.		375 11 9	
1262	Ma. Pubkachh, ph. ditto.			Kt. 11a. 4p. 19kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 4a. 7p. 1kt.	Ditto ...	973 13 0		486 11 0
1295	Ma. Jagarnathpur, ph. Kuhunda, Jaipur.	2,034 0 0	Whole		Ganeswar Das and others.		1,004 15 9	
1302	Ma. Bazapur, &c. ph. ditto.	639 0 0	Do.		Chowdhury Jagarnath Santra.		318 8 6	
1315	Kt. ta. Radhakantprasad, ph. Barnân.	1,149 9 0	Do.		Chaitan Panda and others.		569 1 0	
1458	Ta. Muraripur, ph. Abarttak.		Do. ...		Srimati Pahmi Dei, wife of Baishnab Charan Santra and others.		477 0 0	
	Ta. Bichna, ph. Paina.	1,092 0 0	Do. ...		Ditto ...		546 0 0	
	Ta. Radhaprosad, ph. Choudkulat.	2,747 10 4	Do. ...		Babu Hemendra Nath Rai, common manager, estate Beingarpur.		2,746 15 0	
1476	Ta. Gobindprasad, ph. ditto.	7,517 0 0	Do.		Ba. Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, common manager.		3,758 15 0	
1480	Ta. Narsingprosad, ph. Tikan.	3,245 0 0	Do.		Ditto		1,622 0 0	
	Ma. Sanajari, ph. do.	831 0 0	Do.		Srimati Saraswati Jema Dei Momma.		416 0 0	
	Ta. Gobi ph. ditto.	6,643 1 0	Do.		Ba. Balaram Bhramarbar Rai and others.		3,270 15 6	
1656	Ta. Julelo, ph. Saragada.	728 7 6	Do.		Chowdhury Narsing Charan Mahapatra		364 3 10	
1661	Ta. Dhaneswar, ph. ditto.			Kt. 1a. 10p. 5kt. 5b. 13g. 1c. 1bd. comprised in all the mas. except 15a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Gopalpur, Tarando, Taula *alias* Kantaloma, Mathurapur, Makandpur, Kuanserpur, Padmapokhari, Utarkhanaria, Bididi, Tulsipur, Pandiapara, Sato, Baruda, Adhang, Badupatuli, Dala, Kopand, Biramonipur, Chhatrapur, Jahnakana, Talarg, Batitanki, Dasagadia, Talari, Tailada, Turang, Alia *alias* Aliha, Ghikoili, Benhpur, Santra, Sanapatuli, Chilpada, Khariputira, Fazilpur, Gobargali, Nigodh, Santsahi, Tarakote, Salkana, Brahmanda, Ranasipur *alias* Ranasarpur, Gobindpursasan *alias* Gobindpursan, Khasalpur, Tajpur, Ochinda, Khajuria, Salari *alias* Mulari, Adhantatia, Nanda *alias* Nahanda and Jahara, 9a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Khatuatikiri, Osula, Hetapur, ph. Matkatabad, Hatapur, Bernapada *alias* Biramanpada, Kodmia, Satpatia, Nanpokhari, Khida, Dhanteri, Ranpal, Bhakundari, Rangranga, Gobindpur and Barunaipada Nos 1 and 2, 15a. 6p. 16kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Karada, 11a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Buratmana, 15a. 6p. 19kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Aladajalsarpur and Kuntura, 15a. 8p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Jalanda, 15a. 5p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Brahmapur, Kunton, Narendrabhog and kt. 5a. 4p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Dhaneswar, total representing kt. 14a. 1p. 14kt. 10b. 6g. 2c. 3bd. of the mahal.	Bodyadhar Samant Sing Mahapatra and others.	1,015 3 0		436 10 0
1778	Ta. Mahanga, ph. Matkatnagar.	826 0 0	Whole		Janardan Prosad Ra and others.		413 1 4	

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Matkatnagar.			Kt. 12a. 9p. 3kt. 2b. 19g. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 3a. 2p. 14kt. 13b. 1g. represented by 16a. of ma. Marada, 4a. of ma. Balarampur and Belpada Makudami Chahapada and Jamupada Hastabud, 2a. 8p. of ma. Gobindpur and 2a. of ma. Khandole and Ranigoda.	Chowdhury Jagernath Santra Mahapatra and others.	1,175 8		60 8 4
Ma. Umar, ph. ditto	663 0 0	Whole ...		Srimati Sunamali Juna Dei and others.		27 5 0	
Kt. ta. Jafarpur, ph. Matkatahad.	509 0 0	Do. ...		Ba. Radhasyam Das Sabait of Sri Radhamohan Thakur.		255 0 0	
Kt. ta. Cuttack, ph. Cuttackhaluli.			Kt. 9a. 4p. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a. 8p.	Chowdhury Bilcyram Das and others.	542 9 0		
Ta. Padmanabhpur, ph. Dihlarakhpur.			Kt. 5a. 9p. 9kt. 14b. 8g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 10a. 2p. 10kt. 1b. 11g. 1c.	Samanta Lakhmi Narayan Jagadaie.	1,880 12		
Ta. Raghunath, ph. Sailo.	815 0 0	Whole		Raghunath Pareja ...	.....	408 0 0	
Ta. Chitalpur, ph. do.	828 0 0	Do.		Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	.....	302 2 0	
Ta. Gonesh Prosad, ph. Hariharpur.	1,414 9 5	Do.		Gonesh Prosad Bhagat		702 9 2	
Pt. Madhyasasan, ph. ditto.			Kt. 7a. 8p. 3kt. 1b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a. 3p. 16kt. 14b. 18g. 3c.	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	774 13 0		382 15 0
Kt. ma. Chikinia, ph. ditto.			Kt. 15a. 7p. 14kt. 7b. 8g. 3c. comprised in all the mas. except 6 pies in ma. Chikinia which represents 4p. 5kt. 8b. 11g. 1c. of the mahal.	Baban Das	792 14 0		
Ta. Sodhal, ph. Khandi.			Kt. 12a. 4p. 10kt. 10b. 13g. 1c. 2bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 3a. 7p. 9kt. 5b. 6g. 2c. 2bd.	Srimatya Jhumpa Dibya.	554 9 0		
Ta. Puting, ph. Jhaukar.			Kt. 8a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a.	Drokali Kuaner ...	1,148 0 0		
Ta. Dhaltang, ph. ditto.	1,607 15 0	Whole ...		Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.		792 8 7	
Kt. L. B. ta. Janardanpur, ph. Barpala.	1,149 8 0	Do.		Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.		1,146 9 0	
Kt. ta. Bisinabar, ph. Sukhrabad.	2,049 7 0	Do.		Narasing Paharaj and others.		989 10 0	
Kt. Kasang, ph. Painda.			Kt. 10a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a.	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	1,635 10 0		
Ditto, ph. ditto ...			Kt. 6a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 10a.	Ditto	981 6 0		
Ta. Gopinathpur, ph. do.			Kt. 8a. 7p. 16kt. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 7a. 4p. 4kt.	Jagannath Santra Mahapatra and others.	509 4 0		
Kt. ta. Niali, ph. Deogan.			Kt. 7a. 10p. 13kt. 11b. 3g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a. 1p. 6kt. 4b. 16g. 1c.	Choudhury Balkrista Das and others.	863 9 0		
Ta. Amarpada, ph. do.			Kt. 13a. 8p. 2kt. 8b. 2g. 1c. 1bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 2a. 3p. 17kt. 7b. 17g. 3c. 3bd.	Nimai Charan Mitra and others.	982 3 0		
Ta. Singipur, ph. Kate.			Kt. 2a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a.	Choudhury Jadumoni Das, guardian of Oh. Radhakrist Das, minor and others.	636 10 0		
Ditto ditto ...			Kt. 2a. 5p. 16kt. 7b. 15g. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 13a. 6p. 3kt. 8b. 5g.	Choudhury Jogendra Das and others.	791 2 0		
Ta. Madheb, ph. Kate.	2,669 0 0	Whole ...		Sri Gopinath Deb Thakur Sebait Choudhury Kritibas Das and others.		2,669 0 0	
Kt. ma. Sunainda, ph. do.	576 0 0	Do.		Choudhury Kritibas Das and others.		576 0 0	
Ta. Bhatpada, ph. do.			Kt. 15a. 7p. 15kt. 14b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 4a. 4p. 4kt. 2b.	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	568 4 0		

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2767	Kt. ta. Noda, ph. Benahar.	629 0 0	Whole		Gobind Chandra Das and others.		261 5 3	
2768	Kt. ta. Debi, ph. do.	.....		Kt. 9a. 4p. 1kt. 13b. 2g. 1c. 2bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a. 11p. 18kt. 2b. 17g. 2c. 2bd.	Kasinath Kanungoe and others.	633 6 0		294 0
	Ta. Narsingpur, ph. do.	685 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Udoyanath Das and others.	.....	257 6 0	
2782	Ma. Sangrampur, ph. do.	723 0 0	Do.		Lakhmidhor Das and others.		361 6 3	
2784	Ta. Haripur, ph. do.	771 2 4	Do.		Sricharan Patnaik ...		382 8 0	
2802	Kt. ta. Lakhmidhar, ph. do.	2,362 5 11	Do.		Lakhmidhar Das and others.	.....	638 7 6	
2807	Ta. Achhutpur, ph. Kornia.	796 0 0	Do.		Birakisore Mahant and others.		371 9 3	
2816	Ta. Saibir, ph. Saibir			Kt. 3a. 8p. 6kt. 13b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 12a. 3p. 13kt. 2b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Kreetibas Das and others.	5,258 10 0		2,605 11
2816/1	Ta. ditto, ditto ..			Kt. 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 1kt. 14b.	Choudhury Bijiram Das.	2,836 10 0	.....	1,411 11
2816/2	Ta. ditto, ditto .			Kt. 1a. 4p. 18kt. 7b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 7p. 1kt. 9b.	Choudhury Hariha Das.	2,008 0 0	.....	927 12
2816/3	Ta. ditto, ditto ...			Kt 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Kulamon D	1,320 12 0	.....	662 0
2816/4	Ta. ditto, ditto ...			Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Dasarath Das.	1,585 4 0	.....	789 0
2816	Ta. ditto, ditto ...			Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Radhakris Das.	1,585 4 0		780 1
	Ta. ditto, ditto ...			Kt. 1a. 14kt. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 11p. 5kt. 15b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Nilamoni Das.	1,600 15 0		749 15
2816/7	Ta. ditto, ditto ...			Kt. 9p 17kt. 12b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 2p. 2kt. 3b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Murtanjay Das.	1,173 5 0		584 1
2816/8				Kt. 10p. 10kt. 15b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 1p. 9kt. 1b.	Choudhury Padmanabh Das.	1,251 8 0		623 0
9	Ta. ditto, ditto ...			Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Narahari Das.	1,339 10 0		661 8
2816	Ta. ditto, ditto ...			Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Joiram Das.	1,585 3 0		
2816/11	Ta. ditto, ditto ...			Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Ghanasyum Das.	1,320 10 0		661
2822	Kt. ta. Dalbad, ph. Sujanagar.			Kt. 14a. 4p. 11kt. 8b. 7g. 2c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 1a. 7p. 8kt. 7b. 12g. 2c.	Choudhury Harihar Das.	560 14 0		280
2823	Ta. Eranch, ph. ditto.			Ta. 13a. 5p. 11kt. 14b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 1a. 6p. 14kt. 4b. 6g.	Raghunath Parija ...	922 6 0		461
2824	Ta. Utaharan, ph. ditto.			Kt. 10a. 5p. 9kt. 9b. 4g. 2c. comprised in all the mas. of the estate excluding 5a. 6p. 10kt. 6b. 15g. 2c., represented by 5a. 10p. 11kt. 5b. 14g. 1c. 2bd. of ma. Damodarpur and 5a. 6p. 3kt. 14g. 1c. 2bd. in all other mas. of the estate.	Ditto	897 2 0		445
3019	Kt. ta. Sayedpur, ph. Sujabad.	629 0 0	Whole		Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, common manager.		313 15 6	
3020	Ma. Sithalo, ph. Deogan.			Kt. 10a. 10b. 11kt. 4b. 5g. ½bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 5a. 1p. 8kt. 11b. 14g. 3c. ½bd.	Choudhury Kisetiba Das and others.	597 10 0		297
3073	Thane Alamgir, ph Alti.			Kt. 12a. 6kt. 11bd. 13g. 2c. 1bd. comprised in all other mas. of the estate except ma. Patnia and Hatimanda centre which represents 3a. 11p. 13kt. 4b. 6g. 1c. 3bd. of the mahal.	Surendra Nath Rai.	1,293 7 0		646
3198	Kt. ta. Birtole, ph Jhankar.			Kt. 8a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a.	Deokali Kunear	1,411 6 0		704

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietos of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only share is to be sold, arrears from
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
3298	Kt. ta. Korkara, ph. Jajpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 4p. 15kt. 5b. 6g. 1c. 2bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. except 2a. 10p. 10kt. of ma. Udaypur which represents 7p. 4kt. 10b. 13g. 2c. 2d. of the mahal.	Choudhury Dibya Sing Mahapatra and others.	920 8 10	.....	288
3370	Ta. Kasaba, ph. Ahias.	.....	.....	Kt. 6a. 1p. 1kt. in each of the mas. of the state excluding 9a. 10p. 19kt.	Nilmadhab Parhi and others.	1,011 13 0	.....	635 1
3370/5	Ta. ditto, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 4a. 6p. 6b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 11a. 5p. 10kt. 10b.	Sheikh Saheb Jan and others.	718 5 0	.....	372 6
3398	Ma. Damodarpur, ph. do.	528 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Sheikh Latifar Roheman Ahemad Mian and others.	.....	387 5 6	.....
3502	Ma. Jari, ph. Dobgram.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 6p. 9kt. 7g. 2c. 3bd. comprised in all the mas. except 1a. 8p. 15kt. 8b. 3g. 1c. in ma. Champapal, Palpur, Hansanabad, Koraipaharajpur, Nimaro and Tina, 1a. 8p. 1kt. 15b. 15g. 3c. in ma. Chhotegari and 2a. 7p. 19kt. 4b. 12g. 1c. in ma. Jari which represents kt. 2a. 5p. 10kt. 15b. 12g. 1c. 1bd. of the mahal.	Balamoni Panda ...	3320 14 0	.....	1,550 6
3503	Ma. do., ph. ditto	1 541 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jaganath Samal ...	.....	755 6 1	.....
3507	Ma. do., ph. ditto	897 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Parasuram Samal ...	.....	273 0 0	.....
3515	Ta. Alkundo, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 11p. 9kt. 5b. 13g. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 6a. 10kt. 10b. 7g represented by 8a. 9p. 9kt. of ma. Bitana, 3a. 5p. 9kt. of ma. Barapada, 7a. 8p. of ma. Haladidihi, 7a. 9p. 9kt. of ma. Purasotampur, Babchandrapur, Jhinkiri and Bulaipur, 5a. 1p. 9kt. of ma. Piritpur Behari, Kertaitbindha, Sanudihi and Sunda.	Mani haran Samal and others.	795 2 0	.....	504 15
379	Kt. ma. Sandihi, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt 8a. 4p. 1bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 7a. 7p. 19kt. 15b. 19g. 3c. 3bd.	Babu Doyarudhi Panda.	569 4 0	.....	178 12
381	Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 9p. 10kt. 8b. 1g. compressed in all the mas. of the mahal excluding 3a. 2p. 9kt. 7b. 19g. represented by 16a. of ma. Katikata, Barapada, Nagpur, Ramachandrapur, Jhinkir, Bitana, Kapila, Raghunathpur, Kamalpur, Damodarpur, Similia, and Narua and 1a. 10g. of ma. Samdihi and 4a. of ma. Singpur.	Krusta Charan Panda	611 0 0	.....	248 0
01	Ta. Ijapur, ph. Katia	1,462 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Sheikh Makbul Roheman Ahemad.	.....	1,370 8 0	.....
04	Ma. Kuana, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 11p. 2kt. 9b. 18g. 2c. 1bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 17kt. 6b. 1g. 1c. 3bd. represented by 2p. 12kt. of ma. Turangsagarpur.	Siba Prosad Mahanti and others,	561 12 0	.....	154 14
27	Kt. ta. Itna, ph. Kokakhand.	531 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Durga Charan Choudhury.	.....	149 6 6	
35	Ta. Purusotampur, ph. Saraswati.	1,218 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Dinabandhu Mal and others.	.....	609 0 0	
36	Ma. Brajasundar, ph. Kodinda.	694 0 0	Do. ..	.....	Brajasundar Patjosi	.....	346 12 4	
45	Kt. ta. Udyanath, ph. Benahar.	1,325 10 4	Do. ...	.....	Udyanath Das and others.	.....	661 4 8	
46	Kt. ta. Narahari, ph. ditto.	1,030 11 7	Do. ...	.....	Krusta Charan Das and others.	.....	514 2 8	

Cuttack, the 22nd July 1908.

A. GARRETT, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale by the Certificate Officer of 24-Parganas at Alipore on the 24th August 1908 in execution of certificate case Nos. 180, 181, 182 and 183 of 1906-07 :—

Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold or only a share.	Name of proprietor of the property to be sold.	REMARKS.
...	55 grams, division 2, subdivison 11, holding 56 in mauza Bagmari, Muraripukur, Road No. 37 in thana Maniktolla, 10 bighas 2 cottahs of land including pucca buildings, garden and tank thereon. Bounded on the north by Muraripukur Road, east by Tarak Nath Ghose and others' garden, south Raj Krishna Ganguli's garden, west Tanoo Ostagar's garden.	Rs. A. P. 33 12 6	Whole ...	Srish Chandra and Satish Chandra Bose.	

Alipore, the 27th July 1908.

A. MUKHERJI, Certificate Officer.

District Charitable Society.

Abstract of Cash Accounts of the Central Office for the month of June 1908.

Budget for 1908.	RECEIPTS.	June 1908.	From 1st January to 30th June 1908.	Budget for 1908.	PAYMENTS.	June 1908.	From 1st January to 30th June 1908.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Subscriptions—						
14,400	From Government	1,200 0 0	7,200 0 0	14,946	Grant to District Committees ...	1,230 0 0	7,326 0 0
8,200	,, the public	267 0 0	5,749 0 0	4,500	,, to Commissioner of Police for { Casual relief / Establishment	245 15 9	1,756 9 3
7,516	Donations and new subscriptions ...	*180 0 0	**2,551 2 6			75 0 0	450 0 0
	Allowances towards cost of establishment—			27,848	Grant to Indian Committee	2,218 0 0	13,444 8 0
	From Government			19,740	Pensions paid through Central Office	867 0 0	4,978 0 0
3,060		250 0 0	1,500 0 0	1,020	Schooling-fees ditto ...	55 0 0	367 0 0
560	Interest on General Reserve Fund ...	2 0 0	420 0 0	2,500	Special Relief (on private orders) ...	162 12 9	1,062 0 0
46,439	,, on Trust Funds	3,281 8 0	26,366 14 11	3,204	Alms House:—Establishment ...	267 0 0	1,042 13 6
537	Bakery proceeds	†49 14 6	‡336 7 0	9,500	Dieting	825 14 3	§4,785 12 9
3,060	Workshed proceeds	§366 4 0	§§2,043 5 3	1,800	Contingencies ...	125 0 0	1,062 0 0
1,850	Refund on Casual Relief account ...	105 15 0	742 15 6	300	Clothing and bedding ...	.....	844 0 0
2,500	,, on Special ,, ...	191 9 0	1,179 1 3	150	Repairs ...	.....	200 0 0
...	Legacies	.....	.....	...	Poultry yard ...	.....	199 5 0
2	Miscellaneous accounts	...	.....	2,650	Bakery	461 4 3	125 3 0
...	Deposits	25 9 0	77 6 0	4,145	Workshed	559 3 3	2,115 5 3
500	X'mas dinner account	.....	.....	7,536	Central Office:—Establishment ...	636 0 0	2,883 11 6
...	G. P. Notes withdrawn from Bank's safe custody.	.....	.....	360	Commission on collections.	31 11 6	3,761 15 6
...	G. P. Notes by Corpus of Trust Funds ...	.....	.....		Auditing fees ...	.....	194 4 4
...	,, by Security Deposit	.....	.....	500	Rent (nett)	33 6 3	250 0 0
200	Donation to Indian Committee	... ..	61 0 0	735	Contingencies ...	24 11 0	253 0 0
...	Govt. grant for Alms House repairs ...	.....	.....	600	Printing and advertising.	301 4 0	214 7 9
...	Cash towards Corpus of Trust Funds ...	.....	.....	750	Bank's commission	9 12 10	606 11 0
				70	Law charges	.....	50 14 9
				...	E. I. Railway Co. for passes	51 0 0	.....
				460	Deposits	.....	122 0 0
				...	X'mas Dinner account	.....	324 8 7
				500	Safe custody deposit of G. P. Notes	.....	201 12 0
				...	Security refunded	.....	.....
				...	Investment	.....	.....
				...	Interest on Overdraft	.....	.....
				...			.....
88,764	Total ...	6,177 11 6	48,327 4 5	94,604	Total ...	8,171 11 1	48,316 14 2

New Subscriptions * Rs. 30; ** Rs. 115. ‡ Special Relief 39-3-9 ; Casual Relief, etc., Rs. 33-12-3.
Excluding cost of bread from Bakery for A. H. Dieting, † Rs. 377-7-6 ; ‡ Rs. 2,189-15-0 ; Budget being Rs. 3,896.
Ditto cost of flour from Workshed to Bakery, § Rs. 91-2-7 ; §§ Rs. 510-12-1 ; Budget being Rs. 650.

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts as above	.....	48,327 4 5	Payments as above	.....	48,316 14 2
Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 1st January 1908	5,115 0 6		Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 30th June 1908	5,295 1 7	
Opening cash balance on that date	771 5 9		Cash balance in hand on that date	573 10 11	
		5,886 6 3			5,798 12 6
	Total ...	54,113 10 8		Total ...	54,113 10 8

CALCUTTA,
The 15th July 1908.

K. C. GANGULY,
Cashier.

H. S. CASHMAN,
Secretary.

FORM XI.

(INSTRUCTIONS 97, SECTION 120.)

Abstract of the Estates Partition Fund of District Patna for the year 1907-08, prepared as required by section 42, Act V (B.C.) of 1897.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Balance at credit of the Fund on 1st April 1907	...	9,291	6	1
Receipts for the year 1907-08	...	25,415	5	0
Disbursements during the year 1907-08	...	23,593	10	3
Balance at credit on 31st March 1908	...	11,113	0	10

GANODA PROSAD GHOSE, for *Collector.*

BANKIPORE, *the 29th July 1908.*

(945—1)

Revised Abstract of the Estates Partition Fund of the Gaya district for the year 1907-08 prepared as required by section 42, Act V (B.C.) of 1897.

Particulars.	Amount. Rs.	A.	P.
Balance at credit of the Fund on 1st April 1907 ...	9,775	1	9
Receipts for the year 1907-08	9,411	13	0
Disbursements during the year 1907-08 ...	11,794	15	9
Balance at credit on 31st March 1908 ...	7,391	15	0

N. N. GUPTA, for *Collector.*

GAYA BUTWARA DEPT., *the 27th July 1908.*

(948—1)

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 28th July 1908.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up ...	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government securities ...	2,45,15,567	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	1,62,50,000	0	0	Other authorised investments ...	22,75,935	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 75,54,620 9 10				Loans on Government and other authorised securities ...	4,09,67,735	0	1
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,23,12,861 13 3	1,98,67,482	7	1	Accounts of credit on ditto ditto ...	4,02,19,824	1	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and branches ...	16,97,73,961	14	3	Bills discounted and purchased ...	2,14,18,885	12	2
Bank Post Bills, &c.	7,78,563	12	8	Balances with other Banks	16,11,284	14	6
Sundries	15,12,398	5	3	Bullion	.....		
				Dead Stock	18,30,123	6	7
				Stamps	16,107	6	10
				Sundries	5,10,155	15	9
					13,33,65,618	8	11
				Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs. 5,37,82,574 2 8			
				Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... † ,, 4,10,34,213 11 8	9,48,16,787	14	4
Rupees ...	22,81,82,406	7	3	Rupees ...	22,81,82,406	7	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 57,315 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 2,14,920 0 0
,, 2,72,235 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 30th July 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 49·40.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

MEMORANDUM.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.		ASSETS.	Rs.	
Government Balance at Head Office	4,58,801	Increase.	Bank's Investments	5,40,991	Decrease.
Ditto at Branches ...	11,78,011	Do.	Loans ...	15,70,140	Do.
Other Deposits	8,62,509	Decrease.	Accounts of Credit	11,731	Increase.
Post Bills	2,80,369	Do.	Mercantile Bills	10,26,509	Decrease.
			Cash at Head Office	13,19,613	Increase.
			Do. at Branches	18,23,903	Do.

Percentage 49·40.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 28th July 1908.

(947—1)

In the Court of the Munsif of Fyzabad.

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

(*Sections 64 and 68 of the Code of Civil Procedure.*)
SUIT No. 205 OF 1908.

Lachman Das Chola of Agrew Sami, of mauza Raiganj, city Oudh, district Fyzabad, plaintiff, *versus* Man BhariKundu, defendant.

To Man Bhari Kundu, dwelling at Natwar, pargana Dinwar, tahsil Sasraon, district Ara.

WHEREAS the plaintiff has instituted a suit in this Court against you for Rs. 75, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person, or by a duly authorized pleader of the Court, duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relatiug to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some other person able to answer all such questions, on the 31st day of August 1908 at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon, to answer the abovenamed plaintiff; and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce all your witnesses on that day, and you are hereby required to take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence; and you will bring with you, or send by your pleader, which the plaintiff desires to inspect, any documents on which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 27th day of July 1908.

ZAHED HUSAIN, Offg. Munsif.
(950—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday the 22nd day of August 1908, pursuant to the decree and order made in suit No. 884 of 1900 (Khelat Krishna Mitter *versus* Gopal Chandra Bhose), and dated, respectively, the 2nd day of May 1901 and the 9th day of December 1907, the following property, that is to say:—

Lot I.—Nos. 69-70, Cotton Street, a partly two-storied and partly three-storied brick-built dwelling-house with revenue-free land belonging thereto and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 3 cottahs 6 chittaks and 1 square foot, more or less, and bounded on the north by Cotton Street, on the east by a passage common to the premises Nos. 69-70, and the premises Nos 71-72, Cotton Street, on the south by a common drain into which the water from Nos. 69-70 and Nos. 71-72, Cotton Street, discharges, and on the west by the premises No. 68, Cotton Street, belonging to Hurdut Roy Chamaris.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar, or at the office of Messrs. B. N. Basu & Co., at No. 10, Hastings Street, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

B. N. Basu & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, the 15th July 1908.
(862—1—845)

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

In the matter of MAKHAN LALL, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the tenth day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney. (964—1)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 19 OF 1907.

Raghubar Sinha Ray, son of late Himmut Prasad Sinha Ray of Bijpur, thana Naihati, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above named applicant was declared an insolvent on the 6th April 1908. The 17th August 1908 is fixed for creditors to prove their debts.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 25th July 1908. (941—1—879)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 55 OF 1908.

Russick Chandra Pramanik, son of late Dwarika Nath Paramanik of Malancha, thana Naihati, pargana Habilisahar, chowki Baraset, District 24-Parganas, applicant.

ON the 20th July 1908, it was ordered, that the matters of the petition of the said applicant be heard on the 17th August 1908 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge,

Alipore, the 25th July 1908. (942—1—880)

In the Court of the District Judge, Shahabad.

NOTICE.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 of 1908.

WHEREAS Jangli Koeri, son of Nandu Koeri, of mauza Bauli, pertaining to Jangal Dawan, pargana Behia, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 7th May 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1897, and has therein stated that Mathura Koeri, of Bauli, pargana Behia, and Mrs. Blanche Fox, of Kothi Kateya, pargana Behia, are creditors, in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid petitioner, this to give notice that the Court has fixed the 21st day of August 1908 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If there be other creditors and if they desire to be represented in the matter, they should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader by the above date.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Shahabad Judge's Court, the 30th July 1908.
(953—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Tinkari Karmokar, son of Kalidas Karmokar, of Bara, thana Singur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 29 of 1908, and that the 1st September 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 31st July 1908. (954—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 54 OF 1908.

Ruttan Chandra Mandal, son of late Syam Chand Mandal of Bowali, thana Budge-Budge, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

ON the 13th July 1908, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said applicant be heard on the 17th August 1908 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 1st August 1908. (963—1—884)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 57 OF 1908.

Sheikh Derastulla, son of late Sheikh Bakshi of Hajinagar, thana Naihati, chouki Barasat, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

ON the 27th July 1908, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said applicant be heard on the 24th August 1908 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 1st August 1908. (958—1—885)

ASOKA KUMAR ROY, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (916 4—858)

ATMA RAM, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

DEBENDRA NARAYAN BHUTTACHARYYA, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (869—4—835)

JOYTISH CHANDRA SARKAR, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta (864—4—842)

KSHIROD BIHARI CHATTERJEE, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (829—4—844)

NAGENDRANATH BANERJI, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (906—4—862)

RAJ KUMAR ROY, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (914—4—846)

SARAT PROSAD SARVADHIKARI, M.A., B.L. intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.

Vessel's name.	Marks and Nos.	Quantity and description of goods.	Contents.
S.S. "Onipenta"	R K S	18 casks ...	Pumice stone.
" "Itinda" ...	A H J C A C	1 bundle ...	Dry fish.
'Patiala" ...	H	1 case ...	Ditto.
'Cooeyanna"	White	1 " ...	Wood sleeper.
'Japan" ...	Maurice Cowan ...	1 " ...	Provision.
'A. Apcar"...	P. S. or Nil ...	4 pieces ...	Planks.
'G. Apcar"...	J. S. O.	1 case ...	Curios.
"Onsang" ...	M N or Nil.	1 small bag	Sugar.
" "Braunfels"	Herrn Georg. Schinkler.	1 case ...	Decorations.
" "Wardha"...	C. J.	59 bags ...	Sugar.
" "Duplein"...	G. Gusta ...	1 case ...	Umbrella.

The above will be sold under section 88 of Act VIII of 1878, if not cleared on or before the 24th August 1908.

P. R. CADELL, Collector of Customs.

Custom House, the 3rd August 1908.

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Ernest Sydney Howes, late an employé in the service of the India General Navigation and Railway Company, Limited as Chief Officer of the Company's Steamship "*Burdwan*" who died intestate at the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, on 12th February 1908, has been granted to William Drysdale Steven, a member of the firm of Messrs. Kilburn & Co., Calcutta, on behalf of the widow of the deceased to enable him to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said William Drysdale Steven.

HENRY T. HYDE,

Administrator-General of Bengal.

3, Council House Street, Calcutta, the 29th July 1908. (943—1)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908:—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add	880
3.	Balia	...	"	889
4.	Bhimpore	...	"	1952
5.	Munair	...	"	2458
6.	Masandha	...	"	4368
7.	Phulwari	...	"	5058
8.	Sunda	...	"	5859
9.	Shahjehanpore	..	"	7305
10.	Ghyaspur	..	"	7692
11.	Beswak	...	"	9898
12.	Bihar	...	"	10515
13.	Maldah	...	"	11771
14	Narhat	...	"	11772
15.	Pillich	...	"	11823
16.	Raggir	...	"	12561
17.	Samai	...	"	12585
18.	Sanaut	...	"	12605
19.	Telhara	...	"	12606
20.	Ukri	...	"	13570

To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W $\frac{650}{660}$ of $\frac{07}{08}$	$\frac{Ra}{48}$ 59180	500	Babu Kishori Lall, Banker, Meerut (Cantonment).
	$\frac{Pa}{81}$ 45152	100	
	$\frac{Ua}{59}$ 43668	100	
	$\frac{Ua}{64}$ 31022	100	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,

Assistant Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 15th July 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
W/132 of 07/08	RA/46 59211	Rs. 100	Akhil Chand Mahaladar, Sagarpura, P. O. Murshidabad.

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 29th-30th July 1908.

Notice under Section 12 of Bengal Survey Act, V of 1875.

WHEREAS as required by the abovequoted section of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the following Subdivision of Grand Division 1 of Government Estate of Panchannogram has been duly notified on the date as shown below, and as no objection has been preferred, the boundaries of all holdings situated within Subdivision 6, lying within the added area to the Town of Calcutta are hereby confirmed under section 12 of the Bengal Survey Act:—

Grand Division No. 1.

SubDivision 6 on 20th November 1906.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5, Alipore Road, dated the 16th July 1908.

L. BIRLEY,
Collector and Supdt. of Survey under Act V of 1875.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on the 22nd June 1908 the undermentioned treasure was found by (1) Nagannah, son of Lingannah, (2) Sunkappa, son of Pulikunta Nagappa, (3), Govinda Reddi, son of Pedda Venkata Reddi, and (4) Chakala Bangarugadu, while ploughing up the land survey No. 328, belonging to Pulikunta Doddappa, in the village of Mamudur, Gooty taluk, Anantapur district:—

Description of treasure.	Weight in tolas.	Estimated value.
		Rs. a.
3 Gold coins melted and made into bars.	$3\frac{10}{16}$	72 8
1 Gold bar (do).	$\frac{3}{16}$	3 12
1 Gold coin	$2\frac{1}{2}$ annas	3 2
		79 6

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally before the Collector of Anantapur at 11 A.M. at his office at Anantapur, on Monday, the 14th December 1908, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. M. TURING, Acting Collector.

Anantapur Collector's Office, the 19th July 1908.

Notice.

CANDIDATES are invited for the post of Sheristadar in the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum on a monthly salary of Rs. 80 rising to Rs. 140 by annual increments of Rs. 6.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th August 1908.

K. N. ROY,
District Judge.

Birbhum, the 20th July 1908.

WANTED a Bihari Muhammadan strong in English for the post of an Assistant Master in the Monghyr Zilla School an a salary of Rs. 20 rising to Rs. 25 by annual increment of Re. 1. None need apply who has not passed at least the F.A. Examination of the Calcutta University. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th August 1908.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur, the 29th July 1908.

WANTED a Muhammadan graduate (B Course) as an Assistant Master in the Darjeeling High English School on Rs. 35—2—45 a month, besides the usual hill allowance.

Applications will be received up to 20th August 1908.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur, the 29th July 1908.

WANTED a passed Native Doctor on a salary of Rs. 35 per mensem for the Gobindpur Dispensary, in the district of Manbhum. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 15th August 1908.

A. W. BARNICOTT,
Subdivisional Officer, Dhanbaid.

Dhanbaid, the 1st August 1908. (965—2)

Wanted

(1) A Clerk on Rs. 45 and
(2) One on Rs. 30 for this office.

The former will be on deputation as Land Acquisition Clerk on Rs. 50 till at least March 1909. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to 15th August. Age, educational qualifications and knowledge of Shorthand and Typewriting, if any, must be stated. Preference will be given to those having office experience and well up in Noting and Drafting.

PRABODH CHANDRA CHATTERJI,
Personal Assistant, *for* Commissioner.

Commissioner's Office, Bhagalpur, the 31st July 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Sarishtadar on a salary of Rs. 80 to Rs. 140 per mensem by an annual increment of Rs. 6 for the Birbhum Collectorate. None need apply who is not a Graduate of the Calcutta University and has not got a thorough experience of the Revenue work of a Collectorate. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 15th August 1908.

FAZLALL HAQ, *for* Collector of Birbhum.

Suri, the 30th July 1908.

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Settlement Office, Fatehsing, in the district of Murshidabad, a Head Clerk on a salary of Rs. 40 (forty) only, plus an allowance of Rs. 7 per month for doing works in connection with some other petty estates. The selected candidate shall have to furnish a security of Rs. 200 only in cash. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th August 1908.

None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and is unable to furnish the security.

M K. DEV, Collector.

Berhampore, the 20th July 1908 (913—3)

Notice.

WANTED a whole-time tutor for the minor ward of the Baikuntpur Estate on a monthly salary of Rs. 100 with board and lodging free. Must be a graduate with experience as a tutor. Must also be a strict disciplinarian and thoroughly honest. The selected candidate will have to live with the ward. Applications will be received up to 10th August 1908.

JOHN F. GRUNING,
Deputy Commissioner, Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri, the 22nd July 1908. (904—2)

Notice.

WANTED a Hindu Tutor for the minor proprietor of the Pakcur Wards Estate on a salary of Rs. 100 a month.

Applicants should state their age, caste, place of residence and educational qualifications and should furnish copies of testimonials and reference as to their character and ability. Preference will be given to a Graduate with honours in English who should also be strong in Mathematics. Applications should reach this office before 15th August 1908.

H. W. SCHOOPE,
Deputy Commissioner, Sonthal Parganas.

Naya Dumka, the 29th July 1908.

(949—1)

Wanted

A SUPERVISOR for the Gaya Municipality on a salary of Rs. 150 rising to Rs 200 a month by an annual increment of Rs. 5 with Rs. 20 as horse allowance. None need apply who have not the qualifications of an Upper Subordinate or Foreman Mechanic according to the Sibpur College Standard. Practical experience of not less than five years is absolutely essential.

Candidates must possess a thorough good knowledge of English, both spoken and written. Copies only of certificates (not returnable) should be forwarded with application. The successful applicant will be on probation for one year.

Applications marked "Supervisor" will be received up to 24th August.

T. S. MACPHERSON,
Chairman, Gaya Municipality.

Gaya Municipal Office, the 27th July 1908.

(944—3)

Wanted

AN Engineer for one year on a salary of Rs 115 per mensem for carrying out and supervising the drainage works of the English Bazar Municipality, district Malda. None need apply who is not qualified as District Engineer according to the rules under the Bengal Local Self-Government Act III of 1885. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 20th August 1908. The selected candidate will have to join at once.

ABDUL AZIZ KHAN, Chairman,
English Bazar Municipality, Malda.

English Bazar Municipal Office, the 31st July 1908.

(957—2)

WANTED a Sub-Overseer on a salary of Rs. 40 and pony allowance of Rs. 15 per mensem. Candidates must be qualified according to the rules. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to 15th August 1908.

N. BANERJEE, District Engineer, Malda.

Malda, the 30th July 1908. (955—1)

Notice.

WANTED an Overseer and a Sub-overseer, salary Rs. 60 and Rs. 35, consolidated travelling allowance Rs. 30 and Rs. 15 per mensem respectively to end of March 1909. None need apply who are not qualified under the rules. Preference will be given to those who have previous experience of the District Board works.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th August 1908.

A. GREENWAY, District Engineer.

District Engineer's Office, Ranchi, the 27th July 1908. (946—2)

Traffic Department Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that unless 40 bags of rice landed ex S.S. *Pakuan*, consigned to Messrs. Surajmull Sagore Mull, which are lying in "S" shed, Kantapukur, are removed on or before the 17th August 1908, and all charges due thereon paid, they will be sold by public auction under section 118 of Act III of 1890 and the sale proceeds appropriated towards payment of the charges due.

C. H. WINDLE, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, the 31st July 1908.

(952—1)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 6449, dated 24th July 1908, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
147192	3½ p. c., 1865	1,000	Krishna Amodini Dabey.
050354	3½ p. c., 1900-1	100	

Name of the Proprietor—KRISHNA AMODINI DABEY
Residence—No. 67, Mansha tollah Lane, Kidderpore

(960—1—883)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 053376 of the 3½ per cent. of 1900-01 for Rs. (500) five hundred only originally standing in the name of Prosad Das Boral and Brothers and last endorsed to Joges Chandra Basu, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the advertiser—JOGES CHANDRA BASU.
Residence—8, Kalitara Bose's Lane, Beliaghata, Calcutta.

(951—3—871)

Lost or Stolen

A RECEIPT numbered 5991, dated 10th June 1908, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security: —

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's Name.
017917	3½ per cent., 1842-43.	Rs. 100	Hurry Har Chatterjee.

Name of the Proprietor—HURRY HAR CHATTERJEE

Residence—Panihatty. (963—1—887)

Howrah Mills Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-sixth Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, *the 7th August 1908, at 12-45 p.m* to receive the Directors' Report, pass the audited accounts to 30th June 1908, declare a dividend and transact any other business that may be brought forward.

Dividend Warrants will be made out in favour of Shareholders whose names are in the Company's books on the 23rd July 1908.

The Share Transfer Register of the Company will be closed from Friday, *the 24th July, to Friday, the 7th August 1908*, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

ERNSTHAUSEN, LIMITED,
Managing Agents.

Calcutta, the 16th July 1908. (860—3—887)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of George Jamieson Scott, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of section 320 of Act X of 1865 that Letters of Administration with copy Trust Disposition and Settlement and Codicils annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the 20th day of May last, been granted to Lockhart Smith of 4, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the above-named deceased are required to send the particulars thereof to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of September 1908, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the administrator, the said Lockhart Smith, amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Lockhart Smith will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution

Dated this 21st day of July 1908.

SANDERSON & Co.,

Attorneys for Lockhart Smith, Administrator to the estate of the above named deceased.

(900—3—863)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

Name.	Post Box No.
A	
Abrecht & Co.	19
Arracan Co., Ld.	28
Agelasto & Co., A.	37
Alliance Bank of Simla, Ld.	43
Army Department, Government of India ...	62
Allen Brothers & Co.	77
Atherton & Co., G.	98
Assmann & Co., F. A. D.	103
Arthur Koppel	109
Atlas Assurance Co., Ld.	123
Apcar & Co.	130
Acerboni & Co., F.	135
Anderson Wright & Co	140
Andrew Yule & Co	150
Allahabad Bank, Ld.	165
Artin & Co., Y.	167
Arathoon, Ld.	217
Army & Navy Co-Operative Society, Ld. ...	232
Alexander Young & Co.	243
Austro-English Trade Association ...	251
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British India Marine Service Club ...	35
Becker Gray & Co.	41
Bird & Co.	46
Boekel, Wm. Oscar	47
Barlow & Co.	49
Barry & Co.	50
Biswas & Co., D. N.	79
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Brooke Bond & Co., Ld.	187
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Brownlie & Murray, Ld. (Agents) ...	230
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Bharat Insurance Co., Ld.	256
Bengal Chamber of Commerce, Secy. ...	280
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Name.	Post Box No.
Hazareemull Heeralall ...	210
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Burma ...	6, 10			6-45	
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6. Cuttack, Midnapur, Punjab, United Provinces, Bombay Presidency, Central India, Sind and Baluchistan, Eastern Bengal, Central Bengal and Murshidabad.	7-30	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,

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W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 31st July 1908.*

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Caution—Bassein river—Porian shoal buoy adrift.

No. 312 (first publication).—A telegraphic communication, dated 29th July 1908, has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, stating that the Porian shoal buoy has gone adrift and will be replaced when weather permits.

Mariners are hereby warned.

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG, SOUTH CHANNEL APPROACH.

Yang tse cape bell-buoy—Position and character altered.

No. 313 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1001 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The bell-buoy established to mark the shoal water extending from Yang tse cape, Yang tse Kiang, has been replaced by a buoy of the undermentioned description moored in the position given below.

Position.—Moored in a depth of 12 feet at a distance of $9\frac{3}{10}$ miles N. 44° W. from Gutzlaff lighthouse.

Lat. 30° 54′ 50″ N., long. 122° 2′ 5″ E.

Description.—A bell-buoy having a conical superstructure surmounted by a black spherical cage.

Variation.—3° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse Kiang.
,, 1199, Kueshan islands to Yang tse Kiang.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 405.

Notice to Mariners No. 346 of 1908. (*This office No. 137 of 3rd April 1908.*)

Authority.—Shanghai Notice, No. 314 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—SHANTUNG, KYAU CHAU BAY ENTRANCE.

Arkona island light—Replaced by temporary lights.

No. 314 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1002 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—At the end of May 1908, Arkona island light (red occulting), in the entrance to Kyau Chau bay, was temporarily replaced by lights of the undermentioned character:—

Position.—Lat. 36° 3½′ N., long. 120° 18¾′ E.
Character.—Two *green fixed* lights, vertical.
Elevation.—79 and 69 feet respectively.
Visibility.—2 miles.
Description of Structure.—Suspended from the light tower.
Chart temporarily affected.—No. 857, Kyau Chau bay.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 880.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 531; Supplement, 1907.

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1322 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—GULF OF SIAM, MALAY PENINSULA—CHOMPORN (CHUMPON) BAY.

Metaphon islet—Light established.

No. 315 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1003 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 9th May 1908, a light of the undermentioned character was established at the entrance to Chomporn (Chumpon) river.
Position.—On islet, now known as Metaphon, at the entrance to river.

Lat. 10° 27′ 35″ N., Long. 99° 13′ 40″ E.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—128 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Order.—4th order.
Structure.—Iron support on piles.
Charts affected.—No. 989, Lakon roads to Lem Tane.
„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.
„ 2414, Gulf of Siam.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 145.

China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 362.

Authority.—Bangkok Notice, 13th May 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES ISLAND, EAST COAST.

Tomori gulf—Beacons established.

No. 316 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1004 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Screw pile beacons of the undermentioned description have been established to mark certain dangers in Tomori bay as follows:—

Position.	Beacon.
On north side of a reef, lat. 1° 58′ 0″ S., long. 121° 51′ 45″ E.	Beacon with black truncated cone topmark.
On the north side of a small one-fathom patch, lat. 2° 13′ 0″ S., long. 121° 48′ 15″ E.	„ „ „
On southern side of a reef, lat. 2° 11′ 0″ S., long. 121° 44′ 20″ E.	Beacon with a white ball topmark.
In 3 feet water off southern point of reef, 2½ miles eastward of Lingkobo point, lat. 2° 2′ 50″ S., long. 121° 38′ 40″ E.	„ „ „

Charts affected.—No. 2195, Plan of Tomori gulf.
„ 3616, Tomori gulf to Salayai strait.
„ 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 370.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1074 of 1908.

INDIA, WEST—Sind coast.

Karachi, Manora light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 317 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1005 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—About the middle of January 1909, Manora point white fixed light will be replaced by a light of the undermentioned character. During the alterations provisional light as given below will be exhibited.

Position.—Lat. 24° 47½′ N., long. 66° 58½′ E.

Character.—*White flashing every seven and a half seconds*, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse,
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$7\frac{2}{10}$ secs.

Elevation.—149 feet.
Visibility.—18 miles.
Power.—1,100,000 candles.
Structure.—Tower, 124 feet from base to vane.

Provisional light.

Position.—Gallery of lighthouse.
Character.—*White fixed.*
Elevation.—140 feet
Visibility.—From N. 56° W., through north, to S. 56° E.
Power.—350 candles.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 40, Karachi harbour.
„ 41, Monze cape to Kediwari mouth.
„ 42, Sind and Kutch coast.
„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 198.

Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 303; Supplement, 1903.

Authority.—Royal Indian Marine Survey, 3rd May 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—South island.

Bluff harbour—Leading beacon lights established.

No. 318 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1096 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Leading beacon lights have been established in Awarua or Bluff harbour, as follows:—

Position.—"35 feet ▲" westward of quarantine station, lat. 46° 36½′ S., long. 168° 23½′ E.

1. Tewaewae rocks.

Positions.—Front beacon, 480 yards S. 77° E. from "35 feet ▲."
Rear „ 925 „ N. 36° E. „ „
Characters.—*White fixed* light on each beacon.
Visibility.—6 miles respectively.
Leading Line.—The above beacons in line N. 5° E. lead through South channel.

2. Tewaewae point.

Positions.—Front light, 440 yards S. 71° W. from 35 feet ▲.
Rear „ 520 „ N. 86° W. „ „
Characters.—*Red fixed* light on each beacon.
Visibility.—4 miles respectively.
Leading Line.—The above beacon lights in line N. 32° W. lead through the fairway from the leading line mentioned above to that mentioned below.

3. Middle bank.

Position.—On Middle bank red and white dolphins as shown on the chart.
Characters.—*Green fixed* light on each dolphin.
Leading Line.—These dolphin lights in line N. 68° W. lead through the fairway.

Note.—"Posn. approx." has been placed on the chart against the beacon lights in (1) and (2).
Variation.—18° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3484, Awarua or Bluff harbour.
„ 2540, „ „ „
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 347.

New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 312, 313; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 31 of 1908.

AFRICA, SOUTH—Cape Colony—Mossel bay.

Aliwal light—Amended limit of Sectors.

No. 319 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1007 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The limit of the sectors of the *fixed* light on the jetty head at Aliwal, Mossel bay, is that given below.
Position.—Lat. 34° 11′ S., long. 22° 9′ E.
Limit.—*Red* when bearing to the westward of S. 37° W., and *green* when bearing to the southward of S. 37° W.
Remarks.—The light shows *green* over the anchorage.
Variation.—29° W.
Charts affected.—No. 639, Mossel bay.
„ 2083, cape Agulhas to Mossel bay.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 12.

Africa Pilot, vol. III, 1905, page 105, is correct.

Notice to Mariners No. 125 of 1908. (*This office No. 75 of 22nd February 1908.*)

Authority.—The Harbour Master, Mossel bay, 1st June 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Hunghwa sound.

Lam Yit channel—Rock.

No. 320 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1028 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock exists on the western side of Lam Yit channel, Hunghwa sound entrance.
Position.—Fort Hill point bearing N. 10° W., distant $1\frac{1}{10}$ miles, and Clam islet N. 74° E.

Lat. 25° 15′ N., long. 119° 22¾′ E.

Depth.—About 6 feet.
Variation.—1° W.
Remarks.—The rock is temporarily marked by the wreck of a steamer, of which only a part of the upper deck shows above water.
Charts affected.—No. 1761, Ockseu islands to Tung Yung.
„ 1968, Formosa island and strait.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
Publication.—China Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 192.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 2043 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MASBATE, NORTH COAST.

Port Barrera—Light established.

No. 302 (second publication) —The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 952 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established in port Barrera as follows:—

Position.—On Colorada point, western side of entrance to harbour.

Lat. 12° 32′ 30″ N., long. 123° 22′ 40″ E., on chart No. 3369.

Character.—*Red fixed.*

Elevation.—103 feet.

Visibility.—7 miles.

Structure.—Concrete house, 16 feet high.

Charts affected.—No. 3369, Luzon to Masbate island.

„ 2577, St. Bernardino and Mindoro sea.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 133.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 343; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 689 of 1908. (*This office No. 235 of 4th June 1908.*)

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 31 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MASBATE, WEST COAST.

Bugui point—Shoal in southern approach.

No. 303 (second publication) —The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 953 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A shoal of the undermentioned description is reported to exist in the southern approach to Bugui point, as follows:—

Position.—With Gato island S. 40° E., distant 4 miles.

Bugui point light N. 35° E.

Lat. 12° 29′ 20″ N., long. 123° 9′ 45″ E.

Depth.—4 fathoms (estimated).

Description.—Small extent.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3369, Luzon to Masbate island.

„ 2577, St. Bernardino and Mindoro sea.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 253.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 30 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, SOUTH COAST.

Sibuguey bay—Shoals in—.

No. 304 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 954 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned shoals exist in Sibuguey bay as given below.

Position.—Pandalusan island, lat. 7° 28′ N., long. 122° 39′ E., on chart No. 2578.

Position.					Depth.
At a distance of $2\frac{4}{10}$ miles	N. 59° W.	from	Pandalusan island.		3 feet.
„ „ $20\frac{3}{4}$ „	N. 47° E.	„	Tulnalutan	„	$4\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.
„ „ $19\frac{3}{4}$ „	N. 52° E.	„	„	„	$5\frac{1}{2}$ „
„ „ 17 „	N. 52° E.	„	„	„	$3\frac{1}{4}$ „
„ „ $14\frac{1}{4}$ „	N. 41° E.	„	„	„	5 „
„ „ $10\frac{1}{4}$ „	N. 45° E.	„	„	„	$2\frac{1}{2}$ „
„ „ $11\frac{3}{4}$ „	N. 54° E.	„	„	„	Not given.
„ „ $14\frac{1}{4}$ „	N. 62° E.	„	„	„	„

Remarks.—The above depths have not been reduced to low water.

These dangers, which are steep-to, are distinguished by discoloration of the water, with the exception of the 3-foot shoal north-westward of Pandalusan island.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 943, The Philippine islands.

„ 2578, Sulu or Mindoro sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, pages 392, 393.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 35 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Batu islands—Bank westward of, non-existence of shoal.

No. 305 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 955 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A bank of the undermentioned description exists to the westward of Tanah Balah, Batu islands, as follows:—

Position.—Lat. 0° 19′ S., long. 98° 15½′ E.

Depth.—6 fathoms.

Description.—A small coral reef.

Non-existence of Shoal.—It is considered that the above is identical with the "Shoal reported 1895" on the charts, 3 miles to westward of it. This shoal has been searched for without success, and a depth of 48 fathoms having been obtained in the former reported position, it has therefore been erased from the chart.

Charts affected.—No. 2760, Acheh head to Chingkuk bay.

„ 748*b*, Indian ocean.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 376.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1046 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST.

River Min entrance—Buoys moved.

No. 306 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 956 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The following alterations have been made in the positions of the undermentioned buoys in the entrance to the river Min.

Position.—Sharp peak, lat. 26° 8′ N., long. 119° 40′ E.

Alterations.

a. Outer bar red conical buoy.

Moved about 3 cables N. 75° E. from its former position, and is now moored in a position from which Sharp peak bears N. 65° W., distant $5\frac{6}{10}$ miles.

b. No 2 fairway buoy.

Moved about 4¼ cables N. 88° E. from its former position, and is now moored in a position from which Sharp peak bears N. 61° W., distant 4½ miles.

Variation.—1° W.

Chart affected.—No. 2400, River Min.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 271; Supplement, 1907.

Notice to Mariners, No. 1894 of 1907. (*This office No. 35 of 25th January 1908*).

Authority.—H.M.S. *Alacrity*, Hydrographic Note, No. 2 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MALACCA STRAIT, SELÁNGOR.

Selángor river light—Alteration in character.

No. 307 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 957 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On or about 1st July 1908 the white fixed light at Selángor will be replaced by a light of the character given below.

Position.—Lat. 3° 20½′ N., long. 101° 14¾′ E.

Character.—*White occulting every thirty seconds*, thus :—

Light,	Eclipse,
27 secs.	3 secs.

Elevation.—244 feet; 90 feet above the ground.
Visibility.—19 miles.
Order.—2nd order.
Structure.—Iron cylindrical tower on concrete pedestal, painted white.

Charts affected.—No. 794, Pulo Berhala to cape Rachado.
„ 1355, Malacca strait.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 421.

China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 189.

Authority.—Board of Trade, 15th June 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Shimonoseki strait—Wrecks dispersed.

No. 308 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 958 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned wrecks in Shimonoseki strait have been dispersed, as follows :—

1. Wreck off Ganryu Jima.

Former position.—3½ cables N. 47° E. from Ganryu Jima summit (110 feet).

Lat. 33° 56½′ N., long. 130° 56′ E.

2. Wreck on Ozo ne.

Former position.—8¾ cables N. 52° W. from Mana ita iwa light.

Lat. 33° 55½′ N., long. 130° 53′ E.

Variation—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3114, Moji and Simonoseki ko.
„ 1578, Simonoseki strait.
„ 532, „ „

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, pages 504, 505; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1174 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—New Caledonia, east coast.

Tupéti passage, Cerciat rock—Amended description of.

No. 309 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 980 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The amended position and description of Cereiat rock in Tupét passage is as follows :—

Position.—Situated at a distance of $1\frac{"}{10}$ miles N. 51° E. from Kinde island.

Lat. 21° 35¼′ S., long. 166° 23′ E.

Depth.—2½ fathoms.
Description.—A coral patch about 20 feet in diameter.
Variation.—10° E.
Chart affected.—No. 936*b*, New Caledonia.
Publications.—Pacific Islands, vol. II, 1900, page 354.

Notice to Mariners, No. 501 of 1908. (*This office No. 181 of 1st May 1908.*)

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 942 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF.

Bahrein harbour approach—Colour of buoy altered.

No. 310 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No 74 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The colour of the buoy in the approach to Bahrein Harbour has been altered as follows.

Position.—Latitude 26° 20′ 37″ N., long. 50° 33′ 11″ E.

Alteration.—Colour altered from White to Red.

Charts affected.—No. 20, Bahrein Harbour.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, pages 134 to 138.

Notice to Mariners No. 107 of 1907. (*This office No. 453 of 4th October 1907.*)

Authority.—H. M. S. 'Redbreast,' Hydrographic Note No. 1 of 1908.

INDIA, WEST COAST—Gulf of Cambay.

East cape, Dholera light—Alteration in.

Erratum.

No. 311 (second publication).—In notice to Mariners, No. 152, dated 16th April 1908, issued by this office (British Admiralty Notice No. 405 of 1908), the arc of visibility of the Dholera Light from seaward should be from N. 65° E. through west to S. 4° E.

Authority.—Bombay notice No. 73 of 1908.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay (Goa) coast.

Goa—Lights discontinued.

No. 289 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 70 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned lights at the entrance of Mandovi River have been discontinued until further notice.

Position.—(1) Reis Magus, east of the fort.

(2) From westward of Panjim.

(3) „ eastward of Panjim.

(4) Gaspar Dias, north of the fort.

Charts affected.—No. 492, Aguada to St. George's Island.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 257.

West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 164.

Authority.—Port Officer of Portuguese India.

INDIA, WEST—Kathiawar coast.

Diu—Lights discontinued.

No. 290 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 71 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned lights have been discontinued until further notice.

Position.—(1) Forte do Mar.

(2) Couraça.

(3) Simbor.

Charts affected.—No. 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, Nos. 217 and 218.

West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 258.

Authority.—Port Officer of Portuguese India.

CHINA SEA—Taiwan (Formosa), north coast.

Tansui (Tamsui) Ko—Wreck in entrance.

No. 291 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 918 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A wreck of the undermentioned description lies sunk in the entrance to Tansui (Tamsui) Ko, as follows :—

Position.—With the light on Tamsui pier S. 86° E., distant 13$\frac{4}{10}$ cables, Beacon light N. 42° E.

Lat. 25° 10$\frac{1}{4}$′ N., long. 121° 23$\frac{3}{4}$′ E.

Description.—S.S. *Chidori*, not visible above water.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 2376, Plan of Tamsui harbour.

„ 3658, Auran road to So. O. wan.

„ 1761, Ockseu islands to Tung Yung.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol, III, 1904, page 254; Supplement, 1907.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 2036 of 1908.

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—Gulf of Tokyo entrance.

Uraga channel—Experimental whistle buoy withdrawn.

No. 292 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 919 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The whistle buoy of the undermentioned description, placed for experiment in the northern approach to Uraga channel, has been withdrawn.

Former Position.—On the southern side of Okino no.

At a distance of 2 miles S. 62° E. from Koshiba zaki.

Lat. 35° 20′ N, long 139° 41′ E.

Description.—Red conical truncated whistle buoy.

Variation.—4° W.

Chart affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 368.

Notice to Mariners No. 730 of 1907. (*This office No. 311 of 1st July 1907.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 2036 of 1908.

KOREA, SOUTH COAST—Fusan harbour.

Sorio—Mole under construction.

No. 293 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 920 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A mole is under construction to the northward of the existing mole at Sorio, Pusan (Fusan) harbour, as follows:—

Position.—Outer end $2\frac{1}{10}$ cables N. 46° E. from the white and red lights on existing mole head.

Mole head light, lat. 35° 6′ N., long. 129° 2¼′ E.

Direction of Mole.—N. 48° W. from the above position to the coast.

Description.—The mole is at present submerged.

Marks.—Whilst the mole is submerged a white flag, with the letter I in red, will be displayed from the works; as soon as the mole is above water, three wooden beacons, each exhibiting a *white* light, elevated 5½ feet, will be established on it 100 yards apart.

Variation.—5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1259, Fusan harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 199.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 119.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 2038 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Singapore main strait.

Keppel harbour—Bank in western approach.

No. 294 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 921 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A bank has been found to exist in the western approach to Keppel harbour as follows:—

Position.—Situated at a distance of 11½ cables S. 36° W. from the Beri Beri hospital pier head.

Lat. 1° 15½′ N., long. 103° 47′ E.

Depth.—7 fathoms.

Note.—"Posn. approx." has been placed on the chart against this danger.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2404, Singapore Main strait.

„ 2403, Singapore strait.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 241.

Authority.—Master Attendant, Singapore, 8th May 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON—MANILA BAY ENTRANCE.

La Monja light—Particulars of—.

No. 295 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 922 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The particulars of the undermentioned light in the entrance to Manila bay are as follows:—

Position.—On rock.

Lat. 14° 22½′ N., long 120° 31′ E.

Name.—La Monja.

Character—*Red fixed.*

Elevation.—129 feet.

Visibility.—7 miles.

Structure.—Concrete house, 16 feet high.

Chart affected.—No. 976, Manila bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 137.

China Sea, vol. II, 1906, page 317.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 62; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 683 of 1908. (*This office No. 234 of 4th June 1908.*)

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 29 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, WEST COAST.

Juanico strait—Buoy and beacon established.

No. 296 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 923 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A buoy and beacon of the undermentioned descriptions have been established in Juanico channel, as follows:—

Buoy.

Position.—In a depth of 6 fathoms, at a distance of 1½ cables south-westward of Santa Rita island.

Lat. 11° 25′ 40″ N., long. 124° 57′ 20″ E.

Description.—Red conical buoy, marked No. 2.

Remarks.—Vessels should pass between this buoy and Santa Rita island.

Beacon.

Position.—On 3-foot shoal 3 cables S. 77° E. from Kaguaian point.

Lat. 11° 20′ 20″ N., long. 124° 58′ 10″ E.

Description.—A post, having two white square day marks with red square centres erected on a concrete base.

Elevation.—12 feet.

Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least 50 yards.

Variation.—1° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2987, San Pedro Bay to Libukan Islands.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, pages 361 and 362; Supplement 1906.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 33 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—Auckland approach.

Caution—Waiheke channel—Telephone cable across.

No. 297 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 924 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A telephone cable has been laid across Waiheke channel.

Position.—The shore ends of the cable are situated as follows:—

a. Ponui island.

At a distance of 3 cables eastward from Ponui head.

b. On Waiheke island.

At a distance of 2¾ cables northward of Finger point.

Finger point, lat. 36° 49¾′ S., long. 175° 10′ E.

Caution.—Mariners are prohibited from anchoring in the vicinity of the cable which is laid directly between the above positions.

Chart affected.—No. 1896, Auckland harbour.

Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 60; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 25 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—Stewart island.

Half Moon bay—Rock in—.

No. 298 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 925 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A rock of the undermentioned description exists in Half Moon bay, as follows:—

Position.—At a distance of 5½ cables N. 41° E. from the wharf end.

Lat. 46° 53½′ S., long. 168° 10′ E.

Depth.—8 feet.

Description.—A pinnacle rock.

Buoy.—A buoy (not described) has been placed to mark the position of the rock.

Variation.—18° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2541. Plan of Paterson inlet.

Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 323; Revised Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 24 of 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red Sea—Gulf of Suez, western shore.

Strickland shoal—Beacon, coast guard station established.

No. 299 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 948 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned beacon and Coast Guard station have been established respectively on and near Strickland shoal, Gulf of Suez, as follows:—

1. Beacon.

Position.—On inner or Western Strickland shoal, lat. 29° 41¼′ N., long. 32° 23¼′ E.

Remarks.—This beacon is conspicuous.

2. Coast Guard station.

Position.—Lat. 29° 41′ N., long. 32° 21′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 757, Gulf of Suez.

Publication.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 91.

Authority.—H. E. H. Coast Guard cruiser *Nour Ee Bahr*, 20th May 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red sea, western shore.

Koseir—Beacon and buoy established.

Ras Benàs—Conspicuous tomb.

No. 300 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 949 of 1908) are republished :—

Particulars.—A buoy and beacon have been established at Koseir, and a conspicuous tomb exists on Ras Benàs, as follows :—

1. Koseir. Buoy and beacon.

Position.—The buoy has been placed on the chart in 3 fathoms at a distance of 3 cables S. 49° E. from, and the beacon on the reef 3¼ cables S. 69° E. from, the southern angle of the fort. Southern angle of fort, lat. 26° 6½′ N., long. 34° 17′ E.

Description.—Not given.

2. Ras Benàs.

Position.—Lat 23° 54′ N., long. 35° 47′ E.

Description.—Conspicuous tomb.

Variation.—3° W.

Chart affected.—No. 8*b*, Red Sea.

Publications.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, pages 120, 127; Supplement, 1904.

Authority.—H. E. H. C. G. cruiser *Nour Ee Bahr*, 20th May 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Java, north coast.

Inderamayu west road—Intended light-buoy.

No. 301 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 951 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A light-buoy of the undermentioned description will be established in Inderamayu West road, as follows :—

Position.—In a depth of 5 fathoms.

Lat. 6° 14′ 25″ S., long. 108° 13′ 55″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted in red and black horizontal stripes, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus :—

$$\frac{\text{Light, 10 secs.}}{\text{eclipse, 10 secs.}}$$

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Java, western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 98.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No 1047 of 1908.

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LIBERALITY OF BABU VIHARI LALA MITRA.

No. 1370Medl., dated Calcutta, the 29th July 1908.

From—C. E. A. W. OLDHAM, Esq., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department,

To—The Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 85L.S.-G., dated the 14th July 1908, in which you report that Babu Vihari Lala Mitra, of Bagbazar, has placed, at the disposal of Government, a sum of Rs. 10,000 to be devoted to some suitable work of public utility. You suggest that the amount be credited to the fund which is being raised for the construction of a surgical ward in connection with the Sambhu Nath Pundit Hospital at Bhowanipur.

2. In reply I am to request you to be so good as to convey to the donor an expression of the Lieutenant-Governor's appreciation of his liberality and public spirit. The money may be credited as proposed by you.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SALT DEPARTMENT IN BENGAL DURING THE YEAR 1907-08.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 534S.R.—The 31st July 1908.—The following extracts from the Report of the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, on the Administration of the Salt Department in the Province during the year 1907-08, and from the letter of the Board of Revenue reviewing the report, are published for general information.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 3716B., dated Calcutta, the 16th July 1908.

From—PANDIT RAMA BALLABHA MISRA, M.A., Secretary to the Board of Revenue.
L. P.,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed to submit the accompanying report, received from the Commissioner of Salt, Bengal, on the administration of the Salt Department in the year 1907-08. The report does not cover the preventive work in Bihar, which is controlled by the Commissioner of Northern India Salt Revenue, but includes within its scope the preventive work in the districts of Chittagong and Noakhali, which continues to be under the control of the Commissioner of Salt, Bengal.

Member in charge :
THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

2. *Amendment of the Salt Law.*—Reports were received from local officers during the year on the proposals made in the Government of India's letter No. 3462Exc., dated 3rd June 1907, for amendment of the Indian Salt Act, of 1882, which include the repeal of the Bengal Act of 1864, and the Board submitted to Government their report on these proposals in their letter No. 53B.—T., dated 25th April 1908.

9. *Imports.*—There was a continued increase both in the quantity of salt imported into Bengal by sea during the year, and also in the imports of Madras salt by land into Orissa. The transactions in salt at the Sulkea and Kidderpore Dock *golas* were the highest on record.

10. *Consumption.*—According to the method of calculation by which the consumption of salt in the province is worked out, as described in paragraph 7 of the Board's letter to Government, No. 4451B., dated the 30th July 1907, the quantity of salt which passed into consumption in the province during the year under review amounted to 82,81,916 maunds as against 78,94,200 maunds in the previous year.

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11. The reduction of duty on salt from Re. 1-8 to Re. 1 a maund, with effect from the 20th March 1907, sanctioned by the Government of India's Notification No. 1748Exc., dated the 20th March 1907, has resulted in a decrease of 6 annas and 10 pies in the provincial average of the wholesale prices per maund at district head-quarters in the year under report as compared with the previous year. This decrease of price is similar to the decrease of 6 annas 6 pies per maund, which occurred in the first year (1905-06) following the reduction in the rate of duty from Rs. 2 to Re. 1-8, and it may be hoped that there will be a further decrease of price in the current year, as in

1906-07, such as will secure to the wholesale purchaser, and to the public the full benefit of the reduction in duty from Re. 1-8 to Re. 1. Retail prices in the province also show an average decline from one anna and one pie a seer in 1906-07 to 11 pies a seer in 1907-08.

12. There was a large decrease in the number of seizures of illicit salt and in the number of prosecutions under the Salt Laws during the year, as compared with the previous year. In the district of the 24-Parganas, the number of cases under section 9 of Act XII of 1882 fell from 139 to 38. This satisfactory decrease in the number of offences is attributed by the Commissioner to "the cheapening of licit salt, the adequate supply of salt in every market, the opening of new shops in various localities, and the constant patrol over the saline areas."

13. *Receipts and charges.*—The financial results of the year, as compared with those in 1906-07, show a decrease of nearly 53 lakhs, or 32·9 per cent. in the receipts, and of Rs. 99,023 or 20·3 per cent. in the charges. The decrease in receipts is accounted for chiefly by the reduction of duty; but there was also a small falling off in the amount of salt cleared during the year.

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No. 335S., dated Calcutta, the 1st July 1908.

From—B. FOLEY, Esq., I.C.S., Offg. Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal,
To—The Secretary to the Board of Revenue, I.P.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following consolidated Report on the administration of the Salt Department in Bengal for 1907-08. Preventive operations continued during the year under the India Salt Act, XII of 1882, to be controlled by the Commissioner of Excise and Salt and operations under Act VII (B.C.) of 1864 by the Board of Revenue.

2. Mr. E. Geake was in charge of the Department from the 1st April 1907 to the 27th February 1908. I held charge until the close of the year.

Charge of Department.

GENERAL.

3. * * Noakhali and Chittagong remained under the control of the Bengal Salt Commissioner throughout the year and at the request of the Board of Revenue, Eastern-Bengal and Assam, this arrangement will continue for another year, pending the amalgamation of the Salt and Excise establishments in that Province.

Control of the Salt Department.

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5. The India Salt Act, XII of 1882, continued to be the Salt Law in force in Orissa. In the districts of Midnapore, Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Khulna, Backergunj, Noakhali and Chittagong that Act and Act VII (B.C.) of 1864 remained concurrently in force.

Salt Law.

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8. The duty on salt remained at Re. 1 per maund throughout the year.

Rate of duty.

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10. On the recommendation of the Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue, made in consequence of the reduction in the rate of duty on salt the Government of India in their orders No. 6026Exc., dated the 4th October 1907, reduced the fee that was payable under the terms of their orders No. 3663S.R., dated the 15th July 1901, from Rs. 300 to

Reduction of the concession fee in connection with the issue of duty-free salt for industrial purposes.

Rs. 100 per annum in the case of concessions regarding the issue of duty-free salt for industrial purposes.

Rebate of duty on salt used for fish-curing.

11. On the application of a Company which is being formed to develop the sea-fishing industry in the Bay of Bengal on the lines indicated in Mr. K. G. Gupta's Report on the Fisheries of Bengal, the Government of India in their orders No. 1257-1, dated the 5th February 1908, sanctioned a rebate of duty on salt used for fish-curing, subject to the conditions that the concessionaires should pay for the cost of any preventive establishment that might be found necessary and that the rebate to be allowed should not exceed the duty payable on the salt used in fish-curing. Effect will be given to these orders after ascertaining the requirements of the Company, and general rules on the lines of the Madras and Bombay rules will be framed subsequently for the issue of duty-free salt for fish-curing to the coast fishermen of Bengal.

Reduction of duty on *Sitta* or impure salt.

12. The rate of duty on *Sitta* or impure salt obtained in the process of manufacture or refinement of saltpetre was reduced from Re. 1 to 8 annas a maund with effect from the 1st September 1907, in India Government orders No. 5273Exc., dated the 22nd August 1907, to the Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue, who recommended the reduction. The reduction was made in consequence of the lowering of the rate of duty on salt to one rupee and the possibility of *Sitta* being advantageously used for industrial and agricultural purposes.

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Legislation for introduction of credit system of payment of duty.

15. A Bill to provide for the introduction of the credit system for payment of duty on salt, as obtains in Madras and Bombay, was introduced in the Council of the Governor-General of India on the 8th June last.

Chinese Salt Mission.

16. During the year a Chinese Mission, consisting of two Secretaries of the Chinese Board of Finance (Messrs. T'ang Jui-T'ung and Fan Shao-Sen) with a Secretary (Mr. Wang Tsai-chi) and an Interpreter (Mr. Yi-Shan), was sent to Calcutta to study the salt system prevailing in Bengal. The Mission arrived in October 1907, and after obtaining the information they desired, left Calcutta in November.

CHAPTER II.—STOCKS, IMPORTS AND CLEARANCES.

Stocks and issues.

17. * * * The stock of salt in all the golas, both public and private, at the beginning of the year was over 7 lakhs of maunds less than on the 1st April 1906. The imports showed an increase of over 16 lakhs of maunds. The clearances were less than in the previous year by more than a quarter of a lakh of maunds. In addition to the closing balance, there were at the close of the year 3,63,100 maunds of salt lying afloat in the port of Calcutta against 3,54,668 maunds at the end of 1906-07.

The percentage of the total importations of salt bonded in the Sulkea and Kidderpore golas during the year was 76 against 74 in the previous year. There was a large increase in importation during the year and the quantity bonded was in excess of that bonded in any of the past five years.

Imports.

18. * * The importations into Calcutta during the year show an increase of 14·1 per cent,, the largest quantity coming from the United Kingdom, the next from Salif, Spain, Aden, and Hamburg and Bremen in the order named. There was, however, a decrease in the quantity imported from the United Kingdom by more than 10 lakhs of maunds. Muscat and the Persian Gulf have fallen out of the list. A severe outbreak of small-pox put a stop to importation from Salif in 1906-07, but more salt than ever before was received from this port during the year under review.

19. * * In Calcutta the sales from the importing vessels direct and from bond both fell by 1·1 and 1·8 per cent., respectively; 19 per cent. was sold from shipboard and 81 per cent. from bond, the same figures, curiously enough, as in the previous year. Of the vessels carrying salt into Calcutta during the year, 98 per cent. were steamers.

Sales of imported salt from shipboard and bond.

20. The total salt transactions at the Sulkea and Kidderpore golas for the last five years are shown below:—

Transactions in the Sulkea and Kidderpore Dock golas.

Years.	Maunds.
1903-04	1,50,05,754
1904-05	1,62,70,908
1905-06	1,67,67,724
1906-07	1,77,57,526
1907-08	1,92,86,421

The turnover was the highest on record, but no difficulty was experienced in providing bonding accommodation.

The quantity of salt handled at Sulkea was 1,29,25,489 maunds against 1,11,59,238 in the preceding year and at Kidderpore 63,60,932 against 65,98,288 maunds.

The Kidderpore Salt golas received 30 per cent. of the total quantity bonded against 38 per cent. in the previous year.

The improvements made at Sulkea during the previous year have quite justified the expenditure incurred. The two new pontoons, however, which were constructed, have not proved as successful as was expected. Alterations are being made which will, it is hoped, render them suitable.

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22. There were only two bonded warehouses in the province as in the previous year, both being situated at Chandbali in the district of Balasore and owned by Messrs. Turner, Morrison & Co. The quantity of salt despatched to these two warehouses as well as to the bonded warehouses transferred to the new province was 14,31,464 maunds (11,44,646 from shipboard and 2,86,818 from golas in Calcutta) against 13,22,300 maunds (9,43,164 maunds from shipboard and 3,79,136 maunds from golas in Calcutta) in the previous year. The quantity of salt despatched to the warehouses at Chandbali alone from shipboard amounted to 1,20,240 against 72,568 maunds (66,484 from shipboard and 6,084 from the golas in Calcutta) in the previous year, showing an increase of 66 per cent.

Inland bonded warehouses.

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25. The quantity of Madras *karkatch* and refined salt imported into Orissa during the year was 11,94,529 maunds, against 9,47,102 in the previous year, showing an increase of 2,47,427 maunds, or of 26·1 per cent. Owing to the reduction of duty to Re. 1 per maund, the retail price decreased and there was larger consumption among the poorer classes.

Imports of Madras salt into Orissa by land.

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26. The figures given below show the consumption of Bombay salt in the Tributary States during the last four years. The salt is imported by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway:—

Imports of Bombay salt.

	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Jharsaguda ...	...	7,404	26,336	13,599
Sambalpur ...	5,141	32,354	43,370	31,228
Total ...	5,141	39,758	69,706	44,827

There was a decrease of 24,879 maunds in the consumption of Bombay salt as compared with the previous year, but this decrease was more than compensated by the increase of 42,217 maunds in the consumption of Madras salt in those States.

CONSUMPTION AND PRICES.

Consumption in Bengal.

27. The total quantity of salt which passed into consumption in the Province during the year under report was 82,81,916 maunds. This is exclusive of 26,05,201 maunds, the net export by land, but inclusive of 18,104 maunds educed from saltpetre.

Price of Salt.

30. * * * The further reduction in the rate of duty from Re. 1-8 to Re. 1 a maund with effect from the 20th March 1907 brought about a fall in the wholesale prices to the extent of 6 annas 10 pies a maund as compared with the previous year. The retail prices in the saliferous districts, for which alone information is available, also show a decline, the price per seer ranging from 9 pies to 1 anna 3 pies against 1 anna to 1 anna 6 pies in the preceding year. The reduction of duty came into operation twelve days before the close of the preceding year.

Exclusive of duty, the average wholesale price of Liverpool salt per hundred maunds as sold from the ship's side in the port of Calcutta was Rs. 54-7-4 against Rs. 48-10-2 in 1906-07.

PREVENTIVE MEASURES.

Attachments, releases and confiscations in the saliferous districts, including Orissa.

31. Illicit salt was attached in 99 and confiscated in 93 cases against 387 and 414 cases, respectively, in the previous year. The quantities attached and confiscated were, respectively, 7 and 4 maunds, against 18 and 55 during the year 1906-1907. There was thus a decrease of 11 maunds, or 61·1 per cent. in the quantity attached. No salt was released during the year.

Number of seizures and unsuccessful house-searches.

32. The total number of seizures of salt or salt earth was 137 against 387 in the previous year. There were no unsuccessful house-searches during the year.

Prosecutions.

33. * * In the 24-Parganas the total number of prosecutions fell to 38 from 139. The fall is ascribed to the cheapening of licit salt, the adequate supply of salt in every market, the opening of new shops in various localities and the constant patrol over the saline areas. In Howrah there have been no cases during the last three years. In Chittagong there was one case in 1906-1907, but none during the year under report, nor were there any in Noakhali, against two (one false) in the previous year, nor again in Midnapore, or in Puri, against 5 and 20, respectively. In Khulna there have been no prosecutions for the last two years. In Cuttack there were 11 cases in 1907-1908 against 5 in the previous year, while in Balasore there were 9 against 2 in 1906-1907. The increase is to be attributed to the distress prevailing among the residents of the saline tracts.

FINANCIAL RESULTS.

Receipts and charges.

36. * * * * The results of the year, as compared with 1906-07, show a decrease of Rs. 52,99,729 or 32·9 per cent. in receipts and of Rs. 99,023 or 20·3 per cent. in expenditure, the net revenue being Rs. 1,04,00,522, which is less than that of the previous year by Rs. 52,00,706 or 33·3 per cent. The charges do not include a proportionate share of the cost of the Customs Preventive Service, which is largely employed in safeguarding the salt revenue. The decrease in receipts, Rs. 53,19,724, occurs under the head "Import duty on salt" and is due chiefly to the reduction in the rate of duty from Re. 1-8 to Re. 1 a maund, though partly also to a diminution in the clearances of salt during the year. The miscellaneous receipts, on the other hand, show an increase of Rs. 19,777.

37. According to the figures furnished by the Accountant-General, Bengal, the charges during the year were Rs. 3,88,359 against Rs. 4,87,382* in 1906-07, showing a decrease of Rs. 99,023 or 20·3 per cent.

Charges.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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39. The quantity of salt educed in the manufacture of saltpetre during the year and removed on payment of duty from all the refineries in the Province was 18,104 maunds against 19,576 in the previous year, showing a decrease of 1,472 maunds. The decrease was due to the ordinary fluctuations of trade.

Trade in saltpetre in Bengal.

40. As in the previous year, there were two licensed saltpetre refineries at Soorah and Kakurgachi, but very little business was done in the latter.

Saltpetre refineries in Calcutta and its environs.

41. The quantity of refined saltpetre produced in the two refineries was 6,237 maunds against 11,283 maunds in the year before. The quantity of salt educed fell to 753 from 1,569 maunds and the quantity of *sitta* or impure salt left in the course of refinement was 784 maunds against 1,497 in the previous year. The decrease is due to a general decline in the trade. Five hundred and fifteen maunds of educed salt and 20 maunds of *sitta* were sold during the year. The license fees realised from the two refineries amounted to Rs. 100 and the duty recovered was Rs. 520.

Work done in the Calcutta refineries.

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* Revised figures.

BRUSSELS UNIVERSAL AND INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, 1910.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3548.—The 31st July 1908.—The following resolution of the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information, in continuation of this Government Notification No. 307, dated the 13th January 1908:—

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6453—6473—6, dated Simla, the 10th July 1908.

RESOLUTION—By the Govt. of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

The following papers relative to the Universal and International Exhibition to be held at Brussels in the year 1910 are published for general information, in continuation of Resolution No. 22-42-1, dated the 6th January 1908:—

BRUSSELS UNIVERSAL AND INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, 1910.

UNDER THE HIGH PATRONAGE OF HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE BELGIANS AND THE HONORARY PRESIDENCY OF H. R. H. PRINCE ALBERT OF BELGIUM WITH THE SUPPORT OF THE PUBLIC AUTHORITIES.

Appeal to Producers.

Brussels, January 24, 1908.

A Universal and International Exhibition will open at Brussels in the month of April 1910, and will last for about six months. Its Palaces and Halls will be erected in the new quarter of the Avenue Louise skirted by the grand old beech trees of the Bois de la Camber, the favourite resort of the Brussels people. What a delightful view indeed will the observer command from this picturesque site: he will witness in the distance the undulating country overlooked in the rear by the thick-set trees and green shrubbery of the Forest of Soignes.

From its position at the junction of the main lines of communication of Europe, and its being the Capital of one of the most densely populated and most industrial countries of the Globe, and having, for centuries past, been accumulating art treasures of all kinds, Brussels is so well known that any enlargement upon its reputation will be quite unnecessary.

Not only is the Belgian Capital the seat of a strong artistic, scientific, and commercial movements, but every possible effort is made towards improving the City and rendering it more and more attractive, while the people are always ready to welcome and extend hospitality to foreigners coming to visit Brussels.

No sooner had the scheme been announced than it secured the enlightened protection of the King and the support of Government; and the Brussels Exhibition is bound to be a great success.

The Belgian Government have acquainted the Foreign Cabinets with the organisation of this Exhibition, inviting them to take part and to be officially represented by appointing Commissioners or Committees.

Even now, important corporations are in course of formation, from all over Belgium considerable support is forthcoming and adhesions have practically been received from the large neighbouring Countries.

The Brussels Universal and International Exhibition includes, in broad lines, artistic, scientific, Industrial, commercial and colonial sections. It will be open to works of art, industrial and agricultural products, and generally to all wares coming within the classification annexed to the General Regulations.

The Artistic section will consist of an International Saloon of Fine Arts.

The Scientific section will embrace with the various degrees of education, the instruments and general methods connected with Letters, Sciences and Arts.

The Industrial section will be made up of all the products, methods and materials, both industrial and agricultural.

Steps will be taken to render fully complete the special groups connected with fancy trades, mines, metallurgy, machinery, electricity, arms manufacturing and mechanical locomotion.

The programme further contains special Exhibitions, temporary Agricultural and Horticultural Shows; Congresses, Conferences, Artistic and Sportive Fêtes.

The Executive Committee also propose to organise during the Exhibition popular games and competitions.

Furthermore, like at other Exhibitions, national compartments will be formed wherein the works and productions of a same country will be divided into groups and classes according to a system of general classification.

The Exhibition will cover a total area of about two hundred acres, a large portion of which will be reserved to the Foreign Sections. The installations will be connected with the Belgian State Railway, so as to bring all exhibits up to the required spot on rail tracks laid down in the Halls and ground.

The principal Palace and the Halls of the Exhibition will be built of iron and covered with hard materials: the roofed surface amounting to at least one hundred and fifty thousand square metres.

The Machinery Gallery will include numerous workshops in operation under the eyes of the Public.

A vast park, in which attractions will scatter in all directions, will surround the buildings.

Enclosed herewith will be found the full programme of the Exhibition comprising the General Regulations, and the detailed classification of the goods.

The attention of Exhibitors is specially directed to the fact that the rent for detached space includes handling charges (Article 25 of General Regulations). Exhibitors will thus be enabled to accurately estimate beforehand the charges incumbent upon them.

According to the clauses inserted in Articles 18 and 27 of the General Regulations, *special arrangements may be concluded for the hire of large spaces as well as for the handling work and storage of empties, but solely with such Countries as are officially represented.*

In that case, the charges would be fixed separately, viz.:

(1) For hire of space in the Halls, exclusive of expense of decoration;
(2) For handling;
(3) For storage of empties.

Any such agreements to be entered into with officially represented Countries will be drawn up by the Commissioner-General of the Belgian Government.

The Government will grant on the State Railways free transport to and fro, of Belgian products consigned to the Exhibition and free return in the case of foreign exhibits.

The exhibition will be treated as an actual bonded warehouse, foreign goods intended for the exhibition being allowed provisional duty-free importation subject to being afterwards re-exported.

The necessary measures will be taken by the Government for protecting in Belgium patentable inventions, industrial designs or models, and manufacturing or trade marks appearing at the Exhibition.

Moreover, the Belgian Government have sanctioned the organisation of a Lottery comprising several series of a million tickets each The prizes will be purchased from the Exhibitors, or (as regards series of tickets issued prior to the opening) from such persons as shall have given a written undertaking to exhibit.

An International Jury of Awards will be instituted, to operate under the control of the Commissioner-General of the Belgian Government. The Members of the Jury will be designated by the Government of their respective countries.

The General Regulations specify the nature of the awards to be attributed to the Exhibitors; same consist of diplomas or medals.

In conclusion, the Executive Committee propose to give all kinds of fêtes, to multiply the attractions with the view of enhancing the splendour of the Exhibition and increasing the number of visitors.

The Board of Directors of the "Société Anonyme de l'Exposition de Bruxelles" is placed under the Presidency of Baron Baeyens, Governor of the Bank "Société Généralé de Belgique." An Executive Committee with Mr. Emile De Mot, Senator, Burgomaster of the City of Brussels, as President, has been invested with all the powers of the Board.

The Executive Committee will determine the various measures coming within the scope of organisation and management, and are exclusively qualified to deal with all questions of receipts and expenditure.

Although an undertaking solely due to private initiative, the Brussels Exhibition has ensured the effective co-operation of the Belgian Government, and also the support of the City of Brussels and Province of Brabant. It is placed under the High Patronage of H. M. the King of the Belgians and under the Honorary Presidency of H. R. H. Prince Albert of Belgium.

The Duke d'Ursel has been invested with the functions of Government Commissioner-General to the Brussels Exhibition, and M. J. Gody has been appointed Deputy Commissioner-General.

The Exhibition is not organised with the view of profit; its promoters are anxious to make our country appreciated abroad, by displaying anew her productive power and industrial progress.

The Executive Committee therefore warmly appeal to all, convinced, as they are, that the character and object of the Exhibition will secure numerous and important adhesions.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Vice-Presidents:

Georges DUPRET,
Senator.

Maurice LEMONNIER,
Member of the Chamber of Representatives.
Alderman of the City of Brussels.

President:

Emile DE MOT
Senator,
Burgomaster of the City of Brussels.

Members :

Emile DE LAUNOY,

Senator,

President of the Brussels Chamber of Commerce.

Victor DE LOGHT,

Advocate, City Councillor.

Gustave FRANCOTTE,

Late Minister,

Member of the Chamber of Representatives.

Leon JANSSEN,

General Manager of the Brussels Tramways Company.

Omer LEPREUX,

Director of the National Bank of Belgium.

Edmond NERINCX,

Vice-President of the Chamber of Representatives.

Fernand VANDERSTRAETEN-SOLVAY,

Manufacturer.

Secretary :

Francis WIENER,

Advocate to the Court of Appeal.

Assistant Secretary :

Raoul VAN DEN BUIGKE,

General Managers :

Eug. KEYM,

Alderman at Watermael-Boitsfort.

Count Adrien van der BURGH,

Commissioner-General of the Belgian Government at the Milan Exhibition, 1906

Approved :

J. GODY,

Deputy Commissioner-General of the Government.

Duke d'URSEL.

Commissioner-General of the Government.

General Dispositions and Organic Rules.

CHAPTER I.

GENERAL PROVISIONS.

Object.

ART. 1.—The Exhibition will include chiefly art works (Painting, Sculpture, Engraving and Architecture), scientific works and the Industrial and Agricultural plant and productions of all nations.

It will further include military art and Colonial Exhibitions. The Executive Committee contemplate the creation of an exhibition of modern Decorative Art.

Machinery of every description will, as far as practicable, operate under the eyes of the public for the purpose of showing visitors the mode of working same and initiating them into the different lines of manufacture.

Special temporary shows and exhibits of agricultural machines in operation, live-stock, plants, flowers, fruits, vegetables, etc., are contemplated and those will be regulated by independent rules.

Location and Surface.

ART. 2.—The Exhibition will be installed in the new quarter of the Avenue Louise adjoining the Bois de la Cambre.

The Exhibition will cover more than 200 acres of ground and will be connected with the Belgian State Railway.

The Principal Palace as well as the Exhibition Halls will be built of iron and covered with hard materials, the surface occupied by the various buildings approximately reaching 150,000 square metres, made up of Halls for Industrial and Commercial products, Machinery Gallery, Railway Material and Electricity Departments, with annexes, etc.

A vast park surrounding the buildings will contain numerous attractions.

The Executive Committee have received numerous offers for the instalment of important attractions, such as the reconstituting a quarter of Old Brussels, together with its monuments, decorated and furnished houses whose occupiers will be clad in the costumes of the times, the establishment of a universal museum of fetichism, etc., etc.

Duration.

ART. 3.—The Exhibition will be inaugurated end of April 1910, and remain open for a period of at least six months, with the option for the Executive Committee to prolong it until the 15th November inclusive.

Board of Directors and Executive Committee.

ART. 4.—The Board of Directors (*) of the "Société Anonyme de l'Exposition de Bruxelles" under the Presidency of Baron Baeyens, Governor of the "Société Générale" Bank, have delegated their powers to an Executive Committee with Mr. Emile De Mot, Senator, Burgomaster of the City of Brussels, as President. This latter Committee will act as representative of the Company and deal with the various matters of Administration and Finance; it forms the executive and ruling authority in respect to the organisation and conduct of the Exhibition.

The Executive Committee have appointed two General Managers for the purpose of carrying out their resolutions.

Superior Commission of Patronage of Belgian Section.

ART. 5.—A Superior Commission of Patronage will be instituted and the duties of the Commission consist in promoting and facilitating the participation of Belgian producers.

It will be composed of Committees of groups and classes and also local Committees, such Commission and Committees to be governed by special regulations determining the duties assigned to them and mode of discharging same.

Government Commissioner-General's Department.

ART. 6.—The Department of the Commissioner-General of the Government is conducted by the Duke d'Ursel, Commissioner-General, with the co-operation of M. J. Gody Deputy Commissioner-General, General Manager of the Belgian Section, assisted by special Commissioners.

The Commissioner-General of the Government is the Government Representative with the Executive Committee of the Exhibition Company and with the Representatives or Delegates of Foreign Countries taking part in the Exhibition.

He acts as the Official Medium both between said representatives or delegates of Foreign countries and the Exhibition Company, and between the former and the Belgian Government in connection in all matters requiring consideration on behalf of their Exhibitors.

All enquiries generally are to be addressed to the Commissioner-General.

Concurrently with the Executive Committee of the Exhibition Company, the Government Commissioner-General will settle the whole plan of the Halls and laying out of the grounds, the general scheme for allotment of space in the Belgian and Foreign Sections and also the programme of right of way and party walls in these sections.

He will act between foreign Commissioners and the Executive Committee of the Exhibition Company in regard to the preparation of agreements for hire of space, cartage and handling of exhibits, storage of empties, etc., etc., but no personal responsibility will attach on that account.

He is to approve and adopt regulations, more particularly those connected with the cartage and handling service, the entries, maintenance of order, setting up and operation of machinery and mechanical or electrical appliances and installations.

The Government Commissioner-General, jointly with Mr. Gody, General Manager of the Belgian Section, will organise and control the participation of Belgian producers.

Special regulations will determine the functions and duties to be exercised by the Government Commissioner-General's Department and fix its relations with the Commission of the Belgian Section.

Belgian and Foreign Commissioners and Delegates.

ART. 7.—The Belgian Ministries and Public Administrations will accredit Delegates for the purpose of organising their special exhibitions, such Delegates to be placed under the authority of the Government Commissioner-General.

Foreign Governments have been advised of the organisation of the Brussels Universal and International Exhibition, in which they will be invited to take part and to be officially represented by accredited Commissioners; these Commissioners, representing their respective nationalities and having the charge of their interests, will arrange with the Executive Committee

(*) The Board of Directors is composed of Messrs. Baron Ferdinand Baeyens, president; Emile De Lanney, Emi De Mot, Gustave Francotte, Victor Fris, Baron Leon Lambert, Edmond Nerinex, vice-presidents; Jacques Cassel, Eugene Cavenaille, Victor De Locht, Georges Duprot, Baron Edouard Empain, Léon Janssen, Maurice Lemonnier, Omer Lepreux e Fernand van der Straeten-Solvay, Francois Vuxelaire-Claes, members; Francis Wiener, secretary, and Raoul Van den Bulcke, assistant secretary.

of the Exhibition Company through the Government Commissioner-General all questions relating to the distribution of space reserved to their respective country and installation of each national section. Collective Exhibitors belonging to Countries which are not officially represented can be admitted with the joint consent of the Executive Committee and Government Commissioner-General and may designate Commissioners subject to like approval. Exhibitors are not allowed to correspond with the Executive Committee except through the Representative or Delegate of their Country, but an Exhibitor whose country should not be represented by a Commissioner may correspond direct with the Executive Committee. This latter Committee will furnish all necessary information and circulate the Regulations required to be complied with by the Representatives or Delegates of the different nations and their Exhibitors.

Exchange of Space.

ART. 8.—No interchange of allotted space can take place between one country and another, unless with the sanction of the Executive Committee obtained through the Commissioner-General of the Belgian Government.

Classification of Goods.

ART. 9.—All products shall be divided into groups and classes as per list of general classification hereunto annexed. This document gives a summary enumeration of the products of each class; but is not restrictive. In case of doubt as to the classification of any article, the matter will be decided jointly between the Executive Committee and the Government Commissioner-General. Any small alterations which it may subsequently be necessary to make in the division of exhibits between the different classes shall be sanctioned by the Commissioner-General of the Government. This classification will form the basis of the arrangement of the products in each department allotted to the Exhibitors of a same nation, and on the International departments covering the Machine and Railway plant galleries.

General and Special Catalogues.

ART. 10.—The Executive Committee will compile an official and complete catalogue, methodically arranged, and containing the name and address of each Exhibitor with particulars as to trade and place of production (whether a factory, farm, etc.) the necessary information for which will be supplied by the Exhibitors under their sole responsibility, and according to the special form* which will be found herewith.

* Not printed.

Commissioners of represented Foreign Countries will be at liberty to issue, at their own expense, a special catalogue of their exhibits and to sell the same within their respective limits.

Protection of Inventions.

ART. 11.—The necessary measures will be taken by the Government for protecting in Belgium patentable inventions, industrial designs and models, as well as manufacturing or trade marks appearing at the Exhibition. It will be strictly forbidden to take copies, drawings, measurements, photos, cards or models of any objects exhibited unless with the Exhibitor's consent: the closest watch will be kept to enforce this rule. Nevertheless neither the Board of Directors nor the Executive Committee will incur any responsibility on account of infractions of this provision, dereliction of duty on the part of the guardians or violation of their orders.

The Executive Committee reserve to themselves the right of allowing general views to be taken and sold without the Exhibitor's consent being required.

Posters, Hand-bills, Show-cases, Signboards.

ART. 12.—All advertisements and notices, official or other printed matter intended to be posted or distributed within the Exhibition must first be submitted to the approval of the Executive Committee who will be entitled to withdraw their authority at any time.

Exhibitors will be required to submit to the Executive Committee for approval, plans of any show-cases, furniture or other fixtures intended to be used by them, and as regards machinery, apparatus, and plant connected with industry, noted plans showing height of proposed installation, including foundation and underground work, with statement of the total weight of the installation.

The Executive Committee, concurrently with the Commissioner-General of the Government, will regulate all matters affecting dimensions and placing of signboards.

Compliance with the Laws and Regulations.

ART. 13.—Exhibits of every description are to comply with the various requirements of the Laws and Regulations in force for the time being in Belgium. Exhibitors will be required to fulfil all the formalities prescribed by said Laws and Regulations, unless waived at the time by the competent Authorities.

The Belgian Government will grant administrative facilities for operating steam engines necessary for the purposes of the Exhibition.

Space Rent.

ART. 14.—All matters respecting the rent to be paid by Exhibitors for the space allotted to them will be found in Chapter II hereof.

Floorings and Partitions.

ART. 15.—The flooring of the Halls is calculated to bear per square metre a weight of 500 kilogs and in some parts to be mutually agreed upon up to 1,500 kilogs. Whenever alteration to the floors may be wanted for heavy or special exhibits, the consent of the Executive Committee will be required, and the work performed at Exhibitor's expense.

In their application for space, Exhibitors shall state the weight of their installation to the square metre.

Any partitions required over and above those leased by the Executive Committee shall, after being approved by the latter, be provided at Exhibitor's expense.

Decoration of Halls.

ART. 16.—The decoration will have to be borne by the Exhibitors, individually or collectively, subject to being first approved by the Executive Committee and the Commissioner-General of the Government.

Carriage of Exhibits.

ART. 17.—The Exhibition Company has secured from the Belgian Government:

(*a*) Free carriage to and fro, on the State Railway lines, of Belgian products consigned to the Exhibition.

This exemption from freight extends to raw materials for manufacturing purposes or for producing motive power at the Exhibition, and likewise to empties and packages having contained the goods and required for their return.

(*b*) The application of freight rates as per Tariff No. 10, in the case of foreign goods travelling on the State Railway lines. (This tariff provides for the free carriage on return from, and for the payment of the full rates on consignment to the Exhibition.)

Negociations will be opened with the view of obtaining reductions on Belgian Companies' lines, on Foreign lines and on the regular lines of steamers.

(*c*) The opening of a Post-Telegraph and Telephone Office within the Exhibition.

Handling of Goods.

ART. 18.—The Exhibition Company undertake, on behalf of persons exhibiting in detached spaces, the handling of goods within the Exhibition, free of charge, in respect of all packages of usual sizes and not exceeding 1,500 kilogs in weight, provided same are delivered on or before the 10th April, 1910. This includes:

(*a*) Taking delivery of the packages within the Exhibition premises;
(*b*) Unloading on the spot allotted;
(*c*) Removing empties and packages from, and bringing back to the spot allotted;
(*d*) Removing the goods when repacked.

Exhibitors shall comply with the instructions given to them by the Executive Committee with the view of facilitating the removal of empties.

The Executive Committee will cause to be stored and, at the close of the Exhibition, brought back for repacking empties belonging to foreign Exhibitors, but will not be responsible for the condition thereof when so returned.

Rent for storing empties will be charged at the rate of frs. 2·50 per square metre of surface measured according to the greatest dimensions above the floor, with a minimum charge of frs. 2·50 for any empty not reaching a square metre.

Foreign Exhibitors wishing to take charge of their own empties will have to remove them immediately after unpacking, and comply with the instructions of the Executive Committee.

Special terms must be arranged with the Executive Committee for the handling of packages exceeding 1,500 kilogs, also for any single package exceeding that weight such as blocks of stone or marble, iron wares, parts of machinery, cannons, fitted engines and threshers, etc. Also when the dimensions exceed the surface of ordinary Railway trucks such as timber, iron bars, beams, rolling stock (locomotives, railway and tramway carriages, cars, etc.), and craft. Further, in the case of any bulky packages of articles of a breakable nature, in certain instances Exhibitors may be required to join in, or to solely take charge of the handling of the goods.

The Executive Committee reserve to themselves the right to make arrangements, if possible, so that any travelling cranes intended for exhibition in the machinery gallery be set in working order sufficiently beforehand to be used for shifting and erecting work incumbent upon the Exhibitors, subject to payment of a fee.

With all Countries officially represented, the Executive Committee are prepared to arrange special terms for the handling of goods and storage of empties.

No contractor letting out show-cases, mirrors, furniture, posters and sign-boards, or no out-door salesmen will be entitled to the warehousing or return of empties, the Executive Committee not undertaking to interfere therein in any way.

The unpacking, laying out and repacking of goods and the repairing of empties, will be at Exhibitor's own cost. The repacking will be proceeded with according to the Executive Committee's instructions and must be completed before 31st December 1910, and all fixtures removed before 15th January 1911, after which date all remaining goods will be removed and stored at Exhibitor's cost and risk.

All goods unremoved by the 1st February 1911 will be sold by public auction six months afterwards, and the Exhibition Company will be entitled to proceeds of the sale.

Each Exhibitor or his delegate is to attend the reception of his goods, on arrival, and control the identity of same. Failing the Exhibitors or their agents being on the Exhibition premises to receive their packages, it will be optional with the Executive Committee to return the goods or unpack them at the expense and risk of the owner.

All materials intended for fixtures must, before introduction, be submitted to the Executive Committee for approval.

The Exhibition Company undertake that all goods will be handled with the greatest care, but it is expressly stipulated that in no case can the Company be held responsible for any loss, shortage, damage, etc., to packages or their contents.

Installation, Maintenance and Removal of Exhibits.

ART. 19.—The Foreign Public Administrations and Commissions will carry out their own installations in the special pavilions erected by them in the grounds or parts of Halls specially allotted them, subject to submitting their general plans to the approval of the Executive Committee who will agree to same jointly with the Government Commissioner-General.

ART. 20.—Exhibitors, whether singly or collectively, will have to bear the entire expense of their installations, such as special decorations, superstructure and consolidation of floors, partition framework and coating, ceilings, drapery, enclosures, supply of furniture, arrangement, ornamentation, laying out, preservation and cleaning of goods, foundations, fixing up, motive power, steam, water, gas, electricity, taking down, storage of empties, insurance, plantings and special levellings; reinstating the premises; customs or excise duties; license dues on excisable commodities, etc., etc., all measures in this connection to be approved by the Executive Committee and the Commissioner-General of the Government. Exhibitors will be held responsible for any damages caused by their installations to floorings, partitions, etc., in their use, and for such dilapidations as might be considered due to misuse

No Exhibitor shall be allowed to set up his installation in such a way as to deprive another Exhibitor from light, or to cause him any inconvenience or prejudice whatsoever

Save under a special authority, Exhibitors, whether singly or collectively, will not be allowed to cover up their exhibits during the hours fixed for public admission to the Halls and Pavilions.

No exhibits may be removed before the close of the Exhibition, except with the Executive Committee's special consent in writing.

Exhibitors are not allowed to remove their exhibits, products or fixtures, until after paying the charges for space, selling dues, damages (if any), etc.

CHAPTER II.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

Articles excluded.

ART. 21.—The Exhibition is not available to explosive, detonating and fulminant materials, nor generally any dangerous or injurious articles including medicines—patent or not—secret remedies and empiric preparations of unknown ingredients.

Alcohol, spirits, oils, essences, corrosive liquids and all matters likely to endanger other exhibits or inconvenience the public will only be admitted if contained in suitable strong vessels of small size.

Percussion caps, gun-primers, fireworks, matches and other like articles will be admitted in imitation form only, *i.e.*, without any adjunction of inflammable matter.

Articles likely to prove a nuisance, or of an unwholesome nature will be subject to such precautionary measures as may be prescribed.

The Executive Committee will also have absolute right to order the removal of products the nature or appearance whereof might be dangerous, unsuitable or incompatible with the aim and conveniences of the Exhibition.

Applications for Admission.

ART. 22.—Applications for admission must be made on the accompanying forms,* supplied by the Executive Committee, and these after being duly filled up and signed in duplicate, are to be forwarded in a prepaid envelope, not later than the 15th January 1909 as to machinery, apparatus and plant connected with industry, and before the 1st May 1909 as to other goods :

* Not printed.

(*a*) To the Government Commissioner-General, as regards exhibits of Belgian origin ;
(*b*) To the Commissioners of Countries officially represented at the Exhibition, as regards exhibits originating from those Countries ;
(*c*) To the Executive Committee of the Exhibition, 34, Rue des XII Apôtres Brussels, as regards exhibits originating from Countries not officially represented.

Applicants referred to in (*c*) shall not send their goods until their application has been considered by the Executive Committee and a certificate of admission duly issued.

ART. 23.—The allotted space will be measured according to the greatest length and width above the floor or ground.

All surfaces are to be established to the great square.

No allotted space can be assigned, exchanged or sub-let except with the express consent of the Executive Committee.

Exhibitors whether singly or collectively shall provide at their own expense, subject to the approbation of the Executive Committee, the ceilings, drapings, stuffs, linen or jute material, partition framework and coating, superstructure of floorings, foundations or consolidation of floors for heavy installations, all schemes connected with such installations, to be approved by the Executive Committee and the Government Commissioner-General.

CHARGES FOR SPACE.

ART. 24.—The spaces in the Belgian Section or in officially represented Sections will be granted for such rent and on such terms and conditions as the Commissioner-General of each section shall determine.

ART. 25.—The chargefor space in the different compartments—except in *the official sections and the Sections recognised by the Executive Committee jointly with the approval of the Commissioner-General*—including the general decoration of the halls and handling of the goods, has been established according to position as follows :—

I.—HALLS OF INDUSTRY AND TRADE.

A.—SIDE GALLERIES.

1. Collective Space.

Ground space ...	(*A*) Depth not exceeding 1 metre, *Per lineal metre frontage* ...	fr.	60
	(*B*) Depth exceeding 1 metre, *Per square metre ground surface* ...	,,	60
Wall space ...	(C) *Per lineal metre frontage* ...	,,	60
The charge for collective space allotted will in no case be less than		,,	60

2. Detached Space.

(*A*) Measured at the greatest dimension, the smallest being below 1 metre, *Per lineal metre frontage*		fr.	90
(*B*) Both dimensions exceeding 1 metre, *Per square metre ground surface*		,,	90
The charge for detached space allotted will in no case be less than		,,	90

B.—CENTRAL GALLERIES.

1. The charge will be ...	Collective space, *Per square metre* ...	fr.	90
	Detached space, *Per square metre* ...	,,	130
2. Charge for rooms having at least 5 metres frontage and 5 metres depth.	Single frontage, *Per square metre*		70
	Corner frontage, *Per square metre*		90

II.—HALLS OF MACHINERY, ELECTRICITY, RAILWAY PLANT AND BOILER SHED.

FOR MACHINES AND VARIOUS INSTALLATIONS.

A.—Side Galleries.

1. Collective Space.

Ground space ...	(*A*) The depth not exceeding 1 metre, *Per lineal metre frontage*	...	fr.	60
	(*B*) The depth exceeding 1 metre, *Per square metre ground surface*	...	„	60
Wall space ...	(*C*) *Per lineal metre frontage*	...	„	60
The charge for collective space allotted will in no case be less than			„	60

2. Detached Space.

(*A*) Measured at the greatest dimension, the smallest being below 1 metre, *Per lineal metre frontage*	...	„	90
(*B*) Both dimensions exceeding 1 metre, *Per square metre ground surface*	... ...	„	90
The charge for detached space allotted will in no case be less than		„	90

B.—Central Galleries.

The charges have been fixed as follows.	Collective space, *Per square metre*	...	fr. 90
	Detached space, *Per square metre*	...	„ 130

For any machine in operation, the duly proved expense of purchasing steam, water under pressure, gas, electricity and mechanical motive power will be refunded to the Exhibitor up to 50 per cent. of the amount paid for the space occupied by said machine, provided the expenses in question have been effected during the hours when the Halls are available to the public and the machine has been in operation at least four days per week and four hours per day.

III—GARDENS, SHEDS AND TENTS.

For space allotted to Exhibitors in the Gardens:			
(*A*) The depth not exceeding 1 metre, *Per lineal metre frontage*	... ...	fr.	25
(*B*) The depth exceeding 1 metre, *Per square metre ground surface*	... ...	„	25
The charge for space in this division will in no case be less than		„	25

For space allotted under sheds or tents, if any, the above charges will be increased by 5 fr. per lineal metre, or square metre, as the case may be.

Payments.

Art. 26.—Rent for space will be collected by the Executive Committee of the Exhibition Company.

When exceeding 1,000 frs., same is payable in two equal instalments, the first on receipt of the admission certificate, the second on the 1st April 1910.

Rent under or equal to 1,000 frs. is payable at once on receipt of the admission certificate.

Any Exhibitor failing to pay the rent within the prescribed time will forfeit his rights and the admission certificate issued to him will be deemed cancelled.

Large Spaces.

Art. 27.—**Special terms may be arranged in respect of large spaces hired in the Halls or Gardens.**

In every Section, the space reserved for public Circulation must be kept free by the several countries, and no encroachment thereon will be tolerated.

In regard to spaces let out in blocks, the public circulation ways will be reckoned in the measurement of the surfaces leased, but one-half only of such ways will be counted in the case of frontage allotments.

Date of completion of Exhibits.

Art. 28.—Exhibits must be completed and all the work connected therewith terminated before the 15th April, 1910.

Machinery and appliances which can only be fixed or mounted by passing over the space of other Exhibitors shall be completely set up by the 15th October 1909, or even earlier, should the Executive Committee deem necessary.

All machinery foundation work must be terminated on or before the 1st October 1909.

Should the Exhibitor fail to comply with above dates, he will *ipso facto* lose all claim to his space, the admission certificate will be deemed cancelled and the space rent paid will be forfeited to the Exhibition Company, without any legal and other proceedings being required. In such case, the Executive Committee will be entitled to remove unfinished installations or to have the same completed at Exhibitor's expense and risk.

Special Charges.

ART. 29.—Exhibitors requiring steam, water, gas, electricity, shall state in their application for admission the hourly quantity so required.

When motive power is required, the intended rate of speed and requisite power should be stated.

The adoption of electric motors, as also the foundations and expenses of private installation are for Exhibitor's account. Steam, water, gas, electricity and any mechanical motive power will be supplied according to the tariff providing for same.

Separate bye-laws will determine the conditions affecting the erection and working of mechanical and electrical machinery,. apparatus and appliances, and will be forwarded to Exhibitors on application.

Exhibitor's co-operation towards the services of the Exhibition.

ART. 30.—Exhibitors wishing to place all or part of the work performed by their machinery, apparatus and appliances, at the disposal of the Exhibition with the view of co-operating, on terms to be agreed upon, towards the production, distribution and utilisation of steam, water, gas, and motive power, or towards the lighting and handling services, shall submit their propositions to the Executive Committee prior to the 15th January 1909.

International Jury of Awards.

ART. 31.—An International Jury of Awards will be formed, the Members of which will be appointed by their respective Governments; this Jury will be organised and controlled by the Commissioner-General of the Belgian Government. Jurors of non-officially represented Countries shall be proposed by the Delegates of the Exhibitors of those nations and, if necessary, their appointment will have to be sanctioned by the Belgian Government, on the recommendation of the Commissioner-General of the Government.

The Jury will officiate as soon after the opening of the Exhibition as possible.

The Awards will consist of Grand Prize Diplomas; Diplomas of Honour; Diplomas of Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals, and Diplomas of Honourable Mention. These Diplomas may be accompanied by a Medal. The Awards will be delivered before the close of the Exhibition, in a grand fête held specially for the occasion; and a full list of Awards will receive the greatest publicity.

International Test Committees.

ART. 32.—International Committees may be formed for tests or trials similar to those of former Exhibitions.

Lottery.

ART. 33.—A lottery will be organised under the authority and control of the Government: the prizes will be purchased from Exhibitors or as regards series of tickets issued prior to the opening from such persons as shall have given a written undertaking to exhibit.

CHAPTER III.

ADMINISTRATION AND POLICE.

Exhibition of Products under names of Applicants.

ART. 34.—Products must be exhibited under the names of those persons who signed the applications for space; this rule will be strictly enforced.

Exhibitors who intend showing industrial art productions of which they are not the originators, must inform the Executive Committee and furnish due authorisation from the rightful proprietors.

ART. 35.—Exhibitors are free to add to their name, or style or firm the names of other persons having contributed to the merit and value of the articles exhibited.

Price of Exhibits.

ART. 36.—Exhibitors are invited to indicate the Market Price of the articles shown, as a guide to the Jury, as well as for the information of the public and of the Lottery Purchase Commission.

PROTECTION OF EXHIBITS.

Insurance—General and Special Supervision.

ART. 37.—Due precautions will be taken to protect all exhibits and packages from damage, and a general watch will be established to prevent the fixtures and exhibits being stolen, strayed or damaged.

The Government nor the Exhibition Company shall in no case be held responsible for injury or damage, whatever be the extent, suffered by Exhibitors in consequence of theft, fire, thunder and other storms, or floods, gas, explosions, flaw in construction or arising from any other cause whatsoever, nor shall Exhibitors have any claim on account of these risks, either against the Government or against the Exhibition Company.

Exhibitors desirous of insuring their goods, packages, etc., must do so through their own Agents and at their own cost.

Exhibitors will be answerable to the Exhibition Company and to other Exhibitors and parties, for all damage caused by their exhibits or by persons in their employ.

The Commissioners of participating countries as well as Exhibitors, whether singly or collectively, will be free to appoint under their own responsibility private inspectors and superintendents from a list approved by the Executive Committee; these officers will have to submit to the regulation framed by the Executive Committee.

Right to sell.

ART. 38.—Articles of every-day sale, also those manufactured or made up on the spot may be sold and delivered to visitors on payment of a percentage, to be fixed by agreement and compliance with special by-laws; but no such sales may take place in the Halls without a special authority in writing from the Executive Committee.

No article of food or drink can be served within the Halls except by authority of the Executive Committee.

A special agreement with the Executive Committee will regulate the sale of refreshments or eatables in the Gardens and grounds of the Exhibition and determine the tax to be paid.

Entries.

ART. 39.—One single free ticket will be issued to each Exhibitor or his Agent approved of by the Executive Committee, if the nature and importance of the exhibits require the continuous attendance of such Agent. This ticket shall not be transferable and shall be withdrawn if proved to have been made over or lent, without prejudice of further action. It must be signed by the Exhibitor or his Agent, shew the photograph of bearer, and mention the group and class to which he belongs. It will, moreover, bear the stamp of the Executive Committee.

Any person acting as Agent to several Exhibitors will be entitled to one free ticket only. Each Exhibitor will be entitled to one or more tickets for persons in his employ, but giving admission from 8 to 10 A.M. only.

Exhibitors of machinery in operation shall be entitled to one or more cards available for their men whilst the machinery is working.

The number of tickets to be issued will be solely determined by the Commissioner-General of the Government and the Executive Committee, they will be withdrawn in case of misuse or fraud.

The entries will be regulated by special rules.

Exhibition to be treated as an actual Bonded Warehouse.

ART. 40.—The Exhibition will be treated as an actual bounded warehouse, foreign goods intended to appear at the Exhibition being allowed provisional duty-free importation subject to being afterwards re-exported and complying with such formalities as the Belgian Government may impose.

Subsequent Rules.

ART. 41.—Rules will be issued later on, for regulating the despatch, reception, handling, installation and return of goods; and also for providing for the organization of supervison, customs, entries to the Exhibition, right of sale, formation and proceedings of the International Jury of Awards.

Special by-laws will provide for the establishment and working of mechanical and electric machinery, apparatus and appliances.

ART. 42.—Exhibitors or Contractors intending to erect constructions or stalls in the Gardens of the Exhibition must conform to the conditions which will be framed by the Executive Committee.

Separate and independent rules will regulate the licensing of special paying shows and eating or drinking establishments or places of performance, restaurants, bars, luncheon rooms, tobacco shops, etc., etc.

ART. 43.—Producers and manufacturers will by the mere fact of accepting the quality of Exhibitors, submit to the General or Special regulations and to such other measures of order and police as may be enacted in the future.

Exhibitors or contractors will be required to elect domicile at Brussels.

CHAPTER IV.

ANNEXED SHOWS.—CONGRESSES AND CONFERENCES.

Special Shows—Congresses and Conferences.

ART. 44.—Additional and temporary Shows, Congresses and Conferences, Lectures, Grand Fêtes; Choral and Musical Competitions, Concerts, etc., etc., will be organised during the Exhibition.

ART. 45.—The Executive Committee propose to promote International Congresses, and in a general way, will consider and, if thought fit, patronize all such schemes as are of a realisation likely to further enhance the attraction and éclat of the Exhibition.

Address for Communications.

ART. 46.—All communications connected with the Exhibition are to be addressed by prepaid letter to **The President of the Executive Committee, 34, Rue des XII Apotres, Brussels.**

Resolved in Executive Committee Meeting held on the 24th January 1908.

CLASSIFICATION ACCORDING TO GROUPS.

GROUP I.—EDUCATION.

Class 1.—Education of children. Primary education. Education of adults.
Class 2.—Secondary education.
Class 3.—Higher education. Scientific institutions.
Class 4.—Special artistic education.
Class 5.—Special agricultural education.
Class 6.—Special industrial and commercial education.

GROUP II.—WORKS OF ARTS.

Class 7.—Paintings. Cartoons. Drawings.
Class 8.—Engraving and lithography.
Class 9.—Metal and fine stone carving and engraving.
Class 10.—Architecture.

GROUP III—INSTRUMENTS AND GENERAL METHODS CONNECTED WITH LETTERS, SCIENCES AND ARTS.

Class 11.—Printing. Sundry impressions.
Class 12.—Book-trade. Musical editions. Book-binding (plant and products). Newspapers. Posters.
Class 13.—Photography.
Class 14.—Geographical and cosmographical maps and appliances. Topography.
Class 15.—Instruments of precision. Coins and medals.
Class 16.—Medicine and Surgery.
Class 17.—Musical instruments.
Class 18.—Theatrical art plant.

GROUP IV.—PLANT AND GENERAL METHODS CONNECTED WITH MACHINERY.

Class 19.—Steam engines.
Class 20.—Various other motors.
Class 21.—Various apparatus of general mechanics.
Class 22.—Machine-tools.

GROUP V.—ELECTRICITY.

Class 23.—Mechanical production and utilisation of electricity.
Class 24.—Electrochemistry.
Class 25.—Electric lighting.
Class 26.—Telegraphy and Telephony.
Class 27.—Various applications of electricity.

GROUP VI.—CIVIL ENGINEERING.—MEANS OF TRANSPORT.

Class 28.—Civil engineering materials. Equipment and methods.
Class 29.—Models, plans and drawings of public works.
Class 30.—Coachbuilders' and cartwrights' trades.—Saddle and Harness makers' trades.
Class 31.—Motor-cars and cycles.
Class 32.—Railway and Tramway plant.
Class 33.—Commercial Navigation equipment.
Class 34.—Aërial Navigation.

GROUP VII.—AGRICULTURE.

Class 35.—Rural husbandry plant and methods.
Class 36.—Viticultural implements and methods.
Class 37.—Agricultural implements and methods.
Class 38.—Agronomy.—Agricultural statistics.
Class 39.—Agricultural products of vegetable origin used as foodstuffs.
Class 40.—Agricultural products of animal origin used as foodstuffs.
Class 41.—Non-edible agricultural produce.
Class 42.—Useful insects and their products.—Noxious insects and vegetable parasites.

GROUP VIII.—Horticulture and Arboriculture.

Class 43.—Horticultural and Arboricultural implements and methods.
Class 44.—Pot-herbs.
Class 45.—Fruit-trees and fruits.
Class 46.—Ornamental trees, shrubs, plants and flowers.
Class 47.—Hot-house plants.
Class 48.—Horticultural and Nursery seeds and stock.

GROUP IX.—Forestry.—Hunting and Shooting.—Fisheries.—Fruit gathering.

Class 49.—Plant and methods for forest exploitation and industry.
Class 50.—Forest produce.
Class 51.—Hunting and shooting requisites.
Class 52.—Hunting and shooting produce.
Class 53.—Fishing tackle, implements and produce.—Water culture.
Class 54.—Fruit-gathering tackle, implements and produce.

GROUP X.—Foodstuffs.

Class 55.—Food industry implements and methods.
Class 56.—Farinaceous goods and by-products.
Class 57.—Bakers' and Pastrycooks' goods.
Class 58.—Preserved meat, fish, vegetables and fruits.
Class 59.—Sugar and confectionery, condiments and stimulants.
Class 60.—Wines and brandies.
Class 61.—Syrups and liqueurs, various spirits, industrial alcohols.
Class 62.—Miscellaneous beverages.

GROUP XI.—Mining.—Metallurgy.

Class 63.—Mine, ore and quarry working.
Class 64.—Heavy metallurgy.
Class 65.—Light metallurgy.

GROUP XII.—Decoration and Furnishing of Public Buildings and Private Houses.

Class 66.—Fixed decoration of Public buildings and private houses.
Class 67.—Stained window glass.
Class 68.—Painted wall papers.
Class 69.—Cheap furniture and costly furniture.
Class 70.—Carpeting, tapestry and other furnishing stuffs.
Class 71.—Movable decoration and upholstery work.
Class 72.—Ceramic ware.
Class 73.—Crystal and glass wares.
Class 74.—Heating and ventilating apparatus and methods.
Class 75.—Apparatus and methods for non-electric lighting.

GROUP XIII.—Yarns.—Textile Fabrics.—Clothing.

Class 76.—Plant and methods connected with spinning and ropemaking.
Class 77.—Plant and methods used in weaving.
Class 78.—Plant and methods for bleaching, dyeing, printing and sizing textile fabrics through their different stages.
Class 79.—Plant and methods for sewing and making up clothing.
Class 80.—Cotton yarns and fabrics.
Class 81.—Yarns and fabrics of linen, hemp, etc. Ropemaker's wares.
Class 82.—Woollen yarns and fabrics.
Class 83.—Silk and textiles of silk.
Class 84.—Lace, embroideries and trimmings.
Class 85.—Men's, women's and children's clothing: making up and sewing trades.
Class 86.—Various trades in the clothing line.

GROUP XIV.—Chemical Industry.

Class 87.—Chemical arts and pharmacy.
Class 88.—Paper making.
Class 89.—Hides and skins.
Class 90.—Perfumery.
Class 91.—Tobacco.

GROUP XV.—MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIES.

Class 92.—Stationery.
Class 93.—Cutlery.
Class 94.—Gold and silversmiths' wares.
Class 95.—Jewellery.
Class 96.—Clock and watch makers' goods.
Class 97.—Artistic bronze, cast and other iron work. Embossed metals.
Class 98.—Brush, morocco, turnery and basket trades.
Class 99.—India rubber and gutta-percha industry —Travelling and camping requisites.
Class 100.—Knick-knacks.

GROUP XVI.—SOCIAL ECONOMY.

Class 101.—Apprenticeship. Protection of working children.
Class 102.—Labour contract. Participation in profits—Professional Syndicates.
Class 103.—Large and minor industry. Co-operative associations of production or credit.
Class 104.—Co-operative societies of consumption.
Class 105.—Large and minor cultivation.—Agricultural associations.
Class 106.—Regulation of labour.—Health and security of workmen.
Class 107.—Working men's houses.
Class 108.—Provident institutions.
Class 109.—Institutions for the intellectual and moral development of workmen.
Class 110.—Public or private initiative in view of the welfare of citizens.

GROUP XVII.—PUBLIC HEALTH.—CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Class 111.—Public Health.
Class 112.—Charitable Institutions.

GROUP XVIII.—PRACTICAL EDUCATION.—ECONOMIC INSTITUTIONS.—FEMALE HANDICRAFT.

Class 113.—Education.
Class 114.—Sciences. Arts. Economic Institutions.—Charity.
Class 115.—Female Handicraft.

GROUP XIX.—TRADE.—COLONISATION.

Class 116.—Trade.
Class 117.—Methods of colonisation.
Class 118.—Colonial plant.
Class 119.—Special products for export to the Colonies.

GROUP XX.—LAND AND SEA FORCES.

Class 120.—Ordnance equipment and appliances.
Class 121.—Military engineering and services connected therewith.
Class 122.—Naval engineering. Hydraulic work. Torpedoes.
Class 123.—Cartography. Hydrography. Various instruments.
Class 124.—Administrative services.
Class 125.—Sanitation and sanitary appliances.

GROUP XXI.—SPORTS.

Class 126.—Exercise of children and adults.—Theory and practice.
Class 127.—Games and sports for children and adults.
Class 128.—Game and sport equipments.

GROUP XXII.—CONGRESSES AND CONFERENCES.

ORDERED that the foregoing papers be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India* for general information, and that copies be forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations named in the margin for information with the request that the papers may be published in the Local *Gazette*.

The Government of Madras.
" " Bombay.
" " Bengal.
" " the United Provinces.
" " the Punjab.
" " Burma.
" " Eastern Bengal and Assam.
The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces.
The Chief Commissioner of Coorg.

Ordered, also, that a copy be forwarded to the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara, and the Honourable the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province, for information, and to the Foreign Department, for information and communication to Native States.

Ordered, also, that a copy be forwarded to all Chambers of Commerce for information.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 3rd August 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	1·65	7	7	Rainfall at Kalna 1·67, Katwa 0·26, and Raniganj 0·77 inch. Transplantating of winter rice yet continuing. Condition of sugarcane at places not good. No cattle-disease.
2	BIRBHUM ...	2·48	7	7	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	1·67	7¼	6½	Weather rainy. Rainfall at Vishnupur 2·41 inches. Transplantation of winter rice still going on in places. Prospects of crops good. 1,079 persons gratuitously relieved on the 31st July. No cattle-disease Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 5½ to 7 seers a rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE	3·78	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 1·35, Tamluk 1·25, and Ghatal 0·84 inch. Transplantation of winter rice going on vigorously. Prospects of *aus* paddy good, of jute, *til*, maize and sugarcane fair. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Contai and Ghatal, and at 6 seers at Tamluk.
5	HOOGHLY ...	0·95	6½	6½	Weather cloudy. Rainfall in the district general. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute, *aus* and sugarcane fair. Weeding of jute and of *aus* paddy and transplantation of *haimantik* paddy continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	1 43	6¾	6¾	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Ulubaria 2·81 inches. Water gradually subsiding in the Rupnarayan and Damodar. Transplantation of paddy going on vigorously. Prospects of jute not very hopeful, those of paddy fair. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-desease. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Sadar and 6 seers at Ulubaria and coarse rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Ulubaria.
7	24-PARGANAS	1 79	6	6¾	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Jute not favourable. Paddy damaged by insects in parts of Barasat and by recent heavy rain in parts of Basirhat and Diamond Harbour subdivisions and in Vishnupur, Bhangar and Jaynagar thanas. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 6¾ seers at Basirhat, 6⅞ seers at Diamond Harbour and 6½ seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	0·99	6⅞	6⅞	Rainfall at Ranaghat 1·12, Chuadanga 0·51, Meherpur 1·54 and Kushtia 0·75 inches. Prospects of *aus* paddy fair, of autumn paddy good. Prospects of jute fair. Weeding continuing but insufficient. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity prevalent in Meherpur subdivision. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending 22 test-works on 28th—men 3,839, women 6—Total 3,845. Rs. 860 received by 2,276 persons as gratuitous relief.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	1·32	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy. Rainfall at Kandi 0·57, at Lalbagh 0·84, and Jangipur 0·92 inch. Transplantation of *aman* paddy going on, but retarded in places in Jangipur for want of sufficient rain. Prospects of jute good except in Gokaran thana. Weather favourable for jute. Condition of sugarcane good. Stocks of food-grains not likely to be sufficient. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Agricultural stock fair.
10	JESSORE ...	1·82	$7\frac{3}{16}$	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Jhenidah 0·56, Magura 0·86, Narail 0·80 and Bangaon 1·02 inches. Transplantation of *aman* paddy and weeding of *aus* going on. Condition of jute not favourable. More rain wanted. Stocks of food-grains getting exhausted. High prices continuing. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. Cattle-disease reported from Narail. Fodder and water sufficient. 217 persons employed in District Board test-works and 3,373 persons given gratuitous relief.
11	KHULNA ...	2·10	$8\frac{1}{2}$	$8\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bagerhat 1·38 and at Satkhira 1·19 inches. Prices of staple food-crops almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops fair but of jute not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	0·25	$7\frac{1}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{2}$†	$7\frac{1}{4}$	Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of *bhadoi* crops fair. Transplantation of *mandua* finished in Barh. More rain urgently wanted for transplantation of paddy. Paddy seedlings withering in places. Sugarcane doing well. Prices almost stationary. Food-stocks likely to be sufficient if not largely exported. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	1·21	8* $9\frac{1}{4}$†	$8\frac{1}{8}$* $9\frac{1}{4}$†	Weather hot, later cloudy with showers. Rainfall during the week everywhere scanty. Sugarcane and *bhadoi* crops doing well. Transplantation of paddy seedlings continuing, but more rain urgently wanted for this operation. Paddy seedlings in Jahanabad suffering badly for want of rain. Prices almost stationary. Fodder and water for cattle ample. Cattle-disease still continuing in one village in the Nawadah subdivision.
14	SHAHABAD ...	0·21	8 10†	8 10†	Rainfall at Buxar 0·14, Bhabua 0·58, Sasaram 0·60, and Dehri 0·02 inch. Sugarcane doing well. Rain urgently wanted for *bhadoi* crops and paddy seedlings. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	SARAN ...	0·28	8 10*	8 9*	Weather hot. Rainfall at Basantpur 4·90 inches. Weeding of *bhadoi* crops going on. Rain wanted. Paddy being transplanted in the Gopalganj sub-division. Prospects of paddy gloomy for want of rain in Sadar. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stock resources external. Agricultural stock good. Cattle-disease sporadic. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0·11	8 10½*	8 10½*	Weather hot and cloudy. Rainfall at Bettiah 2·6 inches. Weeding of *bhadoi* crops and transplantation of winter paddy going on. More rain wanted in south of the district. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Bagaha.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·24	8¼ 10¾*	8¼ 10¼*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Rainfall at Hajipur 0·40 and at Sitamarhi 0·44 inches. Prospects of standing crops generally fair, but absence of rain beginning to be severely felt in some portions of the district. Transplantation of paddy stopped for want of rain. Common rice and maize selling at 7 5/16 and 9⅛ seers per rupee respectively at Hajipur and 7¾ and 10 seers respectively at Sitamarhi. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity at present.
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·06	8¼ 11*	8 9/16 11*	Weather hot. Very slight rain during the week. More rain urgently wanted. Weeding of *makai* in progress. Transplantation of *marua* going on. Paddy transplantation retarded for want of rain. Agricultural stock sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water available. Cattle-disease reported from Madhipura outpost.
19	MONGHYR ...	0·32	7 9½*	7 9*	Weather seasonable but rainless. *Bhadoi* crops doing well, but rain urgently wanted, especially for transplantation of paddy. Prices of food-grains stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock good.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·27	8 3/16 10½*	8 3/16 10½*	Weather hot and cloudy. High winds at Sadar. Rain badly required for standing crops. Transplantation and sowing of paddy retarded for want of rain. Prospects of jute good at Madhipura and fair at Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	0·78	7	8	Transplantation of *aghani* paddy commenced in some places. More rain urgently required. Condition of standing crops good. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Cattle-disease reported in one mauza in Raniganj. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 and 7¼ seers a rupee at Kishanganj and Araria respectively.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	11·57.	7 10*	7 10*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize being harvested in some places. Potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy growing. Winter rice and *bara marua* being sown. Terai—Transplantation of winter rice going on. Prospects of standing crops including jute not quite satisfactory. Supply of food-grains sufficient.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	2·11	$6\frac{3}{16}$ 9*	$6\frac{1}{4}$ 8*	Rainfall at Deoghur 1·25, Godda 0·95, Jamtara 1·76, Pakour 0·76 and Rajmahal 1·37 inches. Transplantation of paddy going on. More rain wanted in Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal. Prospects of maize and jute fair Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Small loans being given to poorer cultivators. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from places.
24	CUTTACK ...	3·89	$7\frac{35}{64}$	$7\frac{35}{64}$	Rainfall general. Jute, *biali* paddy, *mandia*, turmeric and *arhar* growing well. *Saradh* paddy being transplanted and weeded. Prospects of jute fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of cattle generally good. 666 men, 1,527 women and 3,730 children—total 5,923 given gratuitous relief. 187 men, 421 women and 749 children—total 1,357—on test-works.
25	BALASORE ...	5·78	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	Rainfall at Bhadrak 1·57 inches. Weather seasonable. Puddling, transplanting and weeding of *saradh* paddy and weeding of jute and *ashu* paddy continuing. Prospects of jute fair. Sugarcane and vegetables thriving. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some places of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal, Basta and Jellasore thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 seers a rupee at Bhadrak. 80 men, 405 women and 375 children—total 860—at Sadar and 343 men, 2,016 women and 2,853 children—total 5,212 at Bhadrak receiving gratuitous relief. 52 men, 142 women and 156 children—total 350—attending test-works in Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	0·85	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Phulbani 1·97 inches. Condition of standing crops good. Transplantation of winter paddy and weeding of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Cheapest rice selling at $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee in Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief—53 men, 139 women and 243 children—total 435 in Angul and 124 men, 162 women and 74 children—total 360 in Khondmals. Persons on test-works—182 men, 115 women and 17 children—total 314—in Angul, and 313 men, 129 women and 102 children—total 544—in Khondmals.
27	PURI ...	2·78	$7\frac{8}{16}$	$6\frac{7}{8}$	*Beali* paddy being weeded and *saradh* paddy growing well. Miscellaneous crops growing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending test-works—men 311, women 216 and chidren 780—total 1,307. Recipients of gratuitous relief—men 386, women 1,079 and children 1,097—total 2,562. Piece-works attended by 78 men.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	5·02	9	8½	Weather cloudy. Sowing of autumn rice continuing. Reploughing and transplantation of autumn and winter rice and weeding of autumn rice in progress. Condition of standing sugarcane crop good. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water-supply sufficient. Rinderpest in both Tahsils. Cheapest rice selling at 10⅛ seers per rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	0·98	7¼* 8†	7¼* 8†	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy commenced. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 645, women 1,759 and children 1,073 —total 3,477. Relieved on one District Board work—men 67, women 10 and children 19—total 96. Persons doing piece-work 499.
30	RANCHI ...	1·83	7½*	7½*	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy in full swing. Standing crops doing well. *Gondli* reported to be damaged by disease in parts of Gumla and Khunti subdivisions. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Sadar, 5 seers at Gumla. Persons attending test-works—men 188, women 203 and children 116 —total 507. Persons gratuitously relieved on undeclared area—men 72, women 329 and children 26—total 427. Persons on famine relief-works on declared area—men 3,192, women 4,600 and children 2,945—total 10,737. Persons gratuitously relieved in declared area—men 787, women 2,336 and children 1,602—total 4,725.
31	PALAMAU ...	1·34	7	7⅛	Weather seasonable. *Bhadoi* crops and sugarcane doing well. More rain required for paddy transplantation. Local grain stocks insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water generally available. Some cattle-disease. Gratuitous relief discontinued.
32	MANBHUM ...	3·39	7	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Gobindpur 0·92 inch. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of winter rice still in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Nirsha and Chirkunda thanas. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate at present. No sign of scarcity. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	2·38	6	·6	Weather cloudy. Transplanting operations going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and at 7½ seers at Seraikella.
34	COOCH BEHAR	5·21	8⅝	8⅝	Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *bâri* paddy and transplantation of *haimantik* paddy continuing. Prospects and condition of jute fair. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine.

* Aurua rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

	Inches.
Narsingpur ..	3·72
Hindol ...	3·02
Baramba ...	3·65
Daspalla ...	4·70
Kalahandi ...	3·05
Pal Lahera...	4·61
Athgarh ...	3·80
Keonjhar ...	2·54
Bamra ...	5·99
Sonpur ...	5·84
Bonai ...	4·35
Ranpur ...	2·78
Patna ...	1·32
Boad ...	7·19
Dhenkanal ...	3·17
Maurbhanj ...	4·57
Nayagarh ...	3·17
Talcher ...	6·00
Rairakhol ...	5·53
Nilgiri ...	1·12
Gangpur ...	4·89
Khandpara...	Moderate rain fell for 5 days.

Sowing of paddy continuing in Kalahandi, Patna and Rairakhol. Transplantation going on in almost all the States. Puddling of paddy going on in Hindol, Baramba, Daspalla, Athgarh, Ranpur, Dhenkanal, Maurbhanj and Nayagarh. *Behura* operation (re-ploughing) nearly completed in Baramba and Bonai. All crops in Baramba, Daspalla, Khandpara, Ranpur, Boad, Rairakhol and Gangpur, sugarcane in Narsingpur, Hindol, Pal Lahera, Athgarh, Keonjhar, Patna, Nayagarh and Talcher, cotton in Hindol, Nayagarh and Talcher, Indian-corn, *gulji* and *gora* paddy in Keonjhar, doing well. Agricultural stock, fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice stationary in 20 States and fallen from 8 to 7 seers in Maurbhanj and 10 to 9 seers in Talcher since last week.

* The report is for the week ending the 25th July 1908.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Rain was general all over the Province. The fall was heavy in Darjeeling and also in Balasore, Sambalpur and Cooch Behar; it was light in all other parts of the Province, Bihar excepted, where the fall was scanty. In Bihar more rain is urgently wanted for the proper growth of the standing *bhadoi* crops and for the transplantation of winter paddy. The condition of jute is fair, except in Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Jessore and Khulna. Paddy seedlings are suffering for want of sufficient rain in Patna, Gaya and Saran. Damage to paddy by insect-pests is reported from the 24-Parganas. Sugarcane is doing well. The price of common rice has risen in the 24-Parganas, Gaya, Darbhanga, Purnea and Palamau, has fallen in Bankura, Jessore, the Sonthal Parganas, Puri and Sambalpur, and has been stationary in the remaining districts. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient for the Province. Cattle-disease is prevalent in Jessore, Gaya, Saran, Purnea, the Sonthal Parganas, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Palamau and Manbhum. The number of persons on gratuitous relief was 30,709, of whom 15,352 were in Orissa. Test works in Nadia, Jessore, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 9,114 persons. The number of persons on famine relief works in Ranchi was 10,737.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 4th August 1908.

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No

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block

Whence imported	Food-grains								Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Nos.	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	10,184	4,169	12,790	.....	.....	1,053	.....	13,843	2,655	39,840	165	673
Birbhum	22,957	3,024	24,847	42	5	2,131	.....	27,025	22	2,800	1,708	.....
Bankura	10	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	1,156	1,225	.....	.....
Midnapore	164,899	1,170	165,840	24	152	2,287	.....	168,003	3,027	41,540	3,282	7
Hooghly	133,089	6,424	137,704	6	107	5,433	151	143,400	98,959	5,455,778	1,561	1,066
24-Parganas	369,491	27,851	386,898	.....	14	1,116	.....	388,028	337,646	15,537,603	177	437
Nadia	874	514	1,195	11,997	255	162,164	80,944	256,545	102,989	19,840	17,411	393
Murshidabad	10,136	.....	10,136	2,780	.....	23,173	2,935	45,024	32,499	10,010	2,001	734
Jessore	386	.....	386	169	.....	14,454	.....	15,009	52,487	2,765	1,174	1,104
Khulna	3,065	7,380	7,677	.....	.....	1,074	40	8,791	47,002	455	851	330
Total Bengal	721,601	50,532	753,183	15,008	533	212,884	84,070	1,065,678	678,442	21,111,446	28,328	4,744
BIHAR												
Patna	1,664	10	1,670	132	.....	89,776	32,521	124,099	.....	1,435	123,129	31,109
Gaya	30	.....	30	79	.....	10,298	.....	10,407	.....	3,430	51,628	2,346
Shahabad	633	.....	633	.....	.....	33,339	1,500	37,972	.....	1,050	41,603	1,125
Saran	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,601	405	3,006	.....	2,310	10,375	7,491
Champaran	7	.....	7	.....	.....	2,102	1,366	3,475	.....	560	75,187	30,534
Muzaffarpur	.....	.....	.....	2,159	.....	10,630	2,510	15,299	164	1,050	151,367	20,683
Darbhanga	33	.....	38	1,916	.....	10,577	1,880	20,376	.....	1,225	160,670	17,10;
Monghyr	9	.....	9	3,300	336	127,295	13,422	144,502	194	9,835	64,175	72,379
Bhagalpur	146	.....	146	17,143	150	29,216	24,631	71,286	30,374	1,190	96,637	100,131
Purnea	5	1,017	641	3,207	.....	1,323	3,320	8,491	142,088	8,355	2,193	47,062
Santhal Parganas	309	.....	309	34,450	.....	12,058	4,274	51,091	21,197	945	8,328	32,763
Darjeeling	12	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	10,232	50,400	119	.....
Cooch Behar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65,052	175	.....	8,239
Total Bihar	2,848	1,027	3,490	63,476	536	335,715	85,789	488,006	269,291	82,468	785,401	371,014
ORISSA												
Cuttack	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,325	224	2,549	2,657	8,855	.....	.....
Balasore	541	.....	541	.....	.....	.....	.....	541	36,445	13,440	.....	.....
Sambalpur	17	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	.....	845	.....	.....
Mourbhanj State	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	195	.....	.....
Total Orissa	558	.....	558	.....	.....	2,325	224	3,107	39,102	22,240	.....	.....
CHOTA NAGPUR												
Hazaribagh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	111	235	346	.....	6,301	272	.....
Ranchi	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	280	.....	.....
Palamau	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,556	408	.....
Manbhum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,950	31	.....
Singhbhum	9	.....	9	.....	67	381	14	473	.....	.....	148	.....
Gangpur (Tributary State)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	.....	.....	.....
Total Chota Nagpur	9	.....	9	.....	67	494	249	819	.....	14,070	1,399	.....
Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	725,016	51,559	757,240	77,484	1,136	551,418	170,332	1,557,610	986,915	21,230,216	815,128	375,758
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
Burma	2,176,314	1,728,637	3,256,712	.....	.....	47,685	39,056	3,343,453	.....	19,878	.....	.....
E. B. and Assam	203,528	8,326	208 732	18,964	1,293	40,926	14,013	283,928	1,587,541	276,555	56,023	205,921
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	136	.....	136	568,492	4,874	93,425	22,966	691,893	1,264	11,550	99,325	407,061
Punjab	295	5	298	49,779	7,145	7,919	2,578	67,719	.....	15,680	..	3,136
Sind and British Baluchistan	15	.....	15	31,844	.....	.....	.....	31,859	.....	70	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	2,931	396	3,179	56,896	.....	9,364	.....	69,439	.....	2,310	2,697	143
Bombay	7	5	10	3,554	.....	4	293	3,860	.....	.....	.....	612
Madras	35,794	.....	35,794	.....	.....	36,021	37,066	108,881	.....	250	.....	1,034
Rajputana and Central India	.....	.....	.....	1,611	.....	.....	3	1,614	.....	3,465	424	2,409
Nizam's Territory	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,406	1,406	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1908	3,144,036	1,788,928	4,262,116	808,624	14,448	788,762	287,712	6,161,662	2,875,720	21,540,234	970,167	996,064
GRAND TOTAL 1907	2,093,201	815,416	2,602,896	917,404	16,995	1,053,523	111,196	4,701,953	1,610,800	26,824,368	1,717,685	1,181,836
GRAND TOTAL 1906	2,209,896	518,976	2,534,256	489,196	21,205	854,839	86,281	3,985,777	1,257,052	24,628,906	1,115,211	835,033

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag

by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the months of April and May 1908

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO		Whence Imported
					Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	
									BENGAL
.....	14	.....	10,014,037	.....	44	36	.....	.....	Bardwan
.....	70	135	.....	.....	.....	... ...	55	.....	Birbhum
.....	249	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	524	Bankura
.....	1,161	37	450	.....	12	15,966	2	53	Midnapore
.....	543	... ...	6,951	.....	250	9,706	10,957	711	Hooghly
.....	3,920	.....	18,087	.....	77,212	15,118	4,297	1,263	24-Parganas
.....	1,324	.....	.....	25	92	12,961	2,784	.....	Nadia
.....	894	1,835	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Murshidabad
.....	1,763	.....	.....	... ...	.....	35,429	2,004	... ...	Jessore
.....	683	.....	.....	.....	203	725	67	.....	Khulna
.....	10,027	2,007	10,039,525	25	77,810	89,971	20,196	2,551	Total Bengal
									BIHAR
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	210	.....	2,200	1,708	Patna
.....	233	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	2,270	Gaya
.....	143	.....	.....	.....	900	373	34		Shahabad
.....	... ...	... ...	.....	.....	.....	6,833	22	.....	Saran
.....	.....	1,064	.....	.....	.....	201	.....	... ...	Champaran
.....	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,352	1,824	.....	Muzaffarpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	3,187	.....	Darbhanga
.....	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	267	175	370	Monghyr
.....	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	597	.....	Bhagalpur
.....	56	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	39,648	509	Purnea
.....	2	9	1,606	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	Santhal Parganas
11,368	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....	58	Darjeeling
... ...	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	56	.....	Cooch Behar
11,368	508	1,073	1,606	3	1,110	9,026	47,643	4,975	Total Bihar
									ORISSA
.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	Cuttack
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	177	.....	Pu
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	... ...	Sambalpur
.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mourbhanj State
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	177	.....	Total Orissa
									CHOTA NAGPUR
.....	13	.....	344,234	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	Hazaribagh
227	.....	... ...	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	..	Ranchi
.....	2	... ...	881	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Palamau
.....	.....	... ...	13,772,906	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Manbhum
.....	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	Singhbhum
... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	Gangpur (Tributary State)
227	384	...	14,117,521	.....	... ...	.....	.....	...	Total Chota Nagpur
11,595	10,919	3,080	24,158,652	28	78,920	98,997	68,016	7,526	Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
									OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
..	6,702	.....	.....	.....	4,108	.....	1,083	248	Burma
14,924	30,039	672	1,214	.....	.....	110	38,815	.....	E. B. and Assam
115	13,580	.....	.....	...	4	3,312	115	64	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
35	6,140	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	4	18	Panjab
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	726	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	20,547	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	Central Provinces and Berar
5	18,518	5	.....	.....	629	.....	544	79	Bombay
.....	7,681	511	... ...	.....	13,895	.....	322	127	Madras
.....	1,103	.....	45,291	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	... ..	.....	Nizam's Territory
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	... ...	.....	.....	Pondicherry
26,674	115,989	3,778	24,205,157	28	97,556	102,476	109,529	8,801	1908
50,722	2 2,557	2,008	21,181,310	472	90,018	84,964	154 954	8,594	1907 } GRAND TOTAL
44,762	185,755	2,478	25,122,984	20	31,108	97,237	116,444	5,892	1906

No. II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the months of April and May 1908

Routes	Food-grains						Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice	Paddy*	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.	Mds	Mds
By boat	577,702	30,073	2,339	193	43,607	281	467,558	20,385,049	12,137	4,592
„ river steamer ...	2,388	63	132	.....	6,068	.....	302,915	38,745	25,430	170,026
„ rail — E. I. Railway	48,885	6,437	687,229	12,560	441,443	111,985	97,871	165,165	884,970	761,708
„ rail — E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	148,322	11,606	26,889	1,548	200,835	97,388	1,506,321	752,640	43,583	57,603
„ rail — A.-B. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	148	735	.....	.....
„ rail — B.-N. Railway	32,874	887	56,691	147	16,321	24,426	7,135	43,540	3,899	143
„ rail — D.-S. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	770	.....	.....
„ rail — Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways	614	40	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	5,670	148	.....
„ road	147,488	9,504	.....	.....	602	.....	93,666	130,582	.....	345
„ sea	2,185,763	1,729,418	35,344	.....	79,880	53,632	35,700	27,728	.....	1,647
Total ... 1908 ...	3,144,036	1,788,928	808,624	14,448	788,762	287,712	2,575,720	21,560,224	970,167	996,064
Total ... 1907 ...	2,093,201	815,416	917,401	16,995	1,053,522	111,196	1,610,800	26,824,393	1,717,685	1,181,836
Total ... 1906 ...	2,209,896	518,976	489,196	21,205	854,839	86,281	1,257,652	24,628,906	1,115,211	835,032

Routes	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boat	.....	3,560	.....	615	.....	1,146	45,475	11,711	54
„ river steamer ...	9,803	12,058	235	1,214	.....	.....	909	2,269	2,359
„ rail — E. I. Railway	184	21,434	349	17,767,222	3	1,158	11,356	9,105	2,414
„ rail — E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	13,529	5,198	3,108	2,247	25	.....	29,204	178,088	284
„ rail — A.-B. Railway	2,624	840	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ rail — B.-N. Railway	198	22,281	16½	6,422,090	.....	.....	.....	866	584
„ rail — D.-S. Railway	317	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ rail — Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	2
„ road	.....	3,019	.....	21,769	.....	76,620	15,522	5,630	1,968
„ sea	19	46,899	5	.....	.....	18,632	.....	1,860	1,136
Total ... 1908 ...	26,674	115,289	3,773½	24,205,157	28	97,556	102,476	209,529	8,891
Total ... 1907 ...	50,722	222,557	2,608	21,181,310	472	90,048	84,964	134,954	8,594
Total ... 1906 ...	44,762	185,755	2,478	25,122,984	20	31,108	97,237	116,444	5,892

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunnycloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

No. 111

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the months of April and May 1908

	Cotton piece goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
From Foreign Countries—	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom	2,36,31,489	.....	13,069	.....	719,787	.....
Other countries	4,36,084	.....	10,773	.....	1,643,195	480,877
Total	2,40,67,573	.....	23,842	.....	2,362,982	480,877
Coastwise—						
From British ports in—						
Bengal	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....
Eastern Bengal and Assam	950	720	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	.....	18,23,257	132	23,819	223,732	.....
Madras	892	1,14,811	.....	.....	709	.....
Burma	13,218	23,360	.....	.....	.....	376,287
Total	15,060	19,62,148	132	23,829	224,441	376,287
Total 1908	2,40,82,633	19,62,148	23,974	23,829	2,587,423	857,164
Total 1907	3,64,09,998	17,54,719	26,371	25,394	2,915,817	863,720
Total 1906	3,23,02,493	8,25,961	26,496	23,077	2,307,195	705,114

No. IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the months of April and May 1908.

	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
To British ports in—										
Bengal	54,531	57,444	90,433	.....	40	27	.....	90,500	.....	1,760
Eastern Bengal and Assam	4	.....	4	3	1,824	1,679	.....	3,520	.....	14,025
Bombay	13,749	.....	13,749	144	.....	.....	.....	13,893	.....	4,207,250
Sind and British Baluchistan.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,166,550
Madras	.....	1	1	2,633	3,581	17,128	300	23,643	.....	3,204,407
Burma ...	5,516	.....	5,516	9,094	36,568	45,792	8,126	100,096	21	5,315,103
To Indian ports not British—										
Kathiawar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	.....	39	.....	68,900
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,500
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	22,500
Total ...	73,800	57,445	109,703	6,884	42,013	64,665	8,426	231,691	36	14,012,985
To Foreign countries—										
United Kingdom	55,004	.....	55,004	.....	.....	8,247	.....	63,251	827,521	7,675,415
Other countries	509,904	17	509,914	2,458	7,679	32,875	4,702	557,628	1,539,096	102,273,650
Total ...	564,908	17	564,918	2,458	7,679	41,122	1,702	620,879	2,366,617	109,949,065
1908 ...	638,708	57,462	674,721	9,342	49,692	105,787	13,128	852,570	2,366,653	123,962,000
Total ... 1907 ...	1,150,122	.....	1,150,122	56,741	84,968	271,988	17,063	1,580,882	1,473,950	144,448 219
1906 ..	1,668 240	905	1,668,814	17,649	68,539	195,562	12,938	1,963,436	1,234,713	95,678,420

	Linseed	Mustard seed	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar: Refined	Sugar: Unrefined	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Tobacco: Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British ports in—											
Bengal	.....	.....	4	... ..	.....	1,833	.....	518	.....	244	31
Eastern Bengal and Assam ...	.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....	52,294	... ..	3,579	.....	15	.....
Bombay	.....	498	2,940	.....	.....	1,871,987	.....	620	.....	.....	38
Sind and British Baluchistan,	.....	.....	57	.....	.....	2,182,487	.....	.....	.....	.....	9
Madras	.....	7,042	257	.....	... ..	1,531,822	.....	573	.....	.....	264
Burma	61	.....	1,340	220	24	1,842,372	3	2,117	2,949	11,354	606
To Indian ports not British—											
Kathiawar ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	... ..	154,350	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,722	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36,750	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
Total ..	61	7,450	4,598	220	24	10,676,699	3	7,446	2,949	11,613	962
To Foreign countries—											
United Kingdom	300,551	26,959	8,957	7,669	409	.....	1,956	.....	.....	.....	128
Other countries	67,851	213,687	3,871	43,016	1,504	3,112,453	1,370	2,049	.....	4,206	478
Total ...	374,402	239,646	12,828	50,685	1,913	3,112,453	3,326	2,049	... ..	4,206	606
1908 ...	374,463	246,096	17,426	50,905	1,937	13,789,152	3,329	9,495	2,949	15,819	1,568
Total ... 1907 ..	853,744	200,431	38,068	222,806	3,570	11,641,940	2,129	16,764	8,057	27,518	5,048
1906 ...	737,158	88,389	43,762	146,813	2,683	15,271,906	2,569	8,041	3,229	4,041	1,343

No V

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the months of April and May 1908.

Whither exported	Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny bags‡
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
Bengal	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Bardwan	4,15,582	27,260	199	1,226	55,634	585	889	24,810
Birbhum	3,07,449	16,170	139	2,825	43,558	19	.....	13,135
Bankura	97,828	2,203	.....	1,828	28,257	.....	.....	2,345
Midnapore	4,74,975	1,58,740	1,358	2,759	93,936	918	19,188	10,277
Hooghly	2,34,145	1,36,539	1,007	223	45,070	6,494	14,244	46,467
24-Parganas	3,39,821	1,46,931	590	312	32,572	26,551	25,886	62,294
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	115,148	.....
Nadia	7,87,688	1,05,574	1,292	2,523	24,610	1,556	15,746	158,282
Murshidabad	3,29,112	6,400	.....	875	43,891	154	6,420	40,635
Jessore	21,377	1,86,756	44	1,623	30,358	4,989	6,267	5,730
Khulna	46,613	1,71,325	225	307	17,529	7,214	6,871	840
Total Bengal	30,54,590	9,57,088	4,794	14,501	415,415	48,480	210,659	364,805
Bihar								
Patna	9,07,363	5,242	419	1,045	45,175	8	.....	244,475
Gaya	5,18,197	4,840	21	3,763	35,609	26	.....	25,080
Shahabad	23,60,393	6,820	6	391	43,091	27	.....	74,480
Saran	12,18,028	2,695	13	416	40,867	49	3,898	137,900
Champaran	11,43,415	5,720	40	645	48,314	40	10,087	187,740
Muzaffarpur	17,48,961	3,025	7	262	83,017	145	16,362	180,530
Darbhanga	16,21,700	26,180	8	1,178	73,104	20	17,384	178,185
Monghyr	9,06,793	3,685	26	1,921	51,203	14	1,568	374,520
Bhagalpur	16,29,904	39,808	133	1,645	65,847	71	3,158	253,155
Purnea	6,32,764	5,610	92	1,447	71,882	40	10,906	53,410
Santhal Parganas	4,64,182	3,905	87	2,818	25,484	29	.....	121,065
Darjeeling	2,42,178	26,565	43	713	14,367	289	4,360	10,045
Cooch Behar	1,90,066	16,500	.....	113	12,482	131	851	12,530
Total Bihar	1,35,93,634	150,595	895	16,357	611,442	889	68,523	1,873,095
Orissa								
Cuttack	1,23,387	3,375	.....	1,609	4,059	67	.....	1,680
Balasore	90,324	1,560	500	5,128	41,862	4	.....	3,316
Puri	37,085	495	.....	189	10	13	.....	.....
Sambalpur	46,585	223	.....	115	406	44	.....	5,985
Mourbhanj State	19,260	.....	.....	22	5,653	8	.....	700
Total Orissa	3,07,639	5,943	500	7,846	51,990	136	.....	11,681
Chota Nagpur								
Hazaribagh	88,646	5,509	4	937	32,001	136	.....	2,485
Ranchi	53,097	5,885	.....	62	40,392	39	.....	2,625
Palamau	99,219	.....	.....	55	13,223	1	.....	5,040
Manbhum	1,36,270	55	.....	2,222	49,938	123	335	7,910
Singhbhum	21,955	385	.....	117	25,346	55	.....	4,165
Gangpur (Tributary State)	8,097	.....	.....	.....	297	17	.....	3,780
Total Chota Nagpur	4,07,284	11,834	4	3,393	161,217	371	335	26,005
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	1,73,63,547	11,25,460	6,193	42,097	1,240,064	49,876	279,527	2,275,586
Other Provinces and Places								
Burma	1,65,300	40,709	784	12,014	.....	.....	1	5,315,103
E. B. and Assam	67,26,690	13,62,519	16,187	14,270	826,646	24,126	103,475	455,840
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	92,64,348	65,745	705	898	91,197	1,078	54,234	695,380
Panjab	21,12,085	4,853	1,033	123	197	374	.....	790,720
Sind and British Baluchistan	580	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,182,650
Kashmir Territory	215	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	2,21,921	3,679	119	38	2,495	158	21	167,685
Bombay	21,565	7,277	.....	549	.....	.....	.....	4,880,930
Madras	1,75,349	3,070	40	2,318	.....	37	.....	3,463,652
Rajputana and Central India	3,78,612	4,484	118	1	.....	8	.....	49,665
Nizam's Territory	9,400	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	60,185
Mysore	.....	223	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	93,135
Alleppey	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,500
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,500
Pondichery	3,827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68,900
Port Blair	300	.....	1	2	.....	.....	23	.....
Grand Total — 1908	3,64,40,588	26,18,019	25,199	72,310	2,160,599	75,657	496,280	19,564,451
1907	3,25,78,061	14,84,584	33,778	66,405	2,049,980	84,717	704,445†	22,316,216
1906	3,56,89,203	10,37,178	40,176	61,210	2,301,284	74,071	616,804†	16,402,141

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Represents the trade registered at the traffic registering stations only
‡ Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No. VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. V were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the months of April and May 1908.

Routes		Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunn bags
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
A		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
By boat		1,61,100	2,70,500	1,968	.....	207,946	36,109	56,926	55,
,, river steamer		39,73,933	2,45,455	14,060	4,905	522,442	5,431	111,855	197,
,, rail	E. I. Railway	1,21,87,626	96,467	1,103	16,278	342,596	1,165	.....	1,551,
	E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	56,09,773	10,34,055	3,220	13,572	448,316	4,107	215,497	524,
	A.-B. Railway	2,60,871	6,17,665	737	3,983	1,652	737	869	33.
	B.-N. Railway	9,41,186	23,630	119	12,180	219,615	534	645	236
	B. and N.-W. Railway	93,98,891	76,634	357	3,159	381,052	644	72,869	1,153
	O. and R. Railway	21,02,705	15,615	39	19	... ...	84	33,772	118
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways	1,24,557	...	302	.....	3,558	504	.....	2
	Minor Railways	11,43,675	33,479	1,147	2,171	8,134	780	2,171	1,028
,, road		2,97,370	7,58,690	837	273	18,779	25,572	2,153	42
,, sea		2,38,865	47,029	1,285	15,682	6,479	.....	23	14,012
Total ...	1908 ...	3,64,40,558	26,18,019	25,199	72,310	2,160,599	75,657	496,280	19,56
	1907 ...	3,25,78,061	14,81,584	33,778	66,405	2,049,980	84,717	794,145	22,31
	1906 ...	3,56,89,263	10,37,178	40,176	61,210	2,391,284	74,071	616,804	16,40

* The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
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METEOROLOGICAL REPORT OF THE PROVINCES OF BENGAL AND OF EASTERN BENGAL AND FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1908.

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Representative Stations.	Air Pressure.					Wind.		Temperature.						Humidity.		Cloud
				Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea-level and constant gravity, Lat. 45°.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean direction at 8 A.M.	Mean velocity in miles daily.	Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature.	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean cloud at 8 A.M.
Assam.	Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan ...	29·716	29·569	29·631	29·678	+·012	S16°W	120	104°9	68°8	97·1	76°9	87·1	−1·1	78	+3	5·8
		Bankura	Raniganj ...	29·535	29·274	29·392	29·677	+·001	S31°E	69	113·5	70·0	101·5	78·3	89·9	+0·9	74	+4	3·0
			Bankura ...	29·524	29·279	29·395	29·658	−·003	S10°E	89	112·1	66·2	100·8	78·0	89·4	+0·5	71	+4	3·2
		Midnapore	Midnapore ...	29·666	29·452	29·578	29·668	−·010	S12 E	139	107·3	63·2	99·1	77·2	88·2	−0·6	70	−4	3·7
	Presidency.	Sandheads	S.P.-V. *Fraser*	29·890	29·508	29·706*f*	29·683*f*	—	S8°W	144*f*	—	—	—	—	—	—	87*c*	—	5·7*d*
		24-Parganas	Saugor Island	29·825	29·570	29·711	29·683	+·005	S9°W	518	101·0	7·0	96·5	81·2	87·5	+1·1	78	−3	5·4
		Calcutta	Calcutta ...	29·812	29·582	29·718	29·684	+·010	S1°E	190	101·1	66·2	98·5	77·1	86·7	+0·7	75	−4	5·0
		Nadia	Krishnagar ...	29·789	29·563	29·682*e*	29·685*e*	−·002	S18°E	125	104·6	67·0	100·7	77·3	88·0	+1·6	77	−3	4·9
		Murshidabad	Berhampore	29·820	29·515	29·674	29·690	+·012	S29°E	103	110·3	69·7	100·1	77·1	88·6	+2·1	68	−15	4·8
		Jessore	Jessore ...	29·817	29·570	29·725	29·705	+·015	S26°E	58	99·5	67·2	94·6	76·1	85·4	−0·5	82	−2	5·0
	Rajshahi.	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia ...	29·801	29·545	29·668	29·687	+·019	S11°E	149	103·1	68·1	97·1	75·7	86·9	+1·5	75	−7	4·5
		Malda	Malda ...	29·857	29·524	29·674	29·681	+·037	S8°E	63	107·8	64·5	95·4	75·3	85·4	3·3	81	+4	2·4
		Dinajpur	Dinajpur ...	29·801	29·460	29·624	29·703	+·013	N88°E	130	100·8	64·5	91·1	73·8	82·5	−1·6	84	+1	5·3
		Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri ...	29·627	29·340	29·489	29·712	+·019	S27°E	72	96·4	65·6	89·3	72·8	81·1	+1·1	86	−2	6·8
		Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	29·751	29·465	29·608	29·741	—	N50°E	53	92·3	64·6	87·8	72·3	80·1	—	87	0	7·2
		Rangpur	Rangpur ...	29·764	29·505	29·648	29·727	−·001	S8°E	52	96·1	63·0	89·1	72·9	81·1	+0·5	81	−5	2·8
		Bogra	Bogra ...	29·787	29·539	29·656	29·713	+·023	S7°E	82	100·7	67·2	90·7	73·4	82·1	−0·7	80	−2	4·6
		Pabna	Sirajganj ...	29·799	29·571	29·716	29·715	+·018	S3°E	108	97·3	67·8	91·0	74·5	82·8	+0·8	84	−2	6·3
	Dacca.	Dacca	Narayanganj	29·853	29·570	29·753	29·727	+·022	S67°E	120	97·5	68·8	92·2	76·2	84·2	+0·7	82	−3	5·2
		Mymensingh	Mymensingh	29·831	29·561	29·736	29·710	+·021	S7°E	84	99·1	67·6	90·1	74·6	82·3	+1·2	83	−2	7·0
		Faridpur	Faridpur	29·827	29·540	29·724	29·720	−·005	S21°E	120	98·8	68·4	89·1	74·3	81·7	+0·8	80	−7	4·6
		Backergunge	Barisal	29·865	29·580	29·764	29·722	+·020	S1°E	53*a*	96·5	68·6	92·5	77·2	84·9	+0·2	82	0	3·8
	Chittagong.	Tippera	Comilla ...	29·851	29·580	29·731	29·736	+·017	S°W	74	97·8	67·3	91·6	74·8	83·2	+0·8	82	−1	1·7
		Noakhali	Noakhali	29·846	29·579	29·715	29·737	+·015	S34°E	124	92·8	68·1	89·1	76·6	82·9	−0·2	80	−5	1·0
		Chittagong	Chittagong ...	29·821	29·543	29·707	29·742	+·004	S14°E	106	93·6	67·4	89·6	74·8	82·2	+0·2	80	−2	2·8
			Cox's Bazar	29·851	29·597	29·758*a*	29·731*a*	—	S13°E	118	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3·7
Eastern Bengal.	Patna.	Patna	Bankipore ...	29·582	29·383	29·487	29·645	−·008	N°E	225	109·5	70·7	101·3	79·2	90·3	+0·3	58	−7	0·1
		Gaya	Gaya ...	29·261	29·161	29·293	29·616	+·029	N25°E	89	112·1	72·2	106·2	81·9	94·1	+1·9	55	−3	2·3
		Shahabad	Dehri ...	29·318	29·188	29·349	29·617	−·013	S°W	102	113·5	73·0	107·1	81·2	94·2	+2·2	45	−3	10·0
			Buxar ...	29·519	29·367	29·440	29·625	−·014	S5°E	154	111·0	73·0	105·5	80·7	93·1	+2·2	47	−7	1·4
			Arrah ...	29·518	29·370	29·407	29·638	·000	N75°E	90	112·0	72·2	104·0	79·6*a*	91·8	+2·5	52	−8	0·3
		Saran	Chapra ...	29·463	29·241	29·409*g*	29·639*g*	·017	N5°E	75	111·7	69·1	104·2*b*	75·8*f*	89·7*d*	+1·5	62	−5	0·7
		Champaran	Motihari ...	29·474	29·261	29·430	29·667	+·008	N75°E	140	108·7	68·8	99·9	76·1	87·9	+2·5	63	−10	1·6
		Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	29·611	29·419	29·534	29·667	+·011	S69°E	164	109·7	70·5	99·5	75·9	87·7	—	64	−10	0·5
		Darbhanga	Darbhanga ...	29·628	29·418	29·550	29·671	+·001	N86°E	131	108·1	67·3	98·3	76·1	87·2	+1·3	70	−1	1·3
	Bhagalpur.	Monghyr	Monghyr ...	29·[illegible]	29·415	29·[illegible]	29·651	—	S5°E	2754	113·9	62·9	100·2	75·9	88·1	—	72	—	1·6
		Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur ...	29·605	29·422	29·[illegible]	29·668	+·007	N75°E	107	112·7	64·5	99·6	76·4	88·1	+1·9	66	−3	2·3
		Darjeeling	Darjeeling ...	23·101	22·917	22·[illegible]	22·918	+·012	N72°W	112	69·3	43·2	64·3	51·6	57·9	−0·3	83	−7	6·3
		Purnea	Purnea ...	29·709	29·480	29·[illegible]	29·694	+·006	N30°E	146	108·7	64·2	98·5	74·0	86·3	+0·8	83	+7	3·1
		Santhal Parganas.	Naya Dumka	29·578	29·[illegible]	29·[illegible]	29·673	+·004	S72°E	167	111·9	71·0	101·1	78·9	89·5	+1·8	66	−3	2·5
	Orissa.	Sambalpur	Sambalpur ...	29·516	29·286	29·[illegible]	29·655	−·002	S36°W	118	114·1	75·6	107·6	83·5	95·6	+1·3	53	+2	2·7
		Angul	Angul ...	29·569	29·[illegible]	29·[illegible]	29·685	—	S67°E	242	112·6	69·0	103·9	79·4	91·7	—	68	—	2·4
		Cuttack	Cuttack ...	29·771	29·492	29·[illegible]	29·679	+·010	S4°W	125	110·4	75·2	101·9	80·6	91·3	+0·4	74	+2	4·4
			False Point ...	29·853	29·[illegible]	29·770	29·702	+·024	S27°W	312	93·1	72·6	90·8	80·5	85·7	+0·3	79	−4	6·3
		Balasore	Balasore ...	29·794	29·[illegible]	29·[illegible]	29·680	+·021	S12°W	142	104·4	68·3	97·5	78·7	88·1	−0·1	70	−9	4·6
		Puri	Puri ...	29·830	29·[illegible]	29·[illegible]	29·691	+·006	S29°W	447	95·6	72·6	89·9	81·4	85·7	—	83	−4	5·1
		Ganjam	Gopalpur ...	29·783	29·[illegible]	29·673	29·685	+·021	S2°W	439	96·7	75·5	90·8	80·5	85·7	+0·5	80	−4	2·6
			Calingapatam	29·882	29·567	29·751	29·711	—	S13°W	245	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3·9
	Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh ...	27·796	27·600	27·714	29·634	−·001	S24°W	204	106·7	69·3	101·1	77·1	89·1	+1·8	43	−3	2·8
		Ranchi	Ranchi ...	27·700	27·502	27·621	29·669	+·014	S36°W	173	105·7	67·9	100·5	75·5	88·0	+0·2	52	+1	2·8
		Palamau	Daltonganj ...	29·059	28·842	28·962	29·635	—	N79°E	152	113·0	71·0	108·5	80·1*a*	94·4*a*	—	41*c*	−3	1·8
		Manbhum	Purulia ...	28·991	28·770	28·882	29·645	—	S8°E	148	112·0	66·1	102·6	77·1	89·8	—	60	+7	4·0
		Singhbhum	Chaibassa ...	29·072	28·847	28·983	29·665	+·016	S34°W	130	110·3	68·7	104·5	78·0	91·3	−1·3	68	+4	3·3
	Assam.	Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh ...	29·574	29·392	29·447	29·766	—	(*b*)	5	91·9	65·6	83·9	71·6	77·8	—	88	—	7·5
		Sibsagar	Sibsagar ...	29·610	29·812	29·496*a*	29·790	+·025	N28°E	50	91·6	66·2	85·0	72·3	78·6	−0·2	90	−2	7·2
		Tezpur	Tezpur ...	29·665	29·430	29·504*a*	29·778*a*	—	N70°E	91	95·6	66·9	87·5	72·1	79·8	—	86	—	4·1
		Kamrup	Gauhati ...	29·721	29·453	29·608	29·761	—	N20°E	50	94·5	66·1	88·6	71·7	80·2	—	86	—	7·2
		Goalpara	Dhubri ...	29·772	29·479	29·657	29·729	+·001	N85°E	245	92·7	65·8	86·5	72·5	79·5	−0·1	91	+4	5·0
		Cachar	Silchar ...	29·862	29·539	29·711	29·769	+·013	S85°E	115	95·0	64·3	90·5	72·4	81·5	+0·9	82	−4	3·8
		Khasia and Jaintia Hills	Shillong ...	25·187	24·930	25·071	25·023	—	S40°W	137	76·9	50·7	73·9	57·9	65·6	—	72	—	5·5
			Cherrapunji	25·741	25·505	25·612	25·596	—	N33°W	157	75·7	55·3	72·4	61·4	67·0	—	98	—	6·0

(a) Mean of 30 days.
(b) Indeterminate.
(c) Mean of 28 days.
(d) Mean of 22 days.
(e) Mean of 23 days.
(f) Mean of 21 days.
(g) Mean of 20 days.
(h) Mean of 25 days.
(i) Mean of 27 days.

SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL AND IN EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1908.

DURING the first week of the month, the position of the trough of low pressure permitted the moist air from the Bay to flow freely into Eastern Bengal and Assam. In the latter area rain fell daily, but in Eastern Bengal it occurred chiefly on the last three days of the week, extending on the 7th into Bihar. On the 3rd nor'westers with rain were numerous in Bengal. Temperature was in general excess up to the 5th, but owing to the rainfall a rapid fall of temperature took place and weather was cooler than usual except in the south-east. At the beginning of the second week a shallow depression appeared over the Andaman Sea on the 8th, and as it advanced northward, it caused moderate to heavy rain in the coast districts, but had disappeared by the morning of the 11th without giving rise to very stormy weather. Generally rainfall occurred in all parts of the two Provinces, except South Bihar, but decreased towards the end of the week, and weather was almost dry on the 13th. Temperature was normal or in defect, the deficiency being most marked on the 8th. At the beginning of the third week pressure conditions were not favourable to rainfall over the two Provinces. The trough of low pressure widened out into a large area of low pressure, covering Burma and Northern India, the barometer being lowest in Burma. The inflow of moist air into North-East India was consequently checked and weather was dry up to the 18th. The trough of low pressure then commenced to reform and rainfall gradually increased in the northern districts, and from the 19th to the 21st was fairly general in Assam and Eastern Bengal. During the fourth week of the month rain fell every day in Eastern Bengal and Assam, and on the 24th the position of the trough of low pressure permitted an extension of rainfall into Chota Nagpur. On the 25th, rainfall extended into Bihar, but on the 26th retreated eastward, being confined chiefly to Eastern Bengal and Assam for the rest of the week. During the last five days of the month weather was dominated by an area of low pressure which appeared over the south-east of the Bay in front of an advance of monsoon winds. Rainfall was therefore scanty in North-East India, as the depression checked the usual inflow of moist southerly winds.

Summary of Temperature.—Mean temperature was in general excess over the whole area, the departure being greatest in Bihar, where the average mean was 2° above the normal mean of the month.

The highest temperature recorded was 114°·1 at Sambalpur and the lowest 62°·9 at Monghyr.

The following table gives the summary of the temperature of each of the seven meteorological divisions of the Provinces of Bengal and of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the month of May 1908:—

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	TEMPERATURE.					
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	*Average for month.*			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month.
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.	
Bengal	113·5	65·2	97·9	77·8	87·9	+ 0·5
Eastern Bengal, North	109·1	63·0	91·5	74·0	82·8	+ 0·4
Eastern Bengal, South	98·8	67·3	91·3	75·5	83·3	+ 0·5
Bihar	113·3	62·9	101·8	77·8	89·8	+ 1·9
Orissa	114·1	68·3	97·5	80·7	89·1	+ 0·5
Chota Nagpur*	113·0	67·9	103·7	77·7	90·7	+ 0·2
Assam	95·6	64·3	87·0	72·1	79·6	+ 0·2

* Purulia not included.

Summary of Rainfall.—The rainfall registration is in the hands of the Director of Agriculture, Bengal, and the usual data regarding the actual and normal rainfall during the month are published by that officer. A short table, however, is attached to this report giving the rainfall recorded during the month at the head-quarters of the various districts of the Province. With a few local exceptions the precipitation of the month was more or less below normal at all recording stations, the deficiency reaching 65 per cent. in Orissa, 52 per cent. in Bihar, and 30 per cent. in Bengal.

Actual and average rainfall and departure from normal for the month of May 1908.

Meteorological Division.	District.	Station.	Actual.	Normal.	Departure from normal.
Bengal ..	Burdwan	Burdwan	7·87	5·56	+ 2·31
		Raniganj	2·90	3·77	— 0·87
	Bankura	Bankura	4·02	3·86	+ 0·16
	Midnapore	Midnapore	9·35	5·21	+ 4·14
	24-Parganas	Saugor Island	1·81	4·75	— 2·94
	Calcutta	Calcutta	4·64	5·60	— 0·96
	Nadia	Krishnagar	2·61	6·56	— 3·95
	Murshidabad	Berhampore	0·93	4·88	— 3·95
	Jessore	Jessore	6·09	7·85	— 1·76
Eastern Bengal, North.	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	4·56	5·56	— 1·00
	Malda	Malda	3·79	3·87	— 0·08
	Dinajpur	Dinajpur	4·93	7·69	— 2·76
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	15·38	11·84	+ 3·54
	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	27·52	15·26	+12·26
	Rangpur	Rangpur	3·85	10·37	— 6·52
	Bogra	Bogra	11·24	8·36	+ 2·88
	Pabna	Sirajganj	5·28	7·95	— 2·67
Eastern Bengal, South.	Dacca	Narayanganj	13·00	9·75	+ 3·25
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	7·24	12·05	— 4·81
	Faridpur	Faridpur	7·49	8·51	— 1·02
	Backergunge	Barisal	5·12	7·95	— 2·83
	Tipera	Comilla	15·99	10·94	+ 5·05
	Noakhali	Noakhali	10·75	10·07	+ 0·68
	Chittagong	Chittagong	9·27	9·68	— 0·41
		Cox's Bazar	9·29	10·62	— 1·33
Bihar ...	Patna	Bankipore	0·52	1·70	— 1·18
	Gaya	Gaya	0·47	1·08	— 0·61
	Shahabad	Dehri	0·30	0·82	— 0·52
		Buxar	0·02	0·80	— 0·78
		Arrah	0·03	1·47	— 1·44
	Saran	Chapra	0·02	1·35	— 1·33
	Champaran	Motihari	0·81	2·65	— 1·84
	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	1·43	2·41	— 0·98
	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	0·84	2·59	— 1·75
	Monghyr	Monghyr	1·64	2·18	— 0·54
	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	1·46	2·79	— 1·33
	Darjeeling	Darjeeling	10·24	7·83	+ 2·41
	Purnea	Purnea	3·27	4·32	— 1·05
	Sonthal Parganas ...	Naya Dumka	1·21	3·59	— 2·38
Orissa ...	Sambalpur	Sambalpur	0·30	1·41	— 1·11
	Angul	Angul	1·10	2·75	— 1·65
	Cuttack	Cuttack	1·87	3·54	— 1·67
		False Point	0·38	4·59	— 4·21
	Balasore	Balasore	3·48	5·14	— 1·66
	Puri	Puri	2·92	2·80	+ 0·12
Chota Nagpur ...	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh	0·71	1·77	— 1·06
	Ranchi	Ranchi	2·29	2·24	+ 0·05
	Palamau	Daltonganj	0·02	1·04	— 1·02
	Manbhum	Purulia	2·56	2·94	+ 0·62
	Singhbhum	Chaibassa	3·64	3·70	— 0·06

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 4th August 1908.

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 26th July to 1st August 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rains.	Weather.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1908.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches.	
July	26th	145·2	3·6	29·554	83·8	88·3	8·4	79·9	79·3	0·946	77·5	81	SSE, SE by E and S.	71	0·07	Partially cloudy, o, d.
,,	27th	149·2	6·8	·524	84·1	89·5	10·3	79·2	79·7	·960	78·0	84	SW, E, and SSE.	103	0·40	Partially cloudy, d, p.
,,	28th	145·7	1·4	·541	82·5	86·4	7·2	79·2	79·1	·957	77·9	88	SE by E, SSE, and S by E.	115	0·38	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p
,,	29th	145·2	6·6	·613	83·3	88·0	8·8	79·2	79·3	·943	77·4	83	S by E, SSE and SW by S.	104	0·13	Partially cloudy, d, p.
,,	30th	153·4	7·6	·541	84·5	90·6	11·7	78·9	79·9	·971	78·3	85	SW by S, ESE and S by W.	73	0·35	Partially cloudy p.
,,	31st	148·6	6·2	·468	85·0	90·1	9·7	80·4	79·8	·962	78·1	84	S by E, SE by E, and E.	157	Nil	Partially cloudy o, d, p.
Aug.	1st	142·1	6·7	·498	82·8	88·0	9·8	78·2	78·7	·938	77·3	86	E and ESE ...	209	0·06	Partially cloudy d, p.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·534
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·548
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		38·9
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		92·2
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		83·7
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·0
The extreme variation of temperature		12·4
The maximum temperature		90·6
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		13
		%
The mean relative humidity		85
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 26th July to 1st August 1908		1·39
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		4·04
The total fall from 1st January to 1st August 1908		56·53
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		35·96

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Knudsen's Barograph and fro eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All t thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at t Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four fe above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at t Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is f 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 3rd August 1908.*

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Offg. Director-General of Observatories.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 1st August 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 1st August 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 3rd August 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	552	60,328	729	370	90,670	812
Jute	73	19,683	295	54	8,900	108
Firewood	86	64,150	968	6	1,825	26
Other articles	692	1,98,454	2,096	533	1,73,639	1,550
Total ...	1,403	3,42,615	4,088	963	2,74,934	2,496

Calcutta,
The 4th August 1908.

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EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the four weeks ending 25th April 1908 as compared with the same period of 1907.

STAPLES.	1907.		1908.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	10,245	8,359	5,700	5,958	.....	.....	4,545	2,401
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,60,64,309	18,61,374	1,56,55,945	18,58,038	.....	.....	4,08,364	3,336
Cotton—								
(1) Raw	64,182	42 269	31,488	16,721	.....	.....	32,694	25,539
(2) Manufactured—								
(*a*) Twist and Yarn, European	3,419	2,816	1,950	2,453	.....	.....	1,492	363
(*b*) Ditto, Indian	30,939	16,653	23,804	10,783	.....	.....	7,085	5,870
(*c*) Piece-goods, European	1,77,067	1,68,087	1,98,061	1,92,605	20,994	23,918	.....	.....
(*d*) Ditto, Indian	14,084	6,815	18,501	8,091	4,420	2,176	.....	.....
(*e*) Others	7 917	4,271	7,355	3,661	.....	.....	612	610
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	11,331	7,384	12,874	7,332	1,543	.....	.....	52
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	165	129	170	139	5	10	.....	.....
2.—Non-intoxicating	6,762	4,749	5,342	4,384	.....	.....	1,420	365
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	321	289	623	553	302	264	.....	.....
2.—Cutch	2,281	961	3,273	1,489	992	528	.....	.....
3.—Indigo	56	32	548	586	492	554	.....	.....
4.—Myrabolams	30,478	4,956	16,405	4,368	.....	.....	14,073	588
5.—Tanning barks	11,754	1,554	14,904	775	3,408	.....	.....	779
6.—Turmeric	66,787	14,183	17,825	14,285	.....	102	48,860	.....
7.—Others	14,589	7,108	16,181	5,883	1,582	.....	.....	1,225
Fodder—								
1.—Oilcake	1,23,789	23,624	1,28,564	21,735	4,775	.....	.....	1,889
2.—Hay, straw and grass	65,750	7,811	1,05,755	14,805	41,005	6,994	.....	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	20,768	2,271	9,247	3,024	4,009	753	.....	.....
Grain and Pulse—								
1.—Gram and pulse	5,01,771	1,74,484	3 31,603	83,083	.....	.....	1,70,168	91,401
2.—Jowar and bajra	6,7 8	20,046	28,371	4,875	.....	.....	38,087	15,171
3.—Rice in the husk	2,01,153	21,995	64,011	9,789	.....	.....	1,37,142	12,206
4.—Rice not in the husk	4,31,8	70,545	10,53,146	2,95,855	6,21,564	2,25,310	.....	.....
5.—Wheat	5,65,77	1,34,131	5,57,002	78,892	.....	.....	8,315	55,239
6.—Wheat flour	1,15,776	27,068	87,688	22,697	.....	.....	28,558	4,371
7.—Others	1,36,166	31,165	1,53,319	25,814	7,154	.....	.....	7,001
Hides and Skins—								
1.—Hides of cattle	55,208	31,661	43,833	28,925	.....	.....	8,215	2,736
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	3,6 5	13,181	22,291	14,058	.....	.....	2,442	1,522
Horns	1,996	494	1,8.0	780	714	286	.....	.....
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	64,060	15,434	68,090	11,912	4,030	.....	.....	3,522
Jute—								
1.—Raw	2,22,192	44,8 0	2,66,161	49 623	44,039	5,345	.....	.....
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	3 6,611	1,2 ,38	1,12,706	54,733	.....	.....	2,23,908	70,515
Lac	30,654	13,09	45,722	28,249	16,768	9,525	.....	.....
Leather—								
1.—Unwrought	3,205	2,859	1,859	2,312	.....	.....	1,346	547
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	1,015	712	1,84	907	.....	255	61	.....
Liquors—								
1.—Ale and Beer	10,905	2,904	10,719	4,027	.....	1,123	186	.....
2.—Wines and spirits of all kinds, including country spirit	9,729	7,206	6,903	6,826	.....	.....	2,826	380
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	867	203	265	63	.....	.....	602	140
Metals—								
1.—Brass, unwrought	201	60	1,004	971	1,402	911	.....	.....
2.— Do., wrought	15,788	7,265	14,888	6,791	.....	.....	900	473
3.—Copper, unwrought	.....	.....	282	272	282	272	.....	.....
4.— Do., wrought	896	668	1,876	1,364	980	726	.....	.....
5.—Iron and steel—								
(1) Unwrought (dust, slag, pig and old for remanufacture)	54,904	9,351	78,467	11,596	23,473	2,245	.....	.....
(2) Wrought—								
(*a*) Bars, sheets, girders and other coarser kinds of iron and steel	1,22,837	51 430	1,18,865	46,360	.....	.....	3,971	5,070
(*b*) Machinery and nail work	22,8 3	10,206	18,589	9,630	.....	.....	4,263	576
(*c*) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery	17,80	18,491	61,311	28,654	13,413	10,163	.....	.....
6.—Metallic ores	77,901	3,4 9	68,087	3,065	.....	.....	9,504	347
7.—Zinc and spelter	1,172	773	2,706	1,583	1,534	810	.....	.....
8.—Others	11,762	8,895	14,17	11,627	2,447	2,042	.....	.....
Mineral substances—								
1.—Earth and stone	5,42,104	46,725	5,83,217	49,566	41,113	2,841	.....	.....
2. Chalk and lime	2,07,454	45,311	3,09,019	63,149	1,01,565	17,838	.....	.....
3.—Others	.....	.....	4,924	3,251	4,924	3,251	.....	.....
Oils—								
1.—Kerosine	1,66,976	53,615	1,55,170	47,775	.....	.....	11,806	5,838
2.—Castor	5,652	2,017	3,375	1,077	.....	.....	2,277	940
3.—Cocoanut	5,877	2,270	6,156	1,898	279	.....	.....	372
4.—Mustard and rape	14,276	4,034	17,658	6,485	3,382	1,852	.....	.....
5.—Others	7,388	2,400	4,794	2,403	.....	.....	2,594	497
Oilseeds—								
1.—Castor	2,08,801	32,249	86,020	18,039	.....	.....	1,22,781	14,177
2.—Earthnuts	64	18	5,270	969	5,216	951	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	5,72,324	1,40,535	3,26,841	78,178	.....	.....	2,45,483	62 117
4.—Poppy	1,52 483	31,047	58,167	14,468	.....	.....	94,316	20 209
5.—Rape and mustard	9,97,139	2,62,4 9	7,51,963	1,66,397	.....	.....	2,45,171	96,012
6.—Til or jinjli	30,821	11,459	8,412	1,666	.....	.....	22,409	9,793
7.—Others	88,612	16,282	60,138	14,659	.....	.....	28,474	1,623
Opium	25,068	20,125	15,985	11,289	.....	.....	9,113	8,836
Paper and pasteboard	22,522	16,204	20,685	13,808	.....	.....	1,837	2,396
Provisions—								
1.—Dry fruits and nuts	11,541	5,485	14,173	6,926	2,632	1,441	.....	.....
2.—Ghee	44,74	27,208	35,940	27,550	.....	282	7,785	.....
3.—Potatoes	1,47,490	46,925	1,41,686	46,250	.....	.....	204	675
4.—Others	55,341	22,526	40,635	20,841	.....	.....	12,706	1,385

Staples.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	418	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	418	15
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	229	423	.....	.....	.....	.....	229	423
3.—Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	971	129	1,595	1,495	624	1,366	.....	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	11,353	4,693	142	115	.....	.....	11,211	4,578
(c) Others	1,07,156	40,596	3,98,646	52,714	2,01,419	12,118	.....	.....
Salt	7,54,010	1,37,918	5,26,313	1,03,030	.....	.....	2,27,697	34,889
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	51,569	20,700	64,200	26,692	12,631	5,992	.....	.....
2.—Other saline substances	49,686	13,027	30,637	8,379	.....	.....	19,049	5,243
Silk—								
1.—*Raw*—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	496	222	488	144	.....	.....	8	78
2.—*Piece-goods*—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	284	229	141	180	.....	.....	143	49
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	25,140	18,024	27,645	20,567	2,499	1,943	.....	.....
2.—Cardamoms	884	976	420	489	.....	.....	464	487
3.—Chillies	21,941	934	22,825	12,014	881	11,080	.....	.....
4.—Ginger	1,118	915	1,086	629	.....	.....	32	286
5.—Pepper	4,582	3,040	6,470	6,805	1,888	2,865	.....	.....
6.—Others	39,776	28,026	31,088	21,047	.....	.....	8,688	7,579
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	83,314	22,339	1,33,602	54,600	50,288	32,261	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	2,84,794	54,704	1,93,248	53,395	.....	.....	91,546	1,309
(b) *Gur, rab*, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce	2,54,122	42,747	2,45,581	52,256	.....	9,509	8,538	.....
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	3,011	2,385	1,252	1,573	.....	.....	1,759	812
Tobacco	1,42,307	63,449	1,04,598	49,728	.....	.....	37,709	13,721
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	1,66,025	21,778	2,68,678	21,820	1,02,653	42	.....	.....
2.—Manufactures	19,421	8,055	26,488	7,830	7,077	.....	.....	225
Wool—								
1.—Raw	3,837	2,111	4,489	2,467	652	353	.....	.....
2.—Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	1,014	1,088	1,012	1,186	.....	98	2	.....
(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	.....	1,288	470	1,288	470	.....	.....
(c) Ditto, Indian	447	175	527	311	80	136	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manufactures	2,114	1,621	1,657	919	.....	.....	457	702
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	69,284	14,614	75,026	16,613	5,742	1,999	.....	.....
2.—Firewood	77,486	4,278	1,04,086	4,949	26,600	671	.....	.....
3.—Indigo seed	2,143	435	2,248	550	105	115	.....	.....
4.—Paints and colours	2,227	1,217	2,072	1,789	.....	572	155	.....
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	8,857	1,460	11,330	3,319	2,473	1,949	.....	.....
6.—Others	9,94,175	3,23,410	6,64,289	2,03,018	.....	.....	3,29,886	1,14,392
Total	2,62,75,175	46,68,515	2,40,58,608	43,55,567	.....	.....	13,10,567	3,14,978
Military stores	29,211	37,823	30,145	4,236	934	.....	.....	33,587
Coal for railway	18,27,794	1,51,388	25,71,875	2,01,323	7,44,081	49,935	.....	.....
Railway materials	21,04,105	84,375	15,84,168	52,693	.....	.....	8,53,237	31,682
Live-stock	.....	24,687	.....	58,720	.....	34,033	.....	.....
Total	3,05,36,385	49,66,818	2,91,44,796	46,70,539	.....	.....	13,91,789	2,96,279

H. G. Emmerson,

for *Acting Chief Auditor.*

Traffic Audit Office, Goods Division, Calcutta, *the 1st August 1908.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 18th July 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic & an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles	
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Total traffic for the week ...	50,500	31,500 0 0	61,000 0	36,000 0 0	3,000 0 0	70,500 0 0	15,530	21,558
Or per mile of railway ...	65·76	41·03	338·52	46·69	3·89	91·60	20·23	27·06
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	84,500	50,000 0 0	3,66,000 0	63,500 0 0	7,500 0 0	1,21,000 0 0	25,099	28,022
Total for 3 weeks	135,000	81,500 0 0	6,27,000 0	99,500 0 0	10,500 0 0	1,91,500 0 0	40,629	49,580
COMPARISON.								
Total for corresponding week of previous year	49,422	27,369 0 0	3,62,023 0	63,368 0 0	3,420 0 0	94,657 0 0	14,308	19,405
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	64·35	36·29	469·55	82·19	4·44	122·92	18·63	25·17
Total to corresponding date of previous year	139,612	79,537 0 0	9,03,144 0	1,67,183 0 0	12,206 0 0	2,58,926 0 0	40,659	54,304

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

Receipts for week ending 18th July 1908.			Receipts for week ending 20th July 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 18th July 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 20th July 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	decr 19
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	70,500	91·60	771	94,657	122·92	771	12,87,339	...	771	13,05,152			

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 18th July 1908 on 1,797 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles	
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.
		Rs. (a)	Mds.	Rs. (b)	Rs.	Rs.		(c)
Total traffic for the week on 1,797 miles open	373,770	1,38,100	8,26,760	1,10,260	18,260	2,66,620	56,867	41,309
Or per mile of railway	208·06	76·85	460·08	61·36	10·16	148·37	.....	.....
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year	523,426	2,02,419	14,82,860	2,05,260	37,470	4,45,140	80,084	67,145
Total for 2½ weeks ...	897,196	3,40,519	23,09,620	3,15,520	55,730	7,11,760	145,951	108,454
COMPARISON.								
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,705 miles open	293,504	1,15,032	12,18,862	1,45,555	19,624	2,80,211	55,335	(d) 51,330
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	172·14	67·47	714·88	85·37	11·51	164·35		
Total to corresponding date of previous year	865,536	3,42,242	34,69,555	4,55,902	59,014	8,57,148	152,407	133,099
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		2·43		2·67	·19	2·72		
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		2·16		2·84	·19	2·68		

(a) General increase chiefly under local and foreign outward.
(b) Decrease mainly under foreign inward due to heavy grain traffic to Bengal in 1907.
(c) Includes 4,550 miles of ballast trains.
(c) Includes 10,628 miles of ballast trains.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 25th July 1908	Coaching	5,613	0	0			
	Goods	8,132	0	0	14,124	0	0
	Other earnings	379	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907	Coaching	5,659	0	0			
	Goods	9,311	0	0	15,462	0	0
	Other earnings	492	0	0			
	Decrease				1,338	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 25th July 1908					276	15	1
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907					303	2	10
	Decrease				26	3	9
Receipts from 1st July to 25th July 1908					52,527	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907					58,273	0	0
	Decrease				5 749	0	0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING AUGUST 1908.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1908.				
August 12th to 14th	.....	Halt at Bankipur.		
„ 15th ...	Saturday ...	Leave Bankipur ...	Daybreak	By river on the *Rhotas*.
		Arrive Monghyr ...	3 P.M.	

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	REMARKS.
1908.				
August 16th ...	Sunday ...	Leave Monghyr ...	2 P.M.	
		Arrive Bhagalpur ...	8 P.M.	
„ 17th ...	Monday ...	Halt at Bhagalpur.		
„ 18th ...	Tuesday ...	Leave Bhagalpur ...	5 A.M.	
		Arrive Jangipur ...	4 P.M.	
„ 19th ...	Wednesday ...	Arrive Murshidabad ...	9 A.M.	
„ 20th ...	Thursday ...	Arrive Berhampore ...	5 A.M.	
„ 21st ...	Friday ...	Leave Berhampore ...	3 A.M.	
		Arrive Calcutta ...	5 P.M.	

NOTE.—

(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Lady Fraser.
Captain H. L. Fraser, 10th Royal Hussars, Private Secretary.
Captain A. H. B. Foster, The King's Own, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain R. C. Dodgson, R.F.A., Aide-de-Camp.
The Hon'ble Mr. F. W. Duke, I.C.S., Chief Secretary.
Lieut.-Col. W. J. Buchanan, I.M.S., Inspector-General of Prisons, from Bankipur.
The Commissioners of Divisions within their respective charges.

(2) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the Bengal Government Camp, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) The Lieutenant-Governor's arrival at Bankipur will be public; all other arrivals and departures will be private.

The timings for the river portion of the tour are approximate.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

BELVEDERE,
The 1st August 1908.

H. L. FRASER, CAPT.,
Private Secretary.

No. 5162A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4994A.—The 6th August 1908.*—Maulvi Atai Ilahi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is transferred temporarily to the Asansol subdivision of that district.
Burdwan.

No. 5054A.—The 8th August 1908.—Major C. Herbert, D.S.O., made over, and Captain C. A. G. P. Meadows, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs, received, charge of the office of Cantonment Magistrate of Dinapore, in the district of Patna, on the afternoon of the 25th July 1908.
Patna.

No. 5055A.—The 8th August 1908.—Captain C. A. G. P. Meadows, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs, is appointed to act as Cantonment Magistrate of Dinapore, with effect from the afternoon of the 25th July 1908, during the absence, on leave, of Major C. Herbert, D.S.O., or until further orders.
Patna.

No. 5060A.—The 10th August 1908.—Mr. J. Byrne, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge Midnapore, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. E. E. Forrester, or until further orders.
Ranchi. Midnapore.

No. 5087A.—The 10th August 1908.—Mr. A. G. Allison, Probationary Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bankura district.
Bankura.

No. 5094A.—The 10th August 1908.—Mr. E. H. C. Walsh, Officiating Commissioner of a Division, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 12th May 1908, *vice* Mr. L. P. Shirres, appointed to be Opium Agent, Bihar.

POLICE.—*No. 5013A.—The 7th August 1908.*—Mr. R. J. Hirst, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed temporarily to act as a Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, in charge of the Port Police, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. R. S. F. Macrae.

Calcutta.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 5107A.—The 10th August 1908.*—The Rev. Rulph Norton, of Kadhar in Banka, in the district of Bhagalpur, is authorised, under section 9 of Act XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians.

Bhagalpur.

The Rev. Rulph Norton is also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be Registrar of Births and Deaths in the Banka subdivision of the Bhagalpur district.

OPIUM.—*No. 5090A.—The 10th August 1908.*—Mr. L. P. Shirres, Commissioner of a Division, on furlough, is appointed to be Opium Agent, Bihar, with effect from the 12th May 1908, *vice* Mr. W. R. Bright, C.S.I., deceased.

Bihar.

CONFIRMATION.

POLICE.—*No. 4970A.—The 5th August 1908.*—Mr. E. H. Corbett, Superintendent of Police, is confirmed in his present appointment as Assistant to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Crime and Railways.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 5096A.—The 10th August 1908.—The following promotions, confirmation and appointments are sanctioned in the Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 12th May 1908, but the officers concerned will continue to act in higher grades or appointments, if any, until further orders:—

Promoted to the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. J. H. Lea, *vice* Mr. E. H. C. Walsh, confirmed as Commissioner of a Division.

Promoted to the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. H. F. Samman, *vice* Mr. J. H. Lea, promoted.

Confirmed in the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. H. W. P. Scroope, *vice* Mr. H. F. Samman, promoted.

Appointed substantively pro tempore *to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.*

Mr. W. M. Crawford, *vice* Mr. H. W. P. Scroope, confirmed.

Promoted to the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. W. R. Gourlay, *vice* Mr. H. W. P. Scroope, confirmed in the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the second grade.

Mr. J. Byrne, *vice* Mr. W. R. Gourlay, promoted.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 5033A.—The 8th August 1908.*—The order of the 3rd August 1907, granting Babu Nityananda Bhar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th September 1907, is cancelled.

Jessore.

No. 5052A.—The 8th August 1908.—Major C. Herbert, D.S.O., Officiating Cantonment Magistrate of Dinapore and Judge of the Small Cause Court of that Cantonment, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 25th July 1908.

Patna.

No. 5058A.—The 10th August 1908.—Mr. E. E. Forrester, District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 26th August 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, up to the 24th September 1908.

Midnapore.

No. 5070A.—The 10th August 1908.—Babu Sukesh Chandra Deb Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 24th July 1908.

No. 5072A.—The 10th August 1908.—Mr. F. W. Martin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Monghyr, is allowed leave for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 20th July 1908.

Monghyr.

No. 5143A.—The 11th August 1908.—In modification of the order of the 25th June 1908, Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Meherpur, Nadia, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of the 4th July 1908.

Nadia.

No. 5149A.—The 11th August 1908.—Mr. L. P. Shirres, I.C.S., has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of thirty days' extraordinary leave without pay.

POLICE.—*No. 5156A.—The 11th August 1908.*—Mr. R. E. Bradley, Superintendent of Police, Saran, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th September 1908.

Saran.

RESIGNATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 5103A.—The 10th August 1908.*—The license granted under section 9 of Act XV of 1872, to the Rev. George William Panes, under Government order No. $\frac{2M}{20}$ 3½, dated the 16th January 1890, is hereby revoked.

Bhagalpur.

No. 5105A.—The 10th August 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by the Rev. George William Panes of his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths in the Banka subdivision of the Bhagalpur district.

Bhagalpur.

POWERS.

No. 4991A.—The 6th August 1908.—Babu Akshay Kumar Sur, Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Murshidabad.

No. 5147A.—The 11th August 1908.—Mr. A. W. Barnicott, Covenanted Deputy Collector, Dhanbaid, Manbhum, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Manbhum.

No. 5159A.—The 11th August 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Bagchi, Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Ranchi.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 5th August 1908:—

No. 3078A.—The 3rd August 1908.—Babu Jugal Kishor De, Subordinate Judge, on leave, is allowed leave on medical certificate for five days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, and extraordinary leave without allowances for one month and twenty-six days, under article 339 (1) of the Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Appointment Department Notification No. 13538C., dated the 10th December 1907.

No. 3081A.—The 4th August 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Mitra, Munsif of Sylhet, is allowed leave for one month, under article 339 (1) of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave granted to him in Appointment Department Notification No. 2406A., dated the 23rd June 1908.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5155A.—The 11th August 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the second Half-yearly Departmental Examination during 1908 of Assistant and Deputy Magistrates and Sub-Deputy Collectors in the Regulation and Non-Regulation districts, of Cantonment Magistrates and of officers of the Police, Medical, Forest and Public Works Departments as well as of the members of the Agricultural Service will be held on Wednesday, the 21st October 1908, and the two following days.

The examination will begin at 11 A.M. on each day.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 3023L.R.—The 5th August 1908.—Maulvi Abdul Khair Muhammad Ishakk, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Monghyr, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-seven days, from the 2nd September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

Monghyr.

No. 3047L.R.—The 7th August 1908.—Babu Brojendra Kumar Ghose, Munsif, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Patna, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

Ranchi Singhbhum.

No. 3048L.R.—The 7th August 1908.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint Babu Brojendra Kumar Ghose, Munsif, to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

Ranchi. Singhbhum.

No. 3049L.R.—The 7th August 1908.—Babu Brojendra Kumar Ghose, Munsif, is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act, as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, excepting the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 1379L.R., dated the 5th March 1908, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purpose of carrying out the survey and record-of-rights in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter II of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act for the Chota Nagpur Division (except the district of Manbhum), published under Government Notification No. 3395L.R., dated the 24th November 1903.

Ranchi. Singhbhum.

No. 3050L.R.—The 7th August 1908.—With reference to the provisions of section 3 (1) (*a*) of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897 (Bengal Act IV of 1897), as amended by Bengal Act V of 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint Babu Brojendra Kumar Ghose, Munsif, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer for the purpose of commuting predial conditions and services under section 9A of that Act, in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

No. 3076L.R.—The 6th August 1908.—The following revised rule 14 (*i*) of the rules for the grant of prospecting licenses and mining leases for mica in Bengal, published under Government Notification No. 142T.R., dated the 23rd April 1902, in Part I, pages 577-81 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th idem, is, with the previous approval of the Government of India, published for general information :—

Revised Rule 14 (i) of the Rules for the grant of prospecting licenses and mining leases for mica in Bengal.

"The lessee shall, during the currency of his lease, pay a yearly rent at Re. 1-8 per acre of the total area included in the lease. The rent shall be payable in half-yearly instalments, the first payment of which shall be made on such date as may be agreed to under the terms of the lease: Provided that if the above rate of rent, namely, at Re. 1-8 per acre, proves insufficient, or results in a loss of revenue, it shall be open to the Local Government, on giving two years' notice to the lessee through the Collector of the district, in which the mine leased is situated, to reintroduce at any time the former rate of a royalty of 5 per cent. *ad valorem* on all mica removed or won from the mine. The method of assessing the value of mica for the purpose of calculating the royalty shall be settled by the Local Government at the time of the reintroduction of the old method."

No. 3116L.A.—The 10th August 1908.—In line 4 of Notification No. 2962L.A., dated the 4th August 1908, published at page 1390, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem, *for* "Telkulia" *read* "Tikulia."

Champaran.

No. 3122L.R.—The 10th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included in mauza Pati Gopalnagore, comprised in Patni Lot Kristopur, appertaining to the estates bearing Nos. 1, 10 and 11 in the revenue-roll of the district of Burdwan, but situated in thana Haripal, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed,—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise ;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 2969Agri.—The 8th August 1908.—Mr. E. H. Brand, Deputy Superintendent, first grade, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal, is confirmed in the post of Assistant Principal of the Bengal Veterinary College.

24-Pargana. (Belgachia).

No. 3018Agri.—The 5th August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 6 of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1890 (XI of 1890), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Veterinary Hospital at Chapra, situated within the limits of the Chapra Municipality, to be an infirmary for the treatment and care of animals in respect of which offences against sub-section (1) of that section have been committed.

Saran.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3019L.A.—The 5th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that an additional plot of land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for burning ghat, in the villages of Sandalpur and Sabalpur, pargana Azimabad, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 13 bighas 8 cottahs and 19·6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the river Ganges, on the south by the land covered by Declaration No. 697T.R., dated 16th May 1907, published at page 945, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, on the west by

Patna.

the lands of villages Sandalpur and Diara Sabalpur, and on the east by the fields of Gopeo and Khyllari and villages Sandalpur and Sabalpur, is required within the aforesaid villages of Sandalpur and Sabalpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Patna.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Shahabad.

No. 3021 L.A.—The 5th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Tahsil Bungalow at Chougain, in the village of Masarhia, pargana Bhojpur, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs and 14½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by village road, on the south by the lands of Babu Gouri Singh and others in village Masarhia, on the west by village road, and on the east by the lands of Babu Gouri Singh and others in village Masarhia, is required within the aforesaid village of Masarhia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Collector, Sone Canal Revenue Division, Arrah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3077.—The 7th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a police outpost in the village of Mirganj, pargana Nisangpur-Korha, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose six plots of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 11 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as below:—

PLOT NO. 1.

North—By the District Board Road,
South—By the land of Hit Lal Sahu,
East—By the land of Babu Lal Mandal,
West—By the land of Hit Lal Sahu,

PLOT NO. 2.

North—By the District Board Road,
South—By the land of Rupi Sonor,
East—By the land of Hit Lal Sahu,
West— Ditto ditto,

PLOTS NOS. 3 AND 4.

North—By the land of Tunai Mullah,
South—By the land of Raj Kumar Sonor,
East—By Raj parti,
West—By the land of Babu Lal Mandal,

PLOT NO. 5.

North—By the land of Gopal Mandal,
South—By the land of Hit Lal Sahu and parti,
East—By the land of Prem Lal Sahu,
West—By the land of Babu Lal Mandal,

PLOT NO. 6.

North—By the land of Tansi Mullah,
South—By the land Raj Kumar Sonor,
East—By the land of Prem Lal Sahu,
West—By the land of Hit Lal Sahu,

are required within the aforesaid village of Mirganj.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bhagalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3079.—The 7th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that an additional land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta for a public purpose, viz., for works to be constructed and carried cut by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta under the provisions of Bengal Act No. III of 1890 in the villages of Shahapore and Bishunpore, pargana Magura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 4 cottahs 14 chitaks and 40 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north and west by the land notified for acquisition in Declaration No. 1228L.A., dated 25th February 1908, on the south by the land of Rup Chand Ghose, on the east by the Buroshibtola road, is required within the aforesaid villages of Shahapore and Bishunpore.

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This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Collector, No. 23, Ekbalpore Road, Kidderpore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3081.—The 8th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the purpose of Post Office building at Sassaram in the village of Chanauthoo, pargana Sassaram, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs 5 dhurs (local), equal to ·164 acre, bounded on the—

Shahabad.

North—By a drain,
East—By the house of Ghasgarah,
South—By the compound of the Post Office building at Sassaram.
West—By the drain,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chanauthoo, pargana Sassaram.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Arrah Division, at Arrah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3084.—The 8th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for the New Birbhum Coal Company's Assisted siding at Bastokola, in the villages of Bastokola, Bherakutta and Jheria, pargana Jheria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 28 bighas 3 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 9·30 acres, bounded on the north by waste land of village Bastokola, on the south by East Indian Railway Company's land, on the east and west by waste land of villages Bastokola, Bherakutta and *bari* land of Muchi Singh and District Board road, is required within the aforesaid villages of Bastokola, Bherakutta and Jheria.

Manbhum.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (*l*), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Dhanbad.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3086.—The 8th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway Company, Limited, for Taki-Hashnabad extension of the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway, it is hereby declared

24-Parganas.

No. 3746.—The 10th August 1908—Babu Baladeb Sahay Barma, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Saran, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Purnea, with effect from the forenoon of the 4th June 1908.

Purnea.
Saran.

No. 3748.—The 10th August 1908—Babu Badri Narayan, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Bankipore, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Nawada, in the district of Gaya, during the absence, on deputation, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

Patna.
Gaya.

No. 3750.—The 10th August 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Abu Zafar, Sub-Registrar, Nawada, in the district of Gaya, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Purnea, until further orders.

Gaya.
Purnea.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 557S.R.—The 6th August 1908—Babu Satish Chandra Ray, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Monghyr, *vice* Babu Chuni Lal Ray, and, under section 40 of Act II of 1886, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Monghyr.

No. 582-O.—The 8th August 1908.—Mr. C. J. Davey, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Bihar Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 1st September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Bihar Agency.

No. 3334F.—The 5th August 1908.—Mr. R. J. Watson is appointed to be the Controller of Office Systems, Bengal, with effect from the 1st January 1906.

Calcutta.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1443Medl.—The 5th August 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. J. Drury, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of Howrah, is appointed to act as Professor of Materia Medica, Medical College, Calcutta, and *ex-officio* Second Physician to the College Hospital, during the absence, on deputation, of Lieutenant-Colonel G. F. A. Harris, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Howrah.
Calcutta.

No. 1434Medl.—The 6th August 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Jordan, I.M.S., Officiating Police Surgeon, Calcutta, and Professor of Medical Jurisprudence, Medical College, is appointed to be a Civil Surgeon of the first class, with effect from the 25th May 1908, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. ffrench-Mullen, I.M.S., retired, but will continue to act in his present appointment until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1436Medl.—The 6th August 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel A H. Nott, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of Murshidabad, is appointed to act as a Civil Surgeon of the first class, during the absence, on deputation, of Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Jordan, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Murshidabad.

No. 1438Medl.—The 6th August 1908.—Major J. T. Calvert, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of Darjeeling, is appointed to act as a Civil Surgeon of the first class, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel E. H. Brown, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Darjeeling.

No. 1440Medl.—The 6th August 1908.—Major B. H. Deare, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Hazaribagh, is appointed to act as a Civil Surgeon of the first class, during the absence, on deputation, of Lieutenant-Colonel F. J. Drury, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Hazaribagh.

No. 1473Medl.—The 8th August 1908.—Mr. G. E. Shaw, Assistant Quinologist to Government, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Darjeeling.

No. 1475Medl.—The 8th August 1908.—Mr. J. F. Richardson, Factory Assistant, Mungpoo, is appointed, in addition to his own duties, to act as Assistant Quinologist to Government, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. E. Shaw, or until further orders.

Darjeeling.

No. 1477Medl.—The 8th August 1908.—Captain G. King, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon, Puri, is allowed privilege leave combined with furlough for one year, viz., privilege leave for two months and twenty-eight days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 338 (*a*) of the Regulations, with effect from the 7th July 1908.

Puri.

No. 1480Medl.—The 8th August 1908.—Captain M. Mackelvie, I.M.S., Officiating Resident Physician, Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as a Civil Surgeon, and is posted to Puri, with effect from the forenoon of the 24th July 1908.

Calcutta.
Puri.

No. 1482Medl.—The 8th August 1908.—Captain F. P. Connor, I.M.S., Officiating Resident Surgeon, Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Resident Physician of that institution, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the afternoon of the 23rd July 1908.

Calcutta.

No. 1484Medl.—The 8th August 1908.—Captain D. Munro, I.M.S., Officiating Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal and Orissa Circle, acted as Civil Surgeon at Puri, in addition to his own duties, from the 7th to the forenoon of the 24th July 1908.

Puri.

No. 1495Medl.—The 10th August 1908.—Captain W. V. Coppinger, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon, Manbhum, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Howrah, with effect from the forenoon of the 25th July 1908, during the absence, on deputation, of Lieutenant-Colonel F. J. Drury, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Manbhum.
Howrah.

No. 1497Medl.—The 10th August 1908.—Military Assistant Surgeon M. Galvin, Medical Officer at Sealdah, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is appointed temporarily to act as a Civil Surgeon and is posted to Manbhum with effect from the forenoon of the 24th July 1908.

24-Parganas.
Manbhum.

No. 1499Medl.—The 10th August 1908.—Military Assistant Surgeon F. E. Knight, attached to the Presidency General Hospital, is appointed to act as Medical Officer at Sealdah, Eastern Bengal State Railway, with effect from the forenoon of the 21st July 1908, during the absence, on deputation, of Military Assistant Surgeon M. Galvin, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1501Medl.—The 10th August 1908.—Military Assistant Surgeon A. E. Clarke, Officiating Assistant Apothecary, Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Apothecary, Presidency General Hospital, with effect from the afternoon of the 20th July 1908, during the absence, on deputation, of Military Assistant Surgeon F. E. Knight, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5163A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5064A.—The 10th August 1908.—Mr. Saiyid Nasir-ud-din Ahmad, Munsif, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Saran, to be ordinarily stationed at Siwan, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Siwan Munsifi.

Saran.

that for the above purpose a strip of land 4,978 feet long, varying in width from 13 feet to 78 feet, and measuring, more or less, 17 bighas 4 cottahs 9 chitaks of standard measurement, and passing through the villages of Naihati, Goalpota, Dandirhat and West Dandirhat, pargana Balia, district 24-Parganas, is required within the aforesaid villages of Naihati, Goalpota, Dandirhat, and West Dandirhat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Messrs. Martin and Company, 6 and 7, Clive Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Darbhanga.

No. 3115R.—The 10th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the District Board of Darbhanga for a public purpose, viz., for a site for an inspection bungalow, in the village of Bahera, pargana Havi, zilla Darbhanga, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 15 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By road to Singhia,
East—By *parti* land of Chowdhery Rup Narayan Jha, and
South—By fields of Chitan Mullah, etc., Bachu Mian,
West—By the Dispensary,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bahera.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Darbhanga.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Midnapore.

No. 3120L.A.—The 11th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for construction of a retired line at Raghunathpore in the 42nd mile of the Chetua Circuit Embankment No. 22, in the village of Raghunathpore, pargana Chetua, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 bighas 11 cottahs 9 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by mal land and the breach in the embankment, on the east by Chetua Circuit Embankment (old), on the south by mal paddy land, and on the west by Chetua Circuit Embankment (old), is required within the aforesaid village of Raghunathpore,

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Ghatal.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Cuttack.

No. 3123L.A.—The 11th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Civil Court, Cuttack, to be constructed on khas mahal land in the village of Balubazar, pargana Cuttack Haveli, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of lakhraj baheli land measuring, more or less, 28·81 poles and khas mahal area is 2 roods 32·47 poles, total area 3 roods, 21·28 poles of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the Chandni Chauk to Balubazar main road,
East—By the khas mahal and Collector's office gate,
South—By the Canal Revenue Office and Commissioner's office compound,
West—By the khas mahal and Canal Revenue office gate, is required within the aforesaid village of Balubazar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Irrigation Branch, Cuttack.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 2, Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Ram Lal Varma, B.A., B.L., Manager of the Wards and Encumbered Estates, Circle "A," Ranchi, in the district of Ranchi, is appointed to be the Manager, and the management is vested in him, of the undermentioned immoveable property of Baraik Sibar Sahi and others of Roll, and of any other immoveable property to which the said holders are entitled in their own right, or which they are entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by or devolve on them or their heirs during the continuance of such management.

Name of Estate.	Name of proprietor.
Roll containing—	1. Baraik Sibar Sahi.
(1) Roll.	2. ,, Loknath ,,
(2) Chalio ½.	3. ,, Deonath ,,
(3) Katya 10 annas.	4. ,, Bisram ,,
(4) Madro ¼.	5. ,, Parjoo ,,
	6. ,, Kisun ,,

H. J. MCINTOSH, *Commissioner.*

RANCHI, *the 23rd July 1908.*

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

REGISTRATION.

No. 3655.—The 5th August 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Keshpur Sub-Registry office, in the district of Midnapore, being located at Anandapur in that district, the Sub-Registry office will henceforth be known as the Anandapur Sub-Registry office instead of the Keshpur Sub-Registry office.

Midnapore.

No. 3660.—The 8th August 1908.—Babu Kalipada Banarji, Sub-Registrar, Rampurhât, in the district of Birbhum, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 1st July 1908.

Birbhum.

No. 3662.—The 8th August 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Abdur Nayeem, B.A., Probationer, Monghyr, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar, Rampurhât, in the district of Birbhum, on the 1st July 1908.

Monghyr.
Birbhum.

No. 3664.—The 8th August 1908.—Babu Amirta Lal Gupta, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Rampurhât, in the district of Birbhum, with effect from the afternoon of the 1st July 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Birbhum.

No. 3693.—The 8th August 1908.—Maulvi Mihir Ali Mallik, Sub-Registrar, Tengra, in the district of 24-Parganas, is transferred to Harinakundu, in the district of Jessore.

24-Parganas.
Jessore.

No. 3695.—The 8th August 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Nurullah, Sub-Registrar, Harinakundu, in the district of Jessore, is transferred to Pandua, in the district of Hooghly.

Jessore.
Hooghly.

No. 3697.—The 8th August 1908.—Babu Atul Krishna Ghosh, Sub-Registrar, Pandua in the district of Hooghly, is transferred to Tengra, in the district of 24-Parganas.

Hooghly.
24-Parganas.

No. 3699.—The 8th August 1908.—Babu Gopal Lal, Sub-Registrar of Araria, in the district of Purnea, who was granted privilege leave for twenty-three days, under the orders of the 4th May 1908, was permitted to return to duty on the forenoon of the 5th May 1908.

Purnea.

No. 3744.—The 10th August 1908.—Babu Anadi Ranjan Bose, Deputy Collector, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Purnea, with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd June 1908.

Purnea.

No. 5066A.—The 10th August 1908.—Mr. Muhammad Wahid-ud-din Ahmad, Munsif of Siwan, in the district of Saran, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Gaya, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Gaya.

Saran.
Gaya.

No. 5068A.—The 10th August 1908.—Babu Prabha Chandra Singh, Munsif of Gaya, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, *vice* Babu Bidhu Bhushan Banarji, appointed to act as Subordinate Judge, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Midnapore.

Gaya.
Midnapore.

He is also vested with the powers, under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Midnapore.

POWERS.

No. 5017A.—The 7th August 1908.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

No. 5019A.—The 8th August 1908.—Babu Suresh Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate, Narail, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Jessore.

No. 5021A.—The 8th August 1908.—Babu Narendra Nath Datta, Deputy Magistrate, Ranchi, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Ranchi.

No. 5055A.—The 8th August 1908.—Captain C. A. G. P. Meadows, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs, who has, under the order of this date, been appointed to act as Cantonment Magistrate of Dinapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Patna.

No. 5087A.—The 10th August 1908.—Mr. A. G. Allison, who has, under the order of this date, been appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistrates and posted to the head-quarters station of the Bankura district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Bankura.

No. 5129A.—The 11th August 1908.—Mr. Alfred Bose, Deputy Magistrate, Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Nadia.

No. 5135A.—The 11th August 1908.—The substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrates, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class:—

Midnapore.
Bankura.

Babu Sharat Chandra Ray, Midnapore.
Mr. W. G. Kelly, Bankura.

No. 5137A.—The 11th August 1908.—Babu Sudhanshu Bhushan Mitra, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Monghyr, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Monghyr.

No. 5139A.—The 11th August 1908.—Mr. Nirmal Shankar Sen, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

24-Parganas.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 2615J.—The 4th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Mr. Harold Langton Tyson Wolff to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Jamalpur Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr.

Monghyr.

No. 2617J.—The 4th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Gangadi Nath Mukharji and Babu Lal Babu to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Gaya. They are also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Gaya.

No. 2687J.—The 7th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Pandit Nakuleswar Bidyabhusan Bhattacharji to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sealdah Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas. He is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24-Parganas.

No. 2692J.—The 7th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Ashutosh Singh to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Jangipur Independent Bench, in the district of Murshidabad. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Jangipur sub-division of that district.

Murshidabad.

No. 2738J.—The 10th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Ishwari Prasad Singh to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Supaul Independent Bench, in the district of Bhagalpur.

Bhagalpur.

RESIGNATION.

No. 2685J.—The 7th August 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Radhika Nath Banarji of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

POWERS.

No. 2705J.—The 7th August 1908.—Babu Indu Bhushan Mallik, an Honorary Magistrate of the Meherpur Independent Bench, in the district of Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Nadia.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2630J.—The 5th August 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that such portion of Declaration No. 4395T.R., dated the 23rd October 1905, published at page 1834, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th October 1905, relating to the workings underlying the Kankani Siding of the East Indian Railway as relates to No. 14 seam, shall be cancelled.

Manbhum.

No. 2732J.—The 10th August 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the Declaration No. 383T.R., dated the 27th April 1905, published at page 813, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd May 1905, relating to the workings of the minerals underlying the Jamuni Branch of the East Indian Railway, shall be varied to the extent that after the words in the Declaration No. 383T.R., of the 27th April 1905, "No coal be worked nor galleries driven where the distance from the top of the seam to the surface of the acquired land is less than 50 feet," there shall be added "except that the main No. 4 incline and one parallel gallery for ventilation may be driven 9 feet wide and any convenient height in (approximately) the directions shown by the red arrows on the plan L. A. M. A. No. 32A."

The plan L. A. M. A. No. 32A, signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, on which are carefully recorded the present workings of the mine in question, may be seen in his office.

Manbhum.

No. 2751J.—The 11th August 1908.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Abul Hossain authorizing him, as a temporary measure, to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the thana of Jamalpur in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 2752J.—The 11th August 1908.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a *sanad* (license) to Maulvi Abul Hossain, appointing him, as a temporary measure, Kazi of thana Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

Burdwan.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2631J.—The 5th August 1908.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz, for the Kankani Siding, which is an extension of the Sendra siding, which branches off the Dhanbaid-Katras Branch of the East Indian Railway near mile 173, and whereas coal mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Eastern Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seams known as Nos. 14 and 13 seams, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Eastern Coal Company, Limited, have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Manbhum.

Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act, XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Eastern Coal Company, Limited, in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.—

(*a*) No gallery shall be driven, in either seam, where the distance from the natural surface of the ground to the top of the gallery, when driven, would be less than 50 feet.

(*b*) Where the distance from the natural surface of the ground to the top of the gallery, when driven, would be 50 feet or more, galleries may be driven in both seams 10 feet wide with centres 90 feet apart, forming pillars 80 feet square to be left unworked for the support of the acquired land. The galleries in No. 14 seam shall not exceed 12 feet in height, and the galleries in No. 13 seam shall not exceed 10 feet in height, and shall be driven with at least 6 feet of coal in the roof to be left unworked.

(*c*) The galleries and pillars in both seams shall be coincident as regards verticality, that is to say, galleries shall be driven under galleries and pillars under pillars.

(*d*) In regard to the galleries in No. 14 seam, which have been already driven, galleries in No. 13 seam shall only be driven directly under them, regardless of the distance between centres, that is to say verticality shall be observed in preference to the distance of 90 feet between centres, provided that no galleries in No. 13 seam shall be driven under any galleries in No. 14 seam, which are coloured yellow on the plan L.A.M.A. No. 44 (5).

(*e*) Manholes not exceeding 6 feet high, 3 feet wide and 4 feet deep may be made when required by any rule made under the Indian Mines Act.

(*f*) These restrictions apply to Nos. 14 and 13 seams only and to the area edged with pink on the key plan on plan L.A.M.A. No. 44 (5), and the Eastern Coal Company, Limited, shall give notice under section IV of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of their intention to work any other seam under such area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land, and that in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L.A.M.A. No. 44 (5) signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2711P.—The 7th August 1908.—The notification of this Government, dated the 2nd June 1884, published at page 671, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, extending the provisions of section 34 of Act V of 1861 (The Police Act, 1861) to the town of Chogdah, in the district of Nadia, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th August 1908.

No. 150.—Mr. R. Ray, Assistant Engineer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Balasore Division to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Orissa circle.

No. 151.—Babu Hari Madhab Bhaduri, Supervisor, second grade, is vested with the powers of a Canal Officer under Act III (B.C.) of 1876, to be exercised only when in charge of an Irrigation Subdivision in one of the districts of Bengal to which the Act has been extended.

No. 152.—Mr. R. Ray, Assistant Engineer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the office of the Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle, to the Brahmini-Byturni Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 10th August 1908.

No. 86Marine.—Mr. W. H. D. Allison, Acting Branch Pilot, reverted to the grade of Senior Master Pilot with effect from the forenoon of the 6th August 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th August 1908.

No. 87Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 10 of the Indian Merchant Shipping Act of 1859, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, with the previous sanction of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, to make the following rules regarding the examination in the knowledge of "First aid to the Injured" to be required from candidates for certificates of competency as Master and Mate:—

In the regulations relating to the examination of Masters and Mates for Colonial and Home Trade certificates of competency, published under Notification No. 30Marine, dated the 20th March 1906,

(1) after rule 20 the following new rule 20A shall be inserted, namely:—

Ambulance certificates.

20A. All candidates for certificates of competency as Master or Mate will be required to show that they possess a knowledge of First Aid to the injured (see rule 96), and

(2) for rule 96 the following rules shall be substituted as Nos. 96 and 96A, namely:—

Ambulance certificates.

96. Candidates for certificates of competency possessing a knowledge of First Aid to the Injured should produce a certificate granted by the St. John Ambulance Association or the St. Andrews Ambulance Association, to prove this. The Government have arranged with the St. John Ambulance Association for special facilities to be provided in Calcutta for the instruction and examination of candidates in this subject, and those desirous of obtaining a certificate from the Association showing that they have a knowledge of First Aid to the injured should make application to the Port Officer of Calcutta, who will place them in communication with the Local Secretary of the Association.

The fees payable by candidates in return for instruction and examination in this subject are Rs. 15.

Courses of instruction given by qualified Surgeons on Board Merchant vessels will be accepted by the St. John Ambulance Association as qualifying a candidate to be examined for that Association's certificate, provided that the Surgeon in question is able to certify that he has carried out the syllabus of instruction of the Association.

Government awards.

96A. Recipients of Government awards can have the fact stamped on their certificates of competency on application to the Port Officer, Calcutta.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th August 1908.

No. 88Marine.—Mr. E. G. Venn, Second Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor to this Government, is granted privilege leave for ninety days, with effect from the 1st August 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th August 1908.

No. 89Marine.—Engineer F. Olford, R.I.M., Third Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor to this Government is appointed to act as Second Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor, *vice* Chief Engineer E. R. Venn, R.I.M., who has been granted privilege leave for ninety days, with effect from the 1st August 1908, or any subsequent date from which Mr. Venn may avail himself of his leave.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th August 1908.

No. 90Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. H. R. Stark to be temporarily a Surveyor of Steam and Sailing Vessels, under the Indian Emigration Act, 1883, in the port of Calcutta, with effect from the 16th August 1908, or from such date as he may join the appointment and until further orders.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th August 1908.

No. 91Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 9 of the Indian Steam Ships Act, 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. H. R. Stark as Third Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor to this Government in the port of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. F. Olford, who has been appointed to act as Second Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor, with effect from the 16th August 1908, or from such date as he may join the appointment, and until further orders.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th August 1908.

No. 92Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 7 of the Inland Steam Vessels Act, 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. H. R. Stark as Third Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor to this Government for the purposes of the Act in the ports of Calcutta, Kushtea and Khulna, *vice* Mr. F. Olford, who has been appointed to act as Second Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor, with effect from the 16th August 1908, or from such date as he may join the appointment, and until further orders.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th August 1908.

No. 149.—Babu Kalidhone Bhattacharji, Supervisor, first grade, Mahanadi Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the 20th July 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5164A.

No. 4998A.—The 6th August 1908.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Orissa Division, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Orissa Divn.

No. 5030A.—The 8th August 1908.—Babu Shailesh Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jessore, is transferred to the Basirhat subdivision of the 24-Parganas district.

Jessore.
24-Parganas.

No. 5062A.—The 10th August 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Rafik-ul-Alam, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is transferred temporarily to the Madhipura subdivision of that district.

Bhagalpur.

No. 5076A.—The 10th August 1908.—Maulvi Khundkar Ali Tahir, Sub-Deputy Collector, under orders of transfer to the Madhipura subdivision of the Bhagalpur district, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Bhagalpur.

No. 5117A.—The 11th August 1908.—Babu Jatindra Kumar Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Orissa Division, on being relieved of his Settlement duties in the district of Murshidabad. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Murshidabad.
Orissa Division.

No. 5120A.—The 11th August 1908.—Babu Bijay Krishna Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, Vishnupur, Bankura, is allowed leave for four weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1908.

Bankura.

No. 5123A.—The 11th August 1908.—Babu Surjya Narayan Singh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bankura, is transferred temporarily to the Vishnupur subdivision of that district.

Bankura.

No. 5125A.—The 11th August 1908.—Babu Hara Krishna Naik, Sub-Deputy Collector, Balasore, is transferred temporarily to Angul.

Balasore.
Angul.

No. 5127A.—The 11th August 1908.—Babu Suresh Chandra Deb, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur Division, is posted to the Banka subdivision of the Bhagalpur district.

Bhagalpur.

No. 5131A.—The 11th August 1908.—The officers, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class:—

Nadia.
Babu Hari Charan Banarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate Nadia.
„ Pramatha Nath Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Nadia.

Murshidabad.
„ Satish Chandra Upadhyay, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Murshidabad.
„ Gurudas Sarkar, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate.

No. 5133A.—The 11th August 1908.—Babu Amulya Chandra Dutt, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Rampur Hat, Birbhum, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Birbhum.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6453, dated Calcutta, the 7th August 1908.—Captain W. V. Coppinger, I.M.S., made over charge of the Purulia Jail to Military Assistant Surgeon M. Galvin in the forenoon of the 24th July 1908.

No. 6454, dated Calcutta, the 7th August 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. J. Drury, I.M.S., made over charge of the Howrah Jail to Captain W. V. Coppinger, I.M.S., in the forenoon of the 25th July 1908.

No. 6601, dated Calcutta, the 11th August 1908.—Captain D. Munro, I.M.S., made over charge of the Puri Jail to Captain M Mackelvie, I.M.S., in the forenoon of the 24th July 1908.

No. 6602, dated Calcutta, the 11th August 1908.—Captain C. A. Lane, I.M.S., made over charge of the Monghyr Jail to Assistant Surgeon Benod Behari Ghosal on the forenoon of the 16th July 1908.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 7012, dated Calcutta, the 4th August 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Surendra Nath Ghosh (I), of the Madhubani Subdivision and Dispensary, in the district of Darbhanga, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he was relieved of his duties.

No. 7015, dated Calcutta, the 4th August 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Muhammad Sulaiman Ashruff is appointed, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge, to act at the Madhubani Subdivision and Dispensary, in the district of Darbhanga, during the absence, on leave, of 3rd grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Surendra Nath Ghosh (I), or until further orders.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 15th July 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1908 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the twelfth day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute

P. C. TAGORE, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৮ সাল তারিখ ১৫ই জুলাই।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে এবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৮ সালের ১২ই, আগষ্ট বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতায় হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৮ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

পিঃ সিঃ ঠাকুর, সরিফ।

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

UNDER section 7 of Act IX of 1887 (The Provincial Small Cause Court Act), notice is hereby given that in the month of September 1908 the Judge of the Small Cause Court, Hooghly, Serampore and Howrah, will hold his sittings at—

Hooghly from 1st to 8th September.
Serampore from 9th to 16th September.
Howrah from 17th to 24th September.

Sundays and holidays excepted.

SUBJONARAIN DOSS, *Judge.*

CHINSURAH, *the 5th August 1908.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 3rd August 1908.—Babu Balaram Nanda is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Sambalpur and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educatio an Service, with effect from the 2nd May 1908.

Babu Kali Prasad, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Purnea (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 5th July 1908, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 21st July 1908 is cancelled.

The 4th August 1908.—Babu Abinash Chandra Sen, B.Sc., is appointed temporarily to be Assistant in the Physiological Laboratory of the Presidency College, with effect from the 6th July 1908, during the deputation of Babu Nibaran Chandra Bhattacharjea, or until further orders.

Babu Abinash Chandra Sen is also appointed substantively *pro tempore* to class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service.

Babu Umapada Sen Gupta, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Nadia, on leave, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month, outside the grades of the Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed temporarily to be Assistant Head Master of the Jessore Zilla School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment.

This cancels the orders of the 24th July 1908, appointing Babu Hridaya Nath Datta, B.A., temporarily to be Assistant Head Master of the Jessore Zilla School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service.

The 7th August 1908.—Babu Ram Chandra Maitra, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum (class V), is allowed leave of absence, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for ten days from the 29th July 1908.

The 8th August 1908.—Maulvi Besharatulla, Clerk and Gymnastic Master of the Nawab's Madrasah, Murshidabad (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for three months, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th June 1908.

Babu Prasanna Nath Lahiri, an Assistant Master in the Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah (class VIII), is appointed to act as Clerk of the same institution, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Maulvi Besharatulla, on leave.

Babu Charu Chandra Mukerjea, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment, *vice* Babu Prasanna Nath Lahiri.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

NOTICE.

No. 1319W.

THE HON'BLE MR. R. T. GREER, C.S.I., I.C.S.,
Member in Charge.

WHEREAS the Court of Wards has assumed charge of the estate of Mussamat Dulhin Gulab Kuar, widow of the late Rajkumar Ram Gopal Sing, of Sarsaud, in the district of Muzaffarpur, under section 85 of Act IX (B.C.) of 1879, notice is hereby given, under sub-section (1), section 10A of the same Act, as amended by Act I (B.C.) of 1906, that all persons having claims against the said disqualified proprietor or her immovable property shall submit the same in writing to the Collector of Muzaffarpur at Muzaffarpur within six months from the date of the publication of this notice.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

E. LISTER, *Offg. Secretary.*

LAND REVENUE DEPT., WARDS' BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 4th August 1908.*

No. 2910B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 1st September 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Total	...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 16th September 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 16th September 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 13th October 1908	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November ,,	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December ,,	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total	5,850	5,850	11,700

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1908.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 31st day of July 1908, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 31st July 1908.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.					TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 31ST JULY 1908 INCLUSIVE.			
	Quantity on which duty paid	Kidderpore Dock golas.	Sulkea golas.	Private golas.	Total.	Quantity duty paid manifested for export arrived in Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—									
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	26,793	2,44,182	2,70,975	1,13,081	3,84,056	79,572	1,14,185	6,990	70,948
Other European countries—									
Spanish salt	6,21,529	67,166	6,88,695	1,28,093	8,16,698	74,764	1,82,860	45,874	36,356
Hamburg salt	3,55,914	4,500	3,60,414	60,042	4,20,956	59,578	73,070	19,580	35,408
Hamburg rock	1,679	.....	1,679	.....	1,6				500
Port Said salt	92,316	.....	92,316	.....	92,316				22,623
Aden and Red Sea—									
Aden salt	1,12,612	.....	1,12,612	55,022	1,67,634	56,244	1,55,000	37,242	9,820
Salif salt	2,81,234	20,700	3,04,954	3,821	3,08,755	42,217	1,61,083	4,250	50,119
Do. rock salt	5,605	.....	5,605	.....	5,605	.....	.....		520
Rawayah salt									
Muscat and Persian Gulf—									
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.									
Ditto ditto rock salt									
British India—									
Bombay salt ...	1,90,202	1,357	2,00,		2,00,559	22,121*			35,653
Madras salt									
Coconada salt									
Vizagapatam salt									
Other places—									
Phœnix salt	48,602	.....	48,602	.....	48,602	350	.....	.....	840
Total	17,48,486	3,37,905	20,86,391	3,60,469	24,46,860	8,51,954	6,76,798	1,13,846	2,62,787

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	
Ditto in Sulkea golas	1,223
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	1,412
Abandoned and destroyed	106

In transit—

	Mds.
Liverpool and other Panga salt	10,880
Salif salt	1[illegible],060
Aden salt	11,500

* This quantity includes 21,340 maunds Bombay Kurkatch salt on which the duty was paid in Bombay.

P. R. CADELL,

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 7th August 1908.* *Collector of Customs.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the 24th of September 1908 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. III of the Ranchi Municipality in the place of Babu Kailash Chandra Chatterji, removed under section 20 (*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

H. J. McINTOSH, *Commr. of the Chota Nagpur Divn.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 1st August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the notification dated 22nd July 1908, published at page 1575, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th July last, it is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on Saturday, the 17th October 1908, in thana Amta, for the election of a member of the Uluberia Local Board, *vice* Babu Annada Charan Chakravarti, deceased.

A. W. COOK, *District Magistrate.*

HOWRAH MAGISTRACY, *the 8th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, Babu Khagendra Nath Mustafi has been appointed as a member of the Sonamukhi Dispensary Committee, in the district of Bankura, in place of Babu Natabar Mukharji, deceased.

S. L. MADDOX, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 7th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I order, under section 6, clause (*b*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, the acquisition of the Chach Ghat Ferry over a nulla of the river Chunhar close to village Dhusmari, on the District Board road from Bakhri to Khagraria in the Sadar subdivision in the district of Monghyr and hereby declare it to be a public ferry.

I also direct, in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, under section 35 of the same Act, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Monghyr, and that all the proceeds of the said ferry, and the fines levied and the compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund with effect from the date of this notification.

E. H. C. WALSH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 4th August 1908.*



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PART I A.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 8th August 1908.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 7th August 1908.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

1st Battalion, Bengal-Nagpur Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

No. 673.—Captain Frederick Brewster is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 20th July 1908.

A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1261L S.-G.—The 8th August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Balaram Das to be a member of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Cuttack, *vice* the Assistant Superintendent of the Orissa Tributary Mahals, resigned.

Cuttack.

No. 1264L.S.-G.—The 8th August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Additional District Magistrate of Midnapore to be the Chairman of the District Board of Midnapore, *vice* the Magistrate of the District.

Midnapore.

No. 1275L.S.-G.—The 10th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Local Boards by which elected.	Names of members.
Alipore	Babu Nanda Lal Sarkar. „ Siddheswar Rai Chaudhuri. „ Shashi Shekhar Basu.
Barrackpore	Munshi Basir-ud-din. Babu Shyam Lal Mukharji.
Baraset	Babu Bani Kanta Mukharji. „ Khetra Nath Chatarji.
Basirhat	Babu Tarak Das Banarji. „ Shashi Bhusan Mallik.
Diamond Harbour ...	Pandit Rakhal Chandra Tewari Nayaratna. Babu Jogesh Chandra Nag Chaudhuri. „ Sarada Prasad Datta.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board :—

The Subdivisional Officer, Barrackpore ... ...
Ditto Baraset ... ...
Ditto Basirhat ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
Ditto Diamond Harbour ...
The Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas ...
Rai Manilal Banarji Bahadur.
Mr. Tara Pada Ghosh.
Raja Binay Krishna Deb.
Babu Hrishikesh Laha.
The Hon'ble Rai Kisori Lal Goswami Bahadur.
Mr. R. D. Mehta, C.I.E.
Khan Bahadur Maulvi Ghulam Kasim.

No. 1277M.—The 10th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Jajpur Municipality, in the district of Cuttack :—

Cuttack.

Adhikari Mahabir Das, *vice* Babu Kunja Behari Haldar.
Babu Hardhan Mitra, *vice* Babu Kali Prosanna Chakrabatti.

No. 1279L.S.-G.—The 10th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Uluberia Local Board, in the district of Howrah, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Rakhal Das Chatarji to be their Chairman.

Howrah.

No. 1286L.S.-G.—The 7th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Bishwambher Ray has been elected by the members of the Kushtia Local Board, in the district of Nadia, to be a member of the Nadia District Board, *vice* Babu Basanta Kumar Chatarji, deceased.

Nadia.

No. 1288L.S.-G.—The 7th August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Mohamed Mussa to be a member of the Bihar Local Board, in the district of Patna, *vice* Maulvi Moin Azhar.

Patna.

No. 1293L.S.-G.—The 8th August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Lal Mohon Das to be a member of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Balasore, *vice* Shaikh Babu Jan, resigned.

Balasore.

No. 1295M.—The 10th August 1908.—The services of Mr. Kusum Kumar Chatarji, Assistant Engineer, employed under the Sanitary Board, Bengal, are replaced at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

No. 1298L.S.-G.—The 10th August 1908.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following rules, in modification of rules 32, 44 and 53 of the rules made under clauses (*g*), (*l*) and (*m*) of that section, and published with Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901, at pages 293—305 of Part IB. of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem :—

Rule 32.—Except as provided in rule 31, the District Engineer is strictly prohibited from commencing the construction of any work or expending public funds, without the sanction of competent authority; also from making or permitting any, except trifling, deviations from any sanctioned design in the course of execution, unless under specific authority or in case of emergency. The District Engineer shall take immediate steps to obtain the approval of the sanctioning authority to any alteration from the sanctioned design made under his orders. All unauthorised expenditure will be incurred at his own risk.

Rule 44.—The District Engineer is held primarily responsible for affording information to the Inspector of Works in cases of probability of excess of actual over estimated cost of any important work. On receipt of a report from the District Engineer that the total expenditure on any work is likely to exceed the total of the sanctioned estimate, the Inspector of Works shall call on the District Engineer to furnish him with such particulars as will enable him to decide whether a revised estimate is required or not under rule 53.

53. A revised estimate shall be prepared immediately there is reason to anticipate that an estimate will be exceeded by more than 10 per cent. of its total amount, or where considerable alterations of the original estimate are desired, and it shall be submitted for the approval of the authorities whose sanction would be necessary if it were an original estimate. When excesses occur at such an advanced period of the construction of a work as to render the submission of a revised estimate purposeless, the excesses will be dealt with in a completion report, in which details need only be given when the excess is above 5 per cent. of the original estimate.

No. 1308L.S.-G.—The 11th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Isri Prasad Narain Deo has been elected by the members of the Giridih Local Board, in the district of Hazaribagh, to be a member of the Hazaribagh District Board, *vice* Mr. E. O. R. Myers, resigned.

Hazaribagh.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICES.

THE Senate will proceed in the month of August 1909 to the election of a Tagore Professor of Law for the term of one year, to commence on the 1st of August 1910.

The salary of the Professorship is Rs. 9,000 per annum, and the Professor will be expected to deliver a course of not less than twelve lectures on one of the following subjects:—

(*i*) Mercantile Law and Usage, including the Law of Sale of Goods, with special reference to British India.

(*ii*) Codification in British India.

(*iii*) The History of Moslem Legal Institutions with special reference to the law of *Wakf*.

The salary of the Professor shall be paid in twelve equal monthly instalments, the first instalment to be paid on the first day of the month following that in which the first lecture is delivered.

Candidates for the Professorship are requested to forward their applications to the Registrar on or before the 1st May 1909, stating on which of the abovenamed three subjects they are prepared to lecture. Each candidate will forward with his application one hundred copies of a brief Synopsis of his proposed lectures; and, if he so pleases, the same number of copies of his Introductory Lecture.

The Professor will not, later than the month of August following his election, forward to the Registrar a complete copy (manuscript or typewritten) of the Lectures which he proposes to deliver. The copy will be referred to a Committee of the Faculty of Law consisting of not more than three members to be chosen by the Faculty, who will examine the same and before the 1st November report to the Faculty whether the work is complete and ready for the press. If upon such report the Faculty are satisfied that the work is complete, the Professor will commence to deliver his lectures in the month of December, and complete the delivery thereof in the following February. The copy of the Lectures delivered will remain in the custody of the Registrar, and will be sent to press as soon as practicable after delivery thereof.

If the Professor fails to submit the copy of the Lectures, or if the copy submitted be found, on examination, to be incomplete and not ready for the press, the matter will be referred to the Faculty of Law, upon whose recommendation the Senate may either extend the time or cancel the appointment.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 3rd August 1908.

G. C. MUKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar, Calcutta University.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA will deliver his next lecture on English Constitutional History at the Senate House, College Square, on Friday, the 14th August, at 3-30 P.M.

SENATE HOUSE, G. C. MUKHARJI,
The 7th August 1908. *Offg. Registrar.*

PANDIT RAMAVATAR SARMA, SAHITYACHARYYA, M.A., Srigopal Basu Mallik Fellow, will deliver his next lectures in English at the Senate House, College Square, on Wednesday, the 12th instant, at 6 P.M., on "Maya," and again on Monday, the 17th instant, at 6 P.M., on "True Asceticism."

The lectures are open to the public.

SENATE HOUSE, G. C. MUKHARJI,
The 10th August 1908. *Offg. Registrar.*

Dr. CHANDRA'S SCHOLARSHIP IN MATERIA MEDICA AND THERAPEUTICS.

THE above scholarship of the value of Rs. 361-8 will be awarded to the best successful candidate who will be selected at an examination to be held this year in November 1908.

The examination is open to—

(1) All senior students of the Medical College, Calcutta.
(2) Any ex-senior student of the Medical College who may at the time of the examination be studying at any Medical College in India or Europe.
(3) Any graduate or licentiate in Medicine of whatever standing and however employed who may have obtained either in Europe or in India a Medical diploma or degree entitling him to practice Medicine, provided that such graduate or licentiate at some time received a portion of his professional education in the Medical College, Calcutta.

Certificates to the effect that the candidate fulfils the above requirements, together with one of good moral character signed by a person of respectability, should be submitted to the Principal, Medical College, Calcutta, on or before the 10th October 1908.

Candidates are required to write a Thesis on "An enquiry into the Pharmacological properties and Therapeutic uses of the plant Ixora Coccinea" and submit the same to the Professor of Materia Medica and Therapeutics, Medical College, Calcutta, by the 15th November 1908.

Personal attendance at the examination is not necessary

Preference will be given to the candidate whose Thesis bears evidence of original investigation of any worth in connection with the above plant.

The scholarship will be tenable for one year; but it may be tenable for two years in case of exceptional merit on the recommendation of the examiner

C. P. LUKIS, M.D., F.R.C.S., LT.-COL., I.M.S., *Principal, Medical College.*

CALCUTTA, *the 25th July 1908.*

RESULTS OF THE VERNACULAR TEACHERSHIP EXAMINATION, 1908.

JUNIORS—URIYA.

Serial No.	Name of Candidate.	Name of Institution.	Class.
1	Bareck, Lucy	American Mission Training Class, Hatigarh, Balasore.	II
2	Curtis, Mukhomoi ...	Ditto ditto ...	,,
3	Das, Gulbadini	Baptist Mission Training Class, Cuttack.	,,
4	Das, Ratnomoi	Ditto ditto ...	,,
5	Jenna, Roopabati ..	American Mission Training Class, Hatigarh, Balasore.	,,
6	Mahanti, Bama	Ditto ditto ...	,,
7	Mahanti, Ichhabati ...	Baptist Mission Training Class, Cuttack.	,,
8	Padhan, Ujwalla Moni ...	Ditto ditto ...	,,
9	Patra, Kurpasri	Ditto ditto ...	,,
10	Patra, Saroda	American Mission Training Class, Hatigarh, Balasore.	,,
11	Sahu, Ichhabati	Baptist Mission Training Class, Cuttack.	,,

CALCUTTA, LILIAN BROCK,
The 7th August 1908. *Inspectress of Schools, Presidency, Burdwan and Orissa Divisions.*

RESULTS OF THE VERNACULAR TEACHERSHIP EXAMINATION, 1908.

JUNIORS, BENGALI.

Serial No.	Name of Candidate.	Name of Institution.	Class.
1	Biswas, Tarongini ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar	I
2	Barick, Mary ...	B. Z. M. Training Class, Entally ...	II
3	Biswas, Mary ...	Lee Memorial Training Class ...	,,
4	,, Probhas Nalini ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar	,,
5	Chakroberty, Benoybala ...	Ditto ditto ...	,,
6	Christopher, Niroda ...	B. Z. M. Training Class, Entally ...	,,
7	Das, Prabhabati ...	U. F. C. Normal School, 19, Duff Street.	,,
8	,, Jiban Jamini ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar...	,,
9	,, Mucktamala ...	Wesleyan Mission Training Class, Barrackpur.	,,
10	,, Phulmoni ..	B. Z. M. Training Class, Entally ...	,,
11	,, Rajonibala ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar	,,
12	,, Shorabmoy ...	Lee Memorial Training Class ...	,,
13	,, Shudhangsu ...	Ditto ditto ...	,,
14	Ghosh, Nanibala ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar	,,
15	,, Sulochana ...	Lee Memorial Training Class ...	,,
16	Mahapatra, Sorojini ...	U. F. C. Normal School, 19, Duff Street.	,,
17	Mondol, Golapmoni ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar	,,
18	,, Shushilabala ...	Lee Memorial Training Class ...	,,
19	,, Urmilla ...	B. Z. M. Training Class, Entally ...	,,
20	Malti, Marudi ...	Scandinavian Mission Training Class, Benagoria.	,,
21	Mullick, Rajubala ...	B. Z. M. Training Class, Entally ...	,,
22	Murmu, Randhan ...	Scandinavian Mission Training Class, Benagoria.	,,
23	Nath, Nirode ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar	,,
24	Pal, Kiron ...	Ditto ditto ...	,,
25	Peel, Martha ...	B. Z. M. Training Class, Entally ...	,,
26	Sircar, Hemandrabala ...	Wesleyan Mission Training Class, Barrackpur.	,,
27	,, Surabala ...	B. Z. M. Training Class, Entally ...	,,
28	,, Ullashini ...	C. E. Z. Normal School, Krishnagar	,,
29	Soren, Rebeka ...	Scandinavian Mission Training Class, Benagoria.	,,
30	Tudu, Lakhni ...	Ditto ditto ...	,,

CALCUTTA,
The 7th August 1908.

LILIAN BROCK,
Inspectress of Schools, Presidency, Burdwan and Orissa Divisions.

RESULTS OF THE VERNACULAR TEACHERSHIP EXAMINATION, 1908

SENIORS.

Serial No.	Name of Candidate.	Name of Institution.	Class.
1	Dutt, Amy Constance ...	D. M. Training Class, Ballygunge ...	I
2	Hazra, Shudhangsu ...	U. F. C. Normal School, 19, Duff Street.	,,
3	Bir, Shunitibala	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta ...	II
4	Biswas, Kadambini ...	Lee Memorial Training Class ...	,,
5	Das, Kironmoyi ...	B. Z. M. Training Class, Entally ...	,,
6	,, Suroma	Ditto ditto ...	,,
7	Gomez, Minnie	D. M. Training Class, Ballygunge ...	,,
8	Kaviraj, Shuhasini ...	U. F. C. Normal School, 19, Duff Street.	,,
9	Loveday, Dorothy Shorojlata	D. M. Training Class, Ballygunge ...	,,
10	Sircar, Premlata	B. Z. M. Training Class, Entally ...	,,

CALCUTTA,
The 7th August 1908.

LILIAN BROCK,
Inspectress of Schools, Presidency, Burdwan and Orissa Divisions.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine, and
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 13th July 1907.

R. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

Award of Junior Scholarships and Prizes for Muhammadans, 1908.

Serial No.	Name of Scholar.	Name of institution from which he appeared.	Kind of scholarship or prize awarded.	Where made tenable.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Endowed Scholarships.			
1	Serajul Islam ...	Calcutta Madrasah	Amir-i-Kabir scholarship of Rs. 10.	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Not transferable.
2	A. N. M. Akram ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3	A. M. Muhammad Arshad	Ditto ...	Mohsin junior scholarship of Rs. 10.	St. Xavier's College.	
4	Abu Jafar	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
5	Abul Hayat	Ditto ...	Syed Ali Khan Bahadur Ripon scholarship of Rs. 10.	Calcutta Madrasah ...	For one year only and the Amir-i-Kabir continuation scholarship of Rs. 10 in the second year.
6	Muhammad Sadat Ali ...	Hooghly Collegiate School.	Mohsin junior scholarship of Rs. 8.	M. A. O. College, Aligarh.	
7	Muhammad Shamsuddin Ahmed.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
		Government Special Scholarships.			
1	Golam Muhammad ...	Bihar High School	Ditto ...	Patna College.	
2	Abdul Majid ...	Jamui High English School.	Ditto ...	M. A. O. College, Aligarh.	
3	Abdul Aziz Khan ...	Balasore Zila School	Government special scholarship of Rs. 7.	Calcutta Madrasah.	
4	S. M. Tofazel Hossain ...	Khulna Zila School	Ditto ...	Presidency College.	
5	Syed Sultan Hasan Mirza	Nawab of Murshidabad's Madrasah.	Ditto ...	.....	
	Muhammad Anwarul Haq	Barasat Government School.	Ditto ...	Calcutta Madrasah.	
		Prizes awarded to Muhammadan Students.			
	Abdul Hamid ...	Calcutta Madrasah	Prince Jehan Kadir Mirza Bahadur's Ripon prize Rs. 20.		
	Muhammad Mohsin ...	Ditto ...	Nawab Zainul Abedin Khan Bahadur's Ripon prize Rs. 20.		
	Jamalur Rohman ...	Ditto ...	Muhammadan Literary Society's Ripon prize Rs. 20.		
	Abu Abdullah Syed Ali...	Ditto ...	Ditto.		

Serial No.	NAME OF SCHOLAR.	Name of institution from which he appeared.	Kind of scholarship or prize awarded.	Where made tenable.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Prizes awarded to Muhammadan Students—concld.				
5	Muhammad Israil Khan ...	Calcutta Madrasah	Sahibzada Muhammad Rohimuddin's Ripon prize Rs. 20.		
6	Zafar Hasan ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...		
7	Khwaja Muhammad Ahsan	Ditto ...	Kassim Ariff's Ripon prize Rs. 20.		
8	Muhammad Qamaruzzaman	Ditto ...	Maulvi Aboy Ahmad's Ripon prize Rs. 20.		
9	Quazi Muhammad Tufail Ahmad.	Ditto ...	Mirza Abdul Karim Sherajee's Ripon prize Rs. 12.		
10	Muhammad Akhtar ...	Ditto ...	Prince Muhammad Nasiruddin Hyder's Ripon prize Rs. 12.		

CALCUTTA,
The 10th August 1908.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.



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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Birbhum, will be put up to sale at the Birbhum Collectorate, on Friday, the 4th September 1908, corresponding with 19th Bhadra 1315 B. S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs.	
349	Jalkar Hat Ikra, pargana Alinagore	.....	3	
361	Jalkar Gonutia, pargana Ichhapukhuria	186 acres	10	

Birbhum Collector's Office, the 20th July 1908.

FAZL-EL-HUQ, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along th brick-field near Adra-Midnapur-Jharia Extension, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be pu up to sale at 12 noon, on Thursday, the 24th September 1908, corresponding with the 8th Aswin 1315 Fusli, a Raghunathpur Dâk Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railwa boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. I the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or i that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Banchas, mauza Digtila.	346 and 347	South of the railway line.	25 12 10	8 1 35·71	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

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Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Jharria.	174½ in sheet No. 4.	West of the Railway line.	8 5 10	2·74	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jheria Coal line, siding No. 1, Messrs. Khanga & Co., Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

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Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile in which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Barugarh.	130 to 131, sheet No. 5.	South and north side of the Railway line.	9 3 11·50	3 0 5·87	.....	.....	...	
2	Ditto ...	Jharria pargana, Gopalichak mauza.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7 12 13	2 2 4·13	.....	.....	...	
		Total ...	.....	.....	16 16 8·50	5 2 10				

Land Acquisition Office, Manbhum, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jealgora siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 22nd September 1908, corresponding with the 6th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

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4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Bhulanbarri.	177½	South of the Railway line.	7 7 0	2·43	.....	.....	...	
		Total ...	.....	.....	7 7 0	2·43				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

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Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, village Paddogora.	Between miles 135-137.	On the north side of the Railway line.	12 15 5	4 1 1	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 8·77	3 1 27	A plot 100×100' required for pump-house, etc.	0 0 37	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Muchurah.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...	.....	.....	24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

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Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Ladna.	176¾ sheet No. 6.	West of the Railway line	0 16 16	0·28	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, mauza Paldiadih.	Ditto ...	East of the Railway line.	2 15 9	0·92	.....	.....	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	176¾ sheet No. 7.	Ditto ...	3 11 7	1·18	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...		.....	.....	2·38				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Saturday, the 22nd August 08, at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate ount is kept for that share.

nzi o.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
93 1	Chacher, ph. Behea ...	1,713 9 8	.....	The share to be sold is 5 annas 4 pies. The ijmali shares will also be sold, other shares are excluded from the sale.	Tirbeni Prosad Singh and others.	571 3 2	. .	342 15 1
75	Amaon, ph. Chainpur	11,261 13 8	.....	The share of Khata I to be sold is:—	Nanak Chand ...	1,878 4 9	.....	471 7
				Ismailpur ... ... 3 Amaon ... ... 3 Amaiha ... ... 3 Anantpur-Khilopur ... ... 3 Baheri ... ... 3 Piparia ... ... 3 Bhadansa ... . 3 Nati ... ... 3 Pipra Sakarmar ... ... 3 Pakaridhar ... ... 3 Jamurni ... ... 3 Chak Kalanudi *alias* Chakea ... ... 3 Chintamanpur ... ... 3 Dasauti ... ... 3 Dewane ... ... 3 Dandwawirán ... ... 3 Rampur bareju ... ... 3 Sahebahe ... ... 3 Sardaur ... ... 3 Sirdhara ... ... Bagchhara ... ... Milki ... ... Nabi ... ... } 3 Rajpur ... ... Bharuhia ... ... Mohamadpur ... ... Saraila ... ... 3 Sarnidharhand ... ... 3 Dandwa dakhli ... ... } Fakhrabad ... ... } 3 Sikandarpur ... ... 3 Sikara ... ... 3 Karausi ... ... 3 Kundwa ... ... 3 Kharsaunda ... ... 3 Mehea ... ... 3 Nanauhja ... ... 3 Dighi ... ... 3 Lahopakar ... ... 3 and Khatas 14, 24, 39, 40, 45, 70, 77, 90 and 98 will also be sold, other shares are excluded from the sale.			
5	Sikthee, ph. Chousa ..	634 6 9	Whole ...	.. .	Sheodhar Prosad ...	.....	48 6 9	.....
7	Tajpur Chamari, ph. Nonaur.	1,275 0 0	Do. ...	.....	B. Hukum Chand ...	.....	1 4 0	.....
1	Kansi, ph. Pero ...	960 0 0	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is 9 annas and other shares are excluded from sale.	B. Rajbahadur and others.	540 0 0	.....	1 11 6
	Jagatpur-Khaira, ph. Sasaram.	690 10 8	Whole ...	.....	Lala Rudri Prosad and others.	... ..	34 0 8	.....
	Idlari Sarimpur, ph. Sasaram.	1,152 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Mahipal Bahadur Singh.	.....	325 0 5	.....
	Pandepur, ph. Behea	1,003 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ram Sakhi Kuar ...	.....	132 5 0	.....
	Bansgopal Chapra, ph. Behea.	653 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Harihar Prashad and others.	.....	61 13 0	.....

Arrah, the 23rd July 1908.

W. A. MABE, Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates the district of Cuttack will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 31st August 1908 at 12 A. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be underst that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is be sold, arrears from i
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A.
13	Killa Bisunpur ...	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 11a.	Laksmidhar Das and others.	579 15 4	.....	229
17	Killa Chhedra ...	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 2p. 8kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 9p. 12kt.	Jogendra Nath Bose and others.	2,004 7 4	.....	36 1
26	Kt. ta. Sunderpur, ph. Jajpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 1p. 7kt. 7b. 6g. 2kd. 3bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 10p. 12kt. 8b. 13g. 1kd. 1bd.	Sana Dei, wife of Krisa Sindhu Jhampula Singh, and others.	1,031 14 9	.....	824
33	Ta. Korkora, ph. do.	801 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ch. Narsingh Charan Mahapatra.	.....	400 11 7	.....
35	Kt. ta. Rantirapur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 9p. 3kt. 7b 16g. 1kd. comprised in all the mauzas and shares of mauzas excluding 8a. in ma. Bampura which represents an interest of 2a. 2p. 16kt. 8b. 3g. 3kd. of the mahal.	Ram Krista Bose ...	1,301 4 0	.....	53
58	Kt. ta. Naharapur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 3p 16kt. 13b. 15g. 3bd. of the mahal excluding 10a. 8p. 3kt. 2b. 4g. 3kd. 1bd. represented by 12a. of ma. Rana, 8a. of ma. Kapasipatna, 1a. of ma. Bidyadharpur Samil Kapasi, 16a. of ma. kapasi, 9a. of ma. Digraj Samil Khalzaria, Kapileswar, 16a. of ma. Kapileswar Samil Rana, 1a. of ma. Badyarajpur Samil Bidyadharpur, 13a. 4p. of ma. Balipasi, 12a. 9p. 12kt. of ma. Sridharpur 9a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Tipura, 1a. of ma. Sobada, 15a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Itra, ma. Banpur, Badyarajpur, Sirajpur, Beparibramhapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeswar, Khalzaria, Barbati, Erbank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukleipur, Bhatsahi and Taramadan and 10a. of ma. Naharapur, 8a. 9p. of ma. Bara Balipara, Arjunpur, Saito, Dovabil and Samsundarpur, 8a. 4p. 10kt. of ma. Saisalapur, 10a. 9p. 12kt. of ma. Hirapur, 6a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Gopaldehuri and 16a. of ma. Utaipur, Kothsahi, Nayagobindpur, Nakhuapal, Bedhapal and Gardia, 12a. of ma. Kukharudihi, 9a. of ma. Andatola, 8p. of ma. Rambajpur, 10a. 8p of ma. Solaparhi, 9a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Sarisudha, 15a. 9kt. of ma. Ranigora, 12a. 4p 17kt. 12b. 16g. of ma. Kodandpur, 13a. 9kt. of ma. Indas Nos. 1 and 2, Debidwar and Khalgaria, 11a. 10p. 4kt. 8p. of ma. Ranigarh, 12a. 4p. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area 29'30, 12a. of ma Solampur 8a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area '47, 8a. of ma. Trilochanpur Nos. 1 and 2, Jalpur and Jalhara, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Hirapur, 6a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Salkhumbi, Basudebpur and Bokhanpur.	Gopal Charan Mahanti.	1,033 3	...	1,803 1
38/46	Kt. ta. ditto, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. 6p. 12kt. 9b 1kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in ma. Sanpur, Badyarajpur, Sirajpur, Beparibramhapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeswar Khazana, Barabati, Erbank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukdeiti entire, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Kodandpur excluding 13a. 5p. 7kt 6b. 19g. 2kd. 1bd. which represents 16a. of all other mas. and remaining share of the above mauza.	Chandramani Panda and others.	913 1 0	.....	143
59	Kt. ta. Kalimegha, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 10p. 4kt. 2b. 1g. 1kd comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 3a. 1p. 15kt. 13b. 18g. 3kd. represented by 1a. of ma. Panasa, 7a. of ma. Bhatsahi, 1a. 3p. 15kt. of ma. Ichhapur.	Ram Krista Bose and others.	1,285 5 0	.....	283
65	Kt. ta. Bhimkarpur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 11a. 5p. 8kt. 10b. 2g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas except 4a. 1p. 13kt. 5b. 6g. 2kd. 2kt. in ma. Mantapur, Ranjit, and Mahamalia, 7a. 3p. in ma. Belampur, Sudxobinda, Akhandaleswar, Arai Haripur and Paikola, 34. 7p. 10kt. of ma. Kusgram, Balipokhari and Champamarai Nos. 1 and 2, 9a 11p. 5kt in ma. Chainpur, 3a. 3p. in ma. Jogeswarpur, 12a. 1p. in ma. Dasa Abatar, total representing 4a. 6p. 11kt. 5b. 17g. 2kd. of the mahal.	Kangoi Bimbandhu Bolimsingh Mahapatra and others.	527 11 0	.....	200
423	Ta. Mirpur, ph. Tisaura.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 8p. 5kt, 10b. 12g. 2kd. 1bd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 5a. 3p. 14kt. 5b. 7g. 1kd. 3bd. represented by 16a. of ma. Singhipur Tantura, Markandpur Suand, Karuna, Boda Barpal, Serbara, Baniapal, Baniapal-samil Lenkasahi and Singhipursamil Jari.	B r undar Das ...	4,151 5 0	.....	1,019 1

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Ta. Mirpur, ph. Tisama.	.....	.....	Kt. 3a. 7p. 17kt. 15b. 1g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in ms. Singpur, Tuntura, Markandpur, Suand, Karuna and Boda, Singpur Samil Jari entire, 3a. in ms. Baniapal and Baniapal Samil Lenkasahi excluding 12a. 4p. 2kt. 18g. 1kd. represented by all other mauzas and the remaining shares of the above mauzas.	Gourang Charan Das	1,341 4 0	.....	459 2 0
Ta. ditto, ph. ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 7p. 16kt. 6b. 5g. 2kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in ms. Badpal and Sarbara entire, 13a. in ms. Baniapal and Baniapal Samil Lenkasahi excluding 14a. 4p. 3kt. 9b 14g. 1kd. 1bd. represented by all other mauzas and the remaining shares of the above mauzas.	Rama Chandra Das...	738 13 0	.....	184 4 0
Kt. ms. Kadarabad, ph. Padmapur.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 7p. 9kt. 12b. 10g. 3kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 2a. 4p. 10kt. 3b. 9g. 1bd. represented by ms. Sankhpur entire, 11a. in ms. Ramchandrapur, 11a. 3p. 10kt. in ms. Tilda, Ramkrishtapur, Jugulaipara and Mohanpur.	Sebendrapada Bandopadhya.	666 14 0	.....	171 13 3
Kt. ta. Jasaiajpur, ph. Kerunikhand.	823 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ch. Badyanath Raiguru Mahapatra and others.	.....	412 0 0	.....
Ta. Narendrapur, ph. Soknai.	6,858 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Arnopurna Debya ...	.....	3,444 0 0	.....
Ma. Basudeipur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 2a.	Srimatya Radhamani Dasi, mother and guardian of Akhoy Kumar Ghose, and others.	641 6 0	.....	269 3 9
Ta. Marilo, ph. ditto	978 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Chintamani Mahapatra and others.	.....	488 0 0	.....
Ta. Ramkristapur, ph. Sunghara.	1,203 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Lala Madan Mohan Rai and others.	.....	99 3 9	.....
Ta. Raisinghara, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 1kt. 13b. 6g of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 4p. 18kt. 2b. 14g. represented by ms. Narijang entire.	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	1,512 12 0	.....	675 3 6
Kt. ms. Odasingh, etc., ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Choudhury Krutibas Das and others through their common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Kar.	524 7 0	.....	262 7 6
Kt. ms. Ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Ditto ...	548 15 0	.....	274 15 0
Pt. Ekramnagar, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 10p. 3kt. 12b. 17g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 2a. 1p. 16kt. 3b. 2g. 2kd. represented by ms Banaura and Kuhunda entire, 7a. 1p. 4kt. in ms. Jankoti and Mirjapur, 2a. in ms. Barigole, Buhalo, Chamarigole, Nunbar, Banahara, Banpali, Patpur, Jagnipur, Kulia, Khandgan, Matkatpur, Mahajanpur, Nichintkoth, Rautpati and Biso.	Lalla Rodha Mohan Rai and others.	824 6 0	.....	45 7 9
Ms. Nahang, ph. Sunghara.	501 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sri Radhamadhab Thakur, Marfat Srimatya Sadhabi Dei.	.....	20 5 11	.....
A. D. ms. Madhyakuteh, &c., ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Ch. Kurtibas Das and others.	1,321 2 0	.....	661 0 0
Tape Gopalpur, ph. Alti.	9,363 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Samant Laksmi Narayan Jagdeb.	.....	4,682 0 0	.....
Thana Mahamadabad, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 8p. 14kt. 10b. 17g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in all mauzas, excluding 3p. 5kt. 5b. 2g. 1kd. represented by ms. Mahipur, Gargah and Rampur entire.	Babu Balaram Bhramarbar and others.	3,530 12 0	.....	1,761 0 9
Ta. Kristanandpur, ph. Balubasi.	1,581 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Huran Nisa Bibi and others.	.....	791 6 0	.....
Ta. Kusumpura, ph. ditto.	5,395 0 0	Do. ..	.....	Kartik Chandra Rai Chowdhury and others.	.....	2,698 0 0	.....
Ta. Muguria, ph. ditto.	4,567 13 0	Do. ..	.....	Ditto ...	.....	2,283 11 0	.....
Ta. Sital, ph. ditto	3,383 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	1,691 7 5	.....
Ta. Saralpur, ph. ditto.	4,107 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Laksmidhar Pattanaik.	.....	2,054 3 0	.....
Kt. ms. Kani, &c., ph. Kokakhand.	636 0 0	Do ...	.....	Taponidhi Ganeswar Bharathi Gosain.	.....	317 14 11	.....
Ta. Bictupur, ph. Asurcshwar.	7,796 0 0	Do, ...	.....	Srimatya Arnapurna Debya.	.....	3,898 0 0	.....

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
1065	Ta. Sridharpur, ph. Asureshwar.	3,183 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Chandramani Dei, grandmother and guardian of Baistab Charan Kunongoi, minor.	.....	200 12 0	.....
1102	Ta. Gopalpur, ph. ditto.	5,861 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Harihar Das, Sebait, Srigopinath Jew Thakur, through his common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	5,850 8 3	.....
1252	Kt. ta Puran, ph. Karimul.	750 14 7	Do. ...	.....	Ch. Kurtibas Das and others, through their common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	375 11 0	.....
1262	Ma. Pubkachh, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 11a. 4p. 19kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 4a. 7p. 1kt.	Ditto ...	973 13 0	.....	486 11
1295	Ma. Jagarnathpur, ph. Kahunda, Jaipur.	2,034 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ganeswar Das and others.	.....	1,004 15 9	..
1302	Ma. Bazapur, &c., ph. ditto.	639 0 0	Do. ...	...	Chowdhury Jagarnath Santra.	.....	318 8 6	.....
1315	Kt. ta. Radhakantprasad, ph. Barnân.	1,149 9 0	Do. ...	...	Chaitan Panda and others.	.....	559 1 0	.....
1458	Ta. Muraripur, ph. Abaitak.	964 0 0	Do. ...	...	Srimati Palam Dei, wife of Baishnab Charan Santra and others.	.....	477 0 0	.....
1470	Ta. Bichna, ph. Paina.	1,092 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	546 0 0	.....
1474	Ta. Radhaprosad, ph. Choudkulat.	2,747 10 4	Do. ...	.....	Babu Hemendra Nath Rai, common manager, estate Bamnarpur.	.....	2,736 15 0	.....
1476	Ta. Gobindprasad, ph. ditto.	7,517 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ba. Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, common manager.	.....	3,758 15 0	.....
1490	Ta. Narsingprosad, ph. Tikan.	3,244 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	1,622 0 0	.....
1491	Ma. Sanajari, ph. do.	831 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Saraswati Jenna Dei Mohanta.	.....	416 0 0	.....
1512	Ta. Gobindprosad, ph. ditto.	6,643 1 0	Do. ...	.....	Ba. Balaram Bhramarbar Rai and others	.....	3,270 15 6	.....
1656	Ta. Jukelo, ph. Saragada.	728 7 6	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Narsing Charan Mahap tra.	.....	364 3 10	.....
1664	Ta. Dhaneswar, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 10p. 5kt. 5b. 13g. 1c. 1bd. comprised in all the mas. except 15a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Gopalpur, Tarando, Taula *alias* Kantabenia, Mathurapur, Makandpur, Kuanserpur, Padmapokhari, Utarkhaiuria, Biridiki, Tulsipur, Pandiapara, Saito, Barada, Adhang, Badapatali, Dala, Kopand, Bhamonpur, Chhatrapur, Jahnukana, Talang, Rautsankt. Dasagadia, Talari, Tadada, Turang, Alia *alias* Aliha, Ghikoili, Benapur, Santra, Sanapatali, Chilpada, Khuribantira, Fazilpur, Gobargali, Nigodh, Santsahi, Tarakote, Salkana, Brahmanda, Ranasipur *alias* Ranasarpur, Gobindpursasan *alias* Gobindpasau, Khasalpur, Tajpur, Ochinda, Khajuria, Salari *alias* Mulari, Adhachatia, Nanda *alias* Nahanda and Jahara, 9a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Khatuntikiri, Osala, Hatapur, ph. Mutkatabad, Hatapur, Bernapada *alias* Brahmanpada, Kodmia, Salpatia, Nanpokhari, Khido, Dhanteri, Rampal, Bhakundari, Rangranga, Gobindpur and Barunaipada Nos 1 and 2, 15a. 6p. 16kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Karada, 11a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Baratmana, 15a. 6p. 19kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Aladajalarpur and Kantura, 15a. 8p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Jalanda, 15a. 5p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Brahmapur, Kanton, Narendrabhor and kt. 5a. 4p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Dhaneswar, total representing kt. 14a. 1p. 14kt. 10b. 6g. 2c. 3bd. of the mahal.	Bedyadhar Samant Sing Mahapatra and others.	1,615 3 0	.....	436 1
1778	Ta. Mahanga, ph. Matkatnagar.	826 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Janardan Prosad Rai and others.	.....	4	

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2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Matkatnagar.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 9p. 5kt. 2b. 19g. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 3a. 2p. 14kt. 13b. 1g. represented by 16a. of ma. Maradu, 4a. of ma. Balarampur and Belpada Mukadami Chahapada and Jamupada Hastabud, 2a. 8p. of ma. Gobindpur and 2a. of ma. Khandole and Ramigoda.	Chowdhury Jagernath Santra Mahapatra and others.	1,175 3 0	.....	60 8 4
Ma. Umar, ph. ditto	663 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Sunamoli Juna Dei and others.	.....	27 5 0	.....
Kt. ta. Jafarpur, ph. Matkatahad.	509 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ba. Radhasyam Das Sabait of Sri Radhamohan Thakur.	.....	253 0 0	.....
Kt. ta. Cuttack, ph. Cuttackbaluli.	.....	... ..	Kt. 9a. 4p. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a. 8p.	Chowdhury Binoyram Das and others.	542 9 0	.....	271 5 0
Ta. Padmanabhpur, ph. Dihiarakhpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 9p. 9kt. 14b. 8g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 10a. 2p. 10kt. 1b. 11g. 1c.	Samanta Lakhmi Narayan Jagadaic.	1,820 12 0	.....	1,819 4 6
Ta. Raghunath, ph. Sallo.	815 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raghunath Pareja ...	.....	408 0 0	.....
Ta. Chitalpur, ph. do.	828 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	.....	392 2 0	.....
Ta. Gonesh Prosad, ph. Hariharpur.	1,414 9 5	Do. ...	.....	Gonesh Prosad Bhagat	.....	702 9 2	.....
Pt. Madhyasasan, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 7a 8p. 3kt. 1b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a. 3p. 16kt. 14b. 18g. 3c.	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	774 13 0	.....	382 15 0
Kt. ma. Chikinia, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 14kt. 7b. 8g. 3c. comprised in all the mas. except 6 pies in ma. Chikinia which represents 4p. 5kt. 8b. 11g. 1c. of the mahal.	Baban Das	782 14 0	.....	179 13 2
Ma. Sedhal, ph. Khandi.	.....	.....	Kt 12a. 4p. 10kt. 10b. 13g. 1c. 2bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 3a. 7p. 9kt. 5b. 6g. 2c. 3bd.	Srimatya Jhumpa Dibya.	554 9 0	.....	87 5 4
Ta. Puting, ph. Jhaukar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a.	Deokali Kuaner ...	1,148 0 0	.....	574 0 0
Ta. Dhaltang, ph. ditto.	1,607 15 0	Whole ...	.....	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	.....	792 8 7	.....
Kt. L. B. ta. Janardanpur, ph. Barpala.	1,149 8 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	.....	1,146 9 0	.....
Kt. ta. Bisinabar, ph. Bukhrabad.	2,049 7 0	Do. ...	.....	Narasing Paharaj and others.	.....	989 10 0	.....
Kt. Kasang, ph. Painda.	.....	.....	Kt. 1ca. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a.	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	1,635 10 0	.....	813 5 0
Ditto, ph. ditto ...	.....	...	Kt. 6a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 10a.	Ditto ...	981 6 0	.....	491 0 0
Ta. Gopinathpur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. 7p. 10kt. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 7a. 4p. 4kt.	Jaganath Santra Mahapatra and others.	509 4 0	.....	253 1 9
Kt. ta. Niali, ph. Deogan.	.....	.....	Kt. 7a. 10p. 12kt. 11b. 3g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a. 1p. 6kt. 4b. 16g. 1c.	Choudhury Balkrista Das and others.	863 9 0	.....	339 12 6
Ma. Amarpada, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 8p. 2kt. 8b. 2g. 1c. 1bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 2a. 3p. 17kt. 7b. 17g. 3c. 3bd.	Nimai Charan Mitra and others.	982 3 0	.....	30 13 0
Ta. Singipur, ph. Kate.	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a.	Choudhury Jadumoni Das, guardian of Ch. Radhakrist Das, minor and others.	636 10 0	.....	636 10 0
Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. 8p. 16kt. 7b. 15g. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 13a. 6p. 3kt. 8b. 5g.	Choudhury Jogendra Das and others.	791 2 0	.....	395 10 0
Ta. Madhab, ph. Kate.	2,609 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sri Gopinath Deb Thakur Sebait Choudhury Kritibas Das and others.	.....	2,069 0 0	.....
Kt. ma. Sunainda, ph. do.	576 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Choudhury Kritibas Das and others.	.....	576 0 0	.....
Ta. Bhatpada, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 15kt. 14b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 4a. 4p. 4kt. 2b.	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	568 4 0	.....	245 12 8

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
2767	Kt. ta. Noda, ph. Benahar.	629 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	.....	261 5 3	.....
2768	Kt. ta. Debi, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 4p. 1kt. 13b. 2g. 1c. 2bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a. 11p. 18kt. 2b. 17g. 2c. 2bd.	Kasinath Kanungoe and others.	633 6 0	.....	294 0
2771	Ta. Narsingpur, ph. do.	685 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Udoyanath Das and others.	.....	257 6 0	.....
2782	Ma. Sangrampur, ph. do.	723 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Lakhmidhor Das and others.	.....	361 6 3	.....
2784	Ta. Haripur, ph. do.	771 2 4	Do. ...	.....	Sricharan Patnaik ...	.....	382 8 0	.....
2802	Kt. ta. Lakhmidhar, ph. do.	2,362 5 11	Do. ...	.....	Lakhmidhar Das and others.	.....	638 7 5	.....
2807	Ta. Achhutpur, ph. Kornia.	796 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Birakisore Mahanti and others.	.....	371 9 3	.....
2816	Ta. Saibir, ph. Saibir	.....	.....	Kt. 3a. 8p. 6kt. 13b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 12a. 3p. 13kt. 2b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Krostibas Das and others.	5,258 10 0	.....	2,605 11
2816/1	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 11p. 15kt. 2b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 1kt. 14b.	Choudhury Bijiram Das.	2,636 10 0	.....	1,411 11
2816/2	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt 1a. 4p. 18kt. 7b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 7p. 1kt. 9b.	Choudhury Harihar Das.	2,006 0 0	.....	927 12
2816/3	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Kulamoni Das.	1,319 12 0	.....	662 0
2816/4	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Dasarathi Das.	1,585 4 0	.....	789 0
2816/5	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Radhakrist Das.	1,585 4 0	.....	789 1
2816/6	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 14kt. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 11p. 5kt. 15b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Nilamoni Das.	1,506 15 0	.....	749 15
2816/7	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 9p 17kt. 12b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas, of the estate excluding 15a. 2p. 2kt. 3b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Murtanjay Das.	1,173 5 0	.....	584 1
2816/8	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 10p. 10kt. 15b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 1p. 9kt. 1b.	Choudhury Padmanabh Das.	1,251 8 0	.....	623 0
2816/9	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Narahari Das.	1,329 10 0	.....	661 8
2816/10	Ta. ditto. ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Joiram Das.	1,585 3 0	.....	788 14
2816/11	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Ghanasyam Das.	1,329 10 0	.....	661 8
2822	Kt. ta. Dalbad, ph. Sujanager.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 4p. 11kt. 6b. 7g. 2c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 1a. 7p. 8kt. 7b. 12g. 2c.	Choudhury Harihar Das.	560 14 0	.....	280 7
2823	Ta. Branch, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Ta. 13a. 5p. 11kt. 14b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 1a. 6p. 14kt. 4b. 6g.	Raghunath Parija ...	922 6 0	.....	461 3
2824	Ta. Utaharan, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 5p. 9kt. 9b. 4g. 2c. comprised in all the mas. of the estate excluding 5a. 6p. 10kt. 6b. 15g. 2c., represented by 5a. 10p. 11kt. 5b. 14g. 1c. 2bd. of ma. Damodarpur and 5a. 6p. 3kt. 14g. 1c. 2bd. in all other mas. of the estate.	Ditto ...	897 2 0	.....	448 9
3019	Kt. ta. Sayedpur, ph. Sujabad.	629 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, common manager.	.....	313 15 6	.....
3020	Ma. Sithalo, ph. Deogan.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 10b. 11kt. 4b. 5g. ½bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a. 1p. 8kt. 11b. 14g. 3c. ½bd.	Choudhury Krostibas Das and others.	597 10 0	.....	297 0
3073	Thane Alamgir, ph. Alti.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 6kt. 11bd. 18g. 3c. 1bd. comprised in all other mas. of the estate except ma. Patnia and Hatimanda centre which represents 3a. 11p. 13kt. 4b. 6g. 1c. 3bd. of the mahal.	Surendra Nath Rai...	1,293 7 0	.....	646 6
3198/4	Kt. ta. Birtole, ph. Jhankar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a.	Deokali Kunear ...	1,411 6 0	.....	704 7

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	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8	Kt. ta. Korkara, ph. Jajpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 18a. 4p. 15kt. 5b. 6g. 1c. 2bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. except 2a. 10p. 10kt. of ma. Udaypur which represents 7p. 4kt. 10b. 13g. 2c. 2d. of the mahal.	Chondhury Dibya Sing Mahapatra and others.	980 8 10	.....	298 1 5
0	Ta. Kasaba, ph. Ahias.	.....	.....	Kt. 6a. 1p. 1kt. in each of the mas. of the state excluding 9a. 10p. 19kt.	Nilmadhab Parhi and others.	1,011 13 0	.....	635 13 11
2	Ta. ditto, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 4a. 6p. 6b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 11a. 5p. 19kt. 10b.	Sheikh Saheb Jan and others.	748 5 0	.....	372 6 0
3	Ma. Damodarpur, ph. do.	528 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Sheikh Latifar Roheman Ahemad Mian and others.	.....	387 5 6	.....
3	Ma. Jari, ph. Dobgram.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 6p. 9kt. 7g. 2c. 3bd. comprised in all the mas. except 1a. 8p. 15kt. 8o. 8g. 1c. in ma. Champapal. Falpur, Hansanabad, Koraipaharajpur. Nimaro and Tina, 1a. 8p. 1kt. 15b. 15g. 3c. in ma. Chhotegari and 2a. 7p. 19kt. 4b. 12g. 1c. in ma. Jari which represents kt. 2a. 5p. 10kt. 15b. 12g. 1c. 1bd. of the mahal.	Balamoni Panda ...	3390 14 0	.....	1,680 4 6
	Ma. do., ph. ditto	1 541 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jaganath Samal ...	.....	755 6 1	.....
	Ma. do., ph. ditto	897 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Parasuram Samal ...	.....	279 0 0	.....
	Ta. Alkundo, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 11p. 9kt. 5b. 13g. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 6a. 10kt. 10b. 7g represented by 8a. 9p. 9kt. of ma. Bitana, 3a. 5p. 9kt. of ma. Barapada, 7a. 3p. of ma. Haladidihi, 7a. 9p. 9kt. of ma. Purasotampur, Babchandrapur, Jhinkiri and Bulaipur, 5a. 1p. 9kt. of ma. Piritpur Behari, Kertaitbindha, Sanudihi and Sunda.	Mani Haran Samal and others.	795 2 0	.....	504 15 6
	Kt. ma. Samdihi, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. 4p. 1bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 7a. 7p. 19kt. 15b. 19g. 3c. 3bd.	Babu Doyanidhi Panda.	569 4 0	.....	178 12 0
	Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 9p. 10kt. 8b. 1g. compresed in all the mas. of the mahal excluding 5a. 2p. 9kt. 7b. 19g. represented by 10a. of ma. Katikata, Barapada, Nagpur, Ramachandrapur, Jhinkir, Bitana, Kapila, Raghunathpur, Kamalpur, Damodarpur, Similia, and Narua and 1a. 10g. of ma. Samdihi and 4a. of ma. Singpur.	Krusta Charan Panda	611 0 0	.....	248 0 0
	Ta. Ijapur, ph. Katia	1,462 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Sheikh Makbul Roheman Ahemad.	.....	1,370 8 0	.....
	Ma. Kuana, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 11p. 2kt. 9b. 18g. 3c. 1bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 17kt. 6b. 1g. 1c. 3bd. represented by 2p. 12kt. of ma. Tarangasagarpur.	Siba Prosad Mahanti and others,	561 12 0	.....	154 14 0
	Kt. ta. Itna, ph. Kokakhand.	531 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Durga Charan Choudhury.	.....	140 6 6	
	Ta. Purusotampur, ph. Saraswati.	1,218 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Dinabandhu Mal and others.	.....	609 0 0	
	Ma. Brajasundar, ph. Kodinda.	694 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Brajasundar Patjosi	.....	346 12 4	
	Kt. ta. Udyanath, ph. Benahar.	1,325 10 4	Do. ...	.....	Udyanath Das and others.	.....	661 4 8	
	Kt. ta. Naraharl, ph. ditto.	1,030 11 7	Do. ...	.....	Krusta Charan Das and others.	.....	514 2 9	

Cuttack, the 22nd July 1908. A. GARRETT, Collector.

Notification of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859 [read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868], that the undermentioned tenures or shares of tenures in estate Kothdesh, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector at district on the 7th September 1908 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Name of tenure mahal, and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole tenure.		Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		Remarks.
	Rent.	Cess.				Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	
Barato Sasan ...	Rs. 636	Rs. A. P. 37 9 3	Whole ...	.....	Chowdhury Chandrasekhar Das and others.	.....		Rs. A. P. 223 9 8	Rs. A. P. 13 2 4	.....		

Puri Collectorate, the 4th August 1908. A. B. MAITRA, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bettiah-Bagaha Railway, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Saturday, the 17th October 1908, corresponding with the 8th Kartik 1316 Fusli at the Narkatiganj Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Hardia, pargana Majhowa.	23	South ...	7 14 4	2 2 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land of Bettiah-Bagaha Extension. *East*— Ditto ditto. *South*—Rup Kaun, Pirthwi Nath Misra, Naresh Tewari and Sam Behari Misir. *West*—Sam Behari Misir.
2	Ditto ...	Mauza Shikarpur, pargana Majhowa.	23	Do. ...	2 8 0	0 3 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *East*— Ditto. *South*—Sathi Factory land. *West*—Railway land.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Patahi Branch of the Dhaka Canal, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, corresponding with the 4th Kartik 1316 Fusli, at the Chainpur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Malconia, pargana Semrown.	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 0 8	.....	.....	.....	*East*—Patahi Branch, Dhaka Canal. *North*—Motia Diversion. *West*—Mango tope of Chetharu Singh, Janki Singh, Rajkumar Singh and Bhao Nandan. *South*— Ditto ditto.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAL SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 7th September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
961	Tajpore, pargana Bal ...	1,024 14 4	.....	Ijarali Tajpore, 10as. 8p. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mussamat Tetara Kuer, mother and guardian of Radha Kishun Prasad and others.	683 4 3	.....	59 4 6
2131	Hasanpur Kutlupur Rampur or Hasanpur Kutlupur Rampur Sadawa, pargana Dangsi.	624 5 1	Entire ...	.....	Mussamat Rani Ram Kawal Kuer and others.	.....	59 10 1	.....
2170	Niyamatpur or Niyamatpur Bhatauli, pargana Dangsi.	2,000 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Babu Harihar Inder Sahi *alias* Hira Sahib and others.	.....	218 9 9	.....

Chapra, the 8th August 1908.

MOHAMMAD SADIQ, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
17	Kegua, pargana Moureswar sabek.	Rs. A. P. 17,182 13 0	.....	Residuary share :— 8 ganda 3 cora 5 danti share of mauza Amdahara chuk, Alalbandi, Ishabpur, Ishanpur *alias* Ichakpur, Uttarmath chuk, Ekuti, Kolyanpur, Kegua, Kartiegunge, Kaitpur, Kuchnighata, Kusumjatra kismat, Kusaipur, Krishnapur, Khatiepur, Khagra chuk, Khirija, Chandpur, Jamkola, Jalla, Jhikardaha chuk, Thakurgram chuk kismat, Tikardaha, Tilpara chuk, Dari-baje-jami-baje-apti, Dhobagaon chuk, Dhabajol, Nawapara, Nanas chuk, Nirisha, Paikpara, Pargaon, Pashala, Bahara chuk, Relia, Rupra-salgora, Buicha chuk, Bhagabatipur, Moydipur, Malhaty, Mahabatpur chuk, Mohidipur chuk, Mohespur, Maligaon chuk, Metaty, Rasulgunj, Rajballav chuk, Rupadihi, Salgorya, Sibpur, Solamath, Harikora, Harispur, Hazrapur and 3 anna 3 cara 1 kranti share of mauzas Bausia and Bahadurgunj excepting separate account Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Asu Tosh Mukerjee and others.	Rs. A. P. 719 15 2	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 194 14 10

Birbhum Collectorate, the 10th August 1908.

R. A. N. SINGH, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale by the Certificate Officer of 24-Parganas at Alipore on the 24th August 1908 in execution of certificate case Nos. 180, 181, 182 and 183 of 1906-07 :—

Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold or only a share.	Name of proprietor of the property to be sold.	REMARKS.
...	55 grams, division 2, subdivison 11, holding 56 in mauza Bagmari, Muraripukur, Road No. 37 in thana Maniktolla, 10 bighas 2 cottahs of land including pucca buildings, garden and tank thereon. Bounded on the north by Muraripukur Road, east by Tarak Nath Ghose and others' garden, south Raj Krishna Ganguli's garden, west Tanoo Ostagar's garden.	Rs. a. p. 33 12 6	Whole ...	Srish Chandra and Satish Cnandra Bose.	

Alipore, the 27th July 1908

A. MUKHERJI, Certificate Officer.

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Mrs. M. Chambers, late a widow of Chunar.	Asansole ...	6th March 1908 ...	District Judge, Mirzapur, on 2nd July 1908.	The deceased has left no Will. The District Judge has directed to sell the property and to pay the proceeds thereof towards the funeral expenses of the deceased.
Mr. Fernandez, of the Forest Department.	Sironcha Tahsil	25th May ,, ...	District Judge, Chanda, on 8th July 1908.	No information regarding the Will of the deceased. Further report is awaited from the District Judge.
Mr. George Robertson Watt ...	Eden Sanitarium, Darjeeling.	11th June ,, ...	District Judge, Purnea, on 29th June 1908.	Not known whether the deceased has left any Will. In his second report the District Judge states that the deceased's brother authorised one Revd. Mr. R. Kilgour, through his Calcutta friend, to deal with the property, and the latter has been directed to obtain a certificate from the office in respect of the Indian assets of the estate which are Rs. 1,000 in value.
Mr. Thomas Mellas, late a Guard in the B. B. & C. I. Ry., Sirsa.	Sirsa	15th Oct. 1907 ...	District Judge, Hissar, on 18th July 1908.	The deceased has left a Will in favour of his brother, whose whereabouts could not be traced. The Administrator-General, will take no action in the matter, the value of the estate being less than Rs. 1,000.
Mr. Harry Gandy, late an employé in the firm of Messrs. Jessop & Co.	.....	1st July 1908 ...	District Judge, 24-Parganas, on 18th July 1908.	Not known whether the deceased has left any Will. The property of the deceased is in charge of Messrs. Jessop & Co., who have been appointed Receiver by the District Judge.
Mr. J. I. Allen, late a Fireman in the service of B. N. Ry.	Kharagpur ...	20th April ,, ...	District Judge, Bilaspur, on 22nd 23rd July 1908.	No information regarding the Will of the deceased. The District Judge has been asked to submit his second report containing full particulars required by section 64 of Act II of 1874.

3, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
Calcutta, the 4th August 1908.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st July 1908.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—			GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.		Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.	Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 15th July 1908 ...	73,86,000	1,49,95,600	9,13,57,600	2,16,24,300	1,13,48,000	19,40,300	.....	14,13,35,200	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,87,81,433
ADD—																			
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 20th July 1908 ...	.....	2,000	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	2,300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,300
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 25th July 1908 ..	.....	.....	1,56,000	3,000	.....	.....	.....	1,59,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,59,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st July 1908 ...	.....	26,700	500	1,16,600	500	.....	.....	1,53,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,53,700
	73,86,000	1,50,23,700	9,15,[illegible]100	2,17,53,600	1,13,48,500	19,40,300	.....	14,16,20,200	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,90,96,433
DEDUCT—																			
Amount written off in the London Registers ..	1,20,050	5,000	45,000	16,500	.....	52,000	.....	1,18,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,38,500
Balance on 31st July 1908	72,66,000	1,50,28,700	9,14,99,100	2,17,37,100	1,13,48,500	18,88,300	.....	14,15,01,700	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,88,57,933

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st May 1908—Enfaced from India, 11,705 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,549 lakhs.
" 1st " 1908 " 15th June " " " " 4 " " " " 13 "
" 16th " " " 30th " " " " " 3 " " " " 7 "
" 1st July " " 15th July " " " " " ... " " " " 10 "
" 16th " " " 31st " " " " " 3 " " " " 2 "
11,715 lakhs. 11,581 "
11,581 "
Balance against India ... 134 "

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 3rd August 1908.

(970—1)

T. BRUCE,
Superintendent.

L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 4th August 1908.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,62,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 92,03,755 4 11			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,40,21,645 1 10	2,32,25,400	6	9
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	16,83,64,285	4	1
Bank Post Bills, &c.	7,22,501	6	6
Sundries	14,19,473	5	8

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	2,39,46,725	0	0
Other authorised investments	23,30,819	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,09,02,443	14	11
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,04,56,133	2	3
Bills discounted and purchased	2,16,03,255	4	11
Balances with other Banks	13,61,613	6	5
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	16,80,817	6	2
Stamps	15,443	11	11
Sundries	4,13,660	4	3
	13,27,12,911	2	10
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs. 5,26,08,616 5 1			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... † „ 4,46,60,132 15 1	9,72,68,749	4	2
Rupees ...	22,99,81,660	7	0

Rupees ... 22,99,81,660 7 0

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,13,670 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 3,08,775 0 0
„ 4,22,445 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 6th August 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 50·20.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

MEMORANDUM.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	
Government Balance at Head Office	16,49,135	Increase.
Ditto at Branches ...	17,08,784	Do.
Other Deposits	14,09,676	Decrease.
Post Bills	56,062	Do.

ASSETS.	Rs.	
Bank's Investments	5,11,958	Decrease.
Loans	65,292	Do.
Accounts of Credit	2,36,309	Increase.
Mercantile Bills	1,84,370	Do.
Cash at Head Office	11,73,958	Decrease.
Do. at Branches	36,25 919	Increase.

Percentage 50·20.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 4th August 1908.

(968—1)

NOTIFICATION OF SALE.

In the Court of the Certificate Officer of Howrah.

CERTIFICATE CASE No. 732 OF 1902-03.

Sheik Molla Mohammad Alla, son of late Molla Fateh Haider, of Bakul, thana Jagatballavpur, judgment-debtor in the abovementioned case.

THE following property will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 2nd September 1908 by the undersigned for the realization of drainage dues, amounting to Rs. 3,349, payable to the Government:—

Rent-free chak by name *Patmurah* in mauza Jujeswar within the thana Jagatballavpur, containing several plots of drainage-benefited lands, measuring about 549 bighas.

B. K. BOSE, Certificate Officer.

Howrah Certificate Office, the 4th August 1908.

(969—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Godda.

PRESENT:

A. W. Stark, Esq., Sub-Judge, Godda.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 18 OF 1906.

Babu Sudhirendra Narain Singh and others, of Jhawa Kuthi, Bhagalpur, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Chandra Dayal Barmah and others, of Kasba, Barkope, T. Barkope, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Subdivisional Office, Godda, at the Court premises on the 22nd September 1908 for realisation of Rs. 3,167-0-7½:—

Annas 4 share belonging to the judgment-debtors of the estate T. Barkope, asli mai dakhli, bearing tauzi No. 481 of the Dumka Collectorate, thana Godda. Government revenue of the estate payable Rs. 2,783-13 and that payable for the above share Rs. 695-15-3.

A. W. STARK,
Subordinate Judge of Godda.

Godda, the 6th August 1908. (979—2)

In the Court of the Munsif of Behar, District Patna.

EXECUTION CASE No. 144 OF 1908.

Sheikh Ebad Ullah, of mahalla Sherpore, in town Behar, decree-holder, *versus* Sheodayal Singh, of mauza Marondanpore Pawa, son of Inder Singh, deceased, pargana Behar, district Patna, judgment-debtor.

THE following shall be sold for recovery of Rs. 1,232-11-3 by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court, Behar, district Patna, in the sale-room of that Court on the 17th August 1908 fixed for sale at 12 o'clock noon:

Eight and half a dam in mauza Akhtyarpore Pawa, pargana Behar, district Patna, and jama sadar Rs. 1,404 4-3, proprietory right and interest, tauzi No. 251 of the judgment debtor, valued Rs. 400.

RAJ KISHORE, Munsif.

Behar, the 5th August 1908. (980—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree and an order of the Calcutta High Court made in suit No. 344 of 1907 (wherein Sreemutty Nrittomoney Dassee otherwise known as Sreemutty Nrittya Moye Dassee is plaintiff and Sreemutty Juggut Mohiney Dassee and others are defendants) and dated respectively the 16th day of August 1907 and 20th day of December 1907, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court house, on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1908, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned immoveable properties :—

Lot No. 1.—No. 4, Sankaretollah Lane, a two-storied brick-built dwelling-house with land containing by measurement 1 cottah 14 chittacks and 36 square feet more or less situate in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, and being a portion of block No. VII and a portion of holding No. 36, and bounded on the north by Sankareetolla, Lane on the east partly by the house and premises No. 5, Sankareetollah Lane and partly by the premises No. 15 Wellington Lane on the south by the premises No. 16, Wellington Lane, and on the west partly by Wellington Lane and partly by the premises No. 16 Wellington Lane.

Lot No. 2.—No. 16, Wellington Lane (formerly No. 16, Dingabhanga Lane, a one-storied brick built dwelling-house with land containing by measurement 1 cottah 13 chittacks and 30 square feet more or less situate in the South Division of the town of Calcutta and being a portion of Block No VII and a portion of holding No. 36, and bounded on the north by the said premises No. 4, Sankareetollah Lane on the east partly by the premises No. 15, Wellington Lane, and partly by the said premises No 4, Sankaretollah Lane, on the south by an open passage which forms a part of the premises No. 15, Wellington Lane, and on the west by Wellington Lane.

Lot No. 3.—All that brick-built messuage dwelling-house and temple with land thereunto belonging containing by estimation 1 bigha and 4 cottahs more or less situate at Belgharia in the district of 24-Parganas in the sub district of Cossipore and thana Burranagore, and subject to the payment of an annual rental of Rs. 7-12 for this Lot No. 3 and for Lot No. 4 to Babu Amrita Lall Mittra, Shebait of Madan Mohun Jew Thakur, and bounded on the east by the house of Tarak Nath Chatterjee on the north partly by the Lots Nos. 4 and 5 and partly by the land of Bama Soondery Debee, on the west by the tank belonging to Satcouree Bose, and on the south by the public road

Lot No. 4.—All that piece or parcel of land measuring 5 bighas more or less situate at Belgharia aforesaid and subject to the payment of an annual rental af Rs. 7-12 for the Lots Nos. 3 and 4, to Babu Amrita Lall Mittra Shebait of Madan Mohun Jew Thakur, and bounded on the east partly by Lot No. 5 and partly by the house of Umesh Chunder Mukerjee and others, on the north by the house and land belonging to late Babu Anundo Chunder Mitter and others and Anukul Bose, deceased, on the west by the metalled public road, on the south partly by the Lots Nos. 3 and 5 partly by the land of Bama Soondery Debee, and partly by the house of Nobin Chunder Mukerjee Lot No. 3 measuring 1 bigha and 4 cottahs, and Lot No. 4 measuring 5 bighas, total 6 bighas 4 cottahs reckoned as one jam annual rent Rs. 7-12 payable to the aforesaid Amrita Lall Mitter.

Lot No 5.—All that undivided half part or share of and in the piece of land covered with water measuring as to the entirety 16 cottahs more or less situate at Belgharia aforesaid, and subject to the payment of an annual rent of annas eight to Babu Modnu Soodan Ray Chowdhury and others and bounded on the east by the house of the late Umesh Chunder Mukerjee and others, on the north by the Lot No. 4, on the west by the Lot No. 4, and on the south partly by Lot No. 4 and partly by the house of Tarak Nath Chatterjee.

NOTE.—The boundary wall dividing the house No. 4 Sankareetollah Lane from the house No. 16 Wellington Lane belongs exclusively to No 4 Sankareetollah Lane but the purchaser of the last-mentioned premises will not be entitled to claim any easements with reference to the door, windows and openings in the said wall on the first floor.

The purchaser of No. 16 Wellington Lane will be entitled to the right of support for the beams and rafters of the premises No. 16 Wellington Lane in the said wall which is particularly described in the plan. Lots Nos. 3, 4, and 5 will be put up together and sold as one lot.

The abstract of title conditions of sale and the plan of No. 4, Sankareetollah Lane, and No. 16, Wellington Lane may be seen at the office of the Registrar, Original Side, or at the Office of Mr *W.* Grant Rose the Plaintiff's Attorney, at No. 2, Hasting, Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

W G. Rose, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 10th day of July 1908. (867—1—888)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1908, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and an order made in suit No. 182 of 1905 (Surendra Krishna Ray and others *versus* Radhaballav Das), and dated, respectively, the 22nd day of March 1906 and the 4th day of March 1907, the undermentioned properties :—

Lot No. 1.—Premises No. 21, Nando Ram Sen's Street, in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta, being a partly one-storied, partly two-storied and partly three-storied brick-built tenanted house, together with the land measuring two cottahs one chitak and twenty-five square feet, a little more or less, and bounded on the north by a Municipal Park, on the east and south by Nando Ram Sen's Street, and on the west partly the premises No. 22, Nando Ram Sen's Street, and partly by the open land of Amarnath Coondoo.

Lot No. 2.—Premises No. 4, Badurbagan Lane, in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta, being a partly one-storied and partly two-storied brick-built tenanted house together with the land measuring one cottah two chitaks and thirty eight square feet, a little more or less, and bounded on the north by Badurbagan Lane, on the east by premises No. 3, Badurbagan Lane, on the south by the premises No. 4-1, Bidyasagore's Street, and on the west by the premises No. 5, Badurbagan Lane.

Lot No. 3.—Premises No. 6, Turubull's Lane, in the Southern Division of the town of Calcutta, being a partly one-storied and partly two-storied brick-built tenanted house, together with the land measuring thirteen cottahs and nine square feet, a little more or less, and bounded on the north and east by Turubull's Lane, on the south by a passage formed by a filled up municipal drain, and on the west by Wellesley Second Lane.

Lot No 4.—Premises No. 7-1, Paikpara Road, in the district of 24-Parganas, in the Registration district Alipore, Sub-Registry Cossipore, thana Chitpore, a piece or parcel of bustee land enclosed by a brick-built compound wall, containing by measurement seventeen cottahs four chitaks and nine square feet, a little more or less, and bounded on the north partly by a passage running from Simlayepara Lane to the house of Aghore Nath Mukerjee, on the east by Simlayepara Lane, on the south by Paikpara Road, and on the west by the dwelling-house of Aghore Nath Mukerjee and partly by the tenanted land of Gopal Chunder Mukerjee.

Lot No. 5. All that piece or parcel of garden land with two tanks enclosed by a fence containing by measurement fourteen bighas eleven cottahs and thirteen chitaks, a little more or less, at Belgatchia, in the Suburbs of Calcutta and lying in the district of 24-Parganas in the Registration district Alipore, Sub-Registry Dum-Dum, thana Dum-Dum, and bounded on the north by Shama Charan Bulluv's garden land, on the east partly by Aghore Nath Das's garden, and partly by Anath Nath Dey's paddy land, and partly by Doyal Ghose's paddy land and partly by Sham Bulluv's paddy land, on the south partly by Nundy's paddy land and partly by Harran Chowdhury's paddy land and partly by Sham Bulluv's paddy land and on the west partly by Aghore Nath Das's paddy land and partly by Sham Bulluv's paddy land.

Lot No. 6.—Premises No. 4, Babulal's Lane, in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta, being a four-storied brick-built dwelling-house, together with the land measuring two cottahs, a little more or less,

and bounded on the north by the premises No. 3, Babulal's Lane, on the east by Babulals Lane, on the south by the premises No. 5, Babulal's Lane, on the west by a passage formed by a filled up municipal drain.

Lot No. 7.— Premises No. 14, Rani's Road, Paikpara, in the Suburbs of Calcutta, known as Chattabagan, and lying in the district of 24-Parganas, in the Registration district Alipore, Sub-Registry Cossipore, thana Chitpore, being a garden land with a tank enclosed by a fence containing by measurement one bigha eighteen cottahs fourteen chitaks and twenty-eight square feet, a little more or less, and bounded on the north and east by Rani's Road, on the south by Gopal Lal Seal's garden land, and on the west by Jadav Chunder Banerjee's garden land.

Lot No. 8.—All the right, title and interest of Radhaballav Das in the G. P. Notes of the nominal value of Rs. 8,5 0 of three per cent. loan now deposited with the Comptroller-General of Account for the time being of the Government of India and the Secretary and Treasurer for the time being of the Bank of Bengal with the privity of the Accountant-General of the said High Court at Calcutta, in suit No. 456 of 18 6.

Lot No. 9.—All the right, title and interest of Radhaballav Das under the Indenture of mortgage executed by Uma Churan Ghose in favour of Kanye Lal Das, dated 14th June 1902, and forming the subject-matter of suit No. 20 of 1901 (K. S. Banerjee *versus* Uma Charan Ghose and others).

Lot No. 10.—All the right, title and interest of Radhaballav Das under the Indenture of mortgage executed by Shama Charn Mullick, Keshub Lal Mullick and Srimutty Brindaranee Dassee in favour of Kanye Lal Das, dated 29th November 1887, and forming the subject-matter of suit No. 93 of 1900.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Office of the said Registrar or at No. 6, Old Post Office Street, the office of Babu Kalimohun Rakshit, the Attorney for the plaintiffs, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Kalimohan Rakshit, Plaintiffs' Attorney.

Calcutta High Court, Original Side, the 14th July 1908. (956—1—903)

Notification of Sale.

TO be sold peremptorily by the Registrar of the High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room at the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1908, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the decree and order made by the said Court in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in suit No. 102 of 1904 (wherein Sreemutty Rakal Moni Dabee was plaintiff and Sreemutty Brojeswary Dossi and others were defendants,) and dated, respectively, the 27th day of February 1905 and the 10th day of December 1907, the undermentioned property:—

Lot No. 1.—No. 6, Mirzapore Street, a partly one-partly two- and partly three-storied brick-built house, together with the land on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by measurement 1 cottah 14 chitaks and 29 square feet, in Block No. 2, Holding No. 632 of the North Division in the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by the tenanted land of the late Bollye Chand Dutt, being premises No. 7, Mirzapore Street, on the south by premises No. 6-1, Mirzapore Street, belonging to Haripodo Dutt, and on the east and west by passages which are treated as part and parcel of Mirzapore Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale in respect of the above property may be inspected at the office of the said Registrar or at the office of Babu Charu Chunder Bose at No 9, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Charu Chunder Bose, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Dated this 14th day of July 1908. (961—1—890)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the decree and order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Jurisdiction, made in suit No. 610 of 1906 (wherein Shib Churn Law is the plaintiff and Sreemutty Nisadini Dasi and others are the defendants), and dated, respectively, 4th February 1907 and 27th May 1908 by the Registrar in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1908, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following property, viz.:—

Premises No. 38, Bethune Row (formerly No. 38, Kristo Singhi's Lane), being a partly two and partly three-storied brick-built dwelling house with land containing by estimation 3 cottahs 10 chitaks and 14 square feet, more or less, being Holding No. 283, Block No. XXV, North Division, Calcutta, and bounded on the north by Mohun Dhara's house; on the east by Bethune Row; on the south by Manicktollah Street, and on the west by Madhu Soodan Pandit's house, and for which an annual sum of annas ten and pies nine is payable to the Collector of Calcutta as ground-rent.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar and at the office of Babu N. C. Mandal, Attorney-at-Law, No. 8-2, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

N. C. Mandal, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Jurisdiction, Calcutta, the 21st July 1908. (920—1—886)

High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

SUIT No. 444 OF 1907.

Bonomally Mullick *versus* Dobendra Nath Mullick.

PURSUANT to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made on the 10th April 1908 in suit No. 444 of 1907, wherein Bonomali Mullick is plaintiff and Debendra Nath Mullick is defendant, the creditors of Rishikesh Mullick, late of No. 37, Ratan Sarkar's Garden Street, Calcutta, landholder, who died on the 18th day of March 1906, are, on or before the 19th day of August 1908, to send to the Office of the Registrar of this Court in its Original Side their names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

Every creditor holding any security may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar with the particulars of his claim or shall produce the same before the said Registrar on the 26th day of August 1908 at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating the said claims.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

C. C. Bose, Attorney for the Plaintiff.

High Court, Original Side. Calcutta, the 16th July 1908. (962—1—891)

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

In the matter of KARAM CHAND NAHATA, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 8th instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 17th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

G. C. De, Attorney. (986—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1908.

In the matter of Golam Rabbani Biswas and Protap Biswas, of Hansadanga, thana Kotwali, district Nadia, debtors.

WHEREAS the abovenamed Golam Rabbani Biswas and Protap Biswas have applied to this Court by a petition, dated 20th June of 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 29th August 1908 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows:-

Creditors.

		Rs	A.
1.	Mahendra Nath Tarafdar, of Jhitkipota, thana Kotwali, district Nadia, for decree-money ...	415	0
2.	Ditto, on hand-note ...	80	0
3.	Siva Nath Bid, of Pelpukhuria, thana Kotwali, district Nadia, on kistibundi	575	0
4.	Sreemutty Joy Durga Dasi, administratrix to the estate of late Mothura Mohan Pal Chowdhuri, of Kantalpota, thana Kotwali, district Nadia, for arrears of rent	196	10

J. N. GHOSH, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 9th July 1908 (850—1—892)

In the Court of the District Judge, Bhagalpur.

PRESENT

J. C. Twidell, Esq., I.C.S.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1908.

Jib Lal Sahu, son of Ghina Sahu, resident of Lachmanpur, pargana Sakaripali, zilla Monghyr, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed petitioner was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 21st July 1908, and that Babu Gajadhar Upadhya, Nazir of this Court, has been appointed Receiver for the property of the insolvent.

All persons alleging themselves to be creditors of the aforesaid insolvent are hereby called upon to prove the amount and particulars of their respective debts by the 12th September 1908.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Bhagalpur, the 5th August 1908. (966—1—898)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1908.

Mohesh Chandra Brahma, son of late Radha Mohan Brahma, at present residing at Beniapookur, thana Beniapookur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed applicant was adjudicated an insolvent on the 6th July 1908. The 7th September 1908 is fixed for creditors to prove their debts. On that day the instalments which he must pay from his pension will be considered.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 6th August 1908. (976—1—896)

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 12 OF 1908.

WHEREAS Nagendra Nath Dey, of Bibiganj, town Midnapore, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 29th July 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and the following names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 29th day of August 1908 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. Those who desire to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due are as follows:—

Names of creditors.	Amount due. Rs.	A.
Sarat Chandra Bandopadhay, Khirode Chandra Bandopadhay, and Anukul Chandra Bandopadhay, executors to the estate of late Bhuban Chandra Bandopadhay	1,865	9
Anukul Chandra Bandopadhay ...	80	0
Bepin Behari Das	39	0

E. E. FORRESTER,

District Judge, Midnapore.

Midnapore, the 5th August 1908. (971—1—895)

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 13 of 1908.

WHEREAS Jogendranath Chakrabarti, of Sribara, pargana Khariji Mondalghat, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 3rd August 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and the following names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 5th day of September 1908 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. Those who desire to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due are asfollows:

	Names of creditors.	Amount due. Rs.
1.	Kanta Chandra Bandopadhay ...	31
2.	Dasnarain Bhattacharja ...	59
3.	Devenarain Chobey ...	286

E. E. FORRESTER,

District Judge of Midnapore.

Midnapore, the 5th August 1908. (972—1—894)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bhagalpur.

PRESENT:

J. C. Twidell, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 23 OF 1907.

Doulat Bhagat, son of Ramnarain Bhagat, resident of Singeswar, Madhipura, Bhagalpur district, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that Daulat Bhagat, the above named petitioner was, on the 16th April 1908, declared an insolvent by this Court, and the Nazir of the Court has been appointed Receiver.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Bhagalpur, the 7th August 1908. (977—1—897)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Shyamacharan Porel, son of late Gopinath Porel of Sankarpur, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 30 of 1908, and that the 2nd September next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK,
District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th August 1908. (982—1—90c)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Rashik Chandra Pal, of Joyanti, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 31 of 1908, and that the 4th day of September 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th August 1908. (983—1—899)

Notification.

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 30 OF 1908.

In the matter of Radhika Prosad Madak, of Goari, thana Kotwali, district Nadia, debtor.

WHEREAS the abovenamed Radhika Prosad Madak has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 15th July 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 22nd day of August 1908, for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter, you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

Creditors.

		Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Hari Charan Madak, of Goari, polie-station Kotwali, district Nadia.	74	8	0
2.	Ram Chandra Kundu, of Goari, police-station Kotwali, district Nadia.	36	14	5
3.	Nagendra Nath Ganguli, of Goari, police-station Kotwali, district Nadia.	10	0	0
	Total ...	121	6	5

T. C. MUKHARJI, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 4th August 1908. (975—1—893)

AS intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (915—4—858)

ATMA RAM, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court. (919—4—859)

DEBENDRA NARAYAN BHUTTACHARYYA, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (869—4—835)

JOYTISH CHANDRA SARKAR, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (864—4—842)

KSHIROD BIHARI CHATTERJEE, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (829—4—844)

NAGENDRANATH BANERJI, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (906—4—862)

PROBODH CHANDRA MUKHERJEE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (981—4—889)

RAJ KUMAR ROY, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (914—4—846)

SARAT PROSAD SARVADHIKARI, M.A., B.L. intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (884—4—847)

Vessel's name.	Marks and Nos.	Quantity and description of goods.	Contents.
S.S. "Onipenta"	E	18 casks	Pumice stone
'Itinda" ..	A H J C A C	1 bundle	Dry fish.
'Patiala" .	H	1 case	Ditto.
"Cooeyanna"	White ...		Wood sleeper.
"Japan" ..	Maurice Cowan		Provision.
"A. Apcar"..	P. S. or Nil		Planks.
'G. Apcar"..	J. S. O. ...	1 case	Curios.
'Onsang" ...	M N or Nil.	1 small bag	Sugar.
'Braunfels'	Herrn Georg Schinkler.	1 case ...	Decorations.
'Wardha'	C. J. ...	59 bags ...	Sugar.
'Dupleix'	G. Gusta ...	1 case ...	Umbrella.

The above will be sold under section 88 of Act VIII of 1878, if not cleared on or before the 24th August 1908.

P. R. CADELL, Collector of Customs.

Custom House, the 3rd August 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908 :—

1.	Azimabad ...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.		
2.	Baikatpur ...	Add	880	To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.
3.	Balia ...	,,	889	
4.	Bhimpore ...	,,	1992	
5.	Munair ...	,,	2458	
6.	Masandha ...	,,	4368	
7.	Phulwari ...	,,	5058	
8.	Sunda ...	,,	5859	
9.	Shahjehanpore	,,	7305	
10.	Ghyaspur ...	,,	7692	
11.	Beswak ...	,,	9898	
12.	Bihar ...	,,	10516	
13.	Maldah ...	,,	11771	
14.	Narhat ...	,,	11772	
15.	Pillich ...	,,	11923	
16.	Raggir ...	,,	12561	
17.	Samai ...	,,	12585	
18.	Sanaut ...	,,	12606	
19.	Telhara ...	,,	12606	
20.	Ukri ...	,,	13570	

W. B. T—— C——— of B———

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
W 07 / 132 of 08	RA 46 59211	Rs. 100	Akhil Chand Mahaladar, Sagarpura, P. O. Murshidabad.

WM. W. WOOLLAM,

Assistant Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 29th-30th July 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W 08 / 100 of 09	Ra 3 9 30472	50	Syed Mohamad Shafi Heltam Khan, Rajshahi.
	,, 30473	50	
	,, 30474	50	

WM. W. WOOLLAM.

Assistant Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 5th August 1908.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 6 of Act VI of 1878, that on 9th April 1908 the undermentioned treasure was found in Survey No. 140Q. dry pattah, for the same stands in the name of one Periyakannasami Thwan in Neduoakkottai village of Mannargudi taluk:—

Description of treasure.	Weight in seers.	Value.
		Rs. A. P.
1. Idol ...	93½	23 6 0
2. Tiruvasi ...	18	4 8 0
3. Adukku Theepam ...	6½	1 0 0
4. Kuttuvilakku ...	7½	1 6 6
5. Tripod	4	0 12 0
6. Thupakkal ...	2	0 6 0
Broken bell ...	4	0 12 0
8. 12 Broken pieces of brass plate.	1	0 3 0
	135¾	32 5

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore at at his office on the 5th December 1908, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. P. BEDFORD, Collector.

Tanjore Collector's Office, the 12th July 1908.

WANTED a Bihari Muhammadan strong in English for the post of an Assistant Master in the Monghyr Zilla School an a salary of Rs. 20 rising to Rs. 25 by annual increment of Re. 1. None need apply who has not passed at least the F.A. Examination of the Calcutta University. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th August 1908.

M. PROTHERO,

Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur, the 29th July 1908.

WANTED a Muhammadan graduate (B Course) as an Assistant Master in the Darjeeling High English School on Rs. 35—2—45 a month, besides the usual hill allowance.

Applications will be received up to 20th August 1908.

M. PROTHERO,

Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division

Bhagalpur, the 29th July 1908.

WANTED a Muharrir on Rs. 15 per mensem for the Sadar Registration Office at Daltonganj. Besides office experience, the applicant must have passed the Entrance examination and have a fair knowledge of Urdu and Hindi. Applications with testimonials should be submitted to the District Registrar of Palamau, Daltonganj, up to the 20th August 1908.

WANTED a passed Native Doctor on a salary of Rs. 35 per mensem for the Gobindpur Dispensary, in the district of Manbhum. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 15th August 1908.

A. W. BARNICOTT,

Subdivisional Officer, Dhanbaid.

Dhanbaid, the 1st August 1908. (965—2)

Wanted

(1) A Clerk on Rs. 45 and
(2) One on Rs. 30 for this office.

The former will be on deputation as Land Acquisition Clerk on Rs. 50 till at least March 1909. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to 15th August. Age, educational qualifications and knowledge of Shorthand and Typewriting, if any, must be stated. Preference will be given to those having office experience and well up in Noting and Drafting.

PRABODH CHANDRA CHATTERJI,

Personal Assistant, *for* Commissioner.

Commissioner's Office, Bhagalpur, the 31st July 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Sarishtadar on a salary of Rs. 80 to Rs. 140 per mensem by an annual increment of Rs. 6 for the Birbhum Collectorate. None need apply who is not a Graduate of the Calcutta University and has not got a thorough experience of the Revenue work of a Collectorate. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 15th August 1908.

FAZLALL HAQ, *for* Collector of Birbhum.

Suri, the 30th July 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Treasurer at Rs. 100 per mensem for the Darbhanga Treasury. Security required Rs. 20,000 in cash or Government Promissory notes. None need apply who does not know English and has no experience of Treasury work. Applications will be received up to the 29th August 1908.

W. EGERTON,
Collector, Darbhanga.

Laheriasarai, the 5th August 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Counter for the Bengal Forms Department on a salary of Rs 16 per month. The candidates who can count paper and forms very quickly and correctly and know English and Bengali to enable them to read the description of each form should apply. The candidates must appear before the undersigned on the 17 h instant at 11-30 A.M., when their capacity will be tested and the fit man available appointed on probation for three months.

SRINATH CHAKRAVARTI,
Officer in charge of the Forms Dept., Bengal.

Bengal Forms Dept., Dallanda Buildings, No 247, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta, the 8th August 1908.

Notice.

THE Office of the Government Expert in Handwriting has been removed to No. 1, Ripon Street, Calcutta, and all communications for that Officer should be addressed accordingly in future.

Teleg ams for the Government Expert in Handwriting should be merely addressed "Handwriting"

CHARLES PARDLES,
Government Expert in Handwriting.

Calcutta, the 1st August 1908.

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Settlement Office, Fatehsing, in the district of Murshidabad, a Head Clerk on a salary of Rs. 40 (forty) only, plus an allowance of Rs 7 per month for doing works in connection with some other petty estates. The selected candidate shall have to furnish a security of Rs. 200 only in cash. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th August 1908.

None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination and is unable to furnish the security.

M K. DEV, Collector.

Berhampore, the 20th July 1908 (913—3)

Wanted

A SUPERVISOR for the Gaya Municipality on a salary of Rs. 150 rising to Rs 200 a month by an annual increment of Rs. 5 with Rs. 20 as horse allowance. None need apply who have not the qualifications of an Upper Subordinate or Foreman Mechanic according to the Sibpur College Standard. Practical experience of not less than five years is absolutely essential.

Candidates must possess a thorough good knowledge of English, both spoken and written. Copies only of certificates (not returnable) should be forwarded with application. The successful applicant will be on probation for one year.

Applications marked "Supervisor" will be received up to 24th August.

T. S. MACPHERSON,
Chairman, Gaya Municipality.

Gaya Municipal Office, the 27th July 1908.

(944—3)

Wanted

AN Engineer for one year on a salary of Rs 115 per mensem for carrying out and supervising the drainage works of the English Bazar Municipality, district Malda. None need apply who is not qualified as District Engineer according to the rules under the Bengal Local Self-Government Act III of 1885. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 20th August 1908. The selected candidate will have to join at once.

ABDUL AZIZ KHAN, Chairman,
English Bazar Municipality, Malda.

English Bazar Municipal Office, the 31st July 1908.

(957—2)

Notice.

WANTED an Overseer and a Sub-overseer, salary Rs. 60 and Rs. 35, consolidated travelling allowance Rs. 30 and Rs. 15 per mensem respectively to end of March 1909. None need apply who are not qualified under the rules. Preference will be given to those who have previous experience of the District Board works.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th August 1908.

A. GREENWAY, District Engineer.

District Engineer's Office, Ranchi, the 27th July 1908. (946—2)

Notice.

WANTED a smart and experienced Sub-Overseer qualified under the rules Pay Rs. 40—55 by biennial increments of Rs. 3. Travelling allowance will not exceed Rs. 20 a month. Apply sharp before the 20th August 1908 to the District Engineer, Purnea.

(978—2)

Destroyed

A RECEIPT numbered 19724, dated 20th November 1906, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount. Rs.	Holder's name.
3½ p. c., 153402	1865	200	Sreemati Ra
3½ p. c., 093476	1842 43	200	Lakhy Dassi

Name of the Proprietress—SREEMATI RAJ LAKHY DASSI.

Residence—No. 55, Chakrabaria Road, (N.) Bhowanipore.

(973—1—902)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 093376 of the 3½ per cent. of 1900-01 for Rs (500) five hundred only originally standing in the name of Prosad Das Boral and Brothers and last endorsed to Joges Chandra Basu, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the advertiser—JOGES CHANDRA BASU.

Residence—8, Kalitara Bose's Lane, Beliaghata, Calcutta.

(951—3—871)

Lost or Stolen

A RECEIPT numbered 7405, dated 4th August 1908, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's Name.
		Rs.	
095827	3½ per cent., 1842-43.	5,000	Rose V. Robertson.
102569	Do.	4,000	
096021	Do.	1,000	
103192	Do.	1,000	

Name of the Proprietress—ROSE V. ROBERTSON.

Residence—22, Kenderdine's Lane, Calcutta.

(985—1—901)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of George Jamieson Scott, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of section 370 of Act X of 1865 that Letters of Administration with copy Trust Disposition and Settlement and Codicils annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the 20th day of May last, been granted to Lockhart Smith of 4, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are required to send the particulars thereof to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of September 1908, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the administrator, the said Lockhart Smith, amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Lockhart Smith will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 21st day of July 1908.

SANDERSON & Co.,

Attorneys for Lockhart Smith, Administrator to the estate of the above named deceased.

(900—3—883)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

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POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

Mails for	Date of closing.	Latest hour of posting. General Post Office. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.	Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, Fort William, Outram and Wellesley Street Post Offices. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.
	August.				
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa and East Africa, and also South Africa if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden.	13	8 P.M.	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	5 P.M
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	12	.....	Parcels 5 P.M. M. O. 4 P.M.	.....	5 4
Australasian Colonies.	17	5-45 P.M.	4-30 ,,	4-45 P.M.	2-45
*Straits Settlements, China and Japan, per S.S. *Namsang*.	17	8-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5
Burma ...	13, 17	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	15	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	14	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5
Port Blair *vid* Rangoon.	15	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5

* On other days correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

Late Fee.

1. Late letters bearing a late fee are received at the General Post Office at the following hours on the days on which direct mails are closed :—

For Burma and Port Blair from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. with a late fee of ½ anna.

For Homeward English mail on Thursday from 8 P.M. to 8-45 P.M with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails by Sea from 8-30 P.M. to 9 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails *vid* Madras or Tuticorin from 5-45 P.M. to 6-15 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails *via* Bombay from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

Late registered articles for Burma and Port Blair are received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 2 annas.

Late registered articles for the Australasian Colonies, Mauritius and South Africa *vid* Madras or Tuticorin are received from 4-45 P.M. to 5-15 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas and for Ceylon with a late fee of 2 annas.

Late registered articles for the Homeward English mail are received on Thursday from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

DESPATCH OF PRINCIPAL INLAND MAILS.

Mails for	Latest hour of posting. General Post Office. Ordinary articles.	Registered letters.	Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, (*b*) Fort William, Outram and Wellesley Street (*b*) Post Offices. Ordinary articles.	Registered letters.
		(*a*)	(*a*)	(*a*)
1. Arracan and Chittagong	4-35 A.M.	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	5 P.M.
2. Bombay, Central Provinces, Midnapur, Purulia, Chaibassa, *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	1-15 P.M.	1 ,,	11-45 ,,	11-30 A.M.
3. Places on the East Indian Railway (Loop Line).		1-30	12-45 ,,	12 noon.
4. Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Lower Assam.	3-55 ,,	3-25 ,,	2-45 ,,	2-30 P.M.
5. Midnapur, Orissa and Madras Presidency.	5-45 ,,	4-30 ,,	4-45	
6. Cuttack, Midnapur, Punjab, United Provinces, Bombay Presidency, Central India, Sind and Baluchistan, Eastern Bengal, Central Bengal and Murshidabad.	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45	

(*a*) Previous day.

(*b*) Latest hour of posting articles in the Newmarket and Theatre Road Post Offices are 30 minutes earlier than the hours shown for Dharamtola and Wellesley Street Post Offices.

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THE following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, *the 8th August 1908.*

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BAY OF BENGAL—ORISSA COAST.

New Puri port light exhibited.

No. 321 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 191, dated 1st May 1908, issued by this office, it is further notified that the new light at Puri port was exhibited from the 1st August 1908. The intensity of the beam is about 350 candles.

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Jaigarh Outer Light—Temporary alteration of character.

No. 322 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 243, dated 13th June 1908, issued by this office, the following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 77 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars	...	The Jaigarh Outer Light will show the character given below until further notice.
Position	...	Latitude 17° 18′ N., Longitude 73° 11′ E.
Character	...	White fixed.
Charts temporarily affected	...	No. 826, Karachi to Vengurla. „ 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug. „ 739, Boria Pagoda to Achra River. „ 247, Jaigarh and entrance to Shastri.
Publications	...	List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 250. West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 181.
Authority	...	Commissioner of Customs, Bombay.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Gulf of St. Vincent.

Caution—Semaphore anchorage—Telephone cable laid.

No. 323 (first publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 15 of 1908) that a telephone cable has been laid from the light-house on Wonga shoal to the Semaphore jetty.

Masters of vessels, etc., are prohibited from anchoring in the vicinity of the cable.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1752 and 2389, A and B.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—Chatham island.

Port Hutt—Rock in approach.

No. 324 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1053 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock exists in the approach to port Hutt, Petre bay, Chatham island.

Position.—Western entrance point of Ocean bay bearing N. 34° E, distant $1\frac{3}{16}$ miles, and Matakitaki hill N. 35° W.

Lat. 43° 51¼′ S., long. 176° 46¼′ W.

Description.—Breaks with a westerly swell.

Depth.—Not stated.

Remarks.—The above position is very approximate, there being no opportunity to fix the rock accurately.

Variation.—16° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1417, Chatham islands.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 387.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pegasus*, Hydrographic Note, No. 1 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Banka strait, Banka island.

Tobo Ali—Light established.

No. 325 (first publication)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1055 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at Tobo Ali, Banka strait.

Position.—On head of mole, at about 275 yards westward from the fort flagstaff.

Lat. 3° 0¾′ S., long. 106° 27½′ E., on chart No. 2808.

Character.—*Red fixed.*

Elevation.—22 feet.

Visibility.—8 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 2808, Banka strait; south entrance.
„ 2597, Banka strait
„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 107.

China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 469.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1116 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam.

Koh Phra islet—Light established.

No. 326 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1059 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been erected on Koh Phra islet, Gulf of Siam.

Position.—On north-west point of islet.

Lat. 12° 38′ 25″ N, long. 100° 50′ 50″ E.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation—55 feet.
Visibility.—8 miles.
Order.—6th order.
Structure.—Iron column, 10 feet in height.
Charts affected.—No. 2720, Koh Ta Kut to cape Liant.
„ 2414. Gulf of Siam.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 145.

China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 385.

Authority.—Bangkok Notice, 13th May 1908.

CHINA SEA—Gaspar strait, Macclesfield channel.

Pulo Lepar—Rock eastward of—.

No. 327 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1068 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock is reported to exist off Pulo Lepar.
Position.—Within the 3-fathoms contour, eastern side of the island.

Lat. 2° 59′ S., long. 106° 55′ E.

Depth—Dries at low water.
Remarks.—The above position is approximate only, and the rock is probably that charted half-a-mile southward.
Charts affected—No. 2137, Gaspar strait.
„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 501.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Malacca strait—Sumatra, east coast.

Langsar river entrance—Buoys established.

No. 328 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1069 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys have been established to mark the eastern entrance to Langsar river, Sumatra.

Position.—Langsar river, eastern entrance.

Lat. 4° 33¼′ N., long. 92° 3¼′ E.

Buoy.	Position.
No. 1, white conical ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 8° E., distant $2\frac{9}{16}$ miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju S. 74° W.
„ 2, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 18° E., distant 2 miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju N. 84 W.
„ 3, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 40° E., distant 2 miles; east point of Pulo Rawan S. 40° W.
„ 1, black can ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 8° E., distant 2¼ miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju S. 77° W.
„ 2, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 16° E., distant $1\frac{9}{16}$ miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju N. 81° W.
„ 3, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 41° E., distant $1\frac{9}{16}$ miles; east point of Pulo Rawan S. 45° W.

Remarks.—The white buoys should be left on the starboard hand and the black buoys on the port hand on entering.
Variation.—1° E.
Chart affected.— No. 3574, Langsar bay, etc.
Publication.— China Sea Directory, vol, I, 1906, page 88.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1114 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST—CHALANG BAY.

Chalang reef—Buoy established.

No. 329 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1070 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A buoy has been established to mark Chalang reef, Chalang bay.
Position.—On north point of Chalang reef, at a distance of $6\frac{3}{4}$ cables S. 75° W. from conspicuous house on eastern shore of bay.

Lat. 4° 38′ N., long. 95° 35′ E., on chart No. 1701.

Description.—White conical buoy.
Variation.—Nil.
Chart affected.—No. 1701, Plan of Rigas and Chalang bays.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 284.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1101 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago harbour—Eastern channel closed; Buoys withdrawn.

No. 330 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1071 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The channel between Harrington point and Black head, eastward of Middle Bank, Otago harbour, is closed for navigation, and the buoys marking its eastern side have been withdrawn.
Position.—Harrington point beacon, lat. 45° 47½′ S., long. 170° 44½′ E.
Position of Buoys.—Situated at distances of $4\frac{5}{10}$ cables, S. 15° E., and $5\frac{1}{10}$ cables, S. 10° E., respectively from Harrington point beacon.
Description.—Red conical buoys.
Remarks.—Vessels must use the dredged channel through Middle bank, which has a depth of 21 feet at low water.
Variation.—16° E.
Chart affected.—No. 2411, Otago harbour with plan of entrance.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 294, 295; Revised Supplement, 1906
Authority.—New Zealand Notice, No. 33 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide entrance—Colour of light altered.

No. 331 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1083 of 1908), are republished : —

Subject.—The colour of the undermentioned temporary leading light at Port Adelaide entrance has been altered.

Position.—On outer end of training wall, south side of river entrance.

Lat. 34° 48′ S., long. 138° 28′ E.

Alteration.—Altered from white fixed to *red fixed.*
Chart affected.—No 1750, Port Adelaide.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 1242.

Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 337.

Authority.—Adelaide Notice No. 7 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Spencer gulf.

Harvey bay—Buoy established.

Woods point—Beacon established.

No. 332 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1084 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoy and beacon have been established in Spencer gulf.

1. Harvey bay.

Position.—In a depth of 3½ fathoms on eastern extremity of Tunby island reef

Lat. 34° 24′ 50″ S., long. 136° 9′ 30″ E.

Description.—A black can buoy with staff and diamond topmark.

Remarks.—It may be assumed that this buoy is in place of the buoy charted close north-east of the reef.

2. Woods point.

Position.—On Woods point spit, in a depth of 5 feet, with Woods point bearing S. 74° E., distant 4 $\frac{3}{10}$ miles, and Jarrold point N. 4° E.

Lat. 33° 22′ 5″ S., long 137° 47′ 30″ E.

Description.—Red pillar beacon with spherical topmark.
Charts affected.—No. 403, Wood point to Lowly point.
,, 2389*b*, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs.
Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. *I*, 1907, pages 214, 256.
Authority.— Adelaide Notice, No. 9 of 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Caution—Bassein river—Porian shoal buoy adrift.

No. 312 (second publication).—A telegraphic communication, dated 29th July 1908, has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, stating that the Porian shoal buoy has gone adrift and will be replaced when weather permits.

Mariners are hereby warned.

CHINA—Yang tse Kiang, south channel approach.

Yang tse cape bell-buoy—Position and character altered.

No. 313 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1001 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The bell-buoy established to mark the shoal water extending from Yang tse cape, Yang tse Kiang, has been replaced by a buoy of the undermentioned description moored in the position given below.

Position.—Moored in a depth of 12 feet at a distance of 9 $\frac{3}{10}$ miles N. 44° W. from Gutzlaff lighthouse.

Lat. 30° 54′ 50″ N., long. 122° 2′ 5″ E.

Description.—A bell-buoy having a conical superstructure surmounted by a black spherical cage.

Variation.—3° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse Kiang.
,, 1199, Kueshan islands to Yang tse Kiang.
Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 405.

Notice to Mariners No. 346 of 1908. (*This office No. 137 of 3rd April 1908.*)

Authority.—Shanghai Notice, No. 314 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—SHANTUNG, KYAU CHAU BAY ENTRANCE.

Arkona island light—Replaced by temporary lights.

No. 314 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1002 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—At the end of May 1908, Arkona island light (red occulting), in the entrance to Kyau Chau bay, was temporarily replaced by lights of the undermentioned character:—

Position.—Lat. 36° 3¼′ N., long. 120° 18¾′ E.
Character.—Two *green fixed* lights, vertical.
Elevation.—79 and 69 feet respectively.
Visibility.—2 miles.
Description of Structure.—Suspended from the light tower.
Chart temporarily affected.—No. 857, Kyau Chau bay.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 880.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 531; Supplement, 1907.

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1322 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—GULF OF SIAM, MALAY PENINSULA—CHOMPORN (CHUMPON) BAY.

Metaphon islet—Light established.

No. 315 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1003 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 9th May 1908, a light of the undermentioned character was established at the entrance to Chomporn (Chumpon) river.
Position.—On islet, now known as Metaphon, at the entrance to river.

Lat. 10° 27′ 35″ N., Long. 99° 13′ 40″ E.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—128 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Order.—4th order.
Structure.—Iron support on piles.
Charts affected.—No. 989, Lakon roads to Lem Tane.
„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.
„ 2414, Gulf of Siam.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 145.

China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 362.

Authority.—Bangkok Notice, 13th May 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES ISLAND, EAST COAST.

Tomori gulf—Beacons established.

No. 316 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1004 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Screw pile beacons of the undermentioned description have been established to mark certain dangers in Tomori bay as follows:—

Position.	Beacon.
On north side of a reef, lat. 1° 58′ 0″ S., long. 121° 51′ 45″ E.	Beacon with black truncated cone topmark.
On the north side of a small one-fathom patch, lat. 2° 13′ 0″ S., long. 121° 48′ 15″ E.	„ „ „
On southern side of a reef, lat. 2° 11′ 0″ S., long. 121° 44′ 20″ E.	Beacon with a white ball topmark.
In 3 feet water off southern point of reef, 2½ miles eastward of Lingkobo point, lat. 2° 2′ 50″ S., long. 121° 38′ 40″ E.	„ „ „

Charts affected.—No. 2195, Plan of Tomori gulf.
„ 3616, Tomori gulf to Salayai strait.
„ 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 370.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1074 of 1908.

INDIA, WEST—Sind coast.

Karachi, Manora light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 317 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1005 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—About the middle of January 1909, Manora point white fixed light will be replaced by a light of the undermentioned character. During the alterations provisional light as given below will be exhibited.

Position.—Lat. 24° 47½′ N, long. 66° 58½′ E.

Character—White flashing every seven and a half seconds, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse,
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$7\frac{3}{10}$ secs.

Elevation.—149 feet.
Visibility.—18 miles.
Power.—1,100,000 candles.
Structure.—Tower, 124 feet from base to vane.

Provisional light.

Position.—Gallery of lighthouse.
Character.—White fixed.
Elevation.—140 feet
Visibility.—From N. 56° W., through north, to S. 56° E.
Power.—350 candles.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 40, Karachi harbour.
„ 41, Monze cape to Kediwari mouth.
„ 42, Sind and Kutch coast.
„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 198.

Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 303; Supplement, 1903.

Authority.—Royal Indian Marine Survey, 3rd May 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—South island.

Bluff harbour—Leading beacon lights established.

No. 318 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1096 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Leading beacon lights have been established in Awarua or Bluff harbour, as follows:—

Position.—"35 feet ▲" westward of quarantine station, lat. 46° 36½′ S., long. 168° 23½′ E.

1. Tawaewae rocks.

Positions.—Front beacon, 480 yards S. 77° E. from "35 feet ▲."
Rear „ 925 „ N. 36° E. „ „
Characters.—White fixed light on each beacon.
Visibility.—6 miles respectively.
Leading Line.—The above beacons in line N. 5° E. lead through South channel.

2. Tewaewae point.

Positions.—Front light, 440 yards S. 71° W. from 35 feet ▲.
Rear „ 520 „ N. 86° W. „ „
Characters.—*Red fixed* light on each beacon
Visibility.—4 miles respectively.
Leading Line.—The above beacon lights in line N. 32° W. lead through the fairway from the leading line mentioned above to that mentioned below.

3. Middle bank.

Position.—On Middle bank red and white dolphins as shown on the chart.
Characters.—*Green fixed* light on each dolphin.
Leading Line.—These dolphin lights in line N. 68° W. lead through the fairway.

Note.—"Posn. approx." has been placed on the chart against the beacon lights in (1) and (2).
Variation.—18° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3484, Awarua or Bluff harbour.
„ 2540, „ „ „
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 347.
New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 312, 313; Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 31 of 1908.

AFRICA, SOUTH—Cape Colony—Mossel bay.

Aliwal light—Amended limit of Sectors.

No. 319 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1007 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The limit of the sectors of the *fixed* light on the jetty head at Aliwal, Mossel bay, is that given below.
Position.—Lat. 34° 11′ S., long. 22° 9′ E.
Limit.—*Red* when bearing to the westward of S. 37° W., and *green* when bearing to the southward of S. 37° W.
Remarks.—The light shows *green* over the anchorage.
Variation.—23° W.
Charts affected.—No. 639, Mossel bay.
„ 2083, cape Agulhas to Mossel bay.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 12.
Africa Pilot, vol. III, 1905, page 105, is correct.
Notice to Mariners No. 125 of 1908. (*This office No. 75 of 22nd February 1908.*)
Authority.—The Harbour Master, Mossel bay, 1st June 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Hunghwa sound.

Lam Yit channel—Rock.

No. 320 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1028 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock exists on the western side of Lam Yit channel, Hunghwa sound entrance.

Position.—Fort Hill point bearing N. 10° W., distant $1\frac{1}{10}$ miles, and Clam islet N. 74° E.

Lat. 25° 15′ N., long. 119° 22¾′ E.

Depth.—About 6 feet.
Variation.—1° W.
Remarks.—The rock is temporarily marked by the wreck of a steamer, of which only a part of the upper deck shows above water.
Charts affected.—No. 1761, Ockseu islands to Tung Yung.
„ 1968, Formosa island and strait.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
Publication.—China Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 192.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 2043 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MASBATE, NORTH COAST.

Port Barrera—Light established.

No. 302 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 952 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established in port Barrera as follows:—

Position.—On Colorada point, western side of entrance to harbour.

Lat. 12° 32′ 30″ N., long. 123° 22′ 40″ E., on chart No. 3369.

Character.—*Red fixed.*

Elevation.—103 feet.

Visibility.—7 miles.

Structure.—Concrete house, 16 feet high.

Charts affected.—No. 3369, Luzon to Masbate island.

„ 2577, St. Bernardino and Mindoro sea.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 133.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 343; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 689 of 1908. (*This office No. 235 of 4th June 1908.*)

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 31 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MASBATE, WEST COAST.

Bugui point—Shoal in southern approach.

No. 303 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 953 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—A shoal of the undermentioned description is reported to exist in the southern approach to Bugui point, as follows:—

Position.—With Gato island S. 40° E., distant 4 miles.

Bugui point light N. 35° E.

Lat. 12° 29′ 20″ N., long. 123° 9′ 45″ E.

Depth.—4 fathoms (estimated).

Description.—Small extent.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3369, Luzon to Masbate island.

„ 2577, St. Bernardino and Mindoro sea.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 253.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 30 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—Philippine islands—Mindanao, south coast.

Sibuguey bay—Shoals in—.

No. 304 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 954 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The undermentioned shoals exist in Sibuguey bay as given below.

Position.—Pandalusan island, lat. 7° 28′ N., long. 122° 39′ E., on chart No. 2578.

Position.							Depth.
At a distance of $2\frac{4}{10}$ miles	N. 59° W.	from	Pandalusan island.				3 feet.
„ „ $20\frac{3}{4}$ „	N. 47° E.	„	Tulnalutan	„			$4\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.
„ „ $19\frac{3}{4}$ „	N. 52° E.	„	„	„			$5\frac{1}{2}$ „
„ „ 17 „	N. 52° E.	„	„	„			$3\frac{1}{4}$ „
„ „ $14\frac{1}{4}$ „	N. 41° E.	„	„	„			5 „
„ „ $10\frac{1}{4}$ „	N. 45° E.	„	„	„			$2\frac{1}{2}$ „
„ „ $11\frac{3}{4}$ „	N. 54° E.	„	„	„			Not given.
„ „ $14\frac{1}{4}$ „	N. 62° E.	„	„	„			„

Remarks.—The above depths have not been reduced to low water.

These dangers, which are steep-to, are distinguished by discoloration of the water, with the exception of the 3-foot shoal north-westward of Pandalusan island.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 943, The Philippine islands.

„ 2578, Sulu or Mindoro sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, pages 392, 393.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 35 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra, west coast.

Batu islands—Bank westward of, non-existence of shoal.

No. 305 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 955 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—A bank of the undermentioned description exists to the westward of Tanah Balah, Batu islands, as follows :—

Position.—Lat. 0° 19′ S., long. 98° 15½′ E.

Depth.—6 fathoms.

Description.—A small coral reef.

Non-existence of Shoal.—It is considered that the above is identical with the "Shoal reported 1895" on the charts, 3 miles to westward of it. This shoal has been searched for without success, and a depth of 48 fathoms having been obtained in the former reported position, it has therefore been erased from the chart.

Charts affected.—No. 2760, Acheh head to Chingkuk bay.

„ 748*b*, Indian ocean.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 376.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1046 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST.

River Min entrance—Buoys moved.

No. 306 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 956 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The following alterations have been made in the positions of the undermentioned buoys in the entrance to the river Min.

Position.—Sharp peak, lat. 26° 8′ N., long. 119° 40′ E.

Alterations.

a. Outer bar red conical buoy.

Moved about 3 cables N. 75° E. from its former position, and is now moored in a position from which Sharp peak bears N. 65° W., distant $5\frac{6}{10}$ miles.

b. No 2 fairway buoy.

Moved about $4\frac{1}{4}$ cables N. 88° E. from its former position, and is now moored in a position from which Sharp peak bears N. 61° W., distant $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

Variation.—1° W.

Chart affected.—No. 2400, River Min.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 271; Supplement, 1907.

Notice to Mariners, No. 1894 of 1907. (*This office No. 35 of 25th January 1908*).

Authority.—H.M.S. *Alacrity*, Hydrographic Note, No. 2 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MALACCA STRAIT, SELÁNGOR.

Selángor river light—Alteration in character.

No. 307 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 957 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On or about 1st July 1908 the white fixed light at Selángor will be replaced by a light of the character given below.

Position.—Lat. 3° 20½′ N., long. 101° 14¼′ E.

Character.—*White occulting every thirty seconds*, thus:—

Light,	Eclipse,
27 secs.	3 secs.

Elevation.—244 feet; 90 feet above the ground.
Visibility.—19 miles.
Order.—2nd order.
Structure.—Iron cylindrical tower on concrete pedestal, painted white.

Charts affected.—No. 794, Pulo Berhala to cape Rachado.
„ 1355, Malacca strait.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 421.

China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 189.

Authority.—Board of Trade, 15th June 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Shimonoseki strait—Wrecks dispersed.

No. 308 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 958 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The undermentioned wrecks in Shimonoseki strait have been dispersed, as follows:—

1 Wreck off Ganryu Jima.

Former position.—3½ cables N. 47° E. from Ganryu Jima summit (110 feet).

Lat. 33° 56½′ N., long. 130° 56′ E.

2. Wreck on Ozo ne.

Former position.—8¾ cables N. 52° W. from Mana ita iwa light.

Lat. 33° 55½′ N., long. 130° 53′ E.

Variation—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3114, Moji and Simonoseki ko.

„ 1578, Simonoseki strait.

„ 532, „ „

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, pages 504, 505; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1174 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—New Caledonia, east coast.

Tupéti passage, Cerciat rock—Amended description of.

No. 309 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 980 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The amended position and description of Cerciat rock in Tupét passage is as follows :—

Position.—Situated at a distance of $1\frac{7}{10}$ miles N. 51° E. from Kindo island.

Lat. 21° 35¼′ S., long. 166° 23′ E.

Depth.—2½ fathoms.
Description.—A coral patch about 20 feet in diameter.
Variation.—10° E.
Chart affected.—No. 936*b*, New Caledonia.
Publications.—Pacific Islands, vol. II, 1900, page 354.

Notice to Mariners, No. 501 of 1908. (*This office No. 181 of 1st May 1908.*)

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 942 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF.

Bahrein harbour approach—Colour of buoy altered.

No. 310 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No 74 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—The colour of the buoy in the approach to Bahrein Harbour has been altered as follows.

Position.—Latitude 26° 20′ 37″ N., long. 50° 33′ 11″ E.

Alteration.—Colour altered from White to Red.

Charts affected.—No. 20, Bahrein Harbour.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, pages 134 to 138.

Notice to Mariners No. 107 of 1907. (*This office No. 453 of 4th October 1907.*)

Authority.—H. M. S. 'Redbreast,' Hydrographic Note No. 1 of 1908.

INDIA, WEST COAST—Gulf of Cambay.

East cape, Dholera light—Alteration in.

Erratum.

No. 311 (third publication).—In notice to Mariners, No. 152, dated 16th April 1908, issued by this office (British Admiralty Notice No. 405 of 1908), the arc of visibility of the Dholera Light from seaward should be from N. 65° E. through west to S. 4° E.

Authority.—Bombay notice No. 73 of 1908.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 8th August 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 8th August 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 10th August 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	512	73,675	767	283	37,895	419
Jute	58	17,260*	235	111	22,685†	353
Firewood	34	23,600	369	11	3,295	43
Other articles	585	2,12,256	2,074	528	1,74,488	1,721
Total	1,189	3,26,791	3,445	933	2,38,263	2,535

* Weight by canal measurement, 17,512½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 27,625 do.

CALCUTTA,
The 11th August 1908.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 10th August 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	2·28	7	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Katwa 2·43, at Kalna 3·18 and at Raniganj 1·79 inches. An insect-pest doing damage to paddy in parts of the district. Condition of jute fair except at Katwa subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. 390 persons receiving gratuitous relief in Katwa.
2	BIRBHUM ...	1·98	7	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Rampur Hat 1·56 inches. Transplantation of paddy continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	2·44	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Vishnupur 3·38 inches. Transplantation of winter rice almost finished. Prospects of crops good, but paddy damaged at places by a kind of insect. Persons gratuitously relieved—214 men, 647 women and 213 children—total 1,074 on the 7th instant. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 6 to 7 seers per rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	2·74	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 2·14, at Tamluk 2·58, and at Ghatal 4·00 inches. Transplantation of paddy going on. Some damage by insects reported from Ghatal and Garhbeta. Prospects of *aus* good, and of jute fair. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Contai and Ghatal, and at 6½ seers at Tamluk.
5	HOOGHLY ...	0·76	6½	6½	Weather cloudy. Rainfall in the district general. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute, and sugar-cane fair. *Aus* and *aman* paddy being damaged by an insect known locally as *Dhasa*. Weeding of jute and *aus* paddy and transplantation of *haimantik* paddy continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	2·45	6¾	6¾	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy rigorously pushed on. Prospects of jute likely to improve but at present not very hopeful. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	2·36	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Jute not favourable. Paddy damaged by insects in parts of Barasat, Basirhat and Baduria thanas and by recent heavy rains in parts of Basirhat and Diamond Harbour subdivisions and in Vishnupur, Bhangar and Jaynagar thanas. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, at 6¾ seers at Basirhat, and at 7 seers at Diamond Harbour. Barrackpore report not received.
8	NADIA ...	1·70	6⅝	6⅝	Rainfall at Ranaghat 4·26, Chuadanga 2·15, Meherpur 0·62 and at Kushtia 1·71 inches. Prospects of *aus* paddy fair. Insect-pests doing damage to *aus* paddy in Meherpur and Ranaghat subdivisions. Prospects of jute fair. Prices of staple food-grains slightly fallen. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity prevalent in Meherpur subdivision. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending 20 test-works on 6th—men 4,002, women 7—total 4,009. Rupees 1,571 received by 2,616 persons as gratuitous relief.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	Murshidabad	2·15	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy. Rainfall at Lalbagh 1·32, at Kandi 0·54, and at Jangipur 2·07 inches. Transplantation of *aman* going on, retarded in some places in Jangipur subdivision for want of sufficient rain. Prospects of jute fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease Stocks of food-grains reported not to be sufficient in Jangipur and Kandi subdivision.
10	Jessore ...	1·01	$7\frac{7}{16}$	$7\frac{9}{16}$	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Jhenidah 0·75, at Magura 0·76, at Narail 0·95 and at Bangaon 1·86 inches. Transplantation of *aman* paddy going on, and *aus* paddy being reaped in some places. Condition of jute not favourable. More rain wanted. Stocks of food-grains being supplemented by imports of Burma rice. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. High prices continuing. 92 persons employed on District Board test-works and 3,559 persons given gratuitous relief.
11	Khulna ...	1·16	$8\frac{1}{2}$	$8\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bagerhat 1·06 and at Satkhira 3·73 inches. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. More rain wanted. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops fair but of jute not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	Patna ...	0·78	7 10†	$7\frac{1}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{2}$	Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of *bhadoi* crops fair. More rain wanted for transplantation of paddy. Paddy seedlings withering in places. Sugarcane doing well. Prices almost stationary. Food-stocks likely to be sufficient if not largely exported. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
13	Gaya ...	0·82	7* $8\frac{3}{4}$†	8* $9\frac{1}{4}$†	Weather cloudy with scanty rainfall. Rainfall during the week general, but scanty, especially at the Sadar and Nawadah subdivisions. Prospects of sugarcane and *bhadoi* crops fair, but the latter suffering from want of rain. Transplantation of paddy seedlings continuing in irrigated areas, but in most places rain urgently wanted for this operation. Fodder and water for cattle ample. Cattle-disease continuing in some villages in the Nawadah subdivision.
14	Shahabad ...	3·42	8 9†	8 10†	Rainfall at Buxar 2·00, at Bhabhua 2·05, at Sasaram 0·32, and at Dehri 0·71 inches. Sugarcane doing well. Immense good done to standing crops by rainfall of the week. More rain urgently wanted for transplantation of paddy seedings. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
15	SARAN ...	Inches. 1·83	$8\frac{1}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{2}$*	8 10*	Weather hot. Rainfall at Siwan 5·17 and at Gopalganj 4·04 inches. Weeding of *bhadoi* crops and transplantation of *aghani* paddy going on. Much good done to standing crops, by the rain during the week but more rain still wanted in Sadar subdivision. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0·95	8 $10\frac{1}{2}$*	8 $10\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather hot and cloudy. Rainfall at Bettiah 1·44 inches and heavier at some other stations. Weeding of *bhadoi* crops continuing and transplantation of paddy resumed. Much good done to standing crops by the rainfall during the week. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair.
17	MUZAFFARPUR ...	...	8 $10\frac{3}{4}$*	$8\frac{1}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{4}$*	Rainfall at Sitamarhi 2·85 and at Hajipur 0·59 inches. Transplantation of paddy resumed on low lands. *Aghani* paddy being sown in Hajipur subdivision. Prospects of standing crops improved owing to rain. Jute good in Belsand and Bairagnia thanas of Sitamarhi subdivision. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Pupri in Sitamarhi subdivision. Common rice and maize selling at $7\frac{3}{4}$ and 10 seers per rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi and at $7\frac{3}{4}$ and $10\frac{1}{4}$ seers, respectively, at Hajipur. No apprehension of scarcity.
18	DARBHANGA ...	1·17	$8\frac{1}{4}$ 10*	$8\frac{1}{4}$ 11*	Weather hot, at times cloudy. Rainfall during the week chiefly confined to Darbhanga thana, in Sadar subdivision, which has improved the condition of *bhadoi* crops. Rain urgently wanted in Madhubani subdivision. Transplantation of paddy retarded for want of rain everywhere. No apprehension of scarcity. Agricultural stock sufficient. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from two villages in Benipatti thana.
19	MONGHYR ...	2·18	7 $9\frac{1}{2}$*	7 $9\frac{1}{2}$*	More rain urgently wanted. Light showers of rainfall during the week, but not at all sufficient for transplantation of paddy seedlings which are withering in some places. *Bhadoi* crops growing well. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from one village in Khagaria thana.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	1·42	$8\frac{3}{16}$ $10\frac{1}{2}$*	$8\frac{3}{16}$ $10\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather hot and cloudy. Rainfall at Supaul 1·44 and at Madhipura 0·50 inch. Much good done to standing crops by recent rain. More rain wanted for transplantation of paddy and for *marua* especially in Madhipura. Condition of *bhadoi* crops bad in Madhipura and Supaul, but good in parts of Sadar and Banka subdivision. Sugarcane fair. Jute fair in Madhipura, but poor in Supaul. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Prices of staple food-grains rising in Madhipura and falling in Supaul, elsewhere stationary.
21	PURNEA ...	0·92	7	7	Weeding of *bhadoi* paddy and transplantation of *aghani* paddy going on. Harvesting of jute commenced in places. More rain urgently wanted. Condition of jute fair. Condition of agricultural stock good. Stocks of food-grains adequate. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Kishanganj and at $7\frac{3}{4}$ seers at Araria.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1		2	3	4	5
		Inches			
22	DARJEELING ...	2·52	7 10†	7 10†	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize growing and being harvested in some places. Potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy still standing in some places and being harvested in other places. Winter rice and *bara marua* being sown. Terai—Transplantation of winter rice going on. Condition of standing crops including jute not very favourable. Supply of food-grains sufficient.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	2·93	6½ 9†	6 3/16 9†	Rainfall at Deoghur 1·67, at Godda 1·64, at Jamtara 2·97, at Pakour 0·92 and at Rajmahal 1·12 inches. More rain wanted in Pakour. Transplantation of paddy going on. Prospects of maize and jute fair. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Small loans being given to poorer cultivators. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	5·35	7 3/64	7 3/64	Rainfall general. *Bidli* paddy, *mandia*, sugarcane, cotton, turmeric and jute growing well. *Saradh* paddy being transplanted. Condition of cattle generally good. Fodder and water sufficient. Prospects of standing crops good. 679 men, 1,574 women and 3,606 children—total 5,859—given gratuitous relief. Test-works attended by 164 men, 344 women and 713 children—total 1,221.
25	BALASORE ...	7·88	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bhadrak 1·70 inches. Puddling, weeding and transplanting of *saradh* paddy continuing. *Ashu* paddy and sugarcane thriving. Weeding of jute continuing and its prospects fair. Vegetables doing well. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some parts of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal, Basta and Jellasore thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Bhadrak. 149 men, 685 women and 678 children—total 1,512—at Sadar, and 302 men, 1,946 women and 2,729 children—total 4,977—at Bhadrak receiving gratuitous relief. 14 men, 108 women and 51 children—total 173—attending test-works at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	6·37	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Phulbani 10·59 inches. Standing crops doing well. Transplantation of winter paddy in progress. Maize and millets in flower in some places. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common and cheapest rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee in Khondmals. Persons gratuitously relieved—54 men, 164 women and 462 children—total 680—in Angul, and 119 men, 169 women and 73 children—total 361—in Khondmals. Persons on test-works—148 men, 101 women and 19 children—total 268—in Angul, and 46 men in Khondmals.
27	PURI ...	1·37	7 3/16	6 2/16	*Bidli* paddy growing well. Puddling of *saradh* paddy continuing. Miscellaneous crops getting on well. Fodder and water sufficient. Men 266, women 189 and children 732—total 1,187—attending test-works. Recipients of gratuitous relief—men 359, women 1,016 and children 1,032—total 2,407. Piece-works attended by 69 men.

† Price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	2·82	9½	9	Weather cloudy. Reploughing, transplantation and weeding of autumn and winter paddy in progress. Sowing of *til* and *urid* commenced in Bargarh. Condition of sugarcane good. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Stocks of food-grains, and fodder and water supply sufficient. Rinderpest in Bargarh tahsil. Cheapest rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	3·49	7½* 8†	7¼* 8†	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy continuing. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Prices much higher in the interior than in the Sadar. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 619, women 1,697 and children 1,077—total 3,393. Relieved on District Board works—men 136, women 29—total 165. 178 persons doing piece-work.
30	RANCHI ...	3·05	7½*	7½*	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice going on. State of standing crops good. *Gondli* reported to be damaged by disease in parts of Gumla and Khunti subdivisions. Sowing of surguja, *urid* and cotton commenced. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Sadar and at 4 15/16 to 5½ seers at Gumla. Persons on test-works—men 222, women 182 and children 145—total 549. On gratuitous relief in undeclared area—men 69, women 317 and children 28—total 414. Persons on famine relief-works in declared area—men 3,070, women 4,220 and children 2,534—total 9,824. On gratuitous relief in declared area—men 854, women 2,738 and children 1,730—total 5,322.
31	PALAMAU ...	4·13	7⅞	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general and beneficial to standing crops. A little more rain still wanted for paddy transplantation. Local grain stocks insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANBHUM ...	3·46	7½	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Gobindpur 2·31 inches. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of winter rice nearly finished. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Nirsha and Chirkunda thanas. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate at present. No sign of scarcity. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	4·56	6	·6	Weather cloudy. Transplantation operations going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful. Rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and at 7½ seers at Seraikella.
34	COOCH BEHAR	1·13	8⅞	8⅞	Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *bitri* paddy continuing. Transplantation of *haimantik* paddy retarded for want of sufficient rain. Prospects and condition of jute fair. No apprehension of famine or scarcity.

* Barring rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

	Inches.
Talcher	... 1·71
Pal Lahera ..	... 7·07
Narsingpur...	... 1·71
Athmallik ...	... 9·56
Baramba ...	... 1·85
Keonjhar ...	... 1·22
Daspalla ...	... 3·82
Ramra ...	... 8·55
Kalahandi ...	... 1·56
Athgarh ...	... 1·82
Maurbhanj	... 3·05
Boad ...	... 12·92
Nayagarh ...	... 2·06
Ranpur ...	... 4·21
Bonai ...	... 2·07
Nilgiri ...	... 4·00
Sonpur ...	... 4·57
Patna ...	... 3·77
Rairakhol ...	... 7·44
Gangpur ...	... 1·62
Hindol ...	... 1·43
Khandpara	... Daily light showers.

Sowing of paddy continuing in Rairakhol. Puddling going on in Athmallik, Baramba, Nayagarh Ranpur, Hindol, and Daspalla. *Behura* operation (reploughing) finished in Baramba; in progress in Maurbhanj, Bonai and Rairakhol. Transplantation continuing in almost all the States, but progress slow in Kalahandi owing to insufficient rain. All standing crops in Daspalla, Athmallik, Baramba, Khandpara, Boad, Nilgiri and Gangpur, sugarcane in Talcher, Nayagarh, Narsingpur, Keonjhar, Kalahandi, Athgarh and Patna, cotton in Talcher and Nayagarh, Indian-corn in Keonjhar and Athgarh, *gora* paddy in Keonjhar and *arhar* and *bajra* in Athgarh and paddy plants in Narsingpur in good condition. Agricultural stock, fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice stationary in 20 States, risen from 11 to 10 seers in Patna and fallen from 6 to 7 in Rairakhol since last week.

* The report is for the week ending the 1st August 1908.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—The rainfall during the week under report was heavy in Cuttack, Balasore, Angul and in parts of Saran, moderate in Shahabad and in the districts of Chota Nagpur and light in other districts. In Bihar it has been generally insufficient, and more rain is urgently wanted here for transplantation of paddy, the progress of which is being retarded in several districts. *Bhadoi* crops and paddy seedlings in Patna, Gaya and Monghyr are also suffering from deficient rain. Sugarcane is generally doing well throughout the Province. The condition of jute is fair, except in Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Jessore and Khulna. Insect pests are doing damage to the newly transplanted paddy in Burdwan, Bankura, Midnapore, Hooghly, the 24-Parganas and Nadia. Some damage has also been done by insects to the *Gondli* millet crop in Ranchi. The price of common rice has risen in Patna, Gaya and Muzaffarpur, and has fallen in Bankura, Nadia, Jessore, Saran, the Santhal Parganas, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Palamau and Manbhum. It has been stationary in the remaining districts. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Murshidabad, Nadia, Balasore and Palamau. There is no complaint regarding the supply of fodder and water. Cattle-disease is reported from Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Sambalpur, Ranchi, Palamau and Manbhum. 32,561 persons were given gratuitous relief, of whom 15,796 belong to Orissa. Test-works in Nadia, Jessore, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 7,957 persons. The number of persons on relief-works in Ranchi was 9,824.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,

N. N. BANERJEI,

for C. E. Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarter

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, Common.						Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			Bajra or Cumbu. (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).		
									Average.			Cheapest.								
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year
		BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Burdwan Division.	1	Burdwan ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Birbhum ..	7 8	7 8	9 0	...	...		6 8	6 8	...	6 8	6 8	7 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Bankura ..	8 0	8 0	11 8	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	7 0	7 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore ...	10 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 6	...	6 14	7 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooghly .	...	...	...	...	..	..	6 4	6 4	..	6 8	6 8	6 8	...	..	...	...	...	...
	6	Howrah ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Presidency Division.	7	24-Parganas ...	7 12	7 8	9 8	.		...	6 12	6 12	...	7 0	7 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Calcutta	7 10	7 12	9 6	10 0	10 0	12 4	6 4	6 4	...	7 12	7 12	8 0	—	...	...	...	...	...
	9	Nadia ..	8 0	8 0	12 6	10 8	9 14	16 0	6 2	6 2	...	6 4	6 4	6 10	...	...	—	...	—	...
	10	Murshidabad	8 0	8 0	10 4	12 8	12 8	13 0	6 0	6 4	...	6 12	7 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11	Jessore	6 0	6 8	8 0	7 8	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	...	7 4	7 4	7 2	...	...	—	..	...	...
	12	Khulna ..	...	...	..	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 12	...	...	—	...	...	...
		BIHAR.																		
Patna Division.	13	Patna ...	8 8	8 8	11 0	12 8	12 8	15 0	7 0	7 4	...	8 4	8 8	8 0	9 0	8 0	13 0	...	...	...
	14	Gaya ...	7 12	7 12	10 4	10 0	10 8	13 5	6 8	6 8	...	6 8	7 0	8 3	11 0	8 0	12 0	Not sold.		8 3
	15	Shahabad ...	8 4	8 5	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	7 3	7 3	...	8 0	8 0	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	16	Saran ..	8 4	9 0	10 0	11 8	12 0	13 4	7 0	7 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Champaran ...	8 8	8 8	9 8	12 12	12 8	13 8	7 8	7 8	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18	Muzaffarpur ...	8 0	8 0	10 0	11 8	12 0	13 0	6 0	6 0	...	8 0	8 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	19	Darbhanga ...	7 11	7 11	9 14	12 1	12 1	12 1	6 9	6 9	...	8 4	8 4	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 16½ seers (karkatch); Asansol 20 seers; Kalna 22½ seers (karkatch); Ranigan) 20 seers.
B. At Rampurhát the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee.
C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee (karkatch).
D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 22½ seers; Tamluk 20 seers; Ghatal 21½ seers.
E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Arambagh 18 seers.
F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).
G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 20 seers (karkatch); Barasat 16 seers; Baduria 21 5/16 seers; Mograhat 18½ seers; Barrackpore 16 seers (karkatch); Bistoopur 16 seers.
H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 16 seers (panga); Chuadanga 16 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers; Ranaghat 16 seers (crushed).

stion Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 31st July 1908.

RS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

ARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dál*) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*)			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS. SALT.			Number.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
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...	...	...	...	.	8 8	8 4	11 4	..	..	..	6 0	6 0	7 0	B 18 0	18 0	16 0	Karkatch 2 0 0	2 0 0	2 4 0	2
...	...	...		...	8 0	8 8	12 0	.	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 0	C 20 0	20 0	20 0	Panga. 2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3
...	...		...	...	7 0	7 0 to 7 8	10 8 to 11 8	..	..	..	6 0	6 8	7 0	D 18 8 Bombay 20 0 Crushed	18 8 20 0	... 21 0	Bombay 2 0 0 Crushed 1 12 0	2 0 0 1 12 0	... 1 11 0	4
...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	.	...	.	6 4	6 8	7 0	E 17 0	18 0	17 0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 2 0	2 3 0	5
...	...	.	...	...	7 0	7 8	12 0	...	...	...	6 8	7 0	8 0	F 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	6
...	...	..	.	...	8 8	8 0	12 0	...	..	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	G 25 8	24 8	22 0	Liverpool 1 9 6	1 9 0	1 12 0	7
...	...	9 0	9 0	8 6	8 8	8 8	12 4	9 0	9 0	...	7 0	7 0	7 8	18 0	18 0	20 0	Panga. 1 15 0	1 15 0	1 13 0	8
...	...	..	..	...	8 0	8 0	14 8	.	...	..	6 7	6 7	7 2	H 16 0	16 0	16 0	White Karkatch. 1 14 0	1 14 0	2 4 0	9
...	...	..	.	...	9 0	9 12	13 0	.	..	...	7 0	6 12	8 0	I 18 0	18 0	20 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	10
...	...	..	...	...	7 8	8 0	11 4	.	.	...	10 0	10 0	11 4	J 20 0	20 0	20 0	Panga. 1 13 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	11
...	...	...	.	...	9 0	9 0	10 0	..	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 9	K 16 0	16 0	16 0	Karkatch. 2 2 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	12
...	...	Not sold.		10 0	10 0	10 0	13 8	10 0	Not sold.		12 8	8 4	8 8	11 0	19 0	19 0	16 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 4 0	13
...	...	6 0	6 0	9 4	9 4	9 0	12 13	9 4	8 8	11 8	7 8 to 8 0	6 8	7 11	M 20 0	19 8	18 5	Panga. 2 0 0	2 1 0	2 3 0	14
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...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	O 20 8	20 0	18 0	Panga. 1 15 0	1 14 3	2 0 0	16
11 0	...	...	...	...	9 12	10 4	13 0	10 8	11 0	12 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	P 17 0	17 0	17 0	2 4 9	2 4 9	2 6 0	17
...	...	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	12 0	10 12	10 0	11 0	8 0	8 8	7 8	Q 19 0	19 0	16 4	Panga. 2 1 6	2 1 6	2 6 9	18
2 1	13 8	...	...	...	9 14	10 6	12 1	11 0	11 8	12 1	8 12	8 12	8 12	R 19	19 12	15 6	2 0 3	2 0 3	2 9 0	19

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 19½ seers; Lalbagh 16 seers; and Kandi 18½ seers.
J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 17½ seers; Magura 16 seers; Bangaon 18 seers; and Narail 14 3/16 seers (panga).
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 20 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinapore 18 seers; and Behar 18 seers (panga).
M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 20 seers; Jehanabad 20 seers; and Nawadah 19 seers.
N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhabua 19 seers; and Sasaram 20 seers.
O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20 1/16 seers (panga); Gopalgan; 20 seers (panga).
P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 18 seers per rupee.
Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 20 seers; Hajipur 16 seers.
R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 21 seers; Madhubani 19½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarter

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE I

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Common Rice. Average.			Common Rice. Cheapest.			Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*)			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch
BIHAR—*concluded.*																				
Bhagalpur Division	20	Monghyr ...	9 0	9 4	11 0	12 8	12 8	14 0	6 14	7 2	...	7 6	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Bhagalpur	8 14	8 14	10 1	12 0	12 0	13 14	7 2	7 2	...	8 3	8 3	7 4	...	...	...	—	...	...
	22	Purnea ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	...	8 0	8 0	7 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	23	Darjeeling...	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 4	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	...	7 0	7 8	7 0	...	...	.	...	...	...
	24	Santhal Parganas.	6 8	7 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	5 12	6 8	...	6 8	7 4	8 8	...	...	.	...	...	...
ORISSA.																				
Orissa Division.	25	Cuttack ..	7 14	7 14	11 13	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	7 8½	7 8½	9 13½	...	...	—	...	...	...
	26	Balasore ..	6 8	7 0	11 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 12	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Angul ...	5 0	5 0	6 0	...	..	...	6 0	6 0	...	6 0	6 0	10 0	.	—	...	..	...	...
	28	Puri ...	7 14	7 8	10 12	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	7 3	6 14	10 8	...	...	—	—	...	...
	29	Sambalpur...	7 8	8 0	11 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 0	...	9 0	8 8	9 4	...	...	..	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR																				
Chota Nagpur Division.	30	Hazaribagh	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	11 8	6 4	6 0	...	7 6	7 4	8 0	...	..	..	...	...	—
	31	Ranchi ...	6 8 to 7 4	7 8	9 0	10 0	8 0	14 0	6 0	6 4	...	7 8	7 12	8 8	...		.	...	...	...
	32	Palamau ...	7 5	7 14	11 4	11 4	Not sold.	12 6	7 0	7 1	...	7 14	7 11	8 7			...	.	...	...
	33	Manbhum	7 8	7 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	6 8	6 8	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	..	...	...	...	...	—
	34	Singhbhum	7 8	7 8	10 8	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	...	-	...	...	...	...

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 20 seers ; Jamui 20 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 16¼ seers, Madhipura 13 seers ; Supaul 20 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seer ; Basantpur 16 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 13 seers ; Siliguri 16 seers
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara 18 seers ; Godda 15 seers ; Deoghur 20 seers ; Pakour 18 seers ; and Rajmahal 20 seers.

CALCUTTA.
The 8th August 1908.

...n Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 31st July 1908—concld.

OF EIGHTY TOLAHS.

...DA OR RAGI ...e *Cynosurus*		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dal*) OR THUR, CAJJAN PEA *Cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS. SALT			Number.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	9 8	9 0	11 8	7 8	8 4	8 8	S 19 0	19 0	20 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	20
...	...	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	12 10	New. 10 2	12 10	12 10	7 8	7 10	8 13	T 21 0	18 12	18 15	Panga. 1 14 6	1 14 6	1 14 9	21
...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	10 8	12 0	14 0	11 8	6 0	6 8	8 0	U 16 0	20 0	14 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	22
1 0	10 8	...	...	...	7 0	7 8	9 8	15 0	11 0	12 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	V 14 0	13 0	13 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	23
...	...	...	...	...	8 8	9 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	11 0	6 0	6 0	9 0	W 16 0	16 0	14 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	24
...	...	...	...	...	Biri or kalai 9 8	9 8	11 13	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	12 12	X 22 0	22 0	22 0	Karkatch. 1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	25
...	...	...	...	...	Chhola. 9 0	9 0	11 9	...	...	...	6 9	6 4	6 6	Y 21 0	20 0	18 0	Panga. 1 14 0	1 13 0	2 2 0	26
...	...	...	...	...	Biri. 9 0	9 0	11 0	...	...	...	7 8	6 8	11 6	Z 10 8	10 8	12 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	27
...	...	...	...	...	Biri. 9 8	8 8	11 2	...	...	...	6 14	5 11	7 3	a 25 0	25 0	21 0	1 9 9	1 10 0	1 10 0	28
...	...	...	...	...	7 0	7 8	12 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	7 0	b 16 0	16 0	16 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	29
0 15 8	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	11 0	7 12	8 0	10 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	16 0	16 0	15 8	Panga. 2 8 0	2 8 0	2 9 0	30
0 18 0	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 8	10 0	8 0	Not available	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 4	6 0 to 8 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	Panga. 2 3 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	31
...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 5	13 8	8 7	8 7	12 6	6 12	6 12	9 0	18 1	18 9	18 0	...	...	...	32
...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 0	9 0	10 0	...	7 0	7 0	8 8	c 16 0	18 0	16 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 1 0	2 4 0	33
...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 0	11 8	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	34

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga) ; Jajpur 18 seers (panga).
Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 21 seers (panga).
Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 10½ seers (karkatch) ; Phulbani 8 seers.
a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 24 seers.
b. The retail price of salt at Bargarh is 13¾ seers (Bombay).
c. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbaid 16 seers ; Jhalda 16 seers.

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N. N. BANERJEI,
for *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.*

PRICES-CURRENT (*wholesale*) *of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.,*

PRICE PER MAUND

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice.						Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	Calcutta ...	7 4 0	7 4 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	...	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 0
2	Burdwan ...	6 14 6	6 14 6	6 11 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 9 6	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	7 0 0	6 14 0 to 7 0 0	6 0 0	5 10 0	6 5 0	...	4 14 0	5 6 0	5 8 0	...	...	...
4	Patna ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	6 4 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	...	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	3 10
5	Muzaffarpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 3	6 10 6	6 10 6	..	5 0 0	4 19 6	5 5 0	5 0 0	4 10 6	3 10
6	Bhagalpur ...	6 5 0	6 5 0	6 11 6	5 9 0	5 9 0	...	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 8 6	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 15
7	Cuttack ...	7 3 0	7 3 0	6 1 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	...	5 4 0	5 1 3	4 0 0	5 1 3	5 1 3	3 4
8	Sambalpur ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	...	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	3 4
9	Ranchi ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	6 2 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	...	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 11 0	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	5 4 0	4 7

No.	Marts.	Indian-corn (Maize) (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cajan Pea (*Cytisus indicus*).			Linseed			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	Calcutta ...	4 4 0	4 4 0	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0
2	Burdwan ...	—	...	...	5 14 0	5 11 0	4 12 0	.	.	...	7 4 0	7 4 0	7 14
3	Midnapore ...	.	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	4 14 0	Black mustard. 7 0 0 to 7 2 0 Rapeseed. 6 12 0	6 12 0	6 2 0 to 6 8 0 5 14 0
4	Patna ...	3 15 0 (New)	Not sold.	3 3 0	4 14 0	4 19 0	3 8 0	5 14 0	6 13 0	5 4 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	6 4
5	Muzaffarpur ...	3 11 6	4 0 0	3 5 3	5 0 0	4 10 6	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	3 15 0	3 2 6	3 2 9	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 8 6	5 11 0	5 10 6	5 2 3	Mustard. 6 3 0 Rapeseed. 6 8 0	6 6 0 6 8 0	5 13 0 6 5
7	Cuttack ...	...	.	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 2 0	...	.	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	6 4 0
8	Sambalpur ...	...	...	.	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 4 0	...	...	...	7 4 0	7 4 0	6 0 0
9	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	5 8 0 to 8 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 10 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	5 0 0	7 8 0 to 8 4 0	8 0 0	6 2 0 to 6 6 0

undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 31st July 1908.

TY STANDARD SEERS.

BLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*).			JUAR OR CHOLUM (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR BENGAL (*Cicer arietinum*).			Number.
	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
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	—	—	—	—	—	...	—	...	...	...	...	4 1 0	4 8 0	3 1 0	2
	...	—	—	—	—	...	...	...	—	...	...	5 0 0	1 14 0 to 5 2 0	3 2 0 to 3 8 0	3
0	3 2 0	2 9 0	4 6 0	4 14 0	3 0 0	..	...	...	...	...	...	3 15 0	3 15 0	2 14 0	4
3	3 1 3	2 13 9	—	...	...	—	—	...	...	...	...	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 5 3	5
0	3 5 0	2 14 3	...	...	—	...	...	...	—	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 2 0	6
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0	5 0 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 3 0	9

TIL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
0	6 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 12 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	1
	—	—	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 14 0	...	...	...	—	...	...	2
	—	—	6 0 0	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	4 10 0 to 5 0 0	12 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	—	...	...	3
0	6 8 0	7 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 0 0	4 12 0 to 5 12 0	3 6 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	4
	...	...	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	—	...	...	...	...	...	5
	...	...	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 4 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	6
0	6 8 0	6 0 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	3 13 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	...	...	...	7
0	6 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	8 0 0	8
	...	...	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 5 0	23 0 0	20 0 0	22 0 0	...	...	...	9

[*Continued overleaf*

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.,

Number.	Marts.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.									HIDES (COW).			GRASS.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF.											
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.				Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
											Per 100 pieces					
1	Calcutta ...	43 0 0	43 0 0	48 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0				400 0 0	400 0 0	475 0 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 4
2	Burdwan ...	40 0 0	40 0 0	48 0 0	...	...	...				...	...	...	...	—	—
								Madhukhali.			Unclean per piece.					
					12 0 0	9 12 0	8 8 0				2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0			
		37 0 0	37 0 0	45 0 0	to	to	to				to	to	to			
3	Midnapore ...	to	to	to				Pulta.			3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	...	—	...
		40 0 0	40 0 0	47 0 0							Cleaned per piece.					
					13 8 0	12 0 0	9 12 0				2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0			
											to	to	to			
											3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0			
4	Patna ...	36 0 0	36 0 0	40 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 8 0				30 0 0	30 0 0	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 4
		to	to		to	to										
		38 0 0	39 0 0		4 0 0	4 0 0										
5	Muzaffarpur ...	35 9 0	35 9 0	42 10 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0				...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	42 0 0	42 0 0	46 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0	7 0 0				...	...	...	...	...	—
											Per maund.					
7	Cuttack ...	47 9 0	47 9	41 14 6	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 0 0				30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7
											Per maund.					
	Sambalpur ...	39 0 0	39 0 0	43 8 0	18 0 0	16 0 0	20 0 0				30 0 0	30 0 0	40 0 0	...	...	...
											Per piece.		Per lb.			
					10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0				2 0 0	2 0 0	0 8 0			
9	Ranchi ...	46 0 0	40 0 0	38 2 0	to	to	to				to	to	to	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 4
					16 0 0	16 0 0	17 0 0				2 8 0	2 8 0	0 11 0			

CALCUTTA,

The 8th August 1908.

Agricultural Marts of Bengal on the 31st July 1908—concld.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.									Number.
						IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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0 1 0 0	1 0 0		...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	1 15 0 Panga.	1 15 0 Panga.	1 13 0	1
0 0 8 0	0 11 0		...	...	...	...	...	...	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	1 12 0 Panga.	1 12 0 Panga.	1 14 0	2
0 0 5 0	0 7 0		...	...	...	4 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 12 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	1 12 0 Crushed. 2 0 0 Bombay.	1 12 0 Crushed. 2 0 0 Bombay.	1 11 0 ...	3
0 0 12 0	0 9 0		...	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 8 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	2 0 0 Panga.	2 0 0 Panga.	2 4 0	4
...	...		—	—	—	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	0 3 0	0 8 0	0 5 3	2 1 6 Panga.	2 1 6 Panga.	2 6 9	5
...	...		...	—	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	0 6 6	0 6 6	0 5 6	1 14 0	1 11 9	1 14 9	6
0 0 9 0	0 8 6		—	—	—	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	1 7 0 Karkatch	1 7 0 Karkatch	2 2 0	7
...	...		...	—	—	...	...	...	Not sold	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 1 0 Karkatch	2 4 0 Karkatch	2 4 0	8
0 1 12 0	1 2 0		...	...	...	6 0 0	5 8 0	7 4 0	0 6 0	0 5 3	0 6 6	2 3 0 Panga.	2 4 0 Panga.	2 8 0	9

N. N. BANERJEI,

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1908-09.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of June 1908.

Circle	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Details of areas leased.							Rainfall, 1908-09.		Rainfall, 1907-08.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.						During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.	Grand Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Orissa	Cuttack	Taldanda system	1,342	122	Nil	36	34	71,219	...	...	33	3	36	71,255	23·19	25·19	5·61	13·93	Average rainfall of Kulsai, Balia and Jagatsingpur.
		Kendrapara do.	1,200	529	240	...	...	90,063	...	...	...	20	20	90,083	13·41	16·00	10·38	21·83	Average rainfall of Kendupatna, Marsaghai, Kendrapara, Nurtang and Ichapur.
		High Level, Range I	608	27	...	5	67	27,055	...	...	5	...	5	27,060	9·62	10·92	7·02	15·04	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jenapur.
		Ditto, Range II	728	34	...	...	...	5,428	...	...	...	...	...	5,428	...	1·24	7·31	15·33	Average rainfall of Jenapur and Akhoyapada.
		Jajpur Canal	700	..	...	11	13	10,763	...	..	5	4	9	10,772	11·02	13·88	4·84	11·26	Jajpur.
	Balasore	Dudhai Canal	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		High Level, Range III	728	102	4	339	502	30,333	...	...	332	7	339	30,672	7·47	9·11	8·53	17·46	Akhoypada.
		Total Orissa Canals ...	...	...	...	391	616	231,371	...	...	375	34	409	231,770	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	243,515	...	.	595	13	608	244,123	...	...	...	...	
South-Western	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	51	1	57	...	...	42,641	...	...	...	...	42,641	8·43	17·92	15·03	21·72	
	Howrah	Panchkura	522	4	..	..	..	...	4,623	...	...	...	...	4,623	13·98	19·87	15·69	19·45	
		Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12·82	24·53	13·41	23·13	
		Total Midnapore Canal ..	...	...	...	57	..	...	47,264	..	...	...	...	47,264	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	..	..	40,204*	...	...	...	...	40,204	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	165	Nil	Nil	100	Nil	19,520	...	...	...	...	19,520	21·54	29·59	11·70	18·94	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,255	...	...	..	...	18,255	...	...	...	...	

Soxe ...	Shahabad ...	Western Main	4,342	439	65	5,643	6,159	17,067	...	...	...	279	279	17,946	3·92	3·94	6·44	7·03
		Buxar	1,326	75	75	30,756	29,093	92,924	...	...	...	4,923	4,923	97,847				
		Arrah	2,000	271	256	66,656	48,813	130,946	1,193	....	...	10,973	12,156	143,102	4·00	4·03	11·67	12·19
	Patna and Gaya	Eastern Main	1,466	160	150	1,088	1,150	3,306	...	...	...	1	1	3,307	2·68	3·03	12·58	13·21
		Patna				28,210	29,622	82,313	...	...	...	4,980	4,980	87,293				
		Total Sone Canals ...	...	...	...	112,313	114,905	327,156	1,193	...	...	21,156	22,339	349,495	...	...	...	...
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	332,139	1,778	..	...	27,993	29,666	361,855	...	...	...	...
		Tenr	174	14	12	294	315	...	...	...	..	233	233	233	2 92	4·57	2·92	5·06
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	195	195	195	...	...	...	...
Gandak ...	Champaran ..	Dhaka	300	Nil	Nil	222	279	Nil	...	...	...	335	335	335	3·20	6·06	6·90	9 82
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	382	382	382	...	...	...	...
	Saran	Saran	Canals closed.															
		GRAND TOTAL ..	...	...	...	113,337	116,208	579,617	67,967	...	375	21,758	23,316	668,617	...	...	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	633,638	2,328	...	595	28,493	31,498	665,044	...	...	...	...

* Of which 555 acres were "covering lease."

CALCUTTA,
The 10th August 1908.

A. N. DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of July 1908.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29·551.		
The average pressure of July from 44 years' registers ...	29·537		
The highest pressure in the month	29·651	29th	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29·405	31st	16
The range of pressure	0·246		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	113·0		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	413·1		
The mean temperature of the month	83·2		
The average temperature of July from 20 years' registers ...	83·1		
The highest temperature in the month	91·9	4th	
The lowest temperature in the month	76 0	21st	
The range of temperature during the month	15·9		
The mean daily range of temperature ...	9·2		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	12·0	12th	
	per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	87		
The average humidity of July from 20 years' registers ..	87		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	0·948		
The average vapour tension of July from 20 years' registers ...	·962		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	8·52		
The average cloud proportion of July from 31 years' registers	8·10		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	24·64		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 8 feet above the ground)	23·83		
The average fall of July from 24 years' registers ...	12·31		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	5·82	8th	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	24		
The average number of rainy days in July from 24 years' registers	19		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	139·9		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures	51·8		
The greatest sun temperature	153·4	30th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	62·8	30th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	76 6		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	2·3		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	1·0	21st	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	130·1		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	308·0	8th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	19·0	8th	7 to 8 A.M.

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—

N. 1, N.E. 2, E. 55, S.E. 165, S. 210, S.W. 223, W. 71, N.W. 6, Calm 11.

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Offg. Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 10th August 1908.*

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 2nd to 8th August 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rains.	Weather.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1908		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches	
Aug.	2nd	142·3	6·3	29·530	83·2	87·7	8·5	79·2	78·7	0·927	76·9	84	E and ESE ...	217	0·27	Partially cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	3rd	134·9	1·6	·589	80·0	84·4	6·4	78·0	77·8	·929	77·0	92	ESE, and SE ...	202	0·60	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	4th	149·6	5·2	·621	83·4	89·9	12·4	77·5	78·8	·953	77·8	90	SE and SSE ...	76	0·66	Partially cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	5th	149·8	4·2	·608	83·9	89·9	11·4	78·5	79·4	·952	77·7	84	SE by E, and SE.	57	0·51	Partially cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	6th	147·7	7·6	·578	84·5	90·1	10·6	79·5	79·7	·959	78·0	83	SE by S, ESE, SE by E.	125	0·01	Partially cloudy, t.
,,	7th	146·6	3·7	·565	83·0	85·2	9·8	73·4	78·1	·932	77·1	87	SE by E, ESE, and SSE.	95	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	8th	138·8	2·4	·541	82·5	87·1	8·7	78·4	78·5	·938	77·3	88	SSE and S by E.	90	0·90	Chiefly cloudy o, d, p.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·576
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·584
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		31·0
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		91·4
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		83·1
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·0
The extreme variation of temperature		12·6
The maximum temperature		90·1
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		13
		%
The mean relative humidity		87
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		87
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 2nd to 8th August 1908		2·95
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		2·58
The total fall from 1st January to 8th August 1908		59·48
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		38·54

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Knudsen's Barograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 10th August 1908.*

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Offg. Director-General of Observatories.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th July 1908, on 2,287·05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	498,842	4,39,595 0 0	7,002,960 0	11,07,337 0 0	37,798 0 0	15,84,730 0 0	157,779	216,667	376,446
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	192 3 5	.....	484 2 10	16 8 5	692 14 8	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2½ weeks of half-year	1,407,961	11,26,388 0 0	19,224,039 0	20 14,879 0 0	99,206 0 0	41,40,473 0 0	404,217	564,623	968,840
Total for 3½ weeks ...	1,906,803	15,65,983 0 0	26,226,729 0	40,22,216 0 0	1,37,004 0 0	57,25,203 0 0	561,996	783,290	1,345,286
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	510,984	4,56,348 13 2	6,896,838 20	10,14,350 2 10	40,325 6 8	15,10,724 6 8	150,606	198,045	348,651
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	199 8 11	.....	443 13 9	17 10 4	661 1 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 3½ weeks of previous year.	2,123,758	18,77,836 12 8	26,237,038 20	39,59,608 2 0	1,51,096 8 9	59,88,741 7 5	578,717	768,559	1,347,276

(a) The increase is chiefly in coal.

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,287·05	First 11 days of July ...	866,359	6,98,612	11,316,612	17,83,633	60,490	25,42,735	1,112	587,545	4 5 3
2,287·05	Week ended 18th ,, ...	541,092	4,27,776	7,908,427	11,81,246	39,716	15,97,738	699	381,295	4 3 1
2,287·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	498,842	4,39,595	7,002,690	11,07,337	37,798	15,84,730	693	376,446	4 3 4
	Totals up to date ...	1,906,803	15,65,983	26,226,729	40,22,216	1,37,004	57,25,203	701	1,345,286	4 4 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,285·30	First 13 days of July ...	1,034,609	9,19,173	12,350,353	19,17,941	72,069	29,09,183	1,273	653,521	4 7 3
2,285·30	Week ended 20th ,, ...	578,165	5,02,015	6,990,747	10,27,517	38,708	15,68,234	686	345,104	4 8 9
2,285·30	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	510,984	4,56,049	6,896,839	10,14,350	40,325	15,10,724	661	348,651	4 5 4
	Totals up to date ...	2,123,758	18,77,237	26,237,939	39,59,808	1,51,096	59,88,741	679	1,347,276	4 7 1

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th July 1908 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	20,572	(a) 4,345 0 0	11,534 0	255 0 0	5 0 0	4,605 0 0	1,342	163	1,406
Or per mile of railway ,,	.....	195 7 4	.....	11 7 6	0 3 7	207 2 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2½ weeks of half-year	81,977	20,162 0 0	23,944 0	791 0 0	20 0 0	20,973 0 0	3,450	396	3,846
Total for 3½ weeks ...	102,549	24,507 0 0	35,478 0	1,046 0 0	25 0 0	25,578 0 0	4,792	559	5,342
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	33,201	7,535 1 6	10,432 30	436 10 0	6 2 6	7,979 14 0	964	226	1,190
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	338 15 5	.....	19 10 3	0 5 10	358 15 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 3½ weeks of previous year.	114,434	25,845 0 4	46,186 10	1,928 15 0	23 5 0	27,797 4 4	3,791	875	4,666

(a) The decrease is due to greater movements of pilgrims on account of *Ruth Jattra* in 1907.

TARKESUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
20·23	First 11 days of July ...	52,603	13,183	12,835	524	13	13,720	617	2,350	5 13 8
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	29,374	6,979	11,109	267	7	7,253	326	1,146	4 13 7
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,572	4,345	11,534	255	5	4,605	207	1,196	3 1 3
	Totals up to date ...	102,549	24,507	35,478	1,044	25	25,578	322	5,342	4 12 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A P.
2·23	First 13 days of July ...	47,166	11,190	22 815	983	9	12,182	548	2,242	5 6 11
2·23	Week ended 20th ,, ...	34,067	7,129	12,339	510	6	7,636	343	1,244	6 3 0
2·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	33,201	7,585	10,432	436	8	7,979	356	1,190	6 11 4
	Totals up to date ...	114,434	25,815	46,186	1,929	23	27,797	324	4,676	5 15 4

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th July 1908, on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week ..	33,139	26,730 0 0	221,845 0	14,539 0 0	41 0 0	41,301 0 0	11,679	4,998	16,677
Mile of railway		164 10 2	..	89 7 11	0 4 0	254 6 1	..	..	..
Previous 2½ weeks of half-	84,316	67,932 0 0	560,308 0	38,269 0 0	103 0 0	106,704 0 0	29,978	13,089	43,067
Total for 3½ weeks ..	117,455	94,662 0 0	782,153 0	52,790 0 0	144 0 0	1,47,905 0 0	41,657	18,087	59,744
COMPARISON.									
for corresponding week of ous year	31,359	22,109 7 10	268,109 10	16,031 15 0	41 5 6	39,081 12 4	11,780	5,207	16 987
le of railway correspond- Week of previous year ...	...	136 2 8	...	104 4 7	0 4 1	240 11 4	...	...	...
for corresponding 3½ s of previous year .	126,955	87,759 12 3	874,897 10	64,574 12 0	175 0 0	1,52,487 9 0	45 876	18,978	64,854

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
36	First 11 days of July ...	51,248	39,032	351,706	22,968	65	62,065	385	20,507	2 5 10
36	Week ended 18th ,, ...	33,008	27,709	208,512	15,301	40	43,051	2 5	16,560	2 9 7
36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	33,489	26,730	224,845	14,539	41	41,301	254	16,571	2 7 7
	Totals up to date ...	117,805	94,662	785,153	52,794	144	1,47,017	204	59,744	2 7 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concld. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
36	First 13 days of July ...	63,583	47,971	335,780	20,558	85	71,624	441	30,244	2 5 11
36	Week ended 20th ,, ...	32,043	24,630	271,408	17,075	47	41,782	257	17,093	2 5 11
36	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	31,339	22,109	268,109	16,932	41	39,082	241	16,987	2 4 10
	Totals up to date ...	126,985	87,740	874,897	64,575	173	1,52,489	213	64,854	2 5 7

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 25th July 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	53,560	35,000 0 0	2,27,600 0	43,500 0 0	3,000 0 0	79,500 0 0	15,455	19,666	35,121
Or per mile of railway ...	69·66	42·97	299·12	56·42	3·89	103·28	20·12	25·51	45·7
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	135,090	87,500 0 0	6,27,000 0	99,500 0 0	10,500 0 0	1,91,500 0 0	40,638	49,580	90,218
Total for 4 weeks ...	188,500	1,14,500 0 0	8,54,000 0	1,43,000 0 0	13,500 0 0	2,71,000 0 0	56,093	69,246	125,339
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	43,901	29,320 0 0	3,06,006 0	54,563 0 0	2,084 0 0	87,167 0 0	14,121	20,127	34,248
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	64·98	38·18	396·89	71·16	3·87	113·21	18·39	26·11	44·2
Total to corresponding date of previous year	189,513	1,08,858 0 0	12,69,450 0	2,22,045 0 0	15,190 0 0	3,46,093 0 0	54,780	75,451	129,241

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

Receipts for week ending 25th July 1908.			Receipts for week ending 27th July 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 25th July 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 27th July 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	79,500	103·23	771	87,167	113·21	771	13,67,015	...	771	14,52,619	...	.....	85,604

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 25th July 1908 on 1,797 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs (a)	Mds.	Rs. (b)	Rs (c)	Rs.		(d)	
Total traffic for the week on 1,797 miles open	347,520	1,44,790	8,75,160	1,15,050	29,280	2,89,030	56,903	39,916	96,819
Or per mile of railway	193·39	80·58	487·01	64·02	16·30	160·84	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2½ weeks of half-year	897,190	3,40,510	23,09,620	3,15,520	55,730	7,11,760	145,951	108,454	254,405
Total for 3½ weeks ...	1,244,720	4,85,210	31,84,780	4,30,570	85,010	10,00,730	202,854	148,370	351,224
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,705 miles open	299,159	1,12,568	9,70,757	1,19,431	25,620	2,57,619	54,477	(e) 46,757	101,234
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	175·46	66·02	569·36	70·05	15·03	151·10	...	...	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,146,495	4,54,811	44,31,302	5,75,322	84,634	11,14,767	206,384	179,436	386,320
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...		2·54		2·88	·30	2·09			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		2·67		2·56	·25	1·85			

(a) General increase chiefly under local and foreign outward, due to development of traffic.
(b) Decrease mainly under local inward due to heavy grain traffic to Bengal in 1907. There was, however, an increase under both local and foreign outward.
(c) Increase principally under Goods rents.
(d) Includes 4,882 miles of boat stations.
(e) Includes 11,471 miles of feeder lines.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	365,700	1,69,890 0 0	3,043,500 0	2,65,390 0 0	54,870 0 0	4,88,150 0 0	72,457	(b)77,348	149,805
Per mile of railway	287	133 0 0	2,389 0	207 0 0	(a)31 0 0	(a)371 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	1,199,300	4,73,340 0 0	2,989,120 0	4,31,070 0 0	37,140 0 0	9,41,550 0 0	191,567	86,715	278,282
Total for 4 weeks ...	1,565,000	6,43,230 0 0	6,032,620 0	6,96,460 0 0	92,010 0 0	14,29,700 0 0	264,024	164,063	428,087
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year... ...	343,868	1,66,819 0 0	3,215,464 0	2,78,294 0 0	82,202 0 0	5,17,315 0 0	69,121	50,993	120,114
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,268 miles)	271	124 0 0	2,536 0	220 0 0	52 0 0	396 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,670,209	6,53,920 0 0	6,791,949 0	7,62,569 0 0	1,17,473 0 0	15,34,052 0 0	274,985	191,811	466,796

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 15,600.
(b) Includes ballast train-miles, 42,019 and earning Rs 25,000.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	33,540	14,087 0 0	33,120 0	2,770 0 0	433 0 0	17,310 0 0	5,656	(a)4,900	9,656
Per mile of railway	469	164 0 0	370 0	32 0 0	5 0 0	201 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	117,510	34,770 0 0	75,320 0	5,720 0 0	1,080 0 0	41,570 0 0	14,544	3,500	18,044
Total for 4 weeks ...	157,050	48,850 0 0	105,420 0	8,490 0 0	1,540 0 0	58,880 0 0	20,200	7,500	27,700
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	39,444	9,846 0 0	(b)114,648 0	2,421 0 0	612 0 0	12,879 0 0	5,140	1,084	6,224
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	344	115 0 0	1,433	28 0 0	7 0 0	150 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	141,991	41,248 0 0	266,803 0	9,690 0 0	894 0 0	51,237 0 0	19,464	4,406	23,870

(a) Includes ballast train-miles, 2,200.
(b) Includes certain adjustments for ballast trains.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1908, on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week ...	3,740	1,440 0 0	18,250 0	1,410 0 0	10 0 0	2,860 0 0	435	(a)3,813	4,248
Per mile of railway ...	111	43 0 0	543 0	42 0 0	... ..	85 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-...	10,660	3,940 0 0	51,240 0	4,090 0 0	30 0 0	8,060 0 0	1,088	2,548	3,636
Total for 4 weeks ...	14,400	5,380 0 0	69,490 0	5,500 0 0	40 0 0	10,920 0 0	1,523	6,361	7,884
COMPARISON.									
for corresponding week revious year	3,950	1,165 0 0	15,946 0	1,590 0 0	21 0 0	2,695 0 0	454	2,442	2,896
mile of railway correspond-week of previous year ...	106	35 0 0	475 0	45 0 0	.....	80 0 0	...	...	...
to corresponding date of ious year	13,168	4,514 0 0	71,721 0	6,667 0 0	49 0 0	10,630 0 0	1,719	8,649	10,368

(a) Includes ballast train-miles 2,9 0.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th July 1908, on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	13,130	4,140 0 0	32,410 0	1,440 0 0	30 0 0	5,610 0 0	2,100	(a)401	2,510
Or per mile of railway	243	77 0 0	600 0	27 0 0	.....	104 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	28,520	8,890 0 0	36,030 0	2,830 0 0	50 0 0	11,760 0 0	5,533	1,107	6,640
Total for 4 weeks ...	41,650	13,030 0 0	68,440 0	4,270 0 0	80 0 0	17,370 0 0	7,642	1,508	9,150
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	9,735	3,303 0 0	31,414 0	1,329 0 0	365 0 0	4,997 0 0	1,908	498	2,406
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	192	65 0 0	620 0	27 0 0	7 0 0	99 0 0	..	..	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	38,400	12,378 0 0	69,323 0	4,151 0 0	953 0 0	17,473 0 0	7,611	1,395	9,006

(a) Ballast train-miles and earnings *nil*.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 1st August 1908	...	Coaching ...	4,346 0 0	
		Goods ...	8,289 0 0	12,672 0 0
		Other earnings ...	37 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907	...	Coaching ...	5,166 0 0	
		Goods ...	10,529 0 0	15,734 0 0
		Other earnings ...	39 0 0	
		Decrease	...	3,062 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 1st August 1908	...	...	...	248 7 6
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907	...	...	...	308 8 2
		Decrease	...	60 0 8
Receipts from 1st July to 1st August 1908	...	...	...	65,199 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907	...	...	...	74,010 0 0
		Decrease	...	8,811 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING AUGUST 1908.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1908.				
August 19th ...	Wednesday ...	Arrive Murshidabad ...	9 A.M.	
„ 20th ...	Thursday ...	Arrive Berhampore ...	5 A.M.	
„ 21st ...	Friday ..	Leave Berhampore ...	3 A.M.	
		Arrive Calcutta ...	5 P.M.	

NOTE.—

(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Lady Fraser.
Captain H. L. Fraser, 10th Royal Hussars, Private Secretary.
Captain A. H. B. Foster, The King's Own, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain R. C. Dodgson, R.F.A., Aide-de-Camp.
The Hon'ble Mr. F. W. Duke, I.C.S., Chief Secretary.
Lieut.-Col. W. J. Buchanan, I.M.S., Inspector-General of Prisons, from Bankipur.
The Commissioners of Divisions within their respective charges.

(2) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the Bengal Government Camp, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) The Lieutenant-Governor's arrival at Bankipur will be public; all other arrivals and departures will be private.

The timings for the river portion of the tour are approximate.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

BELVEDERE,
The 1st August 1908.

H. L. FRASER, CAPT.,
Private Secretary.

No. 5475A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5197A.—The 12th August 1908.*—Mr. Jogendra Nath Mitra, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Midnapore, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Mr. C. W. E. Pittar.
Midnapore.
Murshidabad.

No. 5413A.—The 17th August 1908.—Mr. Nagendra Nath Banarji, Officiating Personal Assistant to the Director of Agriculture, Bengal, is confirmed in that appointment.
Calcutta.

No. 5437A.—The 18th August 1908.—Mr. Alfred Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the Narail subdivision of the Jessore district.
Nadia.
Jessore.

No. 5439A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Suresh Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Narail, Jessore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of that district.
Jessore.

No. 5441A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Basanta Krishna Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed to have charge of the Jhenida subdivision of that district.
Jessore.

No. 5443A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Charu Chandra Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jhenida, Jessore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Bankura district.
Jessore.
Bankura.

No. 5458A.—The 18th August 1908.—Mr. Sultan Saiyid Saadat Husain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Monghyr, is appointed to have charge of the Jamui subdivision of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. L. T. R. Lucas, or until further orders.
Monghyr.

POLICE.—*No. 5370A.—The 15th August 1908.*—Mr. J. C. Farmer, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Patna, is placed temporarily in charge of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Police, *vice* Mr. C. H. Waterworth.
Patna.

EDUCATION.—*No. 5421A.—The 17th August 1908.*—Mr. J. R. Cunningham, Officiating Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, is confirmed in that appointment.

Calcutta.

No. 5423A.—The 17th August 1908.—Babu Praphulla Chandra Ghosh (No. II), substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is appointed temporarily to act as a Professor in the Presidency College, Calcutta, *vice* Mr. J. R. Cunningham.

Howrah. Calcutta.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 5213A.—The 14th August 1908.*—The services of the Revd. W. Thomson, a junior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, on the Bengal Establishment, on leave, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department, with effect from the date of the termination of his leave.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 5361A.—The 14th August 1908.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), and the orders issued thereunder, and with the previous sanction, of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. William Brown to be a member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Council.

JAILS.—*No. 5463A.—The 18th August 1908.*—Captain J. G. P. Murray, I.M.S., Second Surgeon, Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Superintendent of the Presidency Central Jail, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Major J. Mulvany, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 5195A.—The 12th August 1908.*—Mr. C. W. E. Pittar, District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for five weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st August 1908, or the subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Murshidabad.

No. 5457A.—The 18th August 1908.—Mr. L. T. R. Lucas, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jamui, Monghyr, is allowed combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and twenty-one days, or the amount due on the date on which he may be relieved, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

Monghyr.

POLICE.—*No. 5455A.—The 18th August 1908.*—Mr. J. V. Ryan, B.A., LL.D., Barrister-at-Law, Superintendent of Police, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough for six days.

JAILS.—*5461A.—The 18th August 1908.*—Major J. Mulvany, I.M.S., Superintendent, Presidency Central Jail, Calcutta, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th August 1908.

Calcutta.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 12th August 1908:—

No. 3158A.—The 10th August 1908.—Babu Chandra Sekhar Sen, Munsif of Habiganj, in the district of Sylhet, is allowed leave for forty-five days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd August 1908.

No. 3159A.—The 10th August 1908.—Babu Narendra Nath Chakrabatti, Munsif of Kishorganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th July 1908, or the date on which he availed himself of it.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3188For.—The 17th August 1908.—Privilege leave of absence for two months and twenty-two days is granted to Mr. E. E. Slane, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Singhbhum Division, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 25th September, or such later date as he may avail himself of the leave.

Singhbhum.

No. 3197For.—The 17th August 1908.—Mr. W. Breakey, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Sundarbans Division, is appointed to hold charge of the Angul Division during the remainder of Mr. Mee's absence on combined leave, or till further orders.

Angul.

No. 3143L.R.—The 13th August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883 (XIX of 1883), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to cancel Rule 24 of the Rules made under the former Act and published with Notification No. 1285L.R., dated the 28th February 1908, at pages 546-553 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1908.

No. 3164L.R.—The 14th August 1908.—Mr. F. H. Alderson, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Singhbhum, is allowed privilege leave, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, from the 15th August 1908.

Singhbhum.

No. 3165L.R.—The 14th August 1908.—Mr. C. W. Hodson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as Settlement Officer of Midnapore, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six weeks, from the 15th September 1908.

Midnapore.

No. 3191Agri.—The 17th August 1908.—The following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Bengal Silk Committee:—

The Director of Agriculture, Bengal (President).
The Collector of Murshidabad.
The Manager of the Bengal Silk Company, Limited, Berhampore Division.
The Manager of Messrs. Louis Payen & Co.
Mr. J. G. Malcolm.
Babu Bhupati Lal Gooye.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3155L.A.—The 13th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of Gaya mufassal thana compound, in the village of Nauranga, pargana Mahair, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 9 cottahs and 10½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by waste land of village Nauranga and the houses of Mahadeo Kahar and others and Siva's temple, on the south by Gourakshni land and its compound, on the east by pyne Manpore, and on the west by the roadside lands of the Gaya-Nawadah road and Fattehpur road, is required within the aforesaid village of Nauranga.

Gaya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector of Gaya.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3168L.A. The 15th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government, at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the drainage of canal area, section II, from Canal West Road to Gas Street, it is hereby

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declared that, for the above purpose, pieces of land Nos. 8, 9 and 10, Canal West Road, Nos. 27-2, 29, 27, 26, 25, 24, 24-7 and 24-2, North Sealdah Road, Nos. 4, 5, 5-1, 9-2, 9-1, 10 and 11, Harsi Street, and portions of Nos 6-2, 11 and 12, Canal West Road, Nos. 33, 28, 30, North Sealdah Road, Nos 8, 10-1, 10-2, 11-1, 11-2, Harsi Street, and No. 7, Gas Street, in Sealdah, Dihi Panchannogram, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 7 bighas 10 cottahs 5 chitaks and 23 square feet, are required The boundaries of the lands are as follows:—

PLOT A.

North—By a public road.

South—By premises No. 308, Upper Circular Road.

East and West—By the remaining portions of premises No. 6-2, Canal West Road.

PLOT B.

North—Partly by Harsi Street, partly by North Sealdah Road, partly by the remaining portion of premises No. 28, North Sealdah Road, and partly by premises Nos. 2-1 and 1-2, Harsi Street, premises Nos. 27-3 and 27-1, North Sealdah Road, and the remaining portions of premises Nos. 11 and 12, Canal West Road.

South—Partly by a public road and the remaining portions of premises Nos. 28 and 33, North Sealdah Road, partly by a private passage and the remaining portion of premises No. 30, North Sealdah Road.

East—Partly by premises Nos. 3 and 2-1, Harsi Street, premises Nos. 27-3 and 27-4, North Sealdah Road, and a private passage, and partly by the remaining portions of premises Nos. 11 and 12, Canal West Road, and Canal West Road.

West—Partly by North Sealdah Road and partly by a private passage and the remaining portions of premises Nos. 30, 28 and 33, North Sealdah Road.

PLOT C.

North—Partly by Harsi Street and partly by premises No. 8, Harsi Street.

South—Partly by North Sealdah Road and partly by premises Nos. 23-2 and 24-1, North Sealdah Road.

East—Partly by Harsi Street and partly by North Sealdah Road.

West—Partly by a private passage and partly by premises Nos. 24-5, 24-1 and 24-1-1, North Sealdah Road.

PLOT D.

North—Partly by Gas Street, partly by Harsi Street and partly by premises No. 9, Harsi Street, and partly by the remaining portion of premises No. 10-1, Harsi Street.

South—Partly by Harsi Street, partly by a private passage and the remaining portion of premises No. 8, Harsi Street.

East—Partly by Harsi Street and partly by premises No. 9, Harsi Street.

West—Partly by the remaining portions of premises Nos. 8, 10-1, 10-2, 11-2 and 11-1, Harsi Street, and partly by the remaining portion of premises No. 7, Gas Street.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Corporation.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

No. 3184L.A.—The 17th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for Simlabahal Siding No. 5, Bhalgora Coal Company, in the villages of Gopalichuck and Simlabahal, (Bengal-Nagpur Railway,) pargana Jherria, zilla Manbhum, it is

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hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 24 bighas 11 cottahs 14 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By waste land of village Simlabahal,

South—By Bengal-Nagpur Railway land,

East and West—By danga and rice field of Babu Krishna Kisore Adhikari and Laru Faras,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Gopalichuck and Simlabahal.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Adra.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

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No. 3189L.A.—The 17th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bhatpara Municipality, for a public purpose, viz., for a trenching-ground in the village of Mulajore, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 bighas 8 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land belonging to Tinkori Ghose and Nutangao Road; on the east by the land belonging to Baikanta Pal, Maharaja Sir Prodyote Kumar Tagore and Sir Sourendra Mohun Thakur; on the south by the land belonging to Gopal Chandra Mukharji and the public road, and on the west by the land belonging to the Maharaja Sir Prodyote Kumar Tagore and Sir Sourendra Mohan Thakur and the old trenching-ground, is required within the aforesaid village of Mulajore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Bhatpara.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Midnapore.

No. 3196L.A.—The 17th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for retired line at Harisingpore in the 3rd mile of the Cnetua Circuit Embankment No. 22, in the villages of Harisingpore and Konnagore, pargana Barda, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 32 bighas 3 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Ram Tarak Bhuina's land and Madhav Das's land, on the east by embankment, on the south by the lands of Babu Mondal, Haru Mondal and Krittibas Samanta, and on the west by embankment, is required within the aforesaid villages of Harisingpore and Konnagore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Ghatal.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3797.—The 15th August 1908.—The following list of approved text, prize and library books is published for general information :—

List of Books recommended by the Text-Book Committees for the approval of Government.

No.	Name of Book.	Author.	Publisher.	Price sanctioned.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	TEXT-BOOKS.			Rs. a. p.	
	FOR SCHOOLS ADOPTING THE NEW SCHEME OF VERNACULAR EDUCATION.				
	LITERATURE AND GRAMMAR.				
	Bengali.				
1	Sahitya-Manjari	Joges Chandra Sastri	.....	0 3 0	
2	Sahitya-Shiksha, Part II ..	Nrisinha Chandra Mukherji.	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	0 6 0	
3	U. P. Sahitya Bodh ...	Ganapati Chakravarty	.....	0 3 0	
4	Upades-ō-Siksha ...	Kshetra Mohan Sen Gupta.	Kedar Nath Bose ...	0 6 0	
	SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS.				
	Bengali.				
1	Byabaharik Jyamiti ō Parimiti.	Gouri Sankar Dey ...	B. Banerji & Co. ...	0 4 0	
2	Sisuranjan Byabaharik Jyamiti ō Parimiti.	Sukharanjan Bose ...	S. C. Bose	0 3 0	
	HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY.				
	Bengali.				
1	Sisubodh Bangalar Itihas, revised.	Kali Prasanna Banerji	Students' Library ...	0 3 0	
2	Banger Itihas, Prachin ō Nutan.	Mahendra Chandra Some and Mahim Chandra Chakravarty.	B. Banerji & Co.	0 3 0	
	Hindi.				
1	U. P. History Reader (*Kaithi*).		Macmillan & Co.	0 3 0	

No.	NAME OF BOOK.	Author.	Publisher.	Price sanctioned.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	TEXT-BOOKS—*contd.*				
	FOR UPPER CLASSES OF HIGH SCHOOLS AND SCHOOLS NOT ADOPTING THE NEW SCHEME OF VERNACULAR EDUCATION.				
	LITERATURE AND GRAMMAR.				
	English.			£ s. d.	
1	Elementary English Grammar through Composition.	J. D. Rose ...	George Bell & Sons...	0 1 0	
2	Aids to the Study and Composition of English	J. C. Nesfield ...	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 4 6	
3	Fables from Æsop and others.—(Supplementary Readers—Intermediate.)	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
4	The Story of Sindbad the Sailor.—(Supplementary Readers—Intermediate.)	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
5	Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves.—(Supplementary Readers—Intermediate.)	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
6	Tanglewood Tales.—(Supplementary Readers—Senior).	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
7	The Adventures of Robinson Crusoe.—(Supplementary Readers—Senior.).	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
8	The Royal Treasury of Story and Song, Book I.—Doors of Gold.	.....	Thomas, Nelson & Sons	0 0 10	
9	The Royal Treasury of Story and Song, Book II.—Fairy Favours.	.....	Ditto ...	0 1 0	
10	The Royal Treasury of Story and Song, Book III.—Hall of Heroes.	.....	Ditto ..	0 1 3	
11	Three Lays of Ancient Rome.—(Supplementary Readers, No XVIII.)	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
				Rs. A. P.	
12	An Easy Grammar ...	Jogindra Nath Banerji	S. K. Nath and G. C. Nath.	0 4 0	
13	English Poetry for Indian Boys.	J. N. Fraser ...	Longmans, Green & Co.	0 4 0	

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1	2	3	4	5	6
	TEXT-BOOKS—*contd.*			Rs. A. P.	
	FOR UPPER CLASSES OF HIGH SCHOOLS AND SCHOOLS NOT ADOPTING THE NEW SCHEME OF VERNACULAR EDUCATION—*contd.*				
	LITERATURE AND GRAMMAR—*concld.*				
	English—concld.				
14	The Third Term in Teaching English	J. N. Fraser ...	Longmans, Green & Co.	0 3 0	
15	Lower Middle Girls' Reader.	M. B. Hill ...	Indian Press, Allahabad.	0 8 0	
16	The National English Reader, Book IV—Revised.	Lily Soward ...	The National Publishing House.	0 12 0	
17	Life and Light Readers, Part II—Revised.	An Emeritus Head Master.	Bhattacharyya & Sons	0 6 0	
18	Moral Lessons—Revised	Ditto ...	B. Banerji & Co. ...	0 6 0	
	Sanskrit.				
1	Sabdaratnamala ...	M. C. Satakopachariar	.....	0 3 0	
	Nagri.				
1	Hindi Vyakaran ...	Ganga Prasad ...	Indian Press, Allahabad.	0 3 0	
2	Hindusthani Map Vidya	Ram Nath Chatterji	Ditto ...	0 8 0	
3	Achhi Baten, Part I ...	Rai Saligram Bahadur	.....	0 0 6	
4	Krishi Vidya, Part I ...	J. B. Fuller ...	Indian Press, Allahabad	0 2 6	Text and Library only
	Urdu.				
1	Piari Sahaili ...	Saiyed Rashidun Nabi	.....	0 8 0	
2	Agriculture Book, Part I	J. B. Fuller ...	Indian Press, Allahabad	0 2 6	Text and Library only
	SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS.				
	English.			£ s. d.	
1	Arithmetic for Schools ...	J. B. Lock and V. M. Turnbull.	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 4 6	

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	TEXT-BOOKS—*concld.*				
	FOR UPPER CLASSES OF HIGH SCHOOLS AND SCHOOLS NOT ADOPTING THE NEW SCHEME OF VERNACULAR EDUCATION—*concld.*				
	History and Geography.				
	English.			£. s. d.	
1	A Junior History of England.	E. Nixon ...	George Bell & Sons	0 1 6	
				Rs. A. P.	
2	A Brief View of Indian History, Ancient and Modern.	Dwijendra Nath Neogi	Hare Press ...	1 4 0	
3	An Easy History of India for Beginners.	Kailas Chandra Manna	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	0 8 0	
4	Geographical Series for India, Book II.—The World—with fuller treatment of India.	.....	Longmans, Green & Co.	1 8 0	
5	Geography of the Indian Empire.—(Geographical Series for India.)	.....	Ditto ...	0 6 0	
	Urdu.				
1	Geography ki Pahli Kitab	S. A. Hill ...	Indian Press, Allahabad.	0 3 0	
2	Geography ki Doosri Kitab	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	0 4 0	
3	Geography ki Tisri Kitab	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	0 8 0	
	PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS.				
	Literature and Grammar.				
	English.			£ s. d.	
1	Old Christmas.—(Supplementary Readers.)	Washington Irving...	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 0 6	
2	Macaulay's Essay on Warren Hastings.	Edited by H. M. Buller.	Ditto ...	0 1 3	
3	Knowledge is Power ...	Philip Gibbs ...	E. Arnold.—Longmans, Green & Co.	0 3 6	

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	PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS—*contd.*				
	LITERATURE AND GRAMMAR —*contd.*				
	English—contd.			£. s. d.	
4	Shakespeare's "The Tempest."—(Supplementary Readers.)	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 0 6	
5	Shakespeare's "King Lear."—(Supplementary Readers.)	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 6	
6	Shakespeare's "Julius Cæsar."—(Supplementary Readers.)	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 6	
7	The Girls' Book of Poetry, Part I.—Junior.	. ....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
8	The Girls' Book of Poetry, Part II.—Intermediate.	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
9	The Girls' Book of Poetry, Part III.—Senior.	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
10	Fairy Tales, I.—(Supplementary Readers—Junior.)	.....	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
11	Fairy Tales, II.—(Supplementary Readers—Junior.)	.....	Ditto ..	0 0 4	
12	Tales from Anderson.—(Supplementary Readers—Junior.)	.. ...	Ditto ...	0 0 4	
3	Kingsley's "The Heroes"	Edited by L. H. Pond	George Bell & Sons	0 1 0	
4	Hawthorne's "Wonder-book and Tanglewood Tales."	Edited by H. Hampshire.	Ditto ...	0 1 0	
5	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland.—(Supplementary Readers.)	L. Carroll ...	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 0 6	Library only.
6	Through the Looking Glass (Supplementary Readers.)	Do.	Ditto ...	0 0 6	Ditto.
	Chaucer's Nun's Priest's Tale.	Edited by A. W. Pollard.	Ditto ...	0 1 6	Ditto.
	The Age of Antonines ...	Edited by J. H. Fowler.	Ditto ...	0 1 0	Ditto.
	Seventeenth Century Prose	Edited by E. Lee ...	Ditto ...	0 1 0	Ditto.

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	PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS—*contd.*				
	Literature and Grammar —*concld.*				
	English—concld.			£. s. d.	
20	Life and Labour in India	A. Yusuf Ali ...	John Murray ...	0 12 0	Library only.
21	Child Life in our Schools	M. A. Brown ...	G. Philip & Son, Ltd. —Longmans, Green & Co.	0 3 6	Ditto.
22	The Class Teaching of English Composition.	.....	Longmans, Green & Co.	0 2 0	Ditto.
23	The Teaching of English Poetry.	J. N. Fraser ...	Ditto ...	Rs. a. p. 0 6 0	Ditto.
24	The Third Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	0 3 0	Ditto.
25	Indian Kindergarten ...	C. L. Gillingham ..	Ditto ...	1 0 0	Ditto.
26	First English Course ...	Satish Chandra Banerji.	Kali Das Banerji ...	0 6 0	Ditto.
27	A Hand-Book of Translation.	Nrisinha Chandra Mukherji.	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	0 8 0	Ditto.
28	The Great White Queen—(Life of Queen Victoria).	Pitt Bonerji ...	.....	0 3 0	Ditto.
29	The First Book of Grammar and Composition.	T. C. Paul ...	Brajendra Narayan De.	0 6 0	Ditto.
30	English Translation of "Svarnalata."	Dakshina Charan Roy	Sanyal & Co. ...	3 0 0	Ditto.
31	English Translation of Sadi's "Karima".	Adya Prasad Misra	.....	0 4 0	Prize only. Muhammadans.
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1	Hitopadesa of Pandit Narayana.	Edited by G. V. Aiyer and M. C. Satakopachariar.	.....	0 10 0	
2	Harshacharitasara ...	Edited by M. C. Satakopachariar.	.....	0 4 0	
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1	Kindergarten Prabes ...	Rasik Lal Das ...	K. N. Bhattacharyya	0 8 0	Library only.
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	English.			£ s. d.	
1	A Health Reader, Book II	C. E. Shelly and E. Stenhouse.	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 1 4	
2	New Geometry Papers ...	R. Deakin ...	Ditto ...	0 1 0	Library only.
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3	First Book on Agriculture	C. Benson ...	Ditto ...	0 7 0	Ditto.
4	The Indian Mensuration...	Ram Nath Chatterji...	Indian Press, Allahabad.	0 6 0	Ditto.
	Bengali.				
1	Sahaj Zemindari, Mahajani ō Bazar Hisab.	Nrisinha Chandra Mukherji.	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	0 4 0	Ditto.
	History.				
	English.			£ s. d.	
1	Highways of History, Book I.	.....	Thomas Nelson & Sons	0 0 10	
2	Highways of History, Book II.	.....	Ditto ...	0 1 0	
3	Highways of History, Book III.	.....	Ditto ...	0 1 3	
4	Highroads of History, Book IV.	.....	Ditto ...	0 1 6	
5	Highroads of History, Book V.	.....	Ditto ...	0 1 8	
	Urdu Books.			Rs. A. P.	
1	Agriculture Book, Part I	J. B. Fuller ...	Indian Press, Allahabad.	0 2 6	Text and Library only.
2	Urdu Amos Jadid, Part I	Md. Wali Haider ...	.....	0 4 0	
3	Urdu Political Economy...	Guffar Hossain ...	.....	0 8 0	

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	PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS—*concld.*			Rs. A. P.	
	Urdu Books—*concld.*				
4	Uruj	Lala Devi Dayal ...	.....	0 8 0	
5	Meeladun Nabi ...	Mohibbul Huq ...	.....	0 8 0	For Muhamma only.
	Nagri Books.				
1	Bhasha-Sarsangraha, Part I	Nagri Pracharini Sabha, Benares.	Indian Press, Allahabad.	0 7 0	
2	Ditto, Part II	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	0 7 0	
3	Niti-Batika	Lala Sita Ram ...	Koushal Kishore ...	0 8 0	
4	Tarka Shastra ...	Parmanand ...	Nagri Pracharini Sabha, Arrah.	0 6 0	
5	Rashayan Shastra ...	Annada Behari ...	Ditto ...	0 10 0	
6	Upadesh Ratnavali ...	Janaki Prasad Ojha...	.....	0 4 0	
7	Sanskrit Kaviyon ka Samay Niroopan.	Sarju Prasad Misra ...	Khadga Vilas Press, Bankipur.	1 8 0	
8	Hindi Siddhanta Prakash	.....	Nagri Pracharini Sabha, Arrah.	0 8 0	
9	Shristi Tattwa ...	Sakal Narayan Pande	Ditto ...	0 1 0	
10	Khagole Bijnan ...	Jainendra Kishore Agrabal.	Ditto ...	0 2 0	
11	Sangraha Siromani ...	.....	Indian Press, Allahabad.	0 8 0	
12	Gyan Darpan, Part II—(Kaithi).	Narayan Lal ...	. ...	0 1 6	Prize only.
13	Gyan Darpan, Part IV—(Kaithi).	Ditto ...	.....	0 1 6	Ditto.
14	Khelouna	Rasik Lal Datta ...	Indian Press, Allahabad.	0 5 0	Ditto.
15	Upadesh Ratnamala ...	Peman Pande ...	.....	0 1 6	Ditto.
16	Mohamudgurah ...	Srimant Sankaracharyya:	.....	0 4 0	Ditto.
17	Dharmapradarshini ...	Narmadeswar Prasad Sinha.	Sri Venkateshwar Press, Bombay.	1 0 0	Library only.
18	Krishi Vidya, Part I ...	J. B. Fuller ...	Indian Press, Allahabad.	0 2 6	Text and Library on

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	Literature.			Rs. A. P.	
	Bengali.				
1	Siksha, Part II ...	Isan Chandra Ghose and Gangadhar Banerji.	A. K. Ray & Co. ...	0 6 0	
2	Nitipath, Part I ...	Jagad Bandhu Modak	Sanskrit Press Depository.	0 3 0	
3	Ditto, Part II ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	0 6 0	
4	Charuprasanga ...	Pares Nath Mahalanabis.	Popular Library, Dacca	0 3 0	
5	Pathmala	Ramani Mohan Ghose	.....	0 3 0	
6	Sahitya Kusum ...	Tarini Charan Basu Chaudhury.	.....	0 3 0	
7	Sangraha Kusum, Part II	Iswar Chandra Chatterji.	Bhattacharyya & Sons	0 3 0	
8	Siksha Prabes ...	Jogindra Nath Sarkar	City Book Society ..	0 3 0	
9	Adarsa Path ...	Jogindra Nath Basu.	Ditto ...	0 3 0	
10	Navapath, Part II ...	Kali Krishna Bhattacharyya.	A. K. Ray & Co. ...	0 3 0	
11	Pathmala ...	Bidhu Bhusan Mukherji.	Navabibhakar Press	0 3 0	
12	Nitimukul	Ram Dayal Chatterji	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	0 3 0	
13	Sahitya Kusum, Part II	Mati Lal Chakravarty	.....	0 3 0	
14	Sahitya Manjari ...	Hari Prasad Chatterji	B. L. Chakravarty ...	0 3 0	
15	Jnanmala, Part III ...	Sasadhar Sen ...	Students' Library ...	0 6 0	
16	Bibidha Path ...	Nakari Ghosh ...	B. C. Ghosh ...	0 6 0	
	Urdu.				
1	Intikhab-i-Habib, Part III	Muhammad Habibullah	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 7 0	
2	Talim-ul-Atfal Jadid, Part I.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	0 3 0	
	Science and Mathematics.				
	Bengali.				
	M. V. Science Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 7 0	
	Patiganitsar	Sarada Prasanna Das	.....	0 10 0	

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1	2	3	4	5	6
	Science and Mathematics—*concld.*			Rs. a. p.	
	Bengali—concld.				
3	Patiganit, (U. P. and M. V.)	Ambica Charan Bose and Kedar Nath Basu.	Kedar Nath Basu ...	0 8 0	
4	Saral Patiganit, Part II ...	Jadab Chandra Chakravarty.	Sanyal & Co. ...	0 8 0	
5	Euclider Jyamiti, Book I	Nrisinha Chandra Mukherji.	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	0 4 0	
6	Jyamiti, Book I ...	Sarada Ranjan Ray...	Kedar Nath Basu ...	0 4 0	
7	Jyamitisar	Kunja Bihari Das Gupta.	City Book Society ...	0 4 0	
8	Jyamiti Bikas ...	Mohan Chand Basak	Students' Library ...	0 4 0	
9	Byabaharik Jyamiti-ō-Parimiti (U. P.).	Kedar Nath Datta ...	Sanyal & Co. ...	0 2 0	
10	Sahaj Parimiti-ō-Byabaharik Jyamiti, (U. P.)	Nrisinha Chandra Mukherji.	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	0 4 0	
	Nagri.				
1	Arithmetic, Parts II and III.	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 10 0	
2	Euclid, Book I ...	.....	Ditto ...	0 4 0	
3	Practical Geometry and Mensuration, (U. P. and M. V.)	.....	Ditto ...	0 4 0	
	History.				
	Bengali.				
1	Prathamsiksha Bangalar Itihas.	Raj Krishna Mukherji.	Hare Press ...	0 3 0	
2	Bangadeser Aitihasik Prasanga.	Hara Nath Bose ...	Students' Library ...	0 3 0	
	Nagri.				
1	M. V. History Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	0 4 0	
2	U. P. History Reader ...	.....	Ditto ...	0 3 0	
	Urdu.				
1	M. V. History Reader ...	.....	Ditto ...	0 4 0	
2	U. P. History Reader ...	.....	Ditto ...	0 3 0	

REGISTRATION.

No. 3820.—The 13th August 1908.—Babu Shachis Chandra Chatarji, Sub-Registrar, Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, is transferred to Kalna, in the district of Burdwan.

Murshidabad.
Burdwan.

No. 3822.—The 13th August 1908.—Babu Bir Singh Ray, Sub-Registrar, Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, is transferred to Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad.

Burdwan.
Murshidabad.

No. 3824.—The 13th August 1908.—Babu Lakshmi Narayan Pathak, Sub-Registrar, Patashpur, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the date on which he may be relieved.

Midnapore.

No. 3829.—The 14th August 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Nasir Khan, Sub-Registrar, Godda, in the district of Sonthal Parganas, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-seven days, and combined with it extraordinary leave without allowances, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for five months and ten days, with effect from the 19th May 1908.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3831.—The 14th August 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Sahab-ud-din Khan, Sub-Deputy Collector, Godda, in the district of Sonthal Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of that place, with effect from the noon of the 18th to the 26th May 1908.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3833.—The 14th August 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Asghar Kuli, Probationer, Bankipore, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Godda, in the district of Sonthal Parganas, with effect from the 27th May 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

Patna.
Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3846.—The 14th August 1908.—Babu Chuni Lal Sil, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kajlagarh, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the forenoon of the 29th June 1908.

Burdwan.
Midnapore.

No. 3871.—The 17th August 1908.—Babu Benod Bihari Sen, Probationer, Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Habra, in the district of 24-Parganas, with effect from the afternoon of the 2nd May 1908, during the absence, on deputation, of the permanent incumbent or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 3880.—The 17th August 1908.—Kumar Ramendra Lala Mitra, District Sub-Registrar, under orders of transfer to Jessore, is granted leave on medical certificate for one month and twenty-five days, in continuation of the combined leave already granted to him under the orders of the 6th April 1908.

Jessore.

No. 3882.—The 17th August 1908.—Kumar Ramendra Lala Mitra, District Sub-Registrar, Jessore, is granted furlough for six months, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Jessore.

No. 3884.—The 17th August 1908.—Maulvi Sattar Baksh, District Sub-Registrar, Ranchi, is appointed to act as District Sub-Registrar of Jessore, during the absence, on leave, of Kumar Ramendra Lala Mitra, or until further orders.

Ranchi.
Jessore.

No. 3886.—The 17th August 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Kasim Ali, Khan, Sub-Registrar, Daltonganj, in the district of Palamau, is appointed to act as District Sub-Registrar of Ranchi.

Palamau.
Ranchi.

No. 3888.—The 17th August 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Kaim, Sub-Registrar Jehanabad, Gaya, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar, Daltonganj in the district of Palamau.

Gaya.
Palamau.

No. 3890.—The 17th August 1908.—Babu Bhagaban Das, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Gaya, is posted temporarily to Jehanabad, in that district.

Gaya.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 600S.R.—The 15th August 1908.—Babu Akshay Kumar Sur, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Babu Girish Chandra Dutt, and, under section 40 of Act II of 1886, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Murshidabad.

No. 624-O.—The 15th August 1908.—Mr. C. C. Lincoln, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Shahabad, is granted pivilege leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 433-O., dated the 30th June 1908.

Shahabad.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1522Medl.—The 15th August 1908.—Captain G. J. Houghton, R.A.M.C., in charge of the Station Hospital, Barrackpore, is appointed to have charge of the Civil Medical duties of that station in addition to his own duties, with effect from the forenoon of the 4th August 1908, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel L. T. Nash, R.A.M.C.

24-Parganas.

No. 1538Medl.—The 15th August 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. Grainger, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of Hazaribagh, on deputation, is appointed to be Civil Surgeon of Muzaffarpur, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. M. Green, I.M.S., transferred to the Medical College, Calcutta, as Professor, of Midwifery and Obstetric Physician and Surgeon, Eden Hospital.

Hazaribagh.
Muzaffarpur.

No. 1540Medl.—The 15th August 1908.—Major B. H. Deare, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of Champaran, at present officiating as Civil Surgeon of Hazaribagh, is confirmed in the latter appointment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel T. Grainger, I.M.S., transferred.

Champaran.
Hazaribagh.

No. 1542Medl.—The 15th August 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Jordan, I.M.S., Officiating Police Surgeon and Professor of Medical Jurisprudence, Medical College, Calcutta, is appointed to be Civil Surgeon of Champaran, *vice* Major B. H. Deare, I.M.S., transferred, but will continue to act in his present appointment until further orders.

Calcutta.
Champaran.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5476A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5189A.—The 12th August 1908.—Babu Kanti Chandra Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, now employed as Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge, Bhagalpur, is appointed to act, up to the 24th September 1908, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Bankura.

Bhagalpur.
Bankura.

POWERS.

No. 5405A.—The 17th August 1908.—Mr. Saiyid Hasan, Munsif of Monghyr, in the district of Bhagalpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50 within the local limits of the Monghyr Munsifi.

Bhagalpur.

No. 5435A.—The 18th August 1908.—Maulvi Mirza Shegufta Bakht, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Hooghly.

No. 5451A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, Munsif of Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50 within the local limits of the Bagerhat Munsifi.

Khulna.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2807J.—The 17th August 1908.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz., for the Sendra siding, which takes off the Damuda branch near mile 173, and for such portion of the Kankanee siding as lies between its junction with the Sendra siding, and the boundary which divides the taking of the Sendra Coal Company, Limited, from the Kankanee taking of the Eastern Coal Company, Limited, and whereas coal mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Sendra Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seam known as No. 15 seam, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Sendra Coal Company, Limited, have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Manbhum.

Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act, XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Sendra Coal Company, Limited, in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.—

(*a*) No gallery shall be driven, where the distance from the natural surface to the top of the gallery, if driven, is not 50 feet.

(*b*) Where the distance from the natural surface to the top of the gallery, if driven, is between 50 feet and 200 feet, galleries may be driven 12 feet high by 12 feet wide with 50 feet centres, leaving pillars 38 feet square to be left unworked for the support of the acquired land.

(*c*) Where the distance from the natural surface to the top of the gallery, if driven, exceeds 200 feet, galleries may be driven 12 feet high by 12 feet wide with 60 feet centres, leaving pillars 48 feet square to be left unworked for the support of the acquired land.

(*d*) Manholes not exceeding 6 feet high by 3 feet wide by 4 feet deep may be made where required by any rules made under the Indian Mines Act, 1901.

(*e*) These restrictions apply to No. 15 seam only and to the area edged with pink on the plan L.A.M.A. No. 101, and the Sendra Coal Company, Limited, shall give notice, under section IV of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of their intention to work any other seam under the above area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land, and that in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L.A.M.A. No. 101 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 14th August 1908.

No. 153.—Mr. H. C. Vieyra, Assistant Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the office of the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, to the Third Calcutta Division.

M. J. SCORIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th August 1908.

No. 156.—Mr. W. G. Melvin, Temporary Engineer under Covenant, passed the Colloquial examination in Hindustani on 14th August 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 17th August 1908.

No. 93Marine.—Mr. G. F. Thorpe, Senior Master Pilot, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave on medical certificate for two months.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 17th August 1908.

No. 94Marine.—Mr. C. C. Collingwood, Branch Pilot, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave on medical certificate for two months and sixteen days.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th August 1908.

No. 154.—Babu Surja Kanta Chatarji, Overseer, first grade, Sambalpur Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for three months, with effect from 5th July 1908, or such subsequent date as he may have availed himself of it.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th August 1908.

No. 155.—The following promotion is made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment, with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from.	Nature of promotion.	Division in which employed.
Datta, Upendra Nath	Overseer, first grade.	Supervisor, second grade.	19th July 1908	Permanent ...	Gandak.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5477A.

No. 5205A.—The 13th August 1908.—Babu Jagannath Prasad Patnaik, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Sambalpur, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances for twenty days, under article 339 (2) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th July 1908.

Sambalpur.

No. 5407A.—The 17th August 1908.—Babu Surendra Narayan Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jessore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

Jessore.
24-Parganas.

No. 5409A.—The 17th August 1908.—Babu Tarak Chandra Gangali, Sub-Deputy Collector, Ulubaria, Howrah, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Birbhum district.

Howrah.
Birbhum.

No. 5411A.—The 17th August 1908.—Mr. Jamini Mohan Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is transferred to the Ulubaria subdivision of the Howrah district.

Birbhum.
Howrah.

No. 5433A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Surendra Narayan Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, under orders of transfer to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

24-Parganas.

No. 5446A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Nishi Kanta Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st July 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, up to the 28th September 1908.

Ranchi.

No. 5449A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Tarini Prasad Barma, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sarau, was employed at the head-quarters station of the Shahabad district, from the 16th to the 19th April 1908, both days inclusive.

Saran.
Shahabad.

No. 5453A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Orissa Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Balasore district.

Balasore.

No. 5467A.—The 18th August 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Srimohan Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Burdwan, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

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No. 5469A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Brajasundar Mardaraj, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kendrapara, Cuttack, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Cuttack.

No. 5471A.—The 18th August 1908.—Babu Uma Charan Das, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jajpur, Cuttack, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Cuttack.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU NITYANANDA GHOSH, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Puri Treasury and been authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries under Rule 3, Section V, page 114 of the Board's Rules of 1902.

A. B. MAITRA, for *Collector*.

PURI COLLECTORATE, *the 6th August 1908.*

BABU MADHUB LAL, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of this District Treasury, with effect from the 10th instant, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

H. D. CAREY,
Deputy Commissioner, Singhbhum.

CHAIBASSA, *the 11th August 1908.*

BABU MANMATHA SEN, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Sambalpur District Treasury from the 4th August 1908, *vice* Babu Mathura Nath Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.

He is authorized to draw bills from other treasuries from that date.

E. V. LEVINGE, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 13th August 1908.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 28th July 1908.—Babu Satindra Nath Sarkar, B.A., is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of 24-Parganas and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 1st August 1908.

The 11th August 1908.—Maulvi Abdul Quader, B.A., is appointed, on probation for one year, to be Assistant Head Master of the Jessore Zilla School, and substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment, *vice* Maulvi Lutfar Rahman, resigned.

This cancels the orders of the 4th August 1908, appointing Babu Uma Pada Sen Gupta, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Nadia, temporarily to be Assistant Head Master of the Jessore Zilla School, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service.

Maulvi Muhammad Yakub, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Nadia, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th August 1908.

Babu Ananta Kumar Sen is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Nadia, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Yakub, on leave.

The 12th August 1908.—In partial modification of the orders of the 24th July 1908, Maulvi Amjad Ali is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Nadia, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 40 a month, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nilmani Mukerjea, or until further orders.

Maulvi Ekramul Huq, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Murshidabad Nawab's High School, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave without allowances, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and-a-half from the 10th August 1908.

Babu Bramhapada Das, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Murshidabad Nawab's High School, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Ekramul Huq.

The 15th August 1908.—Maulvi Izad Buksh, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jessore (class VI), was absent on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for seven days from the 20th July 1908.

Babu Ashutosh Ganguli, B.A., Head Clerk, Office of the Inspectress of Schools, Presidency, Burdwan and Orissa Divisions (substantively *pro tempore* in class VII), having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 8th August 1908, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 4th June 1908, of which he availed himself from the 8th of the same month, is cancelled.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 3910B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Banksnall Street, on Tuesday, the 1st September 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Total	...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 16th September 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 16th September 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 13th October 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November ,, ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December ,, ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	5,850	5,850	11,700

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1908.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held on the 25th July 1908 in Ward 1 of the Puri Municipality, Babu Jagannath Mahapatra was duly elected as a Commissioner in the place of Babu Bhagirathi Patnaik, deceased.

E. V. LEVINGE, *Commissioner of the Orissa Divn.*

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 11th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Municipal Dispensary at Revilganj, in the district of Saran:—

1. Babu Ashutosh Mukharji.
2. The Civil Surgeon of Saran.
3. Mr. F. C. Laurie.
4. Babu Hanooman Prosad
5. ,, Ajodhya Prosad
6. Maulvi Abdul Hamid.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Additional Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 12th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Dhanbaid, in the district of Manbhum :—

1. Subdivisional Officer, Dhanbaid ... *Ex-officio Chairman of the Committee.*
2. Medical Officer employed by the Indian Mining Association at Jheria. } *Ex-officio.*
3. Munsif at Dhanbaid ... ... }
4. Raja Durga Prosad Singh of Jheria.
5. C. F. Adams, Esq., Inspector of Mines.
6. Harley Cyril Veasey, Esq.
7. John Angles Henry Savi, Esq.
8. Babu Manmatha Nath Gupta, Sub-Registrar, Dhanbaid.
9. „ Jatindra Chaldra Mallik, B.L., pleader.

GANGA GOVINDA GUPTA, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 14th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Unions of Krishnagunge and Muragacha, in the Sadar subdivision, Poradah, in the Kushtia subdivision, and Chuadanga, in the Chuadanga subdivision of the district of Nadia :—

Name of Union.	No. of group.	Name of village comprised in each group.	Name of member.
Krishnagunge ...	I ...	Bhajanghat ...	Aukhoy Chandra Ghattack.
	II ...	Tungi ...	Punchanund Biswas.
	III ...	Krishnagunge ...	Dwarka Nath Dutta.
	IV ...	Pabakhali.	
		Khantura ...	Abilash Dutta.
		Shibnibash ...	Tofezuddin Molla.
		Kristopur.	
	V ...	Majdia ...	Nanda Lal Bhaduri.
		Railbazar.	
	VI ...	Goari.	
		Dewanerber ...	Shama Charan Rano.
		Adityapur.	
Muragatcha ...	I ...	Muragatcha ...	Gokul Chandra Ganguli.
		Gacha ...	Anukul Chandra Mukherji.
	II ...	Dharmadaha ...	Chandra Bhusan Mukherji.
		Kanchkuli ...	Bisto Chandra Bhattacharji.
		Dohokulla ...	Nobin Chandra Bannerji.
		Adampota.	
		Khandua.	
		Lohagachi.	
	III ...	Gotepara ...	Nibaran Chandra Rai.
		Nakashipore.	
	IV ...	Tentulbaria.	
		Billogram ...	Behari Lal Singh.
		Raghunathpur.	
		Gopalpur.	
	V ...	Kasia Danga.	
		Karkaria ...	Nolinakhay Roy.
		Sudhakarpur ...	Kanti Bhusan Bhattacharj.
		Jagannathpur.	
		Chandanpur.	

Name of Union.	No. of group.	Name of village comprised in each group.	Name of member.
Poradah ...	I ...	Katdah ...	Hari Nath Sarkar.
	II ...	Sarupdaha ...	Beni Madhab Singha.
	III ...	Chitla ...	Mahomed Azuban Ali Khondkar.
	IV ...	Ahmedpur Belgatchi. ...	Kamuddin Biswas.
	V ...	Bharal Khaercharu. ...	Aftabuddin Biswas.
	VI ...	Poradah. Kamardanga ...	Indir Pramanick.
	VII ...	Teghoti. Sugundi Baliashisa. ...	Arjan Mullik.
Chuadanga ...	I ...	Chuadanga ...	Munshi Abdur Rahim Mullick. Munshi Munsurali Mullick.
	II ...	Doulatdari. Hatikata ...	Munshi Fuzla Rahaman Sordar.
	III ...	Sumurdia ..	Mati Lal Biswas.
		Buzrukgarguri ...	Surja Kumar Mozumdar.
	IV ...	Taltala ...	Munshi Golam Rabani Biswas.
		Satgari. Kulchara.	
	V ...	Nunnagar. Belgatchi ...	Munshi Abbasali Biswas.
		Jafarpur. Thakurpur.	

This supersedes all previous notifications on the subject.

J. G. CUMMING, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 13th August 1908.*

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The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

EXAMINATION.

Simla, the 13th August 1908.

No. 304.—The following amendment to the rules regarding the Proficiency Examination in Urdu, contained in the Home Department Notification No. 632, dated the 20th December 1907, is published for general information.

To rule V add the following paragraph:—

In addition to the quarterly examinations mentioned above, the Secretary to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, will conduct two examinations annually at Lucknow and two at Lahore, in March and October. The exact dates of the examinations and the places at which they will be held will be notified to intending candidates on application to the Board of Examiners.

Candidates desirous of appearing at the examinations to be held in October next will be permitted to submit their applications up to the 31st August.

SANITARY.

The 10th August 1908.

No. 1822.—The notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 486, dated the 28th February 1901 (as amended by notifications No. 1560, dated the 16th August 1901, and No. 1711, dated the 18th July 1902), prohibiting under section 2, sub-section (*1*) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1907), the bringing, taking, sending or consigning of soiled linen, used bedding, (except when carried as the personal baggage of travellers), rags and waste paper from certain specified areas into or through any other part of India to which the provisions of the said Act extend or have been applied, is hereby cancelled.

JUDICIAL.

The 13th August 1908.

No. 1048.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Woodroffe having been granted furlough from the 8th November 1908 to the 31st August 1909, both days inclusive, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 104), section 7, to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ryves, Barrister-at-Law, at present acting as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to act as a Judge of the said Court, during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Woodroffe, or until further orders.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

24-Parganas. *No. 1313M.—The 12th August 1908.*—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. D. Mudie to be a Commissioner of the Bhatpara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. D. Gibb, resigned.

Patna. *No. 1317L.S.-G.—The 13th August 1908.*—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Barh Local Board, in the district of Patna, under section 29 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Jyotish Chandra Sen to be their Chairman, *vice* Mr. R. E. Jack, resigned.

Midnapore. *No. 1323M.—The 15th August 1908.*—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in exercise of the power vested in him by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in compliance with an application made under that section by the Commissioners of the Ghatal Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, to extend the provisions of sections 251A, 251B, 251C, 251D and 277 of the said Act to the said Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary with in one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Nadia. *No. 1325M.—The 15th August 1908.*—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, of Babu Bidhu Bhushan Chakrabatti to be their Chairman, *vice* Babu Basanta Kumar Chatarji, deceased.

Monghyr. *No. 1331M.—The 14th August 1908.*—Whereas a notification No. 348T.M., dated the 10th June 1908, was published at page 83, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, II of 1891, to the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 1, clause 3 of the Act, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the provisions of the said Act to the above Municipality with effect from the date of this notification.

2. Under section 61, clause 1 of the Act, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints the Commissioners of the Jamalpur Municipality and their Chairman to perform the duties imposed and to exercise the powers conferred by the Act on the Commissioners and the Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

Municipal Bye-election Notice.

A VACANCY having occurred in the representation of Ward No. 19 by the resignation of Dr. Sagor Lal Palit of his seat as Municipal Commissioner, it is hereby notified that under section 62 and section 53 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, a bye-election will be held on Saturday, the 12th September 1908, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 6 P.M. at 3, Convent Road, Entally (Municipal Workshops). The voters of the Ward have to elect on that date a Commissioner for their Ward for the residue of the term of the office (up to 31st March 1909) of the said Commissioner, resigned.

Intending candidates should sent in their nomination papers to the Chairman not less than fourteen days before the day fixed for election as required by Rule 2 of Schedule V of Act III (B.C.) of 1899.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 14th August 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY 1909.

1. The next Vernacular Mastership Examination for Bengal will be held on the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 11th, and 12th of January 1909.

2. The examination will be held at the Training Schools at Calcutta and Hooghly, and at the Church Missionary Society's Training School, Krishnagar.

3. *Bonâ-fide* teachers who have passed the necessary preliminary examinations, will be admitted to the examination on payment of a fee of Re. 1, which must be sent to the Head Master of the Training School at which the candidate desires to be examined on or before the 7th November 1908.

4. These candidates will be examined in all the subjects prescribed for students of Training Schools, information about which will be furnished by the Head Masters of those schools on application.

Teachers who passed the Vernacular Mastership Examinations in the old course, may be examined in any or all of the following newly-revised groups of subjects for the Vernacular Mastership Examination :—

Elementary Science.
Drawing and Practical Geometry.
Art of Teaching and Kindergarten.
Manual work and Drill.

Teachers who hold first-grade certificates awarded under the old course, must take the examination which is prescribed in these subjects for candidates for first-grade certificates; similarly teachers who hold second-grade certificates under the old course, must take the examination which is prescribed in these subjects for candidates for second-grade certificates.

5. Lists of examinees, whether students of Training Schools or *bonâ-fide* teachers, must be submitted by Head Masters of Training Schools direct to the undersigned, so as to reach him on or before 9th November 1908 The fees received from *bonâ-fide* teachers must also be sent to the Treasury, and the *chalans* sent to this office along with the applications.

6. The current session of Training Schools will as a special case end on the 31st January 1909, and the new session will begin on the 1st February 1909. Students of the 2nd-year classes who get stipends, will accordingly get their stipends up to the 31st January 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 17th August 1908.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops:—

Carpenters'; Blacksmiths';	Fitters'; Turners';	Machine, and Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 13th July 1907.

F. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA will deliver his next lecture on English Constitutional History at the Senate House, College Square, on Friday, the 21st August 1908, at 5-30 P.M.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 17th August 1908.

G. C. MUKHARJI,
Offg. Registrar.

ERRATUM.

IN the result of the 4th grade Accountantship Examination, published in Part IC, page 245 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd July 1908, *for* "T. Amaji Rao (105)" *read* "T. Annaji Rao."

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR,
The 12th August 1908.

P. BRÜHL.
Professor in charge.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Birbhum, will be put up to sale at the Birbhum Collectorate, on Friday, the 4th September 1908, corresponding with 19th Bhadra 1315 B. S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs.	
349	Jalkar Hat Ikra, pargana Alinagore ...	.....	3	
761	Jalkar Gonutia, pargana Ichhapukhuria ...	186 acres	10	

Birbhum Collector's Office, the 21th July 1908.

FAZL-EL-HUQ, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along th brick-field near Adra-Midnapur-Jharia Extension, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be pu up to sale at 12 noon, on Thursday, the 24th September 1908, corresponding with the 8th Aswin 1315 Fusli, a Raghunathpur Dak Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railwa boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the su deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissione confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Pargana Banchas, mauza Digtila.	346 and 347	South of the Railway line.	25 12 10	8 1 35·71	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along th Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'cloc on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 6th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railwa boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the su deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commission confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Jharria.	174½ in sheet No. 4.	West of the Railway line.	8 5 10	2·74	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jheria Coal line, siding No. 1, Messrs. Khanga & Co., Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile in which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Barugarha.	130 to 131, sheet No. 5.	South and north side of the Railway line.	9 3 11·50	3 0 5·87	.....	.....	...	
2	Ditto ...	Jharria pargana, Gopalichak mauza.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7 12 13	2 2 4·13	.....	.....	...	
		Total ...	.....	.....	16 16 8·50	5 2 10				

Land Acquisition Office, Manbhum, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jealgora siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 22nd September 1908, corresponding with the 6th Aswin 1315 Fush, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Bhuiandari.	177½	South of the railway line.	7 7 0	2·43	.....	.....	...	
		Total ...	.....	.....	7 7 0	2·43				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, village Paddogora.	Between miles 135-137.	On the north side of the Railway line.	12 15 5	4 1 1	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 8·77	3 1 27	A plot 100×100' required for pump-house, etc.,	0 0 37	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Muchiarah.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...	.....	.....	24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Ladna.	176½ sheet No. 6.	West of the Railway line	0 16 16	0·58		
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, mauza Paldiadih.	Ditto ...	East of the Railway line.	2 16 9	0·92		
	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	176½, sheet No. 7.	Ditto ...	3 11 7	1·18		
		Total ...						

H. COUPLAND, Dy Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

OTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Saturday, the 22nd August 8, at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate ount is kept for that share.

ızi	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3	Chacher, ph. Behea ...	1,713 9 8	.....	The share to be sold is 5 annas 4 pies. The ijmali shares will also be sold, other shares are excluded from the sale.	Tirbeni Prosad Singh and others.	571 3 2	...	342 15 1
5	Amaon, ph. Chainpur	11,261 13 8	.....	The share of Khata I to be sold is—	Nanak Chand ...	1,878 4 9		471 7 2
				Ismailpur ... . As 3 Amaon ... . 3 Amarha ... ... 3 Anantpur-Khilopur ... ... 3 Baheri ... ... 3 Piparia ... ... 3 Bhadansa .. ... 3 Nari .. .. 3 Pipra Sakarmar ... . 3 Pakarihar ... . 3 Jamurul ... ... 3 Chak Kalanudi *alias* Chakea ... . 3 Chintamanpur .. ... 3 Dasauti ... ... 3 Dowane .. .. 3 Dandwawirán ... ... 3 Rampur bareju ... ... 3 Sahebahe ... ... 3 Sardaur ... ... 3 Siribara ... ... Bagchhara ... ... Milki ... ... Nibi ... ... 3 Rajpur .. .. Bharuhia .. .. Mohamadpur ... . Saraila .. .. 3 Saraidharhand ... ... 3 Dandwa dakhli ... ... 3 Fakhrabad ... ... Sikandarpur ... . 3 Sikara ... ... 3 Karausi ... ... 3 Kundwa .. .. 3 Kharsaunda .. .. 3 Mehea .. .. 3 Nanauhja ... ... 3 Dighi ... ... 3 Lahopakar ... ... 3 and Khatas 14, 24, 39, 40, 45, 70, 77, 96 and 98 will also be sold, other shares are excluded from the sale.				
	Sikthee, ph. Chousa...	634 6 9	Whole ...	...	Sheodhar Prosad ...	...	48 6 9	.....
	Kusi, ph. Danwar ...	1,596 0 0	.....	The residuary share to be sold is 12 annas. Other shares are excluded from sale.	Raghupat Pandey and others.	1,197 0 0	.....	87 8 0
	Tajpur Chamari, ph. Nonaur.	1,275 0 0	Whole ...	.....	B. Hukum Chand ...	.....	1 4 0	.....
	Kanai, ph. Pero ...	960 0 0	.....	The ijmali share to be sold, is 9 annas and other shares are excluded from sale.	B. Rajbahadur and others.	540 0 0	.....	1 11 6
	Jagatpur-Khaira, ph. Sasaram.	696 10 8	Whole ...	.....	Lala Badri Prosad and others.	.....	34 0 8	.....
	Lilari Sarimpur, ph. Sasaram.	1,161 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Mahipal Bahadur Singh.	.....	325 0 5	.....
	Pandepur, ph. Behea	1,003 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ram Sakhi Kuar ...	.....	132 5 0	.....
	Banagopal Chapra, ph. Behea.	633 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Haribar Prashad and others.	.....	61 13 0	.....

rah, the 23rd July 1908.

W. A. MABE, Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of est the district of Cuttack will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 31st August 1908 at 1 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be und that a separate account is kept for that share.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	R
13	Killa Bisunpur ...	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 11a.	Laksmidhar Das and others.	579 15 4	.....	2
17	Killa Chhedra ..	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 2p. 8kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 9p. 12kt.	Jogendra Nath Bose and others.	2,004 7 4	.....	
26	Kt. ta. Sunderpur, ph. Jajpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 1p. 7kt. 7b. 6g. 2kd. 3bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 10p. 12kt. 8b. 13g. 1kd. 1bd.	Sana Dei, wife of Kripa Sindhu Jhampula Singh, and others.	1,031 14 0	.....	8
33	Ta. Konkora, ph. do.	801 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ch. Narsingh Charan Mahapatra.	.....	400 11 7	
35	Kt. ta. Rantrapur, ph. do.	...	.....	Kt. 13a. 9p. 3kt. 7b. 16g. 1kd. comprised in all the mauzas and shares of mauzas excluding 8a. in ma. Bampura which represents an interest of 2a. 2p. 16kt. 8b. 3g. 3kd. of the mahal.	Ram Krista Bose ...	1,301 4 0	.....	
58	Kt. ta. Naharapur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 3p. 16kt. 13b. 15g. 3bd. of the mahal excluding 10a. 5p. 3kt. 2b. 4g. 3kd. 1bd. represented by 12a. of ma. Rana, 8a. of ma. Kapasipatna, 1a. of ma. Bidyadharpur Samil Kapasi, 16a. of ma. Kapasi, 9a. of ma. Digraj Samil Khalzaria, Kapileswar, 16a. of ma. Kapileswar Samil Rana, 1a. of ma. Badyarajpur Samil Bidyadharpur, 13a. 4p. of ma. Balipasi. 12a. 9p. 12kt. of ma. Sridharpur. 9a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Tipura, 1a. of ma. Sohada, 15a. 7p. 4kt of ma. Itra, ma. Banpur, Badyarajpur, Siraipur, Beparibramhapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeswar, Khalzaria, Barbati, Erbank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukdeipur, Bhatsahi and Taranadan and 16a. of ma. Naharapur, 6a. 9p. of ma. Bara Balipara, Arjunpur, Saito, Dovabil and Samsundarpur, 8a. 4p. 10kt. of ma. Sasalapur. 10a. 9p. 12kt. of ma. Hirapur, 8a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Gopaldehuri and 16a. of ma. Utaipur, Kothsahi, Nayagobindpur, Nakhuapal, Badhaipal and Gardia, 12a. of ma. Kakharudihi, 9a. of ma. Andatola, 8p. of ma. Ranbajpur, 10a. 8p. of ma. Solaparbi, 9a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Sarisudha, 15a. 9kt. of ma. Ranigora, 12a. 4p. 17kt. 12b. 16g. of ma. Kodandpur, 13a. 9kt. of ma. Indas Nos. 1 and 2, Debidwar and Khalgaria, 11a. 10p. 4kt. 8p. of ma. Ranigarh. 12a. 4p. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area 29'30, 12a. of ma. Somanpur 8a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area '47, 8a. of ma. Trilochanpur Nos. 1 and 2, Jalpur and Jalhara, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Hirapur, 6a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Salkhumbi, Basudebpur and Bokhanpur.	Gopal Charan Mahanti.	1,933 3	..	1,8
58/46	Kt. ta. ditto, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. 6p. 12kt. 9b 1kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in ma. Banpur, Badyarajpur, Siraipur, Beparibramhapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeswar Khazaria, Barabati, Erbank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukdeiti entire, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Kodandpur excluding 13a. 8p. 7kt. 6b. 19g. 2kd. 1bd. which represents 16a. of all other mas. and remaining share of the above mauza.	Chandramani Panda and others.	913 1 0	...	1
59	Kt. ta. Kalimoghs, ph. do	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 10p. 4kt. 2b. 1g. 1kd comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 3a. 1p. 15kt. 13b. 11g. 3kd. represented by 1a. of ma. Panasa, 7a. of ma. Bhatsahi, 1a. 3p. 15kt. of ma. Ichhapur.	Ram Krista Bose and others.	1,285 5 0	.....	2
65	Kt. ta. Bhimkarpur, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 11a. 5p. 5kt. 10b. 2g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas except 4a. 1p. 13kt. 5b. 6g. 2kd. 2kt. in ma. Santapur, Ranjit, and Mahamalia, 7a. 3p. in ma. Belampur, Sudgobinda, Akhandaleswar, Arai Haripur and Paikola, 3a. 7p. 10kt. of ma. Kusagram, Balipokhari and Champamarai Nos. 1 and 3, 9a. 11p. 5kt. in ma. Chainpur, 3a. 3p. in ma. Jogeswarpur, 12a. 1p. in ma. Dasa Abatar, total representing 4a. 6p. 11kt. 5b. 17g. 2kd. of the mahal.	Kangan Dinabandhu Bullarsingh Mahapatra and others.	527 11 0	.....	9
423	Ta. Mirpur, ph. Tismia.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 8p. 5kt, 10b. 7g. 2kd. 1bd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 5a. 3p. 14kt. 5b. 8g. 1kd, 3bd. represented by 16a. of ma. Singhipur Tantura, Markandpur Suand, Karuna, Buda Barpal, Sarbara, Baniapal, Baniapal samil Lenkasahi and Singhipursamil Jari.	Brojasundar Das ..	1,151 8 0	.....	1,0

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	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Ta. Mirpur, ph. Tisunia.		.....	Kt. 3a. 7p. 17kt. 15b. 1g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in ma. Singpur, Tuntura, Markandpur, Suand, Karuna and Bodu, Singpur Sumil Jari entire, 3a. in ma. Baniapal and Baniapal Sumil Lenkasahi excluding 12a. 4p. 2kt. 18g. 1kd. represented by all other mauzas and the remaining shares of the above mauzas.	Gourang Charan Das	1,341 4 0	.....	459 2 0
Ta. ditto, ph. ditto ...	...		Kt. 1a. 7p. 16kt. 6b. 5g. 2kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in ma. Badpal and Sarbara entire, 13a. in ma. Baniapal and Baniapal Sumil Lenkasahi excluding 14a. 4p. 3kt. 9b 14c. 1kd. 1bd. represented by all other mauzas and the remaining shares of the above mauzas.	Rama Chandra Das.	738 13 0		184 4 0
Kt. ma. Kudarabad ph. Padmapur.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 7p. 9kt. 12b. 10g. 3kd. 3bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 2a. 4p. 10kt. 3b. 9g. 1bd. represented by ma. Sankhpur entire, 11a in ma. Ramchandrapur, 11a. 3p. 10kt. in ma. Tilda, Ramkrishtapur, Jagulaipara and Mohanpur.	Sebendrapada Bandopadhya.	666 14 0		171 13 3
Kt. ta. Jasaraipur, ph. Keramkhana.	823 0 0	Whole	.....	Ch. Badyanath Raigura Manapatra and others.	...	412 0 0	.....
Ta. Narendrapur, ph. Sukna.	6,888 0 0	Do ...		Arnopurna Debya ...	.....	3,444 0 0	.....
Ma. Basudeipur, ph. ditto.	...		Kt. 1a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 2a.	Srimatya Radhamani Dasi, mother and guardian of Akhoy Kumar Ghose, and others.	611 6 0	.....	269 3 9
Ta. Mardo, ph. ditto	978 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Chintamani Mahapatra and others.	.....	488 0 0	.....
Ta. Ramkristapur, ph. Sunghara.	1,2 0 0	Do.	...	Lala Madan Mohan Rai and others.	..	90 3 9	.....
Ta. Raisunghara, ph. ditto.			Kt. 15a. 7p. 1kt. 18b. 6g. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 4p. 18kt. 2b. 14c. represented by ma. Narijang entire.	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	1,512 12 0	.....	675 3 6
Kt. ma. Odas gh, etc., ph. ditto.			Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Choudhury Kruttibas Das and others through their common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Kai.	524 7 0		262 7 6
Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	...	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Ditto ...	548 15 0	.....	274 15 0
Kt. Ekramnagar, ph. ditto.	.....	..	Kt. 13a. 10p. 3kt. 12b. 17g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 2a. 1p. 16kt. 3b. 2g. 2kd. represented by ma Rangura and Kuhunda entire, 7a. 1p. 4kt. in ma. Jansoti and Mirjapur, 2a. in ma. Barigole, Buhalo, Chamarigole, Nunhar, Banahara, Banpali, Patpur, Jignipur, Kulia, Khandgan, Matkatpur, Mahajanpur, Nichintkoli, Rautpati and Riso.	Lalla Reedha Mohan Rai and others.	824 6 0		45 7 9
Ta. Nahang, ph. Sunghara.	504 0 0	Whole ..	.....	Sri Radhamadhab Thakur, Marfat Srimatya Sadhabi Dei.	.....	20 5 11	
D. ma. Madhyatoch, &c., ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Ch. Kurtibas Das and others.	1,321 2 0	.....	
pe Gopalpur, ph. ati.	9,363 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Samant Laksmi Narayan Jagdeb.	...	4,682 0 0	
ne Mahamadabad, do.	.....	... ...	Kt. 15a. 8p. 14kt. 10b. 17g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in all mauzas, excluding 3p. 5kt. 5b. 2g. 1kd. represented by ma. Mahipur, Gangali and Haripur entire.	Babu Balaram Bhramarbar and others.	3,530 12 9	... ...	1,761 0 9
Kristanandpur, Balubisi.	1,581 0 0	Whole	.....	Huran Nisa Bibi and others.	.....	791 6 0	
Kusumpura, ph. o.	5,395 0 0	Do.	.....	Kartik Chandra Rai Chowdhury and others.	.....	2,698 0 0	
Muguria, ph. o.	4,567 13 0	Do.	.....	Ditto ...	.....	2,283 11 0	
Sital, ph. ditto	3,383 12 0	Do.		Ditto ...		1,691 7 5	
Saralpur, ph. o	4,107 0 0	Do.		Lakamidhar Pattanaik.		2,054 3 0	
ma. Kani, &c., Kokakhand.	636 0 0	Do		Taponidhi Ganeswar Bharathi Gosain.		31 14 11	
Bistupur, ph. eshwar.	7,796 0 0	Do.		Srimatya Arnapurna Debya.		3,898 0 0	

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs
1065	Ta. Sridharpur, ph. Asureshwar.	3,183 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Chandramani Dei, grandmother and guardian of Baistab Charan Kanongoi, minor.	.....	200 12 0	
1102	Ta. Gopalpur, ph. ditto.	5,861 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Harihar Das, Sebait, Srigopinath Jew Thakur, through his common manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	5,850 8 3	
1253	Kt. ta. Puran, ph. Karimul.	770 14 7	Do. ...	.....	Ch. Kurtibas Das and others, through their commo manager, Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	375 11 9	
1262	Ma. Pubkuchh, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 11a. 4p. 19kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 4a. 7p. 1kt.	Ditto ...	973 13 0	.....	4
1295	Ma. Jagarnathpur, ph. Kahunda, Jajpur.	2,034 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Ganeswar Das and others.	.....	1,004 15 9	
1302	Ma. Bazapur, &c., ph. ditto.	639 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Jagarnath Santra.	.....	318 8 6	
1315	Kt. ta. Radhakantprasad, ph. Barnân.	1,149 9 0	Do. ...	.....	Chintan Panda and others.	.....	559 1 0	
1456	Ta. Murarpur, ph. Abartak.	964 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Palum Dei, wife of Baishnab Charan Santra and others.	.....	477 0 0	
1470	Ta. Richna, ph. Paina.	1,092 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	546 0 0	
1474	Ta. Radhaprosad, ph. Choudkulat.	2,747 10 4	Do. ...	.....	Babu Hemendra Nath Rai, common manager, estate Bringarpur.	.....	2,746 15 0	
1476	Ta. Gobindprasad, ph. ditto.	7,517 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ba. Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, common manager.	.....	3,758 15 0	
1490	Ta. Narsingprosad, ph. Tikan.	3,244 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	1,622 0 0	
1491	Ma. Sanajari, ph. do.	831 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Srimati Saraswati Jema Dei Mohima.	.....	416 0 0	
1512	Ta. Gobindprosad, ph. ditto.	6,643 1 0	Do. ...	.....	Ba. Baliram Bhramarbar Rai and others.	.....	3,270 15 6	
1656	Ta. Julelo, ph. Saragada.	728 7 6	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Narsing Charan Mahapatra.	.....	364 3 10	
1664	Ta. Dhaneswar, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 10p. 5kt. 5b. 13g. 1c. 1bd. comprised in all the mas. except 15a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Gopalpur, Turando, Tatia *alias* Kantabonia, Mathurapur, Makendpur, Kuanserpur, Padmapokhari, Utarkhaunria, Biridihi, Tulsipur, Pandiapara, Santo, Basada, Adhang, Badapatali, Dala, Kopand, Biramonipur, Chhatrapur, Jahnakana, Talang, Batitanki, Dasagadia, Talari, Tailada, Turang, Alia *alias* Aliha, Ghikoili, Benapur, Santra, Sanapatali, Chilpada, Kharijbantira, Fazilpur, Gobargah, Nigodh, Santabi, Tarukote, Salkana, Brahmanda, Ranasipur *alias* Ranasarpur, Gobindpursasan *alias* Gobindpursan, Khasalpur, Tajpur, Ochinda, Khajuria, Salari *alias* Mulari, Adhaebatia, Nanda *alias* Nahanda and Jahara, 9a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Khatuatikiri, Osala, Hatapur, ph. Matkatabad, Hatapur, Bernapada *alias* Biramanpada, Kodmia, Satpatia, Nagpokhari, Khudo, Dhanteri, Banpal, Bhakundari, Kangranga, Gobindpur and Barunaipada Nos 1 and 2, 15a. 6p. 16kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Kareda, 11a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Baratmana, 15a. 6p. 19kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in mas. Aladajalsarpur and Kantura, 15a. 8p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Jalanda, 15a. 5p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Brahmapur, Kanton, Narendrabhog and kt. 5a. 4p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2c. in ma. Dhaneswar, total representing kt. 14a. 1p. 14kt. 10b. 6g. 2c. 3bd. of the mahal.	Bedyadhar Samant Sing Mahapatra and others.	1,015 3 0	.....	4
1778	Ta. Mahanga, ph. Matkatnagar.	826 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Janardan Prosad Rai and others.	.....	412 1 6	

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
54	Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Matkatnagar.	Rs. A. P.	.....	Kt. 12a. 9p. 5kt. 2b. 19g. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 3a. 2p. 14kt. 13b. 1g. represented by 16a. of ma. Maradu, 4a. of ma. Baharampur and Belpada Makadam Chahapada and Jamupada Hastabud, 2a. 8p. of ma. Gobindpur and 2a. of ma. Khandole and Ranigoda.	Chowdhury Jagernath Santra Mahapatra and others.	Rs. A. P. 1,175 3 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 60 8 4
8	Ma. Umar, ph. ditto	663 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Sunamali Juna Dei and others.	.....	27 5 0	.....
1	Kt. ta. Jafarpur, ph. Matkatahad.	509 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ba. Radhasyam Das Sahait of Sri Radhamohan Thakur.	.....	255 0 0	.....
9	Kt. ta. Cuttack, ph. Cuttackbaluli.	.....	... ..	Kt. 9a. 4p. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a. 8p.	Chowdhury Bijoyram Das and others.	542 9 0	... ..	271 5 0
	Ta. Padmanabhpur, ph. Dimarakhpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 9p. 9kt. 14b. 8g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 10a. 2p. 10kt. 1b. 11g. 1c.	Samanta Lakhmi Narayan Jagadale.	1,820 12 0	.....	1,819 4 6
	Ta. Raghunath, ph. Sailo.	815 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raghunath Pareja ...	.....	108 0 0	.....
	Ta. Chitalpur, ph. do.	828 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	.....	312 2 0	.....
	Ta. Gonesh Prosad, ph. Hariharpur.	1,114 9 5	Do. ...	.....	Gonesh Prosad Bhagat	.....	702 9 2	.....
	Pt Madhyasasan, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 7a. 8p. 8kt. 1b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a. 3p. 10kt. 14b. 1g. 3c.	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	774 13 0	.....	382 15 0
	Kt. ma. Chikima, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 14kt. 7b. 8g. 3c. comprised in all the mas. except 6 pos in ma. Chiklma which represents 4p. 5kt. 8b. 11g. 1c. of the mahal.	Baban Das	782 14 0	.....	170 13 2
	Ma. Sedhal, ph. Khandi.	... ..	.....	Kt. 12a. 4p. 10kt. 10b. 13g. 1c. 2bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 3a. 7p. 9kt. 5b. 6g. 2c. 2bd.	Srimatya Jhumpa Dibya.	554 9 0	.....	87 5 4
	Ta. Puting, ph. Jnankar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a.	Deokali Kusner ...	1,148 0 0	.....	574 0 0
	Ta. Dhaltang, ph. ditto.	1,607 15 0	Whole ..	... ...	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	.....	792 8 7	.....
	Kt. L. B. ta. Janardanpur, ph. Barpala.	1,149 8 0	Do. ...	.....	Chowdhury Kreetibas Das and others.	.....	1,146 9 0	.....
	Kt. ta. Bamabar, ph. Bukhrabad.	2,049 7 0	Do. ...	.....	Narasing Paharaj and others.	.....	989 10 0	.....
	Kt. Kacang, ph. Painda.	.. ..	.....	Kt. 10a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a.	Radha Prosad Bhagat and others.	1,635 10 0	.....	813 5 0
	Ditto, ph. ditto ...	..	.. .	Kt. 6a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 10a.	Ditto ...	981 6 0	.....	491 0 0
	Pa. Gopinathpur, ph. do.	... .	.....	Kt. 8a. 7p. 16kt. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 7a. 4p. 4kt.	Jagannath Santra Mahapatra and others.	509 4 0	.....	253 1 9
	Kt. ta. Niali, ph. Deogan.	.....	.....	Kt. 7a. 10p. 13kt. 11b. 3c. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a. 1p. 6kt. 4b. 16g. 1c.	Choudhury Balkrusta Das and others.	863 9 0	.....	339 12 6
	Ia. Amarpada, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 8p. 9kt. 8b. 2c. 1c. 1bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 2a. 3p. 17kt. 7b. 17g. 3c. 3bd.	Nimai Charan Mitra and others.	982 3 0	.....	30 13 6
	a. Singipur, ph. Kate.	.....	. .	Kt. 2a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a.	Choudhury Jadumoni Das, guardian of Ch. Rajhakti Das, minor and others.	636 10 0	.....	636 10 0
	Ditto ditto ...	.....	... ..	Kt. 2a. 5p. 16kt. 7b. 15g. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 13a. 6p. 3kt. 8b. 5g.	Choudhury Jogendra Das and others.	791 2 0	.....	395 10 0
	t. Madhab, ph. Kate.	2,669 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sri Gopinath Deb Thakur Sebait Choudhury Krittibas Das and others.	.....	2,669 0 0	.....
	ma. Sunimda, ph. o.	576 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Choudhury Kritibas Das and others.	.....	576 0 0	.....
	. Bhatpada, ph. o.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 15kt. 14b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 4a. 4p. 4kt. 2b.	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	568 4 0	.....	245 12 8

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		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	R
2767	Kt. ta. Noda, ph. Benahar.	629 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	.....	261 5 3	
2768	Kt. ta. Debi, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 4p. 1kt. 13b. 2g. 1c. 2bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a. 11p. 18kt. 2b. 17g. 2c. 3bd.	Kasinath Kanungoe and others.	633 6 0	.....	2
2771	Ta. Narsingpur, ph. do.	685 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Udoyanath Das and others.	.....	257 6 0	
2782	Ma. Sangrampur, ph. do.	723 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Lakhmidhor Das and others.	.....	361 6 3	
2784	Ta. Haripur, ph. do.	771 2 4	Do. ...	.....	Sricharan Patnaik ...	.....	382 8 0	
2802	Kt. ta. Lakhmidhar, ph. do.	2,862 5 11	Do. ..	.....	Lakhmidhar Das and others.	.....	638 7 5	
2807	Ta. Achhutpur, ph. Kornia.	796 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Birakisore Mahanti and others.	.....	371 9 3	
2816	Ta. Saibir, ph. Saibir	.....	.....	Kt. 3a. 8p. 6kt. 13b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 12a. 3p. 13kt. 2b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Kreetibas Das and others.	5,258 10 0	.....	2,6
2816/1	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 11p 18kt. 2b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 1kt. 14b.	Choudhury Bijiram Das.	2,836 10 0	.....	1,4
2816/2	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt 1a. 4p. 18kt. 7b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 7p. 1kt. 9b.	Choudhury Harihar Das.	2,008 0 0	.....	9
2816/3	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Kulamoni Das.	1,329 12 0	.....	6
2816/4	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Dasarathi Das.	1,585 4 0	.....	7
2816/5	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Radhakrisn Das.	1,585 4 0	.....	7
2816/6	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 14kt. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 11p. 5kt. 15b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Nilamoni Das.	1,506 15 0	.....	7
2816/7	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 9p 17kt. 12b. 1g. 1c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 2p. 2kt. 3b. 18g. 3c.	Choudhury Murtanjay Das.	1,173 5 0	.....	5
2816/8	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 10p. 10kt. 15b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 1p. 9kt. 1b.	Choudhury Padmanabh Das.	1,251 8 0	.....	6
2816/9	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Narahari Das.	1,329 10 0	.....	6
2816/10	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Joiram Das.	1,585 3 0	.....	7
2816/11	Ta. ditto, ditto ...	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1c.	Choudhury Ghanasyum Das.	1,329 10 0	.....	6
2822	Kt. ta. Dalbad, ph. Sujanager.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 4p. 11kt. 8b. 7g. 2c. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 1a. 7p. 8kt. 7b. 12g. 2c.	Choudhury Harihar Das.	560 14 0	.....	2
2823	Ta. Branch, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Ta. 13a. 5p. 11kt. 14b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 1a. 6p. 14kt. 4b. 6g.	Raghunath Parija ...	922 6 0	.....	4
2824	Ta. Utaharan, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 5p. 9kt. 6b. 4g. 2c. comprised in all the mas. of the estate excluding 5a. 6p. 10kt. 6b. 15g. 2c., represented by 5a. 10p. 11kt. 5b. 14g. 1c. 2bd. of ma. Damodarpur and 5a. 6p. 3kt. 14g. 1c. 2bd. in all other mas. of the estate.	Ditto ...	897 2 0	.....	4
3019	Kt. ta. Sayedpur, ph. Sujabad.	629 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, common manager.	.....	313 15 6	
3020	Ma. Sithalo, ph. Deogan.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 10b. 11kt. 4b. 5g. ½bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 5a. 1p. 8kt. 11b. 14g. 3c. 3½bd.	Choudhury Kreetibas Das and others.	597 10 0	.....	2
3073	Thana Alamgir, ph. Alti.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 6kt. 11bd. 13g. 2c. 1bd. comprised in all other mas. of the estate except ma. Patnia and Hatimanda centre which represents 3a. 11p. 13kt. 4b. 6g. 1c. 3bd. of the mahal.	Surendra Nath Rai...	1,293 7 0	.....	5
3195/4	Kt. ta. Birtole, ph. Jhankar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 8a.	Deokali Kunear ...	1,411 6 0	.....	7

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Kt. ta. Korkara, ph. Jajpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 4p. 15kt. 5b. 6g. 1c. 2bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. except 2a. 10p. 10kt. of ma. Udaypur which represents 7p. 4kt. 10b. 13g. 2c. 2d. of the mahal.	Choudhury Dibya Sing Mahapatra and others.	920 8 10	.....	298 1 5
Ta. Kasaba, ph. Ahias.	.....	.....	Kt. 6a. 1p. 1kt. in each of the mas. of the state excluding 9a. 10p. 19kt.	Nilmadhab Parhi and others.	1,011 13 0	.....	635 13 11
Ta. ditto, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 4a. 6p. 6b. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 11a. 5p. 19kt. 10b.	Sheikh Saheb Jan and others.	718 5 0	.....	372 6 0
Ma. Damodarpur, ph. do.	628 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Sheikh Latifar Roheman Ahemad Mian and others.	.....	397 5 6	.....
Ma. Jari, pn. Dobgram.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 6p. 9kt. 7g. 2c. 3bd. comprised in all the mas. except 1a. 8p. 15kt. 8n. 3g. 1c. in ma. Champapal, Falpur, Hansanabad, Koraipaharajpur, Nimaro and Tina, 1a. 8p. 1kt. 15b. 15g. 3c. in ma. Chhotegari and 2a. 7p. 19kt. 4b. 12g. 1c. in ma. Jari which represents kt. 2a. 5p. 10kt. 15b. 12g. 1c. 1bd. of the mahal.	Balamoni Panda ...	3329 14 0	.....	1,580 4 6
Ma. do., ph. ditto	1,541 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jaganath Samal ...	.....	755 6 1	.....
Ma. do., ph. ditto	897 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Parasuram Samal ...	.....	279 0 0	.....
Ta. Alkundo, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 11p. 9kt. 5b. 13g. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 6a. 10kt. 10b. 7g represented by 8a. 9p. 9kt. of ma. Bitana, 3a. 5p. 9kt. of ma. Barapada, 7a. 3p. of ma. Haladidihi, 7a. 9c. 9kt. of ma. Purasotampur, Babchandrapur, Jhinkiri and Bunaipur, 5a. 1p. 9kt. of ma. Pirtipur Behari, Kertaltbindha, Samudihi and Sunda.	Mani Charan Samal and others.	795 2 0	.....	504 15 6
Kt. ma. Sandihi, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. 4p. 1bd. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 7a. 7p. 19kt. 15b. 19g. 3c. 3bd.	Babu Doyanidhi Panda.	569 4 0	.....	178 12 0
Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	...	Kt 12a. 9p. 10kt. 8b. 1g. compresed in all the mas. of the mahal excluding 3a. 2p. 9kt. 7b. 19g. represented by 16a. of ma. Katiksta, Barapada, Nagpur, Ramachandrapur, Jhinkir, Bitana, Kapila, Raghunathpur, Kamalpur, Damodarpur, Similia, and Narua and 1a. 10c. of ma. Samdihi and 4a. of ma. Singpur.	Krusta Charan Panda	611 0 0	.....	248 0 0
Ta. Ijapur, ph. Katia	1,462 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Sheikh Makbul Roheman Ahemad.	.....	1,370 8 0	.....
Ma. Kuans, ph. do.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 11p. 2kt. 9b. 18g. 2c. 1bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mas. excluding 17kt. 6b. 1g. 1c. 3bd. represented by 2p. 12kt. of ma. Tarangasagarpur.	Siba Prosad Mahanti and others.	561 12 0	.....	154 14 0
Kt. ta. Itna, ph. Kokakhand.	531 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Durga Charan Choudhury.	.....	149 6 6	
Ta. Purusotampur, ph. Saraswati.	1,218 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Dinabandhu Mal and others.	.....	609 0 0	
Ma. Brajasundar, ph. Kodinda.	694 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Brajasundar Patjosi	.....	346 12 4	
Kt. ta. Udyanath, ph. Benahar.	1,325 10 4	Do. ...	.....	Udyanath Das and others.	.....	661 4 8	
Kt. ta. Narahari, ph. ditto.	1,030 11 7	Do. ...	.....	Krusta Charan Das and others.	.....	514 2 8	

Cuttack, the 22nd July 1908.

A. GARRETT, Collector.

Notification of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859 [read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868], that the undermentioned tenures or shares of tenures in estate Kothdesh, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of district on the 7th September 1908 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Name of tenure mahal, and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole tenure.		Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		Remarks
	Rent.	Cess.				Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	
Sarato Sason ...	Rs. 636	Rs. A. P. 37 9 3	Whole ...	.....	Chowdhury Chandrasekhar Das and others.	.....		Rs. A. P. 223 9 3	Rs. A. P. 13 2 4	.....		

Puri Collectorate, the 4th August 1908.

A. B. MAITRA, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated alo the Bettiah-Bagaha Railway, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Saturday, the 17 October 1908, corresponding with the 8th Kartik 1316 Fusli at the Narkatiganj Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railw fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposite If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as or or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelle the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of t defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Boa confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Hardia, pargana Majhowa.	23	South ...	7 14 4	2 2 8	.....	.....	...	*North*—Railway land of Bettia Bagaha Extension. *East*—Ditto ditto. *South*—Rup Kaun, Parth Nath Misra, Nara Tewari and Sh Behari Missir. *West*—Sami Behari Missir.
2	Ditto ...	Mauza Shikarpur, pargana Majhowa.	23	Do. ...	2 8 6	0 3 8	.....	.....	...	*North*—Railway land. *East*—Ditto. *South*—Sathi Factory land. *West*—Railway land.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along t Patahi Branch of the Dhaka Canal, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Tuesda the 13th October 1908, corresponding with the 4th Kartik 1316 Fusli, at the Chainpur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railwa fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, a if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, th sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaultin purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Boar confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Malconia, pargana Semrown.	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 0 8	.....	.....	.....	*East*—Patahi Branch, Dha Canal. *North*—Motia Diversion. *West*—Mango tope of Chetha Singh, Janki Sing Rajkumar Singh a Sheo Nandan *South*— Ditto ditto.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 7th September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
951	Tajpore, pargana Bal ...	1,024 14 4	.....	Ijarali Tajpore, 10as. 8p. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mussamat Tetara Kuer, mother and guardian of Radha Kishun Prasad and others.	683 4 3	... .	59 4 6
2131	Hasanpur Kutlupur Rampur or Hasanpur Kutlupur Rampur Sudawa, pargana Dangsi.	624 5 1	Entire ...	... .	Mussamat Rani Ram Kawal Kuer and others.	... ..	59 10 1	.....
2170	Niyamatpur or Niyamatpur Bhatauli, pargana Dangsi.	2,000 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Babu Haribar Inder Sahi *alias* Hira Sahib and others.	.....	218 9 9	.....

Chapra, the 8th August 1908.

MOHAMMAD SADIQ, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23 d September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
17	Kagas, pargana Morreswar sabek.	17,182 13 0	.....	Residuary share :— 8 ganda 3 cora 5 canti share of mauza Amdahara chuk, Alalbandi, Ishalpur, Ishanpur *alias* Ishakpur, Uttarmath chuk, Ekuti, Kolyanpur, Kagas, Kartiegunge, Katipur, Kuchuighata, Kusumjatra kismat, Kusaipur, Krishnapur, Khatiepur, Khagra chuk, Khirna, Chandpur, Jamkola, Jalla, Jhikardaha chuk, Thakurgram chuk kismat, Tikardaha, ilpara chuk, Dari-baje-jami-baje-apti, Dhobagaon chuk, Dhabajol, Nawapara, Nanas chuk, Nuisha, Paikpara, Parnaen, Pinshala, Rahara chuk, Belia, Bipra-salgora, Buicha chuk, Bhagabatipur, Moydipur, Malbaty, Mahabatpur chuk, Mohidipur chuk, Mohespur, Maligaon chuk, Metary, Rasulgunj, Rajballav chuk, Rupadihi, Salgorya, Sibpur, Solamath, Harikora, Harispur, Hazrapur and 3 anna 3 cara 1 kranti share of mauzas Bansra and Bahadurgunj excepting separate account Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Asu Tosh Mukerjee and others.	719 15 2	.....	194 14 10

Birbhum Collectorate, the 10th August 1908.

R. A. N. SINGH, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of esta in the district of Purnea will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd Septem 1908 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be underst that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is sold, t arrears from i
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
38 Rs	Pargana Kankjole, pargana Kankjole.	Rs. A. P. 19,913 7 0	No ...	9 annas. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rudra Nand Thakur, Tirtha Nand Thakur, Kobda Nand Thakur, Daya Nand Thakur, Pirthi Chand Lal, Janakkishori Thakurani, Janardon Prosad and Durga Prosad Thakurs.	Rs. A. P. 11,201 5 0	Rs. A. P. ...	Rs. 508 1
1284	Ashja, pargana Ashja	4,642 10 7	Yes, 16 annas.	.....	Gira Nand Thakur, Gaja Nand Thakur, B. Janardon Prosad Thakur, Mostt. Janakkishori Thakurani, Rudra Nanda Thakur, Kobda Nand Thakur and Daya Nand Thakur.	...	450 8 7	...
1298	Tira Khardah, pargana Tira Khardah.	2,413 12 0½	Ditto ...	.....	B. Kamla Nand Singh and B. Kalika Nand Singh.	...	235 15 8	...

Purnea Collectorate, the 11th August 1908. S. K. MUKHARJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of est in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th Septem 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be underst that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is sold, t arrears from t
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Permanently-settled estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.
336	Bisthazari, pargana Bisthazari.	61,809 11 0	...	Ijmali	Baijnath Goenka and others.	4,313 4 0	...	3,299
336	Ditto ...	61,809 11 0	...	S. A. 1-3 of Isa Khan, *etc.*	Jaimangal Singh and others.	605 1 0	...	78
336	Ditto ...	61,809 11 0	...	1. Talsahursa ... ... 8 5 2. Achari ... ... 8 5 3. Bhaswana ... ... 8 5 4. Khokana ... ... 8 5 5. Boria Bandh ... 8 5 6. Jamoon ... ... 8 5 7. Amrakh Nim-Nawada. 7 14 8. Bardokuar Orain 3 12½ S. A. 1-5 of Beni Singh and others. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Girwardhari Lal and others.	1,249 11 0	...	4,161
339	Rasulpur Bhatowni, pargana Pharkia.	910 15 0	...	12 annas ijmali share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mosst. Anupwati and others.	854 0 0	...	51
315	Sibanwan Qarari, pargana Malki.	1,130 7 0	...	Ijmali	Kali Prasad Singh and others.	587 15 0	...	78
4262	Taluqa Ram Nathpur Panjkah Nau Anna and Bishenpur Permanandpur Terah Nau Anna, pargana Manjidpur.	2,790 8 0	...	3a. 2k. 1c. 2kt. 2dt. 16rn. 1p. ijmali share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosst. Bibi Sayida and Bibi Halahi under the guardianship of Bibi Kaisa and others.	544 6 0	...	107
				Temporarily-settled estate.				
9497	Rahatpur, Arazi Rahatpur, pargana Malki (Rahatpur Register D).	623 10 0	...	13a. 15g. 6c. 8b. as per S. A. record. Ijmali. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ghanshyam Singh and others.	536 9 0	...	26

Monghyr, the 13th August 1908. H. F. SAMMAN, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the siding No. 1, Ghoorkhuntee-Bhowrah Branch, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 26th October 1908, corresponding with the 10th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Jharia pargana, Ghoo-khuntee village.	Miles 3 and 4 of the Bhowra Branch.	South of the railway line.	21 10 1·78	7 0 17·44	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908.

C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Haribarpur-Dhanbaid Section, Gaya-Barakar Project, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Thursday, the 29th October 1908, corresponding with the 13th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbaid Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres.	Land excluded from sale from each plot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Jherria pargana, Dhanbaid village.	At mile 120 of the main line.	South of the main line.	23 0 6	7·61				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908.

C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894, Manbhum.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
271	Taraf Bansi-Badanpur, pargana Laskarpur.	2,246 5 8	Whole estate.	.....	1. Rani Sarna Moyee Debya (proprietress) of Putiya, thana Valukgachi in Rajshahi. 2. Girish Narain Rai (proprietor) of Srimantapur, thana Dewanserai, and others.	.....	Revenue— 4 6 7 Cesses (Maldah)— 35 1 2 39 7 9	.....
397	Rasulpur, pargana Sherpur.	2,516 4 6	.....	5a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. ejmali	Chowdhury Ruzlur Rahim Abul Mostafa of Salar, thana Bharathpur. Chowdhury Ehsanul Huq of Margram, thana Rampurhat in Birbhum, and others.	851 13 9	.....	Revenue— 0 8 6.
561	Char Kantalia, pargana Fatesing.	1,325 0 0	Whole estate.	.....	Dwijendra Narain Rai of Jemua, thana Kandi (proprietor and farmer). Manobendra Narain Ray and others of Bagdanga, thana Kandi, (proprietors and farmers).	.....	Revenue— 73 8 10 Cesses— 6 5 10 79 14 8	.....

Berhampur, the 12th August 1908.

M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
62	Ramjangal, pargana Mandalghat.	19,342 4 9	.....	esiduary share consisting of as. share of the estate.	R. Belchambers, Esq., Administrator, *pendente lite* to the estate of late Babu Gopal Lall Seal of Calcutta.	8,407 4 9	.....	113 11 2
4082	Kalupukuria, pargana Jahanabad.	13,526 1 1	.....	Residuary share consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesna, Ghosepur, Debkhanda, Basantapore, Mamudpore, kt. Joykristopore.	Behari Lall Rai and seven others.	2,253 9 5	.....	141 15 2
4082 B	Ditto ...	13,526 1 1	.....	Separate account marked "B" consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesna, Ghosepore, Debkhanda, Basantapur, Mamudpore, kt. Joykristopore.	Barodasundari Dassi and five others.	2,254 8 0	.....	296 4 5
4085	Sheikpore, pargana Baira.	10,437 9 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of the estate.	Abinash Chandra Ghose.	1,735 2 8	.....	227 2 11
4860	Deara land of Damoder River, mauza Bar Gorchumbuk, pargana Arsha.	522 0 0	16as. share	.....	Suresh Chandra Mukherjee.	.....	522 0 0	.....
4889	Damoder char land, mauza Alipore, pargana Mandalghat.	3,021 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Manik Lall Seal and others of Calcutta.	.....	4,532 0 0	.....

Hooghly Collectorate, the 14th August 1908.

B. DE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in t district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1908 at noon arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood tha separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is be sold, arrears from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
2760	Bharondha, pargana Kutumba.	768 9 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Rampur ... 16 2. Bharondha ... 16 3. Kahuli dakhli Bharondha ... 16 4. Mirzapur ... 16 5. Banahi *alias* Jarahi 16 6. Ratanpura ... 16 7. Parsarmoin ... 16 8. Paras Khajuria ... 8 9. Kandhwa ... 16 10. Sareya ... 16	Raghubans Pratap Singh and others.	639 9 0	.....	3 7
4284	Sughri garandi Wagairah, pargana Pachrukhi.	2,954 6 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Bhadaur ... 16 2. Karions ... 16 3. Thali Khurd ... 16 4. Amhua ... 8	Musst. Ram Koer *alias* Lacho Koer and others.	943 7 0	.....	340 14
4579	Jaipur Dumrawan and Shahar Khas, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, consisting of— As. 1. Deoghar Khap ... 2 2. Basir Khap ... 2	Sayed Nooruddin Ahmad Balkhi.	827 0 0	.....	353 4
4579	Ditto ...	4,898 8 0	.....	Separate account No. I, consisting of— As. P. 1. Jaipur Dumrawn 5 4 2. Bagha Khap ... 5 4 3. Badar Khap ... 5 4 4. Zari Khap ... 5 4 5. Deoghar Khap ... 5 4 6. Ibrahimpur ... 5 4 7. Hardia ... 5 4 8. Kolhua ... 5 4 9. Makhdumpur ... 5 4 10. Sahdeo Khap ... 5 4 11. Basir Khap ... 5 4 12. Alahdadpur *alias* Panoul ... 5 4 13. Ambadih ... 5 4 14. Sugaria ... 5 4 15. Doudpur *alias* Pandoul ... 5 4	Sheikh Nazir Ali and others.	821 15 0	.....	371 3
4758	Tarwan taluqa, pargana Sherghatti.	2,303 5 0	Entire ...	.....	Musst. Bhawani Koer	.....	303 12 0	.....
6940	Adopur, pargana Kabar.	1,198 0 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares to the extent of 10 annas.	Parayag Singh and others.	748 12 0	.....	65 2

Gaya Collectorate, the 15th August 1908. T. S. MACPHERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Jessore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1908 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5075	Bonapole, p. Mulghar.		No ...	Share XI, 2a. 7g. 2c. ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mati Lal Nag and others.	581 6 7		13 15 8

Jessore Collectorate, the 12th August 1908. D. DATTA, *for* Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 19 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share or shares are excluded from the sale.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	2 R. S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Kangonbaria and others.	2,828 3 0	.....	Excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 3½ct., remaining 6a. 5g. 2k. 5½dt. share in all the mauzas except mauzas Chetla and Alipore.	Romanath Burmon ...	738 9 4	.....	46 7 1
2	5-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Laskarpore and others.	8,289 3 0	.....	Excluding 10a. share remaining 6a. share.	Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhri.	3,108 0 11½	.....	258 11 1
3	8-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpia.	3,480 1 0	.....	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,306 11 5½	.....	65 10
4	10	Pargana Magura, kismat Chetla and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry and others.	.....	26 13 10	.....
5	36	Pargana Magura, mauza Dhapamanpore.	741 13 0	Ditto ...	.....	S. M. Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhry.	.....	167 1 4	.....
6	101	Pargana Magura, kismat Shahapore and others.	1,076 3 6	Ditto ...	.....	Kumar Monmotho Nath Mitter.	.....	63 3 9	.....
7	315-11	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Raghunathpore.	10,199 4 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Kali Krishna Chakravarti	716 9 0	.....	134 11 1
8	323 R. S.	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Kantapukuria and others.	1,038 5 9	.....	Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k. 2kt. share, remaining 10a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Roma Prosad Ray Chowdhry and others.	692 3 10	.....	23 1 1
9	326	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Bistoopore and others.	2,443 3 0	.....	Excluding 6a. share, remaining 9a. share.	Jotindra Nath Ray Chowdhry and others.	1,212 2 2½	.....	85 6 1
10	385-9	Pargana Azimabad and others Hudarush Khali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramari.	Kali Krishna Chakravarti ...	1,362 8 7½	.....	142 12 1
11	437	Pargana Panchakoli, Abad Simulberia and others.	530 3 6	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry.	.....	47 8 8	.....

Alipore, the 14th August 1908.

A. MOOKERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1908 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8336	Newri Chaturi Singh, pargana Tarkan.	600 6 3	Entire ..	..	Lalji Lall and others ...	.....	17 0 2	.....
				Temporarily-settled estate.				
11220 / R. S.	Sukwarpur, pargana Hajipur.	2,043 0 0	.....	Residuary share 14a. 12d. 1c. 5b. 13½ph. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	R. Nand Keswar Lall and others.	1,014 1 0	.....	9 6 1

ROWLAND CHANDRA, *for* Collector.

Muzaffarpur, the 4th August 1908.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1908 at 2 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
330	Mahal Durgapore, 2a. 5g. share, ph. Bircool.	1,086 8 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Chowdhurani Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	367 0 2	.....
101	M. Kia, ph. Kurulchore.	503 2 7	Do. ...	...	Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	54 13 0	.....
				Government Khas Mahal.				
898	Aima Harinara, ph. Balarampore.	638 10 0	Entire ...	....	Kisori Mohan Mitra and three others ...	.....	49 8 9	.....

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908. D. WESTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estate in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th Septembe 1908 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.
	Baghaut, pargana Gopalpur.	589 8 3	Whole ...	.....	Mussammat Manjhari Kuer.			

Laheriasarai, the 13th August 1908. DURGA PRASAD, *for* Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale by the Certificate Officer of 24-Parganas at Alipore on the 24th August 1908 in execution of certificate case Nos. 180, 181, 182 and 183 of 1906-07 :—

Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold or only a share.	Name of proprietor of the property to be sold.	REMARKS.
	55 grams, division 2, subdivision 11, holding 56 in mauza Bagmari, Muraripukur Road, No. 37 in thana Maniktolla, 10 bighas 2 cottahs of land including pucca buildings, garden and tank thereon. Bounded on the north by Muraripukur Road, east by Tarak Nath Ghose and others' garden, south Raj Krishna Ganguli's garden, west Tanoo Ostagar's garden.	Rs. A. P. 33 12 6	Whole ...	Srish Chandra and Satish Chandra Bose.	

Alipore, the 27th July 1908. A. MUKHERJI, Certificate Officer.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1908, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1908 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2577	Mehal Legna, ph. Shipore.	2,619 5 3	.....	S. A. No. XXII— Mauza—	Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	1,376 15 6	.....	150 9 8	Revenue— 150 9 8
				A. G. K. KG.					
				Akbarpore ... 10 0 3 0					Road Cess.
				Aulda 7 0 3 0					
				Baranda ... 10 0 3 0					
				Bohalia ... 10 0 3 0					Embankment Cess.
				Brindabanpore ... 7 0 3 0					
				Chaulda 6 1 3 0					
				Dubda 10 0 3 0					
				Dubda Batitaki ... 10 0 3 0					
				Dhusurda 7 0 3 0					
				Gobrachak ... 10 0 3 0					
				Godeichak 7 0 3 0					
				Gopalpore 6 1 3 0					
				Jagulia 10 0 3 0					
				Canongoebar ... 3 10 1 2					
				Kanuprojapati Kist 3 10 1 2					
				Kuarpore 10 0 3 0					
				Kr shapore 10 0 3 0					
				Khanda 10 0 3 0					
				Khuratia 10 0 3 0					
				Khodecool ... 10 0 3 0					
				Madhab Chandra chak 10 0 3 0					
				Loguan 6 1 3 0					
				Panchrol 3 10 1 2					
				Satkhanda 10 0 3 0					
				Shiporebar 10 0 3 0					
				Takapore 10 0 3 0					
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.					

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 11th August 1908.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	a.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,62,50,000	0	
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 1,29,05,670 13 11			
Ditto ditto at Branches ...	,, 1,44,61,645 3 6	2,73,67,316	1	5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		16,62,68,512	5	4
Bank Post Bills, &c		10,61,348	4	5
Sundries		11,60,070	9	1
Rupees ...		23,21,07,247	4	

ASSETS

		Rs.	a.	P.
Government securities		3,39,42,640	0	0
Other authorised investments ...		32,21,649	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities		4,03,68,181	6	1
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto		3,95,74,980	7	9
Bills discounted and purchased ...		2,23,14,972	1	2
Balances with other Banks		11,50,134	12	6
Bullion		4,053	0	0
Dead Stock		16,77,969	8	10
Stamps		15,724	15	0
Sundries		3,02,456	0	6
		14,16,71,851	3	10
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ...	* Rs. 4,18,01,267 10 0			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ...	† ,, 4,56,31,128 6 5	9,04,35,396	0	5
Rupees ...		23,21,07,247	4	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,83,810 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 3,46,740 0 0
,, 5,30,550 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 13th August 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 46·17.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

MEMORANDUM.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	
Government Balance at Head Office	37,01,915	Increase.
Ditto at Branches ...	4,40,000	Do.
Other Deposits	20,95,773	Decrease.
Post Bills	3,33,847	Increase.

ASSETS.

	Rs.	
Bank's Investments	99,84,745	Increase.
Loans	5,34,262	Decrease.
Accounts of Credit	8,81,153	Do.
Mercantile Bills	7,11,717	Increase.
Cash at Head Office	78,04,349	Decrease.
Do. at Branches	9,70,996	Increase.

Percentage 46·17.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 11th August 1908.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, will be sold by public auction on or after the 3rd September 1908 under section 118 of Act III of 1898 :—

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1908.	1908.	SHED No. 1.					
bruary 18	January 31	Carron in a triangle and inverted triangle, D B on top and & Co side.	42	1	Drum (empty) ...	S.S. "Dunera."	
18	February 4	M S P C or $\frac{2612}{-0-}$		1	Iron plate ...	Ditto.	
18	March 3	No mark		2	Iron works (channels)	Ditto.	
18	„ 3	Ditto ...		2	Iron screws ...	Ditto.	
18	„ 5	Ditto ...		1	Bundle round iron bars.	Ditto	
18	February 4	Ditto ...		1	Bundle=5 pieces brass thin pipe.	Ditto.	
18	„ 4	Nil or Cylinder		1	Cask fireclay ...	Ditto.	
18	„ 4	No mark ...		2	Casks of cement (broken and empty).	Ditto.	
18	„ 5	Ditto ...		3	Bags bolts ...	Ditto.	
2	„ 25	Ditto ...		14	Loose=1 bundle buckets	S.S. "Persia."	
23	March 20	No mark	...	1	Cask of iron nuts (broken and empty).	S.S. "Bohemia."	
	21	S M E or S N I E ...			...	S.S. "Werdenfels."	
2	„ 24	No mark	...	1	Bundle plank ..	Ditto.	
20	„ 13	No mark	...	413	Broken pieces fire-bricks.	S.S. "Dalmatia,"	
20	„ 13	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of bolts and nuts.	Ditto.	
	1907.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
ıary 4	December 28	F D in a diamond	...	1	Case	S.S. "Schonfels."	
„ 4	„ 28	A B	...	14	Coils hoop iron ...	Ditto.	
„ 4	„ 28	9361 in a diamond, I O on top ...	...	1	Coil iron wire ...	Ditto.	
	1908.						
„ 16	January 9	No mark	...	2	Copper tubes ...	S.S. "Bavaria."	
„ 16	„ 9	1392 in a diamond, E S on top ...	...	1	Case galvanized screws.	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 9	R C in an inverted triangle, D & Co below.	54	1	Case	Ditto.	

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1908.	1908.	SHED No. 1—*contd.*					
January 24	January 21	N D & Co in a diamond, T T on on top & Co below.	...	1	Do.	S. S. "Jelunga."	
„ 31	„ 29	No mark	...	...	A quantity of woollen thread.	S.S. "Chancellor."	
1907.	1907.						
August 23	August 19	L N D II White or nil	...	19	Bars flat iron ...	S.S. "Hohenfels."	
October 3	October 1	S in a diamond, A B on top & Co below.	1 or 2	1	Truss leather belting	S.S. "Jelunga."	
June 12	June 9	M in a triangle, S below or nil ...	...	1	Case	S.S. "Gutenfels" ...	H. G.
„ 13	„ 9	Elbinger Machine Fabrick F Kommic Elbing or Elbinger Masabinan Fabrick F Kommic.	...	1	Boiler	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 10	F K or E K	...	5	Cases	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 8	Ditto	...	12	Pieces rails ...	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 7	Ditto	...	6	Trollies ...	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 9	No mark	...	1	Packet candles=5 pieces.	Ditto	
„ 13	May 30	E in a triangle	108-111	2	Casks	Ditto.	
1908.	1908.	SHEDS Nos. 2-3.					
February 5	February 5	No mark	...	1	Case clay pipe (broken).	S.S. "Namur."	
„ 15	„ 4	Ditto	...	1	Bag small pill boxes	Ditto.	
„ 15	„ 5	Ditto	...	1	Keg iron nails ...	Ditto.	
„ 20	„ 11	Krieg in a diamond, C below, or Kreig & Co in a diamond.	331 X 3240.	2	Casks beer (broken)	S.S. "City of Delhi."	H. G.
„ 20	„ 14	Nil or diamond, R on top and S below.	...	1	Keg paint (broken and empty).	Ditto.	
„ 20	„ 11	Sank or nil or Tank	...	1	Cask ...	Ditto ...	
„ 25	„ 18	No mark	...	1	Cask merchandise (broken).	S.S. "Rotenfels."	
March 20	March 4	D & S in a diamond	...	1	Case	S.S. "City of Paris."	
„ 20	„ 6	Krieg & Co in a diamond ...	3598, 3661.	2	Casks (empty and light).	Ditto.	
„ 20	„ 12	No mark	...	2	Pieces black cloth ...	Ditto.	
„ 20	„ 6	3727 in a diamond, A Y on top ...	...	4	Loose pipes (broken)	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 16	No mark	...	2	Loose buckets ...	S.S. "Malakand."	
„ 25	„ 16	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose tin plates.	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 16	E. Woodham, Esq. Messrs. Turner, Morrison & Co.	...	1	Parcel ...	Ditto.	
April 3	„ 20	J I C	5, 10	2	Cases	S.S. "Workman."	
„ 3	„ 25	Nil or 964 in a diamond, S F on top, or —„—. S S C	...	1	Cask green copperas	Ditto.	

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1908.	1908.	SHED No. 2-3—*concld.*					
April 3	April 20	R N / B & Co in a triangle, A M on top, E below.	...	1	Bundle or case soap (broken and loose).	S.S. „ Workman."	
„ 3	„ 21	S S C	...	1	Keg phenyle (leaky)	Ditto.	
„ 13	April 6	No mark	...	6	Boxes tin plates ...	S.S. "Statesman."	
„ 20	„ 10	Ditto	...	2	Bundles fish-plates	S.S. "Clan Macalister."	
1907.	1907.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
November 10	November 2	149 in a diamond, B R or R B on top, or nil.	3117	1	Keg nails ...	S.S. "Neidenfels."	
„ 10	„ 2	G / 0989 in a diamond, M L on top, C O below or nil.	...	5	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 10	„ 2	III white or Nil	...	14	Bars angle iron ...	Ditto.	
„ 10	„ 2	No mark	...	7	Casks cement ...	Ditto.	
1908.	1908.						
January 17	January 6	801 in a diamond	3	1	Case	S.S. "Scharzfels."	
1907.	1907.						
September 9	September 4	No mark	...	1	Iron plate ...	S.S. "City of Sparta."	
October 8	October 4	III Red	...	16	Bars angle iron ...	S S. "Stolzenfels."	
1908.	1908.	SHED No. 4.					
February 5	January 27	Messrs. George Henderson & Co.	2071 or 868	1	Parcel ...	S.S. "Trieste."	
„ 6	„ 29	Nil or M H M	...	1	Bag ground nuts (Torn).	S S. "Begonia."	
„ 6	„ 21	Nil or $\frac{A}{C}$ P W	...	1	Cask cement (broken)	Ditto.	
„ 6	„ 30	No mark	...	1	Bundle staves ...	Ditto.	
„ 19	February 10	No mark	...	1	Drum (broken) ...	S.S. "Blackwell."	H. G.
„ 28	„ 19	Ditto	...	2	Piece iron ...	S S. "Comedian."	
„ 28	„ 19	Ditto	...	1	Cask whiting or china clay (broken.)	Ditto.	
March 7	„ 27	A / Calcutta or Nil	...	1	Cask cement (broken)	S.S. "Schwarzenfels."	
„ 7	„ 27	No mark	...	1	Bundle fishplate ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 27	Ditto	..	1	Loose pickaxe ...	S.S. "Counsellor."	
„ 11	„ 27	Ditto	...	1	Loose small tin ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 27	T in a diamond or Nil	...	1	Drum white paint (half empty).	Ditto.	
„ 17	March 10	E L	682 or 628	1	Case books ...	S.S. "Dandonlo."	
„ 20	„ 14	No mark	...	1	Cask (broken and empty).	S.S. "Fulwell"	

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1908.	1908.	SHED No. 4—*concld.*				
March 26	March 19	B D or $\frac{B\ D}{1259}$ or $\frac{-,,-}{1125}$	...	6	Kegs iron nails ..	S.S. "Goldenfels."
26	„ 19	$\frac{37}{90}$ in a triangle, J M on top, or $=\frac{37}{40}=$ or $=\frac{39}{90}=$	41-2	2	Cases	Ditto.
	19	$\frac{37}{116}$	60	1	Case	Ditto.
26	19	K K in a diamond, Rangoon below		1	Cask cement (broken).	Ditto.
	18	L in a diamond, J V on top, T Co below.	25	1	Case (broken). ...	Ditto.
26	„ 18	494 in a triangle, W C on top or Nil.	66277	1	Case empty phials	S.S. "Goldenfels."
26	„ 18	A M in a triangle ... Essabhoy	...	1	Case matches ..	Ditto ... H. G.
1907.	1907.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*				
November 28	November 26	400 in a diamond, Madras below or Nil.	...	2	Kegs	S.S. "Crostafels."
28	12	2331 in a diamond, I or T on top	79-42	4	Cases ..	Ditto.
28	26	No mark ...		7	Bars T iron ...	Ditto.
28	„ 26	Ditto		2	Cases empty phials	Ditto.
December 12	„ 30	Ditto		2	Kegs nails	S.S. "Japan."
1908.						
January 8	December 31	Ditt		8	Casks cement ...	S.S. "Sumatra."
„ 8	„ 27	T C C in a triangle with sign of diamond on top, C & C below or Nil.	...	3	Cases milk ...	Ditto.
1907.						
August 2	July 31	3520 in a diamond, 3521 in a diamond or 3563 in a diamond or 3561 in a diamond.	163-7	1	Package ..	S.S. "Dalmatia."
1908.	1908.	SHED No. 5.				
February 6	January 28	Nil or white	...	1	Bar T. iron ...	S.S. "Assyria."
„ 6	27	Nil or $\frac{A\ S}{25}$ .. .	...	1	Dog kennel ...	Ditto.
„ 18	February 7	Nil or Calcutta		1	Bundle sheet iron...	S.S. "Logician.
„ 18		No mark		1	Packet lead solder	Ditto.
„ 27	17	Kreig & Co	722-688	2	Cases beer	S.S. Sardinia."
„ 27	17	L K S in a cross, L or C below, or Nil.	...	1	Cask	Ditto.
„ 27	17	Sockerating	103	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.

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1908.	1908.	SHED No. 5—*contd.*					
February 27	February 17	Tippuk Debrugarh		1	Case tea lead ...	S.S. "Sardinia."	
	26	D in a diamond, A below ...	...	1	Case (empty) ...	S.S. "Mariana."	
	26	L C in a diamond, or L L in a diamond.	999	1	Box tin plates ...	Ditto.	
4	,,	25 Nil or		1	Cask cement ...	Ditto.	
4	,,	29 Nil or D in a diamond, 2 below		2	Kegs paint ...	Ditto.	
4	,,	27 No mark	...	1	Piece cast-iron pipe	Ditto.	
9	March	2 A K	6890	1	Case ...	S.S. "Moltke-fels."	
9	,,	6 B & H or Nil	...	3	Kegs ...	Ditto.	
9	,,	5 G 0989 in a diamond, M L on top, C O below or —"— —"— in a diamond.	...	1	Keg iron nails (broken).	Ditto.	
		7 1 End Red K C M ...		37	Bars T iron ...	Ditto.	
9	,,	7 No mark	...	48	Bars angle iron ...	Ditto.	
9	,,	7 Ditto	...	67	Bars T iron ...	Ditto.	
9	,,	7 Ditto		30	Bundles square iron	Ditto.	
9	,,	7 Ditto	...	11	Bundles hoop iron...	Ditto.	
9	,,	7 Ditto		1	Bundle T iron ...	Ditto.	
		2 J P D 1244		1	Coil galvanized iron wire.	Ditto.	
9	,,	2 No mark	...	1	Keg iron belts and nuts.	Ditto	
		21 H Ottens Dutch Asiatiche Bank ...	...	1	Case or parcel ...	Ditto.	
9		2 00109 in a diamond ...	...	1	Case	Ditto	H. G.
9		21 No mark	...	1	Cylinder ...	Ditto	H. G.
18		10 G D S M in a diamond, J D on top, S N or Nil.	...	1	Keg paint ...	S.S. "Dilwara."	
18		11 No mark	...	2	Kegs paints ...	Ditto.	
18		10 Ditto	...	1	Roll lead ...	Ditto.	
18		13 Ditto	...	1	Wheel ...	Ditto.	
18	,,	13 Ditto	...	1	Drum (empty) ...	Ditto.	
18	,,	11 Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose milliboard paper.	Ditto.	
18	,,	12 Ditto	...	1	Bag ironnuts ...	Ditto.	

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1908.	1908.	SHED No. 5—*contd.*					
June 23	June 23	No mark		1	Piece iron plate ...	S.S. "Dilwara"	
March 23	March 17	Ditto		1	Loose pipe ...	S.S. "Clan Lamont."	
23		18 Nil or M L		1	Bag	Ditto.	
27		21 120 in a block, 96184 below		1	Package ...	S.S. "Stolzenfels."	
April		27 David & Sons		1	Case	S.S. "Syria."	
13	April 13	L / 5782 in a diamond		1	Drum (empty) ...	S.S. "Mombassa" ...	
13		13 No mark		1	Keg (empty) ...	Ditto. ...	H. G.
13		10 A B / Rivers		1	Keg (broken and empty).	Ditto.	
13		A B & H B or nil		8	Kegs phenyle ...	Ditto.	
13		10 J H or nil		1	Bag	Ditto.	
13		10 M L		1	Bag green grain ...	Ditto.	
13		11 No mark		2	Casks cement ..	Ditto.	
13		Nil or Madras		1	Case (empty) ...	Ditto.	
13		No mark		6	Tins oilman stores ...	Ditto.	
13		Ditto		1	Keg hardware ...	Ditto.	
13	,,	10 Nil or L J		1	Bag groundnuts ...	Ditto.	
		No mark			Bags sweeping cement.	Ditto.	
13	,,	11 Ditto			Drums phenyle (empty).	Ditto.	
13	,,	13 Nil or S E			Zinc tiles ...	Ditto.	
13	,,	20 No mark			A quantity of loose venesta fittings.	Ditto.	
28		24 M L D C or nil			Bundle sheet iron ...	S.S. "Lindenfels."	
28	,,	20 II Red		12	Bars round iron ...	Ditto.	
28	,,	20 Do.			Bundles flat iron ...	Ditto.	
28	,,	16 1 blue or nil		47	Bars round iron ...	Ditto.	
28		24 W W green		17	Bundles square iron	Ditto.	
28		20 Nil or II yellow		149	Bars round iron ...	Ditto.	

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1908.	1908.	SHED No. 5—*concld.*					
ril	April 20	Kehem Ends Red or Kelven Ends Red or Nil...			Bars angle iron ...	S.S. "Lindenfels."	
28	20	No mark			Piece rail ...	Ditto.	
28	20	Nil or X X Red		11	Bars T iron ...	Ditto.	
28	15	No mark			Bags empty bottles	Ditto.	
28	16	Ditto			Kegs iron bolts and nuts.	Ditto.	
28	13	J H			Bags groundnuts .	Ditto.	
28	15	15335 in a diamond, R D on top, or Nil.			Case window glass ..	Ditto.	
28	13	295 in a diamond, S S on top, C below.	6-10		Cases ..	Ditto.	
28	20	No mark			A quantity of loose rosin.	Ditto ...	H. G.
28	20	II Red or Nil		16	Bars flat iron ...	Ditto.	
1907.	1.07.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
vember 6	November 1	A in a triangle, R & Co on top, Rangoon below.			Cask	"S.S. City of Corinth."	
cember 19	December 17	P S A C Dibrugarh or Nil	943		Keg ...	S.S. "Historian.	
tober	October 4	No mark			Pars angle iron	S.S. "Bodlewell."	
1908.	1908.	SHED No. 6.					
rch 17	March 17	Messrs. Khan & Khan			Packages	S.S. "Bengalin."	
1907.	1907.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
tober 10	October 10	Mitsui Bhussan Kaisha, 95, Clive Street.			Packages	S.S. "Soembowa."	
10	10	P G Mitsui			Tin	Ditto.	
10	10	H S C S S			Do.	Ditto.	
tember 7	September 7	W G in a diamond, P G on top,		1	Tin sample of sugar	S.S. "Bengalin."	
7	7	G Mitsui		1	Ditto	Ditto.	
7		G K in a triangle, Ralli 5 below		1	Ditto	Ditto.	
7	7	P G B T C			Ditto	Ditto.	
	7	P G L S C B			Ditto	Ditto.	
7	7	—"— —"— W		1	Ditto	Ditto.	
7	7	P G		1	Ditto	Ditto.	

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1907.	1907.	*Withdrawn from last sale*—concld.					
September 7	September 7	Bhogat Ralli F			Tin sample of sugar	S S. "Bengalin."	
		E D S & Co in a block, P G on top.	...		Ditto ...	Ditto.	
	„	P G B T C A	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
7	„ 7	G K in a triangle, or C in a triangle, G B K T on top.	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
		P S in a circle, The Bombay on top.	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
	7	G K in a triangle, Kalu F below...		1	Ditto .	Ditto.	
	7	P G Ralli F			Ditto ...	Ditto.	
		P G L S C ... A			Ditto ...	Ditto	
	7	Messrs. Ralli Brothers ...	...	1	Case	Ditto	
	7	Messrs. E. D Sassoon & Co .	...	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
1908.	1908.	SHED No. 7.					
February 11	January 28	S S C or nil			Druma phenyle ...	S.S. "Mahratta" ...	H. G.
11	February 6	509 in a diamond, E S on top, or nil.	...	1	Do.	S.S. "Braunfels."	
11	„ 6	12535 in a diamond, K C on top ...	37	1	Keg	Ditto.	
11	„ 6	3207 in a diamond L B G below or sign of a diamond, A Y on top, L B G below.	15-12	2	Kegs	Ditto.	
11	„ 8	No mark	...	2	Coils iron wire ...	Ditto.	
19	„ 6	Ditto	...	1	Keg soda ..	Ditto.	
19	„ 8	Ditto	...	1	Case phials ...	Ditto.	
19	„ 10	1873 in a triangle	4764	1	Case ...	Ditto	
19	February 14	L J or nil	..	2	Bags ground-nuts ...	Ditto.	
19	„ 14	M K [illegible]			Bags seeds ...	Ditto.	
19	„ 14	No mark			Bag seeds ...	S.S. "Braunfe	
19	„ 14	Ditto			Bags do.	Ditto.	
19	„ 13	J J or Nil	...		Bags turmeric	Ditto	
19	„ 5	816 in a diamond, W C on top, 4477 below.	...		Bales paper	Ditto	
„ 19	„ 6	668 in a triangle, W C on top ...	17135		Case ...	Ditto.	
March 2	„ 25	4148 in a block	...		Case window glass (broken).	S.S. "Wildenfels."	
	20	37/83 in a triangle, J M on top ...	27-8		Cases ...	Ditto.	
	21	„ 104	56		Case	Ditto.	

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1908.	1908.	SHED No. 7—*contd.*					
	February 20	85	34	1	Case ...	S.S. "Wildenfels."	
	18	84	36	1	Do.	Ditto.	
	24	No mark ...		1	Package needles	Ditto.	
	24	Ditto		1	Glass globe	Ditto.	
	21	Ditto		1	Bundle planks	Ditto.	
	17	Ditto			Cases wine	Ditto.	
2	17	Ditto		1	Bag sawdust	Ditto.	
2	25	Nil or M L or K L		1	Bag	Ditto.	
2	24	Nil or G M		3	Bags ...	Ditto.	
2	17	R C or R G	28	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
2	21	S in a block, J N side, D on top..	X or 32	1	Tub steel ..	Ditto.	
2	17	821 in a diamond, W R on top ...	9-10	2	Cases ...	Ditto.	
10	March	J A & Co		7	Cases wine ..	S.S. "Somali."	
20		No mark		2	Cast-iron cisterns (broken)	S.S. 'Historian."	
20		K M D in a diamond, or R M D in a diamond, G S on top.		1	Case	Ditto.	
20		13 No mark		1	Bag soda ...	Ditto.	
2		18 J W Rayfield			Case (broken and loose).	S.S. "Simla."	
31		24 6 in a diamond, J T on top ...	130	1	Case	S.S. "Rohilla."	
31		24 M D in a diamond, or M D by 5850 in a diamond, Fort William.	...	1	Do.	Ditto.	
31		23 No mark			Bags groundnuts ...	Ditto.	
31		23 Ditto		12	Pieces small iron flat bar.	Ditto.	
18	April	11 30 in a diamond, B K D & Co. below.	65, 72		Cases	S.S. "Nyanza."	
18		9 K & C			Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
18		11 No mark			Bags cement sweeping.	Ditto.	
18		S in a diamond		1	Cask (empty) ...	Ditto	H. G.
29		18 No mark		6	undles tubes ...	S.S. "Craftsman."	
29		16 Ditto ...	...	...	A small quantity of loose tin plates.	Ditto.	
29		16 196 in a diamond, 98522 below	1 X	2	Cases	Ditto.	
1907.	1907.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
ember 16	November 16	No mark		1	Bundle fishplates ...	S.S. "Bohemia."	
16	16	J C / G or Nil ...		1	Bundle tubes	Ditto.	
28	20	Borjan / Assam or Nil ...		1	Package	S.S "Dilwara."	

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1907.	1907.	SHED No. 7—*concld.*					
November 28	November 20	Craigpark Karimgang in a diamond			Keg paint	S.S. Dilwara."	
28	20	No mark			Cask vinegar ..	Ditto.	
28	21	Ditto			Pieces zinc spelter	Ditto.	
28	20	Cherievelly in a diamond or nil ...			Casks cement ..	Ditto.	
December 7	19	G S C C & Co. or Nil ...		1	Case ..	S.S. "Caledonia."	
	19	H N D & Co. in a triangle, C & B below or Nil.		1	Do.	Ditto.	
	19	S N C in a triangle with the sign of a diamond on top, C & B below.		1	Do.	Ditto.	
	21	T C C in a triangle with the sign of a diamond on top, C & B below or Nil.		3	Cases ...	Ditto.	
4	25	=4723=		1	Keg soda ...	S.S. "Patrician."	
4	25	K L S C in a cross		2	Bags soda	S.S. "Patrician."	
4	25	Ditto		5	Kegs soda	Ditto.	
4	25	No mark		1	Case machinery	Ditto.	
19	December 2	Nil or C 5		1	Case empty phials	S.S. "Lichtenfels."	
19	7	No mark	...	1	Bar round iron	Ditto.	
19		E in a tringle	129	1	Cask	Ditto.	
1908.	1908.						
January 28	January 21	No mark		1	Bundle or case ink...	S.S. "Arabia."	
1907.	1907.						
September 26	September 9	Sign of a diamond, S S on top or Nil.			Case (broken) ...	S.S. "Drachenfels."	
26		189 in diamond, J V on top, L C below, or Nil.		1	Case empty phials ...	Ditto.	
May 14	May 11	47 in a diamond, O K on top, W or M below.			Case iron clamps ...	Ditto.	
14	„ 11	No mark			Bale packing paper	Ditto.	
11	„ 5	T E C L T A or T E O E T A or Nil ...		1	Bag empty bottle, phials and glue.	Ditto.	
July 31	July 24	P B S in a diamond, O L on top & C below.			Cases window glass	S.S. "Marienfels."	
1908.	1908.	SHED No. 8.					
February 6	January 30	E P M in a block	8585	1	Case ...	S.S. "Uhenfels."	
6	„ 28	958 in a diamond. B K on top, O below.		13	Lundles hoop iron...	Ditto.	
6	27	J P D		1	Coil galvanized iron wire.	Ditto.	
	30	886 in a diamond, W & C on top.	4812 or 4312	1	Bale (torn and loose)	S.S. "Uhenfels."	
	20	821 in a diamond, W R on top, or 121 in a diamond, W R on top.	7/8	2	Cases	Ditto.	
	30	No mark		1	Case Matches	Ditto ..	H.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1908.	1908.	SHED No. 8—*contd.*					
ruary 11	February 6	S in block, H $\frac{T}{C}$ B			Parcel ...	S.S. "Caboto."	
25	18	Hegby in a diamond			Case ...	S.S. "City of York."	
25	13	Krieg & Co in a diamond	543-567		Cases ...	Ditto.	
25	15	No mark ...		...	A quantity of loose staves.	Ditto.	
25	18	3747 in a diamond, or 3749 in a diamond, or 3753 in a diamond, or Nil.	610/	1	Parcel ...	Ditto.	
25	„ 18	3753 in a diamond or Nil ...	659/67	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
25	18	3748 in a diamond, or 3752 in a diamond, or 3753 in a diamond, or Nil	583/9-64/7	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
7	March	No mark			Cask pitch or merchandise.	S.S. "City of Corinth."	H. G.
11		G M or Nil	...	2	Bags ...	S.S. "Clan Grant."	
11		J H		14	Bags groundnut kernel.	Ditto.	
11		L in a diamond, J D on top, S N below or Nil.		1	Cask coaltar (broken and empty.)	Ditto.	
11		M L or Nil ...		2	Bags ...	Ditto.	
17	10	G P	756	1	Case ...	S.S. "Tannenfels."	
17	14	No mark		...	A quantity of scrap iron.	Ditto.	
17	„ 12	M L		1	Bag groundnuts ...	Ditto.	
17	13	No mark		...	A quantity of loose nails.	Ditto.	
17	„ 11	Ditto		1	Case (broken and empty).	Ditto.	
17	11	619 in a diamond		1	Bundle sheet iron ...	S.S. "City of Athens."	
14	April	A A & Co in a triangle, or A A & Co or Nil.		20	Kegs ...	S.S. "Drachenfels."	
14		G P „	758	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
14		C R or Nil		1	Bag ...	Ditto.	
14		$\frac{818}{1}$ in a diamond, J D on top, S N below or Nil.		3	Kegs ...	Ditto.	
14	10	No mark		7	Bars angle iron ...	Ditto.	
14	11	Ditto		5	Pieces rail ...	Ditto.	
14	11	Nil or 1 B M in a block ...		22	Bundles sheet iron...	Ditto.	
14	11	No mark		9	Pieces iron plate ...	Ditto.	
14	11	Ditto		3	Pieces iron joists ...	Ditto.	
14	11	Ends white or Nil		2	Bundles hoop iron ...	Ditto.	
14	11	No mark		12	Bundles round iron	Ditto.	
14	10	Ditto		1	Bundle round or square iron.	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remar
1908.	1908.	SHED No. 8—*concld.*					
March 14	April	J E T in a triangle and inverted triangle, M below, or $\frac{J\ E\ T}{M}$ in a triangle and inverted triangle.			Keg	S.S. "Drachenfels."	
14		$\frac{D\ D\ T\ G}{B}$ or Nil, Chittagong			Keg nails (broken)...	Ditto.	
14		No mark ...			Bags groundnuts ...	Ditto.	
14		Ditto ...		1	Bag groundnuts (unshelled).	Ditto.	
14		Nil or $\frac{B\ A\ \&\ Co}{F\ F\ C\ D}$ ...		1	Bag iron bolts and nuts.	Ditto.	
14		No mark			Kegs iron nails	Ditto.	
14		S in a diamond, J D on top, S N below or Nil.		1	Keg red lead	Ditto.	
14		V M M or Nil			Bags dhall	Ditto.	
14		No mark		1	Basket mouth harmonicas.	Ditto.	
„ 14	1	Ditto			Keg white lead	Ditto.	
April 24	10	Ditto		1	Bundle flat iron ...	S.S. "Manipur."	
„ 24	10	Ditto		3	Bars flat iron ...	Ditto.	
„ 24	14	Nil or I C C			Bundles hoop iron...	Ditto.	
„ 24	16	No mark			Bundle galvanized corrugated iron sheets.	Ditto.	
„ 24	15	Ditto			Loose galvanized corrugated iron sheets.	Ditto.	
„ 24	14	Ditto			Coils or bundles iron wire.	Ditto.	
„ 24	16	Ditto			Casting ...	Ditto.	
„ 24	15	Ditto			Tins liquid ...	Ditto.	
„ 24	15	Ditto			Bag or parcel nails	Ditto	
„ 24	16	Ditto			Bags soda ...	Ditto.	
„ 24	14	Ditto			Box tin plates ...	Ditto.	
„ 24	14	Ditto			A quantity of loose tin plates.	Ditto.	
1907.	1907.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
December 6	December 3	$\frac{E}{C\ K\ C}$ in a diamond, B C on top, or C K Polack & Co below.			Parcel	S.S. "Silesia."	
13		D2 or A2			Do. ...	S.S. "Rohilla."	
13		D or Nil			Cases ...	Ditto.	
13		$\frac{G\ S}{Khobong}$	112	1	Case	Ditto.	
20	12	No mark		2	Kegs nail	S.S. "Simla."	
1908.							
January 2	23	444 in a block, A H on top			Bars flat iron	S.S. "Asia."	
2	28	Nil or $\frac{W\ T\ W}{Equitable}$	×753		Casks	Ditto.	
1907. August 25	August 16	$\frac{J\ C}{G}$ in a diamond			Case (broken)	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1907.	1907.	*Withdrawn from last sale*—concld.					
ptember 27	September 4	No mark ...		2	Bundles rod iron ..	S.S. "Rotenfels."	
	August 27	Ditto ...		2	Pairs wheel ..	Ditto.	
tober 7	September 26	Ditto ...		1	Package machinery	S.S. "Assyria."	
ne 11	June 3	Ditto		3	Bundles buckets ..	Ditto.	
ly 24	July 19	Ditto		3	Bars flat iron ..	S.S. "Bohemia."	
vember 23	November 8	C M or Nil ...		1	Keg iron nuts ..	S.S. "Huntsman."	
1908.	1908.	SHED No. 9.					
rch 6	February 29	A. M. Essabhoy Esq.		1	Case	S.S. "Japan."	
.. 6	.. 29	Messrs. John Miller & Co		1	Parcel	Ditto.	
		Unidentified goods.					
bruary 10		No mark		1	Jar soldering fluid.		
.. 14		Ditto		2	Pieces iron rice bowl		
		Ditto			A quantity of sundrie		
rch 11	March 11	Ditto		1	Bottle whisky.		
30		Ditto		2	Tin sardines.		
30		Ditto		67	Pieces iron nuts.		
ril 15		Ditto		8	Tins or dry color paints.		
ly 17		Ditto		22½	Pairs glass bangles.		
		Ditto		12	Bars square iron.		
		Ditto		1	Iron joist.		
		Ditto		5	Pieces girder plates.		
		Ditto		...	A quantity of pig iron.		
		Ditto		4	Pieces cast-iron pipe.		
		Ditto			A quantity of sundries.		
		Ditto			A quantity of galvanized bolts and nuts.		
		Ditto		208	Bags sugar sweeping.		

C. H. WINDLE,
Traffic Manager, Port Commrs.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 8th August 1908.

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INDIAN FAMINE CHARITABLE RELIEF FUND.

BENGAL BRANCH.

List of Subscribers.

No.	Name.	Rs.	A.	P.	Amount. Rs.	A.	P.
	Amounts already acknowledged ...				8,936	12	1
1.	Staff of the Registrar of Calcutta ...				20	10	0
2.	Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. Buchanan ...				50	0	0
3.	Staff of the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal				8	0	0
4.	Staff of Messrs. Apcar & Co.				137	0	0
5.	District Committee, Singhbhum ...				110	0	0
	Thakur Udit Narain Sing	50	0	0			
	Messrs. B. Barooa & Co.	25	0	0			
	Small amounts	35	0	0			
6.	District Committee, Burdwan				1,413	0	0
	Rai Kanta Chandra Chatterji Bahadur ...	25	0	0			
	Kumar Bonwari Mukunda Deb ...	20	0	0			
	Babu Nabin Chandra Chatterji ...	50	0	0			
	„ Baikunta Nath Sen	50	0	0			
	Raja Ban Behari Kapur, C.S.I. ...	50	0	0			
	Babu Rajani Kanta Kumar	25	0	0			
	Mr. Arthur Goodeve	100	0	0			
	Rai Nalinaksha Bose Bahadur ...	30	0	0			
	Mohunta Moharaj Modhu Sudan Das ...	500	0	0			
	Babu Surendra Mohan Singh	50	0	0			
	„ Kanai Lal Singh	100	0	0			
	Small amounts	413	0	0			
7.	District Committee, Sambalpur ...				318	4	3
	Rai Bahadur Ramkrishna Mishra ...	20	0	0			
	Mr. A. N. Moberly	100	0	0			
	Babu Banka Behari Singh	15	0	0			
	Seth Juhar Mal	20	0	0			
	Babu J. N. Sen	25	0	3			
	Small amounts	138	4	0			
8.	District Committee, Jessore				382	0	0
	Babu Jitendra Nath Roy	100	0	0			
	„ Hari Charan Bose	50	0	0			
	„ Sukes Chandra Deb Roy ...	20	0	0			
	Mr. H. C. MacLeod	20	0	0			
	Small amounts	192	0	0			
9.	Mr. M. J. Scobie				100	0	0
10.	Captain M. E. Mungavin				10	0	0
11.	Rai Mani Lal Nahar Bahadur ...				100	0	0
12.	Mohunt Satish Chandra Giri				200	0	0
13.	District Committee, Nadia				396	2	0
	Rai Dwarka Nath Bhattacherji ...	25	0	0			
	Bishop of Krishnagar	100	0	0			
	Revd. J. F. Hewitt	25	0	0			
	Babu Debendra Nath Singha Roy ...	30	0	0			
	„ Kishori Kishore Goswami ...	50	0	0			
	„ Kedar Nath Roy	40	0	0			
	Small amounts	126	2	0			
14.	District Committee, Monghyr ...				1,335	0	0
	Babu Ram Lal Mukherji	20	0	0			
	Rai Kamaleshwari Prasad Singh Bahadur	500	0	0			
	Babu Baijnath Goenka	200	0	0			
	Rao Moheshwri Prasad Singh	100	0	0			
	Kumar Gur Prasad Singh	400	0	0			
	Babu Keshwar Narayan Singh ...	100	0	0			
	Mr. F. A. Parkinson	15	0	0			
15.	Mr. H. Wardle				15	0	0
16.	Staff of the Executive Engineer, 3rd Calcutta Division				33	0	0
17.	Mr. F. B. Robinson, Manager, Sagrampur Concern				600	0	0

No.	Name.	Rs. A. P.	Amount. Rs. A. P.
18.	District Committee, Howrah	.....	1,016 9 0
19.	Ditto, Hooghly	.....	901 5 0
20.	Ditto, Shahabad	.....	300 0 0
21.	Ditto, Purnea	.....	434 0 0
22.	Ditto, Patna	.....	690 0 0
23.	Staff of the Bengal Secretariat, Revenue, Political and Appointment Departments...	.....	32 8 0
24.	Staff of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces	.....	12 12 0
25.	District Committee, Sonthal Parganas ...	.....	1,810 12 0
26.	Office of the Manager, Eastern Bengal State Railway system	.....	20 0 0
27.	District Committee, Bankura	.....	222 15 6
	Babu Keshav Chandra Kar	30 0 0	
	Mohanto Modhu Sudan Das'	50 0 0	
	Babu Hara Gobinda Mookerjee ...	50 0 0	
	Small amounts	92 15 6	
28.	District Committee, Bhagalpur ...	.....	761 14 0
	Mr. E. H. Walsh	100 0 0	
	Babu Hari Charan Ganguly	50 0 0	
	,, Srimohan Ram Marwari ...	50 0 0	
	Mr. H. B. St. Leger	25 0 0	
	,, L. D. Cross	15 0 0	
	Babu Banarasi Prasad	15 0 0	
	,, Girdhari Lal Saha	15 0 0	
	Mr. P. W. Murphy	30 0 0	
	Raj Kumar Babu Priya Bharat Narain Singh	25 0 0	
	Small amounts	436 14 0	
29.	District Committee, Gaya	.....	500 0 0
	Total ...	.....	20,867 7 10

C. B. BAYLEY,

Honorary Secretary, Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund, Bengal Branch.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA, *the 15th August 1908.*

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Godda.

PRESENT:

A. W. Stark, Esq., Sub-Judge, Godda.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 18 OF 1906.

Babu Sudhirendra Narain Singh and others, of Jhawa Kuthi, Bhagalpur, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Chandra Dayal Barmah and others, of Kasba, Barkope, T. Barkope, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Subdivisional Office, Godda, at the Court premises on the 22nd September 1908 for realisation of Rs. 3,167-0-7½ :—

Annas 4 share belonging to the judgment-debtors of the estate T. Barkope, asli mai dakhli, bearing tauzi No. 481 of the Dumka Collectorate, thana Godda. Government revenue of the estate payable Rs. 2,783-13 and that payable for the above share Rs. 695-15-3.

A. W. STARK,
Subordinate Judge of Godda.

Godda, the 6th August 1908. (979—2)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the 3rd Munsif at Alipore.

PRESENT:

Babu Mohar Lal De, B.L., Munsif.

EXECUTION CASE No. 1164 OF 1908.

Gurudas Biswas and others, of No. 15, Market Street, Calcutta, decree-holders, *versus* Shyamacharan Biswas, of No. 54, Sankaritola Lane, Calcutta, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at Alipore Court premises on the 14th of September 1908 for realization of Rs. 945 one-third share of the judgment-debtor of the Estate Jagatballavpur and others, pargana Balia, thana Budge-Budge, bearing tauzi No. 344 of the 24-Parganas Collectorate, Station Budge-Budge. Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 849-16-9 and that payable for the above one-third share is Rs. 283-5-3.

MOHAR LAL DE, 3rd Munsif.

Alipore, the 11th August 1908. (992—1)

NOTICE.

In the 2nd Court of the Munsif of Diamond-Harbour, district 24-Parganas.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No. 776 OF 1906.

Gagan Chandra Halder, decree-holder, *versus* Shibo Prosad Samanta, judgment-debtor.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned property of the abovenamed judgment-debtor will be sold for realization of Rs. 2,452-2-15 gds. in execution of a mortgage decree by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Diamond Harbour, at 12 noon, on the 7th September 1908.

Schedule of Properties.

The right and title of the judgment-debtors to 1,240 bighas land out of 4,960 bighas in pargana Hatiaghur, thana Kulpi, district 24-Parganas, Collectorate tauzi No. 2881, plot D, 5th portion. The revenue payable to Government for the 1,240 bighas land in plaintiff's 4-anna share is Rs. 340-10, and the estimated value of the above-mentioned property is said to be Rs. 1,000 by the decree-holder :—

Boundary.

1,240 bighas.—East Maraganga's *duna*, south Sundarikar *duna*, west Madan Mohan Jana and Kartick Chandra Bira's land, north Indro Narain Prodhan's land.

CHANDRA BHUSHAN BANERJEE, Munsif.

The 3rd August 1908. (1016—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Godda.

PRESENT:

A. W. Stark, Esq., Subordinate Judge.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 3 OF 1908.

Babu Brij Mohan Dubey, of Bundlewar, tuppah Barkope, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Chandradyal Barmha and others, of Kasba Barkope, tuppah Barkope, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Subdivisional Office, Godda, at the Court premises on the 31st August 1908 for realization of Rs. 4,037-6-9 :—

Annas 4 share belonging to the judgment-debtor of the estate tuppah Barkope, bearing tauzi No. 481 of the Dumka Collectorate, thana Godda, Government revenue of the estate payable Rs. 2,783-13, and that payable for the above share is Rs. 695-15-3.

A. W. STARK, Subordinate Judge.

Godda, the 11th August 1908. (994—2)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Purnea.

RENT EXECUTION CASE No. 25 OF 1908.

Kirat Chand Sirmal and others, decree-holders, *versus* Chhaterpat Singh, judgment-debtor.

THE following property to be sold in the above case by the Nazir of the Court at 12 A.M. on the 7th September 1908 for realisation of the judgment-debt Rs. 45,557-14-2 (rupees forty-five thousand five hundred and fifty-seven annas fourteen and pies two only) :—

Sixteen annas of the defaulting patni property, lat Mirzapur, pargana Haveli, zilla Purnea, the annual rental of which Rs. 14,306 was formerly payable by the judgment-debtor to the zemindary cutcherry of the decree-holder, and is at present payable to the zemindary cutcherry of Babu Prithi Chand Lall Choudhuri, of Deorhi Nazarganj, Sadar Purnea, comprising mauzas Mirzapore khobdia, Raghopore Bistoria, Bhag Phasia, Parwanpore, Thoga Majhia, Dhaniatal, mauza Nijpokharia, Adampore, Bishunpore Madhulta, Jhirua, Sarabseti, Jhuni Balia, Hingua Kuari and Aurahi, situated within the jurisdictions of thanas Matiari, Ranigunj, Araria and Sadar Purnea, Sub-Registry Sadar Purnea and Araria; approximate value Rs. 30,000

F. S. HAMILTON, District Judge.

Purnea, the 12th August 1908. (996—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif of Balasore.

PRESENT:

Babu Kalidas Mukharji, B.L., Munsif.

EXECUTION CASE No. 691 OF 1908.

Hariballav Rai, of Suhelpur, pargana Sunhat, decree-holder, *versus* (1) Kailash Chandra Das, (2) Umesh Chandra Das, of Barabati, pargana Sunhat, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore in the Court premises on the 15th day of September 1908 for realization of Rs. 572-15-8 :—

Six pies share belonging to the judgment-debtors of the estate taluk Mabarakpur, pargana Banchas, bearing tauzi No 924 of the Balasore Collectorate, police-station Soro. Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 23,942-14-8 and that payable for the above share is Rs. 748-3-5½.

K. D. MUKHARJI, Munsif.

Balasore, the 14th August 1908. (998—1)

Advertisement for Creditors.

PURSUANT to a decree of 23rd November 1906 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in Suit No. 666 of 1903 (wherein Sreemutty Indrarance Dassee is the plaintiff and Jadub Krishna Shaha and others are defendants), the creditors of Bissumbhur Shaha *alias* Bissumbhur Sapooi, deceased,

late of No. 27, Mondol Street, in Calcutta, who died on the 9th day of August 1905, are, on or before Monday, the 7th day of September 1908, to send to the office of the Registrar of this Court in its Original Side their names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claim, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

Every creditor holding any security may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar with the particulars of his claim or shall produce the same before the 2nd Assistant Registrar of this Court in the Court-house on Friday, the 11th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Every claim should be stamped with a Court-fee stamp of two rupees

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Sarat Chunder Dutta, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 3rd August 1908.

(974—1—906)

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

In the matter of HUGH CLAUDE HOLT, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1003-2)

In the matter of JOHURRYMUL DAGA, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. C Basu, Attorney. (1004—2)

In the matter of ARTHUR CECIL TATAM, an insolvent.

On the 26th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1005—2)

In the matter of SUMBHOO NATH DASS and others, insolvents (Doss Brothers).

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of August 1890 to the 1st day of August last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (1006-1)

In the matter KALAGURLA SURJANARAIN, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 4th day of April 1903 to the 31st day of July last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (1007—1)

In the matter of EDMUND ANDREW SMITH and others, insolvents (E. A. Smith and Co.).

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of September 1906 to the 31st day of July last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (1008—1)

In the matter of RAJENDRA LALL MUKERJEE, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 4th day of February to the 31st day of July last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (1009—1)

In the matter of NAGENDRA NATH ROY CHOUDHURY, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of July last, it was ordered that the creditors of the said insolvent do on or before the 31st day of August 1908 file in the office of the Chief Clerk of this Court statements of the amounts of their respective claims against the estate of the said insolvents duly verified by their affidavits, and that thereupon the said Chief Clerk do frame a schedule from the claims so to be filed.

P. L. Haldar, Attorney. (1010—1)

In the matter of ARTHUR CECIL TATAM, late an assistant in the employ of Port Commissioners, Calcutta, at present residing at No. 80, Middle Road, Barrackpore, at present out of employ, a European British subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 26th day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1011—1)

In the matter of JOHURRYMUL DAGA, residing at No. 10 Narain Das Babu's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carried on business in piece-goods under the name, style and firm of Johurrymul Daga, at No. 38, Armenian Street, in the town of Calcutta, now out of employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 24th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. C. Basu, Attorney. (1012—1)

In the matter of HUGH CLAUDE HOLT, an assistant station-master, attached to Bandel Junction Station, East Indian Railway, and residing at the same place, a European British born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 30th day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1013—1)

In the matter of KARTIC LAL DEY, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 24th day of August instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Nafar Lal Mullick, Attorney. (1015—1)

Insolvency Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned dividends are lying unclaimed :—

Estate J. G. Georgocopoulo (M. Milachrino & Co.), an insolvent.

No.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.	1st dividend at Rs. 25 per cent.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	The Manager, Germinal Cigar Factory.	981 12 0	245 7 0
7	Nicolas J. Caramissines	345 12 0	83 7 0
8	The Mysore Coffee Planter Supply Co., Ld.	302 4 0	75 9 0
11	The Proprietor, *Englishman* ...	350 0 0	87 8 0
17	The Proprietor, *Indian Planting and Gardening.*	300 0 0	75 0 0
18	Mrs. F. Bolton	440 0 0	110 0 0

Estate Sarat Chunder Gosain, an insolvent.

		1st dividend at Rs. 3-3 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Birendra Nath Bhadury, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Sreemutty Nritta Kali Dabi, deceased.	8,323 9 0	265 5 0
Radhica Lal Roy Chowdhry ...	12,000 0 0	382 8 0
Inder Chand Nahatta	2,800 0 0	89 4 0
Jayram Dass	7,500 0 0	239 1 0
Jalim Sing	2,300 0 0	73 5 0

A. B. MILLER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 11th August 1908. (988—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors, Kedar Nath Marwari and others, that the insolvency petition of the judgment-debtor, Debendra Nath Chattapadhya, of Gopalpur, thana Kanksha, Chauki Asansol, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that the 29th August 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

A. GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Court, the 8th August 1908. (983—1—907)

In the Court of the District Judge of Patna.

PRESENT :

H. W. C. Carnduff, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S., District Judge.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1908.

In the matter of the petition of Matthew Cooke, at present residing at Khagole, East Indian Railway.

NOTICE.

IT having, on the 10th August 1908, been ordered that the matter of the petition of the said petitioner, Matthew Cooke, should be taken up as a summary proceeding under section 48 of the Act on the 22nd August 1908, and that the said petitioner should then attend to be examined before this Court, the fact is hereby notified for the information of all whom it may concern.

H. W. C. CARNDUFF, District Judge.

Bankipore, the 13th August 1908. (1000—1—911)

ASOKA KUMAR ROY, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (915—4—858)

ATMA RAM, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil Calcutta High Court. (919—4—859)

BABU SRIS CHANDRA BOSE, B.L., wishes to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (987—4—905)

KHAJA M. ISMAIL, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (1001—4—909)

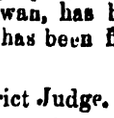
NAGENDRANATH BANERJI, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (906—4—862)

PROBODH CHANDRA MUKHERJEE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (981—4—889)

RAJ KUMAR ROY, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (914—4—846)

SARAT PROSAD SARVADHIKARI, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (884—4—847)

SYED ZAINUDDIN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (1002—4—908)

Vessel's name.	Marks and Nos.	Quantity and description of goods.	Contents.
S.S. "Onipenta"	E  S	18 casks ...	Pumice stone.
" "Itinda" ...	A H J C A C	1 bundle ...	Dry fish.
" "Patiala" ...	H	1 case	Ditto.
" "Cooeyanna"	White	1	Wood sleeper.
" "Japan" ...	Maurice Cowan ...	1	Provision.
" "A. Apcar"...	P. S. or Nil ...	4 pieces	Planks.
" "G. Apcar"...	J. S. O.	1 case	Curios.
" "Onsang" ...	 M N or Nil.	1 small bag	Sugar.
" "Braunfels"	Herrn Georg. Schinkler.	1 case	Decorations.
" "Wardha"...	C. J.	59 bags ...	Sugar.
" "Dapleix"...	G. Gusta ...	1 case ...	Umbrella.

The above will be sold under section 88 of Act VIII of 1878, if not cleared on or before the 24th August 1908.

P. R. CADELL, Collector of Customs.

Custom House, the 3rd August 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used

in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908 :—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add 880
3.	Balia	..	889
4.	Bhimpore	..	1982
5.	Munair	..	2458
6.	Masandha	..	4368
7.	Phulwari	..	5058
8.	Sunda	..	5859
9.	Shahjehanpore		7305
10.	Ghyaspur	..	7692
11.	Beswak	..	9898 } To old tauzi No.
12.	Bihar	..	10515 to get the new
13.	Maldah		11771 tauzi Nos. in
14	Narhat		11772 this pargana.
15.	Pillich		11923
16.	Raggir		12561
17.	Samai		12585
18.	Sanaut		12605
19.	Telhara		12606
20.	Ukri		13570 }

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Proclamation.

THE adjourned inquest touching the death of an unknown male, who was found, on the 4th instant, lying on the ground at No. 12, Mullik's Street, Calcutta, with injuries from the effects of which he subsequently died, will be held on Monday, the 24th August 1908, at the Coroner's Court at No. 809, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. All persons who can give any information as to the identity of the said unknown male or as to when, how and by what means the said unknown male came to his death, are requested to be present, and they shall be heard.

F. K. DOBBIN,
Coroner of Calcutta.

Coroner's Court, Calcutta, the 17th August 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
W/132 of 07/08	RA/46 59211	Rs. 100	Akhil Chand Mahaladar, Sagarpura, P. O. Murshidabad.

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 29th-30th July 1908.

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Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W/100 of 08/09	Ra/39 30472	50	Syed Mohamad Shafi Heltam Khan, Rajshahi.
	30473	50	
	30474	50	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 5th August 1908.

WANTED a Bihari Muhammadan strong in English for the post of an Assistant Master in the Monghyr Zilla School an a salary of Rs. 20 rising to Rs. 25 by annual increment of Re. 1. None need apply who has not passed at least the F.A. Examination of the Calcutta University. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th August 1908.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur, the 29th July 1908.

WANTED a Muhammadan graduate (B Course) as an Assistant Master in the Darjeeling High English School on Rs. 35—2—45 a month, besides the usual hill allowance.

Applications will be received up to 20th August 1908.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur, the 29th July 1908.

WANTED a Muharrir on Rs. 15 per mensem for the Sadar Registration Office at Daltonganj. Besides office experience, the applicant must have passed the Entrance examination and have a fair knowledge of Urdu and Hindi. Applications with testimonials should be submitted to the District Registrar of Palamau, Daltonganj, up to the 20th August 1908.

WANTED in the office of the Inspectress of Schools, a clerk for general office work. Candidates must have passed the F.A. Examination, and, if possible, have had some experience of office work. Salary Rs. 20. Apply first by letter enclosing testimonials to the office of Inspectress of Schools, 22, Ezra Mansions, 10 Government Place.

Wanted

A SUPERVISOR for the Gaya Municipality on a salary of Rs. 150 rising to Rs 200 a month by an annual increment of Rs. 5 with Rs. 20 as horse allowance. None need apply who have not the qualifications of an Upper Subordinate or Foreman Mechanic according to the Sibpur College Standard. Practical experience of not less than five years is absolutely essential.

Candidates must possess a thorough good knowledge of English, both spoken and written. Copies only of certificates (not returnable) should be forwarded with application. The successful applicant will be on probation for one year.

Applications marked "Supervisor" will be received up to 24th August.

T. S. MACPHERSON,
Chairman, Gaya Municipality.

Gaya Municipal Office, the 27th July 1908.

(944—3)

WANTED a qualified Mechanical Engineer to be in sole charge of the Raj Rajeswari Water-works at Mymensingh on a salary of Rs. 125 a month rising to Rs. 150 by an annual increment of Rs. 5 with free quarters. The candidate selected shall have to furnish a cash security of Rs. 300, or it may be made up by an instalment of Rs. 25 a month deducted from his pay. None need apply who has not got a certificate of competency from some recognized institution and under the Boiler Act. Preference will be given to one who has experience in the management of water-works.

Applications will be received till the 10th September 1908

SHAMA CHURN ROY, Chairman.

Mymensingh Municipal Office, the 14th September 1908. (999—2)

WANTED an experienced Draftsman and Estimator for the Public Works Department office, Sikkim, on a salary of Rs. 40 per month. The appointment, though temporary, is expected to continue from year to year for approved service.

Apply with testimonials to the State Engineer, Sikkim. (993—4)

Notice.

WANTED a smart and experienced Sub-Overseer qualified under the rules. Pay Rs. 40—55 by biennial increments of Rs. 3. Travelling allowance will not exceed Rs. 20 a month. Apply sharp before the 20th August 1908 to the District Engineer, Purnea. (978—2)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1882,

and

In the matter of the Commercial Bank of India, Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the abovenamed Company by the Court was, on the 13th day of August 1908, presented to this Court by the said Company, and that it has been directed that the said petition shall be heard before the said Court on the 27th day of August 1908, and any creditor or contributor of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or by his Advocate or Attorney or Pleader for that purpose, and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributor of the said Company on application to the said Court on payment of the charges of the same.

ORR, DIGNAM & CO.,

Standard Buildings, Dalhousie Square, Solicitors.

(1014—1—910)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 053376 of the 3½ per cent. of 1900-01 for Rs (500) five hundred only originally standing in the name of Prosad Das Boral and Brothers and last endorsed to Joges Chandra Basu, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the advertiser—JOGES CHANDRA BASU.

Residence—8, Kalitara Bose's Lane, Beliaghata, Calcutta

(951—2—871)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

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Australasian Colonies.	24	5-45 P.M.	4-30 ,,	4-45 P.M.	2-45
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2. Bombay, Central Provinces, Midnapur, Purulia, Chaibassa, *viâ* Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	1-15 P.M.	1 ,,	11-45 ,,	11-30 A.M.
3. Places on the East Indian Railway (Loop Line).	1	1-30 ,,	12-45 ,,	12 noon.
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6. Cuttack, Midnapur, Punjab, United Provinces, Bombay Presidency, Central India, Sind and Baluchistan, Eastern Bengal, Central Bengal and Murshidabad.	7-30	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,

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(1) Statement showing where sections of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act (Ben. Act I of 1879), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904, are reproduced in the Bill,

(2) Statement showing where sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as modified up to the 31st May, 1907, are reproduced in the Bill,

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[NOTES.—I.—Provisions of the existing law on which the several clauses of the Bill are based are noted, within square brackets, on the right-hand margin of the Bill. In these notes,—

"1879" means the official edition of Ben. Act I of 1879 (the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904;

"1885" means the official edition of Act VIII of 1885 (the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885), as modified up to the 31st May, 1907;

"1897" means the official edition of Ben. Act IV of 1897 (the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897), as modified up to the 30th September, 1903; and

"Notfn." means Notification No. 1379L.R, dated the 5th March, 1908, by which portions of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (as amended by Bengal Acts III of 1898 and I of 1907), were extended to the Chota Nagpur Division except the district of Manbhum.

II.—Substantive amendments which it is proposed to make in the existing law are, as far as possible, printed in antique type, and amendments made in the Bill after the date of its publication in the Calcutta Gazette are marked with lines.]

BILL

to amend and consolidate certain enactments relating to the law of Landlord and Tenant and the settlement of rents in Chota Nagpur.

Whereas it is expedient to amend and consolidate certain enactments relating to the law of landlord and tenant and the settlement of rents in Chota Nagpur;

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained, under section 5 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, to the passing of this Act;

It is hereby enacted as follows: 55 & 56 Vict., c. 14.

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Act, 1908; [1879, s. 1. 1897, s. 1.]

(*2*) It extends to the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum; and

(*3*) The Lieutenant-Governor may, by notification, extend the whole or any portion of this Act to the said district of Manbhum or to any part thereof.

Repeal.

2. (*1*) The Acts and notification specified in Schedule A are hereby repealed in the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum.

(*2*) When this Act is extended to the district of Manbhum or any part thereof, the Acts specified in Schedule B shall be deemed to be repealed in that district or part, as the case may be; or, if only a portion of this Act is so extended, then so much of the said Acts as is inconsistent with that portion shall be deemed to be so repealed. [*cf.* 1885, s. 2 (2).]

Definitions.

3. (*1*) In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(i) "agricultural year" means the year prevailing in a local area for agricultural purposes; [1885, s. 3 (11). 1897, s. 3 (*d*).]

(ii) "Bhugut bandha mortgage" means a transfer of the interest of a tenant in his tenancy, [1879, s. 2(*a*).]

for the purpose of securing the payment of money advanced or to be advanced by way of loan,

upon the condition that the loan, with all interest thereon, shall be deemed to be extinguished by the profits arising from the tenancy during the period of the mortgage;

(iii) "Board" means the Board of Revenue for Bengal;

(iv) "Certificate Officer" means the Certificate Officer as defined in clause (*2*) of section 4 of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895; [1879, s. 2(*b*).] Ben. Act I of 1895.

(v) "civil jail" means the civil jail of the district, and [1879, s. 2.]

[illegible] appointed by the Local Govern-

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(vi) "Commissioner" and "Judicial Commissioner" mean respectively the Commissioner and Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpur; and include any other person specially empowered by the Local Government to discharge the functions of the Commissioner or Judicial Commissioner, as the case may be, in any particular area; [1879, s. 2.]

(vii) "Deputy Collector" includes an Assistant Collector and any Sub-Deputy Collector who is specially empowered by the Local Government to discharge any of the functions of a Deputy Collector under this Act; [1879, s. 2.]

(viii) "Deputy Commissioner" includes—

(*a*) any Revenue-officer who is specially empowered by the Local Government to discharge any of the functions of a Deputy Commissioner under this Act; [1879, s. 2(*c*). 1885, s. 3 (*16*).]

(*b*) any Revenue-officer or Deputy Collector to whom the Deputy Commissioner may, by general or special order, transfer any of his functions under this Act, and [1879, s. 133.]

(*c*) any Deputy Collector who is in charge of a subdivision of a district, or is specially empowered by the Local Government to discharge any of the functions of a Deputy Commissioner under this Act; [1879, s. 133.]

(ix) "estate" means land included under one entry in any of the general registers of revenue-paying lands and revenue-free lands, prepared and maintained under the law for the time being in force by the Deputy Commissioner of a district, and includes Government khas mahals and revenue-free lands not entered in any register; [1885, s. 3(*l*) & Notfn.]

(x) "holding" means a parcel or parcels of land held by a raiyat and forming the subject of a separate tenancy; [1879, s. 2 (*d*). 1885, s. 3 (*9*).]

(xi) "Korkar" means land, by whatever name locally known, such as bahbala, khandwat, sajhwat, jalsasan or ariat, which has been artificially levelled or embanked primarily for the cultivation of rice, and — [1879, s. 6, para. 4.]

(*a*) which previously was jungle, waste or uncultivated, or was cultivated upland, or which, though previously cultivated, has become unfit for the cultivation of transplanted rice, and

(*b*) which has been prepared for cultivation by a cultivator (other than the landlord), or by his predecessor in interest (other than the landlord), with or without the consent of the landlord according as such consent is required or not by section 64;

(xii) "landlord" means a person immediately under whom a tenant holds, and includes the Government; [1879, s. 2(*c*). 1885, s. 3(*4*).]

(xiii) "moveable property" includes standing crops; [1879, s. 2(*f*).]

(xiv) "Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy" means the interest of a Mundari khunt-kattidar; [1879, s. 2(*k*).]

(xv) "Nazir" means any officer of a Court authorized to serve or execute its process; [1879, s. 2.]

(xvi) "pay", "payable" and "payment", used with reference to rent, include "deliver," "deliverable" and "delivery;" [1885, s. 3 (*6*).]

(xvii) "permanent tenure" means a tenure which is heritable, and which is not held for a limited time; [1885, s. 3 (*8*).]

(xviii) "praedial conditions" mean conditions or services appurtenant to the occupation of land, other than the rent; and include rakumats payable by raiyats to landlords, and every mahtut, [1897, s. 3 (*1*) (*b*) (*c*).]

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(xix) "prescribed" means prescribed by the Local Government by rule made under section 256; [1885, s. 3 (1) & Notfn.]

(xx) "proprietor" means a person owning, whether in trust or for his own benefit, an estate or a part of an estate; [1885, s. 3(2) & Notfn.]

(xxi) "registered" means registered under any Act for the time being in force for the registration of documents; [1879, s. 2(k). 1885, s. 3(15).]

(xxii) "rent" means whatever is lawfully payable or deliverable in money or kind by a tenant to his landlord on account of the use or occupation of the land held by the tenant; and includes all dues (other than personal services) which are recoverable under any enactment for the time being in force as if they were rent; [1879, s. 2(l). 1885, s. 3(5).]

(xxiii) "resumable tenure" means a tenure which is held subject to the condition that it shall lapse to the estate of the grantor and be resumable by him or his successor in title— [1879, s. 2(m).]

(*a*) on failure of male heirs of the body of the original grantee in the male line, or

(*b*) on the happening of any definite contingency other than that referred to in sub-clause (*a*) of this clause;

(xxiv) "Revenue-officer" means any officer whom the Local Government may appoint to discharge any of the functions of a Revenue-officer under this Act; [1885, s. 3(17) & Notfn. 1897, s. 3(a).]

(xxv) "tenant" means a person who holds land under another person and is, or but for a special contract would be, liable to pay rent for that land to that person; [1879, s. 2(n). 1885, s. 3(3).]

(xxvi) "tenure" means the interest of a tenure-holder, and includes an under-tenure, but does not include a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy; and [1879, s. 2(o). 1885, s. 3(7).]

(xxvii) "village" means,— [1885, s. 3 (10).]

(*a*) in any local area in which a survey has been made and a record-of-rights prepared under any enactment for the time being in force, the area included within the same exterior boundary in the village map prepared in the course of making such survey and record, as subsequently settled by the decision (if any) of a Court of competent jurisdiction, and

(*b*) where a survey has not been made and a record-of-rights has not been prepared under any such enactment, such area as the Deputy Commissioner may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, by general or special order, declare to constitute a village.

(2) If it appears to the Local Government to be doubtful what year prevails in any particular local area for agricultural purposes, the Local Government may, by notification, declare upon what dates such year shall be deemed to commence and terminate, respectively. [1897, s. 3(8).]

CHAPTER II.

CLASSES OF TENANTS.

Classes of tenants.

4. There shall be, for the purposes of this Act, the following classes of tenants, namely:— [1885, s. 4.]

(1) tenure-holders, including under-tenure-holders,

(2) raiyats,

(3) under-raiyats, that is to say, tenants holding, whether immediately or mediately, under-raiyats,

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and the following classes of raiyats, namely—

(*a*) occupancy-raiyats, that is to say, raiyats having a right of occupancy in the land held by them,

(*b*) non-occupancy-raiyats, that is to say, raiyats not having such a right of occupancy, and

(*c*) raiyats having khunt-katti rights.

Meaning of "tenure-holder."

5. "Tenure-holder" means primarily a person who has acquired from the landlord, or from another tenure-holder, a right to hold land for the purpose of collecting rents or bringing it under cultivation by establishing tenants on it; and includes— [1879, s. 2(*p*). 1885, s. 5(*l*).]

(*a*) the successors in interest of persons who have acquired such a right, and

(*b*) the holders of tenures entered in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869; Ben. Act II of 1869.

but does not include a Mundari khunt-kattidar.

Meaning of "raiyat."

6. (*1*) "Raiyat" means primarily a person who has acquired a right to hold land for the purpose of cultivating it by himself, or by members of his family, or by hired servants, or with the aid of partners; and includes the successors in interest of persons who have acquired such a right, but does not include a Mundari khunt-kattidar. [1879, s. 2(*j*). 1885, s. 5(*2*), (*3*), (*4*).]

Explanation.—Where a tenant of land has the right to bring it under cultivation, he shall be deemed to have acquired a right to hold it for the purpose of cultivation, notwithstanding that he uses it for the purpose of gathering the produce of it or of grazing cattle on it.

(*2*) A person shall not be deemed to be a raiyat unless he holds land either immediately under a proprietor or immediately under a tenure-holder or immediately under a Mundari khunt-kattidar.

(*3*) In determining whether a tenant is a tenure-holder or a raiyat, the Court shall have regard to—

(*a*) local custom, and

(*b*) the purpose for which the right of tenancy was originally acquired.

Meaning of "raiyat having khunt-katti rights."

7. "Raiyat having khunt-katti rights" means a raiyat in occupation of, or having any subsisting title to, lands reclaimed from jungle by the original founders of the village or their descendants in the male line, when such raiyat is a member of the family which founded the village or a descendant in the male line of any member of such family.

Meaning of "Mundari khunt-kattidar."

8. "Mundari khunt-kattidar" means a Mundari who has acquired a right to hold jungle land for the purpose of bringing suitable portions thereof under cultivation by himself or by male members of his family, and includes— [1879, s. 2(*g*).]

(*a*) the heirs male in the male line of any such Mundari, when they are in possession of such land, or have any subsisting title thereto, and

(*b*) as regards any portions of such land which have remained continuously in the possession of any such Mundari and his descendants in the male line, such descendants.

CHAPTER III.

TENURE-HOLDERS.

Tenure-holder when not liable to enhancement of rent.

9. No tenure-holder who holds his tenure (otherwise than under a terminable lease) at a fixed rent which has not been changed from the time of the Permanent Settlement, shall be liable to any enhancement of such rent, anything in the Bengal Decennial Settlement Regulation, 1793, section 51, or in any other law, to the contrary notwithstanding. [1879, s. 18. VIII of 1793.]

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Certain bhuinhars not liable to enhancement of rent.

10. No bhuinhar whose lands are entered in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, shall be liable to any enhancement of the rent of his tenure. [1879, s. 19, para. 1.] Ben. Act II of 1869.

Registration of transfers of tenures.

11. (*1*) When any tenure or portion thereof is transferred by succession, inheritance, sale, gift, mortgage, exchange or otherwise, the transferee or his successor in title shall cause the transfer to be registered in the office of the landlord to whom the rent of the tenure or portion is payable. [1879, s. 34.]

(*2*) Every landlord shall, in the absence of sufficient reason to the contrary, admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all such transfers.

(*3*) Whenever any such transfer is registered in the office of the landlord, he shall be entitled to levy a registration-fee of the following amount, namely:—

(*a*) when rent is payable in respect of the tenure or portion—a fee of two *per centum* on the annual rent thereof: provided that no such fee shall be less than one rupee or more than one hundred rupees, and

(*b*) when rent is not payable in respect of the tenure or portion—a fee of two rupees.

(4) If an application for the registration of any transfer of a tenure or portion thereof under sub-section (1) is not made within one year from the date of the transfer, and if the registration fee prescribed by sub-section (3) is not paid or tendered within that period, the transferee or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover, by suit or other proceeding, any rent which may have become due to him, as the owner of such tenure or portion, between the date of the transfer and the date of the application for registration and deposit of the fee.

(5) Nothing in this section shall—

(*i*) validate a transfer of any tenure or portion thereof which, by the terms upon which it is held, or by any law or any custom having the force of law, is not transferable, or

(*ii*) affect the right of the landlord to resume a resumable tenure.

(6) The mere registration of a transfer, or the mere receipt of a registration-fee, under this section, shall not be deemed to imply a consent to, or permission to make, the transfer, within the meaning of section 13; and the landlord shall not be bound by the terms or conditions of any such transfer.

Procedure on refusal of landlord to register transfer of tenure.

12. If any landlord refuses to admit to registry or otherwise to give effect to any such transfer as is mentioned in section 11, the transferee or his successor in title may make application to the Deputy Commissioner; and the Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon make such inquiry as he considers necessary; and, if no sufficient grounds are shown for the refusal, shall pass an order enjoining the landlord to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to such transfer: [1879 s. 36.]

Provided that no landlord shall be required to admit to registry or give effect to any division or distribution of the rent payable on account of any tenure or portion thereof, nor shall any such division or distribution of rent be valid without the consent in writing of the landlord.

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Annulment of incumbrances on resumption of resumable tenure.

13. (*1*) Upon the resumption of a resumable tenure, every lien, sub-tenancy, easement, or other right or interest created, without the consent or permission of the grantor or his successor in interest, by the grantee or any of his successors, on the tenure, or in limitation of his own interest therein, shall be deemed to be annulled, except the following, namely :— [1879, s. 36A.]

(*a*) any lease of land whereupon a dwelling house, manufactory or other permanent building has been erected, or a permanent garden, plantation, tank, canal, place of worship or burning or burying ground has been made, or wherein a mine has been sunk under lawful authority ;

(*b*) any right of a raiyat or cultivator in his holding or land, as conferred by this Act or by any established custom or usage ;

(*c*) any right to hold land occupied by a sacred grove, and

(*d*) any Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

(*2*) Nothing in clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*) shall confer on any grantee of a resumable tenure, or any of his successors, any right over minerals which he does not otherwise possess.

CHAPTER IV.

OCCUPANCY-RAIYATS.

General.

Continuance of existing occupancy rights.

14. Every raiyat who, immediately before the commencement of this Act, has, by the operation of any enactment, or by custom or usage or otherwise, a right of occupancy in any land, shall, when this Act comes into force, have a right of occupancy in that land notwithstanding the fact that he may not have cultivated or held the land for a period of twelve years. [1885, s. 19 (1).]

Definition of "settled raiyat."

15. (*1*) Every person who, for a period of twelve years, whether wholly or partly before or after the commencement of this Act, has continuously held as a raiyat land situate in any village, whether under a lease or otherwise, shall be deemed to have become, on the expiration of that period, a settled raiyat of that village. [1879, s. 6, paras. 1, 2, & 1885, s. 20.]

(2) A person shall be deemed, for the purposes of this section, to have continuously held land in a village notwithstanding that the particular land held by him has been different at different times.

(3) A person shall be deemed, for the purposes of this section, to have held as a raiyat any land held as a raiyat by a person whose heir he is.

(*4*) Land held by two or more co-sharers as a raiyati holding shall be deemed, for the purposes of this section, to have been held as a raiyat by each such co-sharer.

(*5*) A person shall continue to be a settled raiyat of a village as long as he holds any land as a raiyat in that village and for three years thereafter.

(*6*) If a raiyat recovers possession of land under section 71, or by suit, he shall be deemed to have continued to be a settled raiyat notwithstanding his having been out of possession more than three years.

(*7*) If, in any suit or proceeding, it is proved or admitted that a person holds any land as a raiyat, it shall, as between him and the landlord under whom he holds the land, be presumed, for the purposes of this section, until the contrary is proved or admitted, that he has for twelve years continuously held that land or some part of it as a raiyat.

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Bhuinhars and Mundari khunt-kattidars to be settled raiyats in certain cases.

16. The following classes of persons, namely :—

(*a*) where any land in a village, other than land known as manjhihas or bethkheta, is entered in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869,—all members of any Bhuinhari family holding land in such village, and [Ben. Act I of 1869.]

(*b*) where any village contains land not forming part of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, and an entry of Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies or of Mundari khunt-kattidars in such village has been made in any record-of-rights as finally published under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act—all male members of any Mundari khunt-kattidari family holding land in such village,

shall be deemed to be settled raiyats for the purposes of this Act, in regard to the raiyati land which they cultivate in such village; and the provisions of sub-sections (4), (5) and (6) of section 15 shall apply to such persons.

Settled raiyats to have occupancy rights.

17. (*1*) Every person who is a settled raiyat of a village within the meaning of section 15 or section 16 shall have a right of occupancy in all land for the time being held by him as a raiyat in that village. [1879, s. 6, para. 1; 1885, s. 21.]

(*2*) Every person who, being a settled raiyat of a village within the meaning of section 15 or section 16, held land as a raiyat in that village at any time between 1st January, 1907, and the commencement of this Act shall be deemed to have acquired a right of occupancy in that land under the law then in force; but nothing in this sub-section shall affect any decree or order passed by any Court before the commencement of this Act.

Effect of acquisition of occupancy-right by landlord.

18. (*1*) When the immediate landlord of an occupancy holding is a proprietor or a permanent tenure-holder, and the entire interest of the landlord and the raiyat in the holding become united in the same person by transfer, succession or otherwise, such person shall not retain a right of occupancy in the holding, but shall hold the same as a proprietor or permanent-tenure holder, as the case may be; but nothing in this sub-section shall prejudicially affect the rights of any third person. [1885, s. 22.]

(*2*) If an occupancy-right in land is transferred to a person jointly interested in the land as proprietor or permanent tenure-holder, he shall be entitled to hold the land subject to the payment to his co-proprietors or joint permanent tenure-holders of the shares of the rent which may be from time to time payable to them; and, if such transferee sub-lets the land to a third person, such third person shall be deemed to be a tenure-holder or a raiyat, as the case may be, in respect of the land.

Illustration.—*A*, a co-sharer landlord, purchases the occupancy holding of a raiyat *X*. *A* is entitled himself to hold the land on payment to his co-sharers of the shares of the rent payable to them in respect of the holding. *A* sub-lets the land to *Y*, who takes it for the purpose of establishing tenants on it; *Y* becomes a tenure-holder in respect of the land. Or *A* sub-lets it to *Z*, who takes it for the purpose of cultivating it himself; *Z* becomes a raiyat in respect of the land.

(*3*) A person interested in any estate, tenure, village or land, whether solely or jointly with others, as a temporary tenure-holder, ijaradar or farmer of rents or as a mortgagee in possession shall not, during the period of his lease or mortgage, acquire by purchase or otherwise a right of occupancy in any land comprised in his lease or mortgage:

Provided that nothing in this sub-section shall prohibit the acquisition of occupancy rights by any tenure-holder or farmer of rents who by established custom or usage has a right to acquire the same.

Explanation.—A person having a right of occupancy in land does not lose it by subsequently becoming jointly interested in the land as proprietor or permanent tenure-holder, or by subsequently holding the land in ijara or farm.

(*4*) [Omitted.]

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Incidents of occupancy-right.

Rights of occupancy-raiyat in respect of use of land.

19. When a raiyat has a right of occupancy in respect of any land, he may use the land in any manner which is authorized by local custom or usage and which does not materially impair the value of the land or render it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy. [1885, s. 23.]

Obligation of occupancy-raiyat to pay rent

20. An occupancy-raiyat shall pay rent for his holding at a fair and equitable rate. [1879, s. 8, para. 1. 1885, s. 24.]

Protection of occupancy-raiyat from eviction except on specified grounds.

21. An occupancy-raiyat shall not be ejected by his landlord from his holding, except in execution of a decree for ejectment passed on the ground— [1885, s. 25.]

(*a*) that he has used the land comprised in his holding in a manner which is not authorized by local custom or usage and which materially impairs the value of the land or renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy, or

(*b*) that he has broken a condition, consistent with the provisions of this Act, and on breach of which he is, under the terms of a contract between himself and his landlord, liable to be ejected.

Devolution of occupancy-right on death.

22. If a raiyat dies intestate in respect of a right of occupancy, it shall, subject to any custom to the contrary, descend in the same manner as other immovable property: [1885, s. 26.]

Provided that in any case in which, under the law of inheritance to which the raiyat is subject, his other property goes to the Crown, his right of occupancy shall be extinguished.

Enhancement of rent.

Presumption as to fair and equitable rent in case of occupancy-raiyat.

23. The rent for the time being payable by an occupancy-raiyat shall be presumed to be fair and equitable until the contrary is proved. [1879, s. 8, para. 2 1885, s. 27.]

Confirmation of rents enhanced prior to commencement of this Act.

24. When the rent of an occupancy-raiyat whose rent is liable to enhancement has been enhanced before the commencement of this Act, otherwise than by a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector acting under section 24 of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, such enhanced rent shall be deemed to be lawfully payable— Ben. Act I of 1879.]

(*a*) if it has been actually paid continuously for seven years before the commencement of this Act; and

(*b*) if it is fair and equitable;

but not otherwise:

Provided that, where the rate of rent lawfully payable by an occupancy-raiyat for his holding has been made an issue in any suit for arrears of rent, and the Court has arrived at a finding on that issue, the rate of rent so found shall be lawfully payable by the raiyat for the holding.

Methods in which rent of occupancy-raiyat may be enhanced.

25. (1) From and after the commencement of this Act,—

(*a*) in any area for which a record-of-rights has not been finally published under this Act or under any Act in force before the commencement of this Act, or for which an order has not been issued under this Act or under any Act in force before the commencement of this Act for the preparation of such a record, the money-rent of an occupancy-raiyat whose rent is liable to enhancement may be enhanced only by order of the Deputy Commissioner passed under section 27; and [1879, ss. 21, 22. 1885, s. 28.]

(*b*) in any area for which a record-of-rights has been finally published as aforesaid, or for which an order has been issued as aforesaid for the preparation of such a record, the money-rent of an occupancy-raiyat whose rent is liable to enhancement shall be enhanced only by order of a Revenue-officer passed under Chapter XII.

(*2*) No enhancement of such rent made after the commencement of this Act in any manner other than that referred to in clause (*a*) or clause (*b*), as the case may be, whether by private contract or otherwise, shall for any reason be recognized or given effect to in any suit or proceeding in any Court.

Contents of application to Deputy Commissioner for enhancement

26. (*1*) Every application to the Deputy Commissioner for the enhancement of the rent of an occupancy holding shall specify :— [18 22

(*a*) such particulars as may be prescribed regarding the area, situation, local names, quality and boundaries of the parcels of land constituting the holding ;

(*b*) the rates of rent (if any) payable by the raiyat for the different classes of land constituting the holding, and the yearly rent lawfully payable for the holding at the date of the application ;

(*c*) the rates (if any) generally prevailing in the village for the different classes of land ;

(*d*) the date (as nearly as it can be ascertained) when the rates of rent generally prevailing were last adjusted in the village ;

(*e*) the rates which the applicant desires to demand ; and

(*f*) the grounds on which the applicant considers that he is entitled to the enhancement claimed ;

(*2*) Sections 142 to 145 shall apply to every application made under this section.

Notice of application.

27. (*1*) When any such application has been received, the Deputy Commissioner— [1879, s. 21.]

(*a*) shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the raiyat, and

(*b*) may, if he thinks fit, order a measurement of the land, and

(*c*) may, upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the application, and after hearing any objection advanced by the raiyat, by order, fix such enhanced rent, or otherwise vary the rent for the said land, as to him may seem fair and reasonable, for such period, not being less than ten nor more than twenty years, as he may think fit :

Provided that no enhancement shall be ordered except on one or more of the following grounds, namely,— [U. P. Act II of 1901 s. 43 (1)]

(*i*) that the rate of the rent paid by the raiyat is below the prevailing rate paid by occupancy-raiyats for land of similar quality and with similar advantages ;

(*ii*) that there has been a rise in the average local prices of staple food-crops during the currency of the present rent ;

(*iii*) that the productive powers of the land held by the raiyat have been increased by an improvement effected during the currency of the present rent, otherwise than by the agency or at the expense of the raiyat :

Provided also that no enhancement shall be ordered [1885, s. 36.]

which is under the circumstances of the case unfair or

Provided, further, that all enhancements shall be limited in the prescribed manner (if any).

(*2*) The rent as fixed or varied under sub-section (*1*) shall be payable by the said raiyat from the commencement of the agricultural year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit instituted against him for arrears of rent.

(*3*) Nothing in this section shall bar the right of a raiyat to claim at any time under section 33 a reduction of the rent previously paid by him.

Power to direct gradual enhancement.

28. Where the Deputy Commissioner considers that the immediate enforcement of the full enhancement ordered under section 27 is likely to be attended with hardship, he may direct that the enhancement shall be gradual; that is to say, that the rent shall increase yearly by degrees, for any number of years not exceeding five, until the limit of the full enhancement has been reached. [1885, s. 36.]

Meaning of "enhancement."

29. The word "enhancement" (with its grammatical variations), as used in sections 24 to 28, shall not include an increase of rent in respect of land held by a raiyat in excess of the area for which rent has previously been paid by him, or in respect of the conversion of upland into korkar; but shall include any commutation of rent payable in money into rent payable wholly or partly in kind.

Increase of Rent in respect of Excess Area.

Application for increase of rent in respect of land held in excess of the area for which rent was previously paid.

30. (1) Where land is held by an occupancy-raiyat in excess of the area of which rent has previously been paid by him, no increase shall be made to the rent payable by him, except by order of a Revenue-officer passed under Chapter XII or by order of the Deputy Commissioner passed on an application made to him by the landlord. [*Cf.* 1885, s. 52.]

(2) Every such application shall specify—

(*a*) the yearly rent lawfully payable by the raiyat at the date of the application,

(*b*) the area and description of the land for which the said rent is payable,

(*c*) the proceedings (if any) by which the said rent was fixed,

(*d*) the general rate prevailing in the village for different classes of lands,

(*e*) the date (as nearly as it can be ascertained) when the said general rate was last adjusted in the village,

(*f*) the area and description of the land held in excess of the area for which rent has previously been paid, and in respect of which an increase of rent is claimed,

(*g*) the amount of the said increase,

(*h*) the manner in which the said increase has been, or should be, assessed, and

(*i*) any other prescribed particulars.

(3) If a survey and a record-of-rights have been made under this Act, or under any other law in force before the commencement of this Act, in respect of any land referred to in clause (*b*) or clause (*f*) of sub-section (2), the "area and description" required by those clauses, respectively, shall be specified by stating the plot number, area and class of each field included in the land, as shown by such survey and record.

(4) Sections 142 to 145 shall apply to every application made under this section.

Procedure on receipt of such application.

31. (1) When any such application has been received, the Deputy Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1885, s. 52.]

(*a*) shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to—

(*b*) shall refer to the entry (if any) relating to the tenancy in the record-of-rights prepared under this Act or any other law for the time being in force,

(*c*) may, if he thinks fit, order a measurement of the land held by the raiyat, and

(*d*) may, upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the application, and after hearing any objection advanced by the raiyat and making such further inquiry as the Deputy Commissioner may think necessary, order such an increase, whether progressive or otherwise, as he may consider to be fair and reasonable :

Provided that an increase of rent shall not be ordered where it would contravene any local custom or usage prohibiting an increase of rent in respect of the increase in area of a holding.

(2) When any increase has been so ordered, it shall be payable from the commencement of the agricultural year following that in which the order is passed, and may be recovered from the raiyat in any suit instituted against him for arrears of rent.

Savings.

32. Nothing in sections 30 and 31 shall prohibit a landlord—

(*a*) from settling new lands with a raiyat, in any manner authorized by law, in addition to the area already held by him, or

(*b*) from assessing rents on lands converted from upland into korkar in accordance with the general custom or usage prevailing in the village.

Reduction of Rent.

Application to Deputy Commissioner for reduction of rent.

33. (*1*) Any occupancy-raiyat wishing to claim a reduction of the rent previously paid by him may present an application to the Deputy Commissioner to assess the rent on the land in respect of which such reduction is sought and (if necessary) to measure the land. [1879, s. 27.

(*2*) Every such application shall specify—

(*a*) the yearly rent lawfully payable by the raiyat at the date of the application ;

(*b*) the area and description of the land for which the said rent is payable ;

(*c*) the proceedings (if any) by which the said rent was fixed ;

(*d*) the general rate prevailing in the village for different classes of lands ;

(*e*) the date (as nearly as it can be ascertained) when the said general rate was last adjusted in the village ;

(*f*) the amount of reduction claimed ;

(*g*) the grounds on which such reduction is claimed ; and

(*h*) any other prescribed particulars.

(*3*) Sections 142 to 145 shall apply to every application made under this section.

Procedure on receipt of such application.

34. (*1*) When any such application has been received, the Deputy Commissioner— [1879, s. 28.]

(*a*) shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the landlord, and

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(*c*) may, upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the application, and after hearing any objection advanced by the landlord, by order, fix such reduced rent, or otherwise vary the rent for the said land, as to him may seem fair and reasonable, for such period, not being less than ten nor more than twenty years, as he may think fit :

Provided that no reduction shall be ordered except on one or other of the following grounds, namely,— [C. 1885, s. 38.

(*i*) that the soil of the holding has, without the fault of the raiyat, become permanently deteriorated by a deposit of sand or other specific cause, sudden or gradual ;

(*ii*) that there has been a fall, not due to a temporary cause, in the average local prices of staple food-crops during the currency of the present rent.

(*2*) The rent as so fixed or varied shall be payable by the raiyat from the commencement of the agricultural year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit instituted against him for arrears of rent.

(*3*) Nothing in this section shall bar the right of the landlord to claim at any time an enhancement under section 27 of the rent of such raiyat.

Meaning of "reduction" [C. C. 1885, s. 38, and cl. 29 of present Bill.

34A. The words "reduction" and "reduced rent," as used in sections 33 and 34, shall not include a decrease of rent made on the ground that the land held by a raiyat is of less area than the area for which rent has previously been paid by him.

Decrease of Rent in respect of Decrease in Area.

Application for decrease of rent on the ground that the land held is of less area than that for which rent was previously [C. C. 1885, s. 52, and cl. 30 of present Bill.]

34B. (1) Where the land held by an occupancy-raiyat is of less area than the area for which rent has previously been paid by him, no decrease shall be made in the rent payable by him, except by order of a Revenue-officer passed under Chapter XII or by order of the Deputy Commissioner passed on an application made to him by the raiyat.

(2) Every such application shall specify—

(*a*) the yearly rent lawfully payable by the raiyat at the date of the application,

(*b*) the area and description of the land for which the said rent is payable,

(*c*) the proceedings (if any) by which the said rent was fixed,

(*d*) the general rate prevailing in the village for different classes of lands,

(*e*) the date (as nearly as it can be ascertained) when the said general rate was last adjusted in the village,

(*f*) the area and description of the land held by the raiyat at the time of making the application,

(*g*) the amount of the decrease claimed by the raiyat in his rent on the ground that the land held by him is of less area than the area for which rent has previously been paid by him,

(*h*) the manner in which the said decrease has been, or should be, assessed, and

(*i*) any other prescribed particulars.

(3) If a survey and record-of-rights have been made under this Act, or under any other law in force before the commencement of this Act, in respect of any land referred to in clause (*b*) or clause (*f*) of sub-section (2), the "area and description" required by those clauses, respectively, shall be specified by stating the plot number, area and class of each field included in the land, as shown by such survey and

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(4) Sections 142 to 145 shall apply to every application made under this section.

Procedure on receipt of such application.

34C. (1) When any such application has been received, the Deputy Commissioner— [*Cf.* 1885, s. 52, and cl. 31 of present Bill.]

(*a*) shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the landlord,

(*b*) shall refer to the entry (if any) relating to the tenancy in the record-of-rights prepared under this Act or any other law for the time being in force,

(*c*) may, if he thinks fit, order a measurement of the land held by the raiyat, and

(*d*) may, upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the application, and after hearing any objection advanced by the landlord and making such further inquiry as the Deputy Commissioner may think necessary, order such a decrease, whether progressive or otherwise, as he may consider to be fair and reasonable:

Provided that a decrease of rent shall not be ordered where it would contravene any local custom or usage prohibiting a decrease of rent in respect of the decrease in area of a holding.

(2) When any decrease has been so ordered, it shall take effect from the commencement of the agricultural year following that in which the order is passed, and may be set off by the raiyat in any suit instituted against him for arrears of rent.

Commutation of Rent payable in Kind.

Application for commutation of rent payable in kind.

35. (*1*) When any occupancy-raiyat pays for a holding rent in kind, or on the estimated value of a portion of the crop, or at rates varying with the crop, or partly in one of those ways and partly in another, or partly in any of those ways and partly in money, then the rent so payable shall not be altered, whether by private contract or otherwise, except on the application of either the raiyat or his landlord to have the rent commuted to a money-rent. [1885 s. 40.]

(*2*) Such application may be made to the Deputy Commissioner or a Revenue-officer.

(*3*) When any such application is made, the Deputy Commissioner or Revenue-officer may determine the sum to be paid as money-rent, and may order that the raiyat shall, in lieu of paying his rent in kind or otherwise as aforesaid, pay the sum so determined.

(*4*) In making the determination, the said officer shall have regard to—

(*a*) the average money-rent payable by occupancy-raiyats for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the vicinity;

(*b*) the average nett value of the rent actually received by the landlord during the preceding ten years, or during any shorter period for which evidence may be available;

(*c*) the charges incurred by the landlord in respect of irrigation under the system of rent in kind, and the arrangements made on commutation for continuing those charges; and

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(*5*) The order shall be in writing, and shall state the grounds on which it is made and the time from which it is to take effect.

(*6*) When any such order is made by a Deputy Commissioner, it shall be subject to appeal as provided in Chapter XVI.

(*7*) When any such order is made by a Revenue-officer, an appeal shall lie, in the prescribed manner, to the Commissioner, or to any officer appointed by the Local Government to hear such appeals.

(*8*) If the application is opposed, the officer shall consider whether, under all the circumstances of the case, it is reasonable to grant it, and shall grant or refuse it accordingly. If he refuses it he shall record in writing the reasons for the refusal.

(*9*) Nothing contained in this section shall bind or authorize any officer acting hereunder to assess on any holding any amount in excess of a fair and equitable rent.

Period for which commuted rents are to remain unaltered.

36. (*1*) Where the rent of a holding has been commuted under section 35, it shall not, except on the ground of a landlord's improvement or of a subsequent alteration of the area of the holding, be increased for fifteen years; nor shall it be reduced for fifteen years, save on the ground of alteration in the area of the holding or on the ground that the soil of the holding has, without the fault of the raiyat, become permanently deteriorated by a deposit of sand or other specific cause, sudden or gradual. [1885, s. 40A.]

(*2*) The said period of fifteen years shall be counted from the date on which the order takes effect under sub-section (*5*) of section 35.

CHAPTER V.

RAIYATS HAVING KHUNT-KATTI RIGHTS.

Incidents of tenancy of raiyat having khunt-katti rights.

37. The provisions of this Act relating to occupancy-raiyats shall apply also to raiyats having khunt-katti rights:

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) the rent of a raiyat having khunt-katti rights shall not be enhanced if his tenancy was created more than twenty years before the commencement of this Act; and [1879, s. 19.]

(*b*) when an order is made for the enhancement of the rent paid by any such raiyat for any land, the enhanced rent fixed by such order shall not exceed one-half of the rent payable by an occupancy-raiyat for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the same village.

CHAPTER VI.

NON-OCCUPANCY RAIYATS.

Initial rent and lease of non-occupancy-raiyat.

38. Subject to any local custom or usage, a non-occupancy raiyat shall, when admitted to the occupation of land, become liable to pay such rent as may be agreed on between himself and his landlord at the time of his admission, and shall be entitled to a lease only at such rates and on such conditions as may be so agreed on. [1879, s. 9. 1885, s. 42.]

Effect of acquisition by landlord of the right of a non-occupancy-raiyat in his holding.

39. The provisions of section 18 shall apply in the case of the right of a non-occupancy-raiyat in his holding, in the same way that they apply to an occupancy-right.

Conditions of enhancement of rent of non-occupancy-raiyat.

40. The rent of a non-occupancy-raiyat shall not be enhanced except by registered [illegible] [1885, s. 43.

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Grounds on which non-occupancy-raiyat may be ejected.

41. A non-occupancy raiyat shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be liable to ejectment on one or more of the following grounds, and not otherwise, namely:— [1879, ss. 1, 32A. 1885, s. 44.]

(*a*) on the ground that he has failed to pay an arrear of rent;

(*b*) on the ground that he has used the land comprised in his holding in a manner which is not authorized by local custom or usage and which materially impairs the value of the land or renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy;

(*c*) on the ground that he has broken a condition, consistent with this Act, on breach of which he is, under the terms of a contract between himself and his landlord, liable to be ejected;

(*d*) where he has been admitted to occupation of the land under a registered lease, on the ground that the term of the lease has expired;

(*e*) on the ground that he has refused to agree to pay a fair and equitable rent determined under section 42, or that the term for which he is entitled to hold at such a rent has expired.

Conditions of ejectment on ground of refusal to agree to pay a fair and equitable rent.

42. (*1*) A suit for ejectment on the ground of refusal to agree to pay a fair and equitable rent shall not be instituted against a non-occupancy raiyat unless the landlord has tendered to the raiyat an agreement to pay the rent which he demands and the raiyat has, within six months before the institution of the suit, refused to execute the agreement. [1885, s. 46 (1) to (9)

(*2*) A landlord desiring to tender an agreement to a raiyat under this section may either—

(*a*) file it, in the office of such Court or officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf, for service on the raiyat, or

(*b*) send it to the raiyat direct, either by registered post or by any other means.

(*3*) When an agreement has been filed, under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*2*), in the office of any Court or officer, such Court or officer shall forthwith cause it to be served on the raiyat in the manner provided by section 252 for the service of notices.

(*4*) When an agreement has been served on a raiyat under sub-section (*3*), or when it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that an agreement has been sent to a raiyat by registered post, or, if sent to him by any other means referred to in clause (*b*) of sub-section (*2*), has duly reached him, the agreement shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to have been tendered.

(*5*) If a raiyat on whom an agreement has been served under sub-section (*3*), or to whom an agreement has been sent under sub-section (*2*) clause (*b*), executes it, and within one month from the date of service files it in the office from which it issued, it shall take effect from the commencement of the agricultural year next following.

(*6*) When an agreement has been executed and filed by a raiyat under sub-section (*5*), the Court or officer in whose office it is so filed shall forthwith cause a notice of its being so executed and filed to be served on the landlord.

(*7*) If the raiyat does not execute the agreement and file it under sub-section (*5*), he shall be deemed, for the purposes of this section, to have refused to execute it.

(*8*) If a raiyat refuses to execute an agreement tendered to him under this section, and the landlord thereupon institutes a suit to eject him, the Court shall determine what rent is fair and equitable for the holding.

(*9*) If the raiyat agrees to pay the rent so determined, he shall be entitled to remain in occupation of his holding at that rent for a term of five years from the date of the agreement, but on the expiration of that term shall be liable to ejectment under the conditions mentioned in section 41, unless he has acquired a right of occupancy.

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(*11*) In determining what rent is fair and equitable, the Court shall have regard to the rents generally paid by non-occupancy raiyats for land of a similar description and with like advantages in the same village and (if the Court thinks fit) in adjoining villages.

Decree for ejectment when to take effect.

43. A decree for ejectment passed under this Chapter shall take effect from the end of the agricultural year in which it is passed. [1885, s. 46 (*10*).]

CHAPTER VII.

LANDS EXEMPTED FROM CHAPTERS IV AND VI.

Bar to acquisition of right of occupancy in, and to application of Chapter VI to, landlords' privileged lands and certain other lands.

44. Notwithstanding anything contained in Chapter IV, a right of occupancy shall not be acquired in, nor shall anything contained in Chapter VI apply to,— [1879, s. 6, para 1. 1885, s. 116.]

(*a*) landlords' privileged lands referred to in sub-clause (*a*) of section 117, when they are let under a registered lease for a term of years or from year to year, or

(*b*) landlords' privileged lands referred to in sub-clause (*b*) of section 117, or

(*c*) land acquired under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, for the Government or any Local Authority or Railway Company, or land belonging to the Government within a cantonment, while such land remains the property of the Government or of any Local Authority or Railway Company. [1 of 1894.

CHAPTER VIII.

LEASES AND TRANSFERS OF HOLDINGS AND TENURES.

Raiyat entitled to a lease.

45. Every raiyat shall be entitled to receive from his landlord a lease containing the following particulars, namely :— [1879, s. 5.]

(*a*) the quantity and boundaries of the land comprised in his holding; and, where fields have been numbered in a Government survey, the number of each field ;

(*b*) the amount of yearly rent lawfully payable for such land;

(*c*) the instalments in which the rent is to be paid ;

(*d*) if the rent is payable wholly or partially in kind, the proportion or quantity of produce to be delivered, and the time and manner of delivery; and

(*e*) any special conditions of the lease.

Landlord entitled to counterpart engagement.

46. Whenever a landlord grants a lease to a tenant, or tenders to a tenant a lease such as he is entitled to receive, the landlord shall be entitled to receive from such tenant a counterpart engagement in conformity with the terms of the lease. [1879, s. 10.]

Restrictions on transfer of their rights by raiyats.

47. (*1*) No transfer by a raiyat of his right in his holding or any portion thereof,— [1879, s. 10B.]

(*a*) by mortgage or lease, for any period, expressed or implied, which exceeds or might in any possible event exceed five years, or

(*b*) by sale, gift or any other contract or agreement,

shall be valid to any extent:

Provided that a raiyat may enter into a bhugut bandha mortgage of his holding or any portion thereof for any period not exceeding seven years.

(*2*) No transfer by a raiyat of his right in his holding or any portion thereof shall be binding on the landlord unless it is made with his consent in writing.

(*3*) No transfer in contravention of sub-section (*1*) shall be registered, or shall be in any way recognised as valid by any Court, whether in the exercise of civil, criminal or revenue jurisdiction.

(*4*) At any time after the expiration of the period for which a raiyat has, under this section, transferred his right in his holding or any portion thereof, the Deputy Commissioner may, in his discretion, on the application of the raiyat, put the raiyat into possession of such holding or portion.

(*5*) Nothing in this section shall affect the validity of any transfer (not otherwise invalid) of a raiyat's right in his holding

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Restrictions on sale of raiyats' rights under order of Court.

48. No decree or order shall be passed by any Court for the sale of the right of a raiyat in his holding, nor shall any such right be sold in execution of any decree or order: [1879, s. 10A (1).]

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) any holding may be sold, in execution of a decree of a competent Court, to recover an arrear of rent which has accrued in respect of the holding;

(*b*) any holding may be sold, under the procedure provided by the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, for the recovery of a loan granted for the benefit of the holding under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, or the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884, or otherwise by the Local Government; and — Ben. Act I of 1895. XIX of 1883. XII of 1884.

(*c*) nothing in this section shall affect the right to execute a decree for sale of a holding passed, or the terms or conditions of any contract registered, before the first day of January, 1903.

Explanation I.—Where a holding is held under joint landlords, and a decree has been passed for the share of the rent due to one or more, but not all, of them, proviso (*a*) does not authorise the sale of the holding in execution of such decree.

Explanation II.—Proviso (*c*) does not render valid any document which is otherwise illegal or invalid, or authorise a Court to take judicial cognizance of any such document. Ben. Act II of 1869.

Restrictions on transfer and sale of Bhuinhari tenures.

49. Where any land in a village, other than land known as manjhihas or bethkheta, is entered in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, then—

(*a*) sections 47 and 48 shall apply also to all members of any Bhuinhari family holding land in such village, and to the land so held, as if they were raiyats and holdings, respectively, with the substitution of "the first day of January, 1908" for "the first day of January, 1903," and

(*b*) if any member of any such family transfers the land so held, or any part thereof, by lease, the lessee shall not aquire a right of occupancy therein. [Cf. 1885, s. 84.]

Transfer of occupancy holding or Bhuinhari tenure for certain purposes.

50. (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in sections 47, 48 and 49, any occupancy-raiyat, or any member of a Bhuinhari family who is referred to in section 49, may, without the consent of the landlord, transfer his holding or tenure or any part thereof for any reasonable and sufficient purpose having relation to the good of the holding or tenure, or of the tenure or estate in which it is comprised, such as the use of the land for any charitable, religious or educational purpose, or for the purposes of manufacture or irrigation, or as building ground for any such purpose, or for access to land used or required for any such purpose:

Provided that the transfer shall be made by registered deed, and that, before the deed is registered and the land transferred, the written consent of the Deputy Commissioner shall be obtained to the terms of the deed and to the transfer.

(2) Before consenting to any such transfer the Deputy Commissioner shall satisfy himself that the landlord is adequately compensated for the transfer, and, where only part of a holding or tenure is transferred, may, if he thinks fit, apportion between the transferee and the original tenant the rent payable for the holding or tenure.

Acquisition of holding by landlord for certain purposes.

51. Notwithstanding anything contained in sections 47 and 48, the Deputy Commissioner may, on the application of the landlord of a holding, [1885, s. 84.]

and on being satisfied that he is desirous of acquiring the holding or any part thereof for some reasonable and sufficient purpose having relation to the good of the holding or of the tenure or estate in which it is comprised, such as the use of the land for any charitable, religious or educational purpose, or for the purpose

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for any such purpose or for access to land used or required for any such purpose,

and after such inquiry as the Deputy Commissioner may think necessary,

authorise the acquisition thereof by the landlord upon such conditions as the Deputy Commissioner may think fit, and require the tenant to sell his interest in the holding or part to the landlord upon such terms as may be approved by the Deputy Commissioner, including full compensation to the tenant.

Tenant not liable to transferee of landlord's interest for rent paid to former landlord, without notice of the transfer.

52. (1) A tenant shall not, when his landlord's interest is transferred, be liable to the transferee for rent which became due after the transfer and was paid in good faith to the landlord whose interest was so transferred, unless the transferee has before the payment given notice of the transfer to the tenant. [1885, s. 72.]

(2) Where there is more than one tenant paying rent to the landlord whose interest is transferred, a general notice from the transferee to the tenants, published in the prescribed manner, shall be a sufficient notice for the purposes of this section.

CHAPTER IX.

GENERAL PROVISIONS AS TO RENT.

Payment of rent.

Instalments.

53. Subject to any registered agreement or established custom or usage to the contrary, a money-rent payable by a tenant shall be payable in four equal instalments falling due on the last day of each quarter of the agricultural year. [1885, s. 53.]

Methods of payment of rent.

54. Payment of rent by a tenant to his landlord in respect of the land held or cultivated by the tenant may be made, either— [1879, s. 13, para. 1. 1885, s. 54(2).]

(*a*) by tendering the rent at the mal-cutcherry for the receipt of rents or other place where the rent of such land is usually payable, or

(*b*) by remitting the amount of the rent to the landlord or his agent by postal money-order in the prescribed form and manner.

Receipts for rent and interest thereon.

55. (*1*) Every tenant who makes a payment on account of rent, or interest due thereon, or both, to his landlord shall be entitled to obtain forthwith from the landlord or his agent a signed receipt for the same, in the prescribed form. [1879, s. 12. *Cf.* 1885, ss. 56 to 59.]

(*2*) The landlord or his agent shall prepare and retain a counterfoil, in the prescribed form, of the receipt.

(*3*) If any landlord or his agent, without reasonable cause, fails to grant such a receipt or to prepare and retain such a counterfoil, then, on proof thereof, the Deputy Commissioner may, in a summary proceeding, by order, impose on the landlord a fine which may extend to fifty rupees in respect of each such failure; and may, in his discretion, award to the tenant, by way of compensation, such portion of the fine as the Deputy Commissioner may think fit.

(*4*) If, in any suit or other proceeding under this Act or any other law, the Court or presiding officer (not being the Deputy Commissioner) finds that any landlord or agent has failed—

(*a*) to deliver to a tenant a receipt in the prescribed form, or

(*b*) to prepare and retain a counterfoil in the prescribed form of a receipt delivered to a tenant as aforesaid,

such Court or officer shall inform the Deputy Commissioner.

(5) If, in any proceeding instituted under sub-section (3), the Deputy Commissioner discharges any landlord, and is satisfied that the complaint of the tenant on which the proceedings were instituted is false or vexatious, the Deputy Commissioner may, in his discretion, by his order of discharge, direct the tenant to pay to the landlord such compensation not exceeding fifty

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Deposit of rent in Court of Deputy Commissioner.

56. (1) In any of the following cases, namely,— [1879, s. 13. 1885, s. 61(*1*).]

(*a*) when a tenant tenders or remits money on account of rent, and the landlord or his agent refuses to receive it or refuses to grant a receipt for it; or

(*b*) when a tenant who is bound to pay money on account of rent has reason to believe, owing to a tender having been refused or a receipt withheld on a previous occasion, that the landlord or his agent will not be willing to receive it and to grant him a receipt for it; or

(*c*) when the rent is payable to co-sharers jointly, and the tenant is unable to obtain the joint receipt of the co-sharers for the money, and no person has been empowered to receive the rent on their behalf; or

(d) when the tenant entertains a *bonâ fide* doubt as to who is entitled to receive the rent,

the tenant, whether a suit has been instituted against him or not, may, within three months from the date on which such rent become due, deposit to the credit of the landlord the full amount which he considers to be due from him, in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner having jurisdiction to entertain a suit or application for such rent;

and such deposit shall, as far as the tenant and all persons claiming through or under him are concerned, in all respects operate as, and have the full effect of, a payment then made by the tenant of the amount deposited to the credit of the landlord.

(2) When any deposit has been made in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner under this section, it shall be presumed, until the contrary is proved, that the deposit has been lawfully made.

Procedure on receipt of deposit, and payment of same.

57. (*1*) On the written application of the tenant or his agent, and on his making a declaration in the prescribed form, the Deputy Commissioner shall receive such deposit and give a receipt for the sum deposited. [1879, s. 14. *Cf.* 1885, ss. 62 to 64.]

(*2*) The Deputy Commissioner shall, as soon as possible after the receipt of any money so deposited, issue a notice, in the prescribed form, to the landlord to whose credit it has been deposited.

(*3*) If the landlord, or his agent, appears and applies that the money in deposit be paid to him, the Deputy Commissioner shall pay the amount to him, if he appears to be entitled to the same, or may, if he thinks fit, retain the amount pending a decision by a Civil Court declaring what person is so entitled. [1885, s. 64(1).]

(*4*) If no payment is made under sub-section (*3*) in respect of any deposit before the expiration of three years from the date on which such deposit was made, the amount deposited may, in the absence of any order of a Civil Court to the contrary, be repaid to the depositor upon his application and on his returning the receipt given by the Deputy Commissioner.

Limitation of suit or application for rent due prior to deposit.

58. Whenever any deposit has been made under section 56, no suit shall be maintained, and no application for a certificate under section 242 shall be entertained, against the person making the deposit, or his representatives, on account of any rent which accrued due prior to the date of the deposit, unless such suit be instituted or such application be made within six months from the date of the service of the notice issued under section 57 in respect of such deposit. [1879, s. 15.]

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Arrears of Rent.

What to be deemed arrear of rent; interest on arrears.

59. Any instalment of rent which is not paid before sunset on the day when the same is payable shall be deemed an arrear of rent, and shall be liable to simple interest not exceeding twelve-and-a-half *per centum per annum* : [1879, ss. 30, 31. 1885, ss. 54 (*1*) (3)

Provided that the interest for the entire year in which any arrear accrues shall not exceed six-and-a-quarter *per centum* on the yearly rent lawfully payable.

Ejectment of tenure-holder and cancellation of lease for arrears.

60. When an arrear of rent is adjudged to be due from a tenure-holder not having a permanent or transferable interest in the land, the lease of such tenure-holder shall be liable to be cancelled and the tenure-holder shall be liable to ejectment: [1879, s. 32.]

Provided that no such cancellation or ejectment shall be made otherwise than in execution of a decree or order made under this Act.

Arrear of rent to be first charge on holding.

61. When a holding is sold for an arrear of rent which has accrued in respect thereof, the rent shall be a first charge on the holding. [1879, s. 10A (2).]

Penalties for illegal exaction of rent or prædial conditions.

Penalty on landlord levying anything in excess of rent or lawful prædial conditions.

62. (*1*) A landlord who, except under any special enactment for the time being in force, levies from a tenant any money in excess of the rent legally payable, with interest thereon, or enforces the observance by any tenant of any prædial condition to which he is not legally entitled, shall, on the application of the tenant, be liable, [1879, s. 11.

under the order of a Revenue-officer not below the rank of Deputy Commissioner, or of any officer who may be specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf,

to pay as penalty such sum as such officer thinks fit, not exceeding two hundred rupees, or, when double the amount or value of what is so levied or enforced exceeds two hundred rupees, not exceeding double that amount or value.

(*2*) Such sum shall be awarded to the tenant as compensation.

Damages for extorting payment of rent or interest by duress.

63(*1*). If payment of rent or interest thereon, whether the same be legally due or not, is extorted from any tenant by illegal confinement or other duress, such tenant shall be entitled, on application to the Deputy Commissioner, to recover such damages, not exceeding two hundred rupees, as the Deputy Commissioner may deem a reasonable compensation for the injury done to him by such extortion. [1879, s. 17.]

(*2*) An award of compensation under sub-section (*1*) shall not bar or affect any penalty or punishment to which the person practising such extortion may be subject by any other law.

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CHAPTER X.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS AS TO LANDLORD AND TENANT.

Korkar.

Cases in which consent of landlord is required for conversion of land into korkar.

64. (1) The oral or written consent of the landlord for the conversion of land into korkar shall be required in every case except—

(*a*) where the land was, before such conversion, included in the tenancy of a cultivator who has acquired a right of occupancy in it, or

(*b*) where, by the custom or usage of the village, tenure or estate, such consent is not necessary.

(2) In the following cases, namely,

(*i*) where any land in a village, other than land known as manjhihas or bethkheta, is entered in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, and Ben. Act I. Of 1869.

(*ii*) where any land in a village is entered as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, or any tenant of land in a village is entered as a Mundari khunt-kattidar, in any record of-rights finally published under this Act or under any other law in force before the commencement of this Act,

it shall be presumed, unless and until the contrary is proved, that the said consent is not required,—

in case (*i*), by a member of a Bhuinhari family, or

in case (*ii*), by a member of a Mundari khunt-katti family,

who holds land in such village.

Such consent to be deemed to have been given when ejectment not sought.

65. Where the consent of the landlord is required by section 64 for the conversion of land into korkar, such consent shall be deemed to have been given if, within two years from the date on which the cultivator commenced such conversion, the landlord has not made an application to the Deputy Commissioner for the ejectment of the cultivator.

Power to eject cultivator.

66. When any such application is made, the Deputy Commissioner may, after making such inquiry as he thinks fit, and if he is satisfied that the cultivator has no right to convert the land into korkar, order his ejectment therefrom.

Prohibition against conversion into korkar of cultivated or homestead land of another person.

67. Nothing in sections 64 and 65 shall authorize any cultivator to convert into korkar any land which is cultivated land or homestead land in the direct possession of any other person.

Right of occupancy in korkar.

68. Every raiyat who cultivates or holds korkar shall have a right of occupancy in such land, notwithstanding that he has not cultivated or held the land for a period of twelve years. [1879 s. 6, para. 4.]

Saving in case of custom or usage as to rent of korkar.

69. When in any village, tenure or estate there is a custom or usage whereby korkar is held—

(*a*) during preparation for cultivation, rent-free, or

(*b*) during or after preparation, at a rate of rent less than the rate payable for ordinary raiyati land in that village, tenure or estate,

nothing in this Act shall have the effect of destroying or modifying such custom or usage.

Ejectment.

Tenant not to be ejected except in execution of decree.

70. No tenant shall be ejected from his tenancy or any portion thereof except in execution of a decree, or in execution of an order of the Deputy Commissioner passed under this Act. [1885, s. 89.]

Power to replace in possession tenant unlawfully ejected.

71. If any tenant is ejected from his tenancy or any portion thereof in contravention of section 70, he may, within a period of one year from the date of such ejectment, present to the Deputy Commissioner an application praying to be replaced in possession of such tenancy or portion; and the Deputy Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, after making a summary inquiry, replace him in possession.

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Relinquishment and Abandonment.

Relinquishment of land by raiyat.

72. (*1*) Any raiyat may relinquish the land held or cultivated by him, provided he gives written notice of his intention to the landlord or his agent in or before the month of *Paush* of the year preceding that in which the relinquishment is to have effect. [1879, s. 29 *Cf.* 1885, s. 86.]

(*2*) If a raiyat fails to give such notice, and the land is not let to any other person, he shall continue liable for the rent of the land.

(*3*) If the landlord, or his agent, refuses to receive any notice given under sub-section (*1*) and to sign a receipt for the same, the raiyat may make an application to the Deputy Commissioner, who shall thereupon cause the notice to be served on such person or his agent, in the manner provided by section 252.

Abandonment of land by raiyat.

73. (1) If a raiyat voluntarily abandons the land held or cultivated by him, without notice to the landlord, and ceases either himself or through any other person to cultivate the land and to pay his rent as it falls due, the landlord may, at any time after the expiration of the agricultural year in which the raiyat so abandons and ceases to cultivate, enter on the holding and let it to another tenant or take it into cultivation himself. [1885, s. 87(1) to (3).]

(2) Before a landlord enters under this section, he shall send a notice to the Deputy Commissioner, in the prescribed manner, stating that he has treated the holding as abandoned and is about to enter on it accordingly; and the Deputy Commissioner shall cause a notice of the fact to be published in the prescribed manner.

(3) When a landlord enters under this section, the raiyat shall be entitled to apply to the Deputy Commissioner for the recovery of possession of the land at any time not later than the expiration of six years, in the case of an occupancy-raiyat, or, in the case of a non-occupancy raiyat, one year, from the date of the publication of the notice; and thereupon the Deputy Commissioner may, on being satisfied that the raiyat did not voluntarily abandon his holding, order recovery of the possession, on such terms (if any) with respect to compensation to persons injured and payment of arrears of rent as to him may seem just.

Continuance of Occupation.

Effect of lease purporting to admit to occupation after occupation has commenced.

74. When a tenure-holder, village headman or raiyat has been in occupation of a tenure or holding, and a lease is executed with a view to the continuance of such occupation, he shall not be deemed to be admitted to occupation by that lease, notwithstanding that the lease may purport to admit him to occupation. [1885, s. 47.]

Measurements.

Measurement of lands.

75. (*1*) Every landlord of an estate, tenure or Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy shall have a right to make a general survey or measurement of the lands comprised in such estate, tenure or tenancy, unless restrained from doing so by express engagement with the occupants of the lands. [1879, s. 33. 1885, s. 91(2).]

(*2*) If any landlord intending to measure any land which he has a right to measure is opposed in making such measurement by the occupant of the land,

or if any tenant, having received notice of the intended measurement of land held or cultivated by him, which is liable to such measurement, refuses to attend and point out such land,

the landlord may present an application to the Deputy Commissioner.

(*3*) On receipt of such application the Deputy Commissioner shall, after taking such evidence and making such inquiry as he considers necessary, pass an order either allowing or disallowing the measurement, and, if the case so requires, enjoining or excusing the attendance of any tenant.

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(*4*) If any tenant, after the issue of an order enjoining his attendance, refuses or neglects to attend, any map or other record of the boundaries and measurements of the land, prepared under the direction of the landlord at the time when the tenant was directed to attend, shall be presumed to be correct until the contrary is shown.

CHAPTER XI.

CUSTOM AND CONTRACT.

Saving of custom.

76. Nothing in this Act shall affect any custom, usage or customary right not inconsistent with, or not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, its provisions. [1885, s. 183.

Illustrations.

I. A custom or usage whereby a raiyat obtains a right of occupancy as soon as he is admitted to occupation of the tenancy, whether he is a settled raiyat of the village or not, is not inconsistent with, and is not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, the provisions of this Act. That custom or usage, accordingly, wherever it exists, will not be affected by this Act.

II. A custom or usage by which an under-raiyat can obtain rights similar to those of an occupancy-raiyat is, similarly, not inconsistent with, and is not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, the provisions of this Act, and will not be affected by this Act.

III. A custom or usage whereby a raiyat is entitled to make improvements on his tenancy and to receive compensation therefor on ejectment is not inconsistent with, and is not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, the provisions of this Act. That custom or usage, accordingly, wherever it exists, will not be affected by this Act.

Saving as to service tenures and holdings.

77. Nothing in this Act shall affect any incident of a ghatwali or other service tenure or holding. [1885, s. 184.]

Restrictions on exclusion of Act by agreement.

78. (*1*) Nothing in any contract between a landlord and a tenant made before or after the commencement of this Act— [1885, s. 178.]

(*a*) shall bar in perpetuity the acquisition of an occupancy-right in land, or

(*b*) shall take away an occupancy-right in existence at the date of the contract, or

(*c*) shall entitle a landlord to eject a tenant otherwise than in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

(*2*) Nothing in any contract made between a landlord and a tenant since the 1st January, 1907, and before the commencement of this Act, shall prevent a raiyat from acquiring, in accordance with this Act, an occupancy-right in land.

(*3*) Nothing in any contract made between a landlord and a tenant after the commencement of this Act, shall—

(*i*) prevent a raiyat from acquiring, in accordance with this Act, an occupancy-right in land;

(*ii*) take away or limit the right of an occupancy-raiyat to use land as provided by section 19;

(*iii*) take away the right of an occupancy-raiyat to transfer his holding or any portion thereof subject to, and in accordance with, the provisions of this Act;

(*iv*) take away the right of a raiyat to apply for a reduction of rent under section 33;

(*v*) takeaway the right of a landlord or tenant to apply for a commutation of rent under section 35;

(*vi*) affect the provisions of section 59 relating to interest payable on arrears of rent;

(*vii*) take away the right of a raiyat to relinquish his holding in accordance with section 72; or

(*viii*) take away the right of a raiyat to bequeath his holding in accordance with established custom

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CHAPTER XII.

RECORD-OF-RIGHTS AND SETTLEMENT OF RENTS.

Power to order survey and preparation of record-of-rights.

79. (*1*) The Local Government may make an order directing that a survey be made and a record-of-rights be prepared, by a Revenue-officer, in respect of the lands in any local area, estate, or tenure or part thereof. [1885, s. 102 (*1*), (*3*), (*4*), and Notfn.]

(*2*) A notification in the Calcutta Gazette of an order under sub-section (*1*) shall be conclusive evidence that the order has been duly made.

(*3*) The survey shall be made and the record-of-rights shall be prepared in the prescribed manner.

Particulars to be recorded.

80. Where an order is made under section 79, the particulars to be recorded shall be specified in the order, and may include, either without or in addition to other particulars, some or all of the following, namely:— [1885, s. 102, and Notfn.]

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, Mundari khunt-kattidar, settled raiyat, occupancy-raiyat, non-occupancy-raiyat, raiyat having khunt-katti rights, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the name of each proprietor in the local area or estate;

(*f*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*g*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*h*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*i*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, jhil, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*k*) the special conditions and incidents (if any) of the tenancy;

(*l*) any easement attaching to the land for which the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*m*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free—whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*n*) the right of any person, whether a landlord or tenant or not, to take wood, fruit or other jungle produce from jungle-land or waste-land, or to graze cattle on any land, in any village in the area to which the record-of-rights applies;

(*o*) the right of any resident of the village to reclaim jungle-land or waste-land, or to convert land into korkar.

Power to order survey and preparation of record-of-rights as to water.

81. The Local Government may, for the purpose of settling or averting disputes existing or likely to arise between landlords, tenants, proprietors, or persons belonging to any of these classes, regarding the use or passage of water, [1885, s. 102 and Notfn.]

make an order directing that a survey be made and a record-of-rights be prepared by a Revenue-officer, in order to ascertain and record the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in any local area, estate or tenure or part thereof, in respect of—

(*a*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, jhil, tank or well or any other source of supply; and

(*b*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing

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Preliminary publication, amendment and final publication of record-of-rights.

82. (*1*) When a draft record-of-rights has been prepared under this Chapter, the Revenue-officer shall publish the draft in the prescribed manner and for the prescribed period, and shall receive and consider any objections which may be made to any entry therein, or to any omission therefrom, during the period of publication. [1885, s. 103A and Notfn.]

(2) When such objections have been considered and disposed of in the prescribed manner, the Revenue-officer shall finally frame the record, and shall cause it to be finally published in the prescribed manner; and the publication shall be conclusive evidence that the record has been duly made under this Chapter.

(3) Separate draft or final records may be published under sub-section (1) or sub-section (2) for different local areas, estates, tenures or parts thereof.

Presumptions as to final publication and correctness of record-of-rights.

83. (*1*) In any suit or other proceeding in which a record-of-rights prepared and published under this Chapter, or a duly-certified copy thereof or extract therefrom, is produced, such record-of-rights shall be presumed to have been finally published, unless such publication is expressly denied; and a certificate, signed by the Revenue-officer, or by the Deputy Commissioner of any district in which the local area, estate or tenure or part thereof to which the record-of-rights relates is wholly or partly situate, stating that the record-of-rights has been finally published under this Chapter, shall be conclusive evidence of such publication. [1885, s. 103B and Notfn.]

(*2*) The Local Government may, by notification, declare, with regard to any specified area, that a record-of-rights has been finally published for every village included in that area; and such notification shall be conclusive evidence of such publication.

(*3*) Every entry in a record-of-rights so published shall be evidence of the matter referred to in such entry, and shall be presumed to be correct until it is proved, by evidence, to be incorrect.

Settlement of fair rents.

84. (1) In every area in respect of which a survey is being made and a record-of-rights is being prepared under section 79, the Revenue-officer may, either of his own motion or on the application of the landlord or tenant, settle fair rents in respect of any land held by a tenant. [1885, ss. 104, 104D.]

(2) The said settlement shall be made before the final publication of the record-of-rights:

Provided that the Revenue-officer may, if he sees good reason for so doing, postpone making the settlement until after such publication, either generally or in particular cases.

(3) For the purpose of settling such rents, the Revenue-officer shall have regard to such rules as may be made in this behalf under section 256.

Decision of issues arising during course of settlement of rents.

85. Where, in any proceedings for the settlement of rents under section 84, any of the following issues arises, namely,— [1885, s. 105A.]

(a) whether the land is, or is not, liable to the payment of rent;

(b) whether the land, although entered in the record-of-rights as being held rent-free, is liable to the payment of rent;

(c) whether the relation of landlord and tenant exists;

(d) whether the land has been wrongly recorded as part of a particular estate or tenancy, or wrongly omitted from the lands of an estate or tenancy;

(e) whether the tenant belongs to a class different from that to which he is shown in the record-of-rights as belonging; or

(f) whether the special conditions and incidents of the tenancy, or any easement attaching to the land, have not or has not been recorded, or have or has been wrongly recorded,

the Revenue-officer shall try and decide such issue and settle the rent under section 84 accordingly.

Institution of suits before Revenue-officer.

86. (1) In proceedings under this Chapter, a suit may be instituted before a Revenue-officer, at any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publi- [1885, s. 103

which a Revenue-officer has made in, or any omission which he has made from, the record, whether such dispute be—

(*a*) between landlord and tenant, or

(*b*) between landlords of the same or of neighbouring estates, or

(*c*) between tenant and tenant, or

(*d*) as to whether the relationship of landlord and tenant exists, or

(*e*) as to whether land held rent-free is properly so held, or

(*f*) as to any other matter;

and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute.

(2) An appeal shall lie, in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer, from decisions passed under sub-section (*1*). [1885, s. 108A (*2*).]

Entry in record-of-rights of rents settled and decisions made.

87. A note of all rents settled under section 84, and of all decisions under sub-section (1) and decisions on appeal under sub-section (*2*) of section 86, shall be made in the record-of-rights as finally published under section 82; and such note shall be considered as part of the record. [1885, ss. 107 (*2*), 109D.]

Revision by Revenue-officer.

88. Any Revenue-officer specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf may, on application or of his own motion, within twelve months from the making of any order or decision under section 84 or section 85, revise the same, whether it was made by himself or by any other Revenue-officer, but not so as to affect any order passed under section 86: [1885, s. 108.]

Provided that no such order or decision shall be so revised if a suit or an appeal in respect thereof is pending under section 86, or until reasonable notice has been given to the parties concerned to appear and be heard in the matter.

Correction by Revenue-officer of mistakes in record-of-rights.

89. Any Revenue-officer specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf may, on application or of his own motion, within twelve months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the recordof-rights under sub-section (2) of section 82, correct any entry in such record-of-rights which he is satisfied has been made owing to a *bonâ fide* mistake: [1885, s. 108A and Notfn.]

Provided that no such correction shall be made if a suit or an appeal affecting such entry is pending under section 86, sub-section (*2*), section 110, clause (*8*) or clause (*10*), section 246 or section 247, or until reasonable notice has been given to the parties concerned to appear and be heard in the matter.

Stay of proceedings before Deputy Commissioner or Civil Court until expiration of three months after final publication of record-of-rights.

90. (1) When an order has been made under section 79, or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, directing the preparation of a record-of-rights, then, notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sections of this Chapter, no Deputy Commissioner or Civil Court shall, until three months after the final publication of the record-of-rights, entertain any suit or application— [1879, s. 28A. 1885, s. 111 and Notfn.]

(*a*) in which there is in issue, either directly or indirectly, the existence or non-existence of customary rights to waste-land or jungle-land in any village in the area to which the record-of-rights applies, or

(*b*) for the alteration of the rent or the determination of the status of any tenant in such area:

Provided that, if any person considers himself aggrieved by any act of waste or damage committed by any other person in respect of any waste-land or jungle-land during the period within which suits and applications are prohibited by this section, he may apply to the Deputy Commissioner, who may, after such inquiry as he thinks fit, by written order, prohibit the continuance of such waste or damage.

(2) The period during which the institution of a suit or the making of an application has been delayed by sub-section (*1*) shall be excluded in computing the period of limitation provided for such suit or application. [1885, s. 111 B (4).]

Bar to jurisdiction of Courts in matters relating to record-of-

91. No suit shall be brought in any Court in respect of any order directing the preparation of a record-of-rights under this Chapter, or in respect of the framing, publication, signing or [1885, s. 111A, pars. 1, and Notfn.]

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Stay of applications and suits in which certain issues arise.

92. (*1*) When a record-of-rights in respect of any land has been prepared under this Chapter, and finally published, no application or suit affecting any such land or any tenant thereof shall, within three months from the date of the certificate of final publication of such record-of-rights, be made or instituted before the Deputy Commissioner or in any Civil Court for the decision of any of the following issues, namely :— [1885, s. 111 B. (1), (4).]

(*a*) whether the land is or is not liable to the payment of rent;

(*b*) whether the relation of landlord and tenant exists;

(*c*) whether the land is part of a particular estate or tenancy;

(*d*) whether there is any special condition or incident of the tenancy, or

(*e*) whether any easement attaches to the land.

(*2*) Where the making of an application or the institution of a suit has been delayed by sub-section (*1*), the period of three months therein mentioned shall be excluded in computing the period of limitation provided for such suit or application.

Period for which rents entered in the record-of-rights are to remain unaltered.

93. (*1*) When the rent of an occupancy holding is entered in a record-of-rights which has been prepared and finally published under this Chapter or any law in force before the commencement of this Act, then, subject to the provisions of sections 86, 88 and 89, [1879, s. 22B. 1885, s. 113.]

such rent shall not, except on the ground of a landlord's improvement or of a subsequent alteration in the area of the holding, be enhanced or increased for a period of—

(*a*) fifteen years after the final publication of the record-of-rights, when such publication was made after the commencement of this Act, or

(*b*) seven years after the final publication of the record-of-rights, when such publication was made before the commencement of this Act;

and no such rent shall be decreased or reduced within the said periods, respectively, save on the ground of alteration in the area of the holding or on the ground that the soil of the holding has, without the fault of the raiyat, become permanently deteriorated by a deposit of sand or other specific cause, sudden or gradual:

Provided that, in any area in respect of which a record-of-rights has been finally published before the commencement of this Act, a Revenue-officer may, on the application of any landlord, made within two years from the commencement of this Act, assess a fair rent on lands which are included in a holding and are assessable with rent but for which no rent has been paid or has been entered as payable in the record-of-rights.

(*2*) The periods of fifteen years and seven years mentioned in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) shall be counted from the date of the final publication of the record-of-rights.

Expenses of proceedings under this Chapter.

94. (1) When the preparation of a record-of-rights has been directed or undertaken under this Chapter, [1885, s. 114, & Notfn.]

the expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this Chapter in any local area, estate, tenure or part thereof (including expenses that may be incurred at any time, whether before or after the preparation of the record-of-rights, in the maintenance, repair or restoration of boundary-marks and other survey marks erected for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this Chapter), or such part of those expenses as the Local Government may direct,

shall be defrayed by the landlords, tenants and occupants of land in that local area, estate, tenure or part, in such proportions, and in such instalments (if any), as the Local Government, having regard to all the circumstan-

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(2) The cost of preparing copies of Survey maps and extracts from records-of-rights under this Chapter for distribution to landlords and tenants shall be deemed to be part of the expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this Chapter.

(3) The estimated amount of the expenses likely to be incurred for the maintenance, repair or restoration of boundary-marks for a period not exceeding fifteen years, or such part of such amount as the Local Government may direct, may be recovered in advance in the same manner as if such expenses had been already incurred.

(4) The portion of the expenses referred to in the foregoing provisions of this section which any person is liable to pay shall be recoverable by the Government as if it were an arrear of land-revenue due in respect of the said local area, estate, tenure or part.

Explanation.—The word "tenure" in this section includes all revenue-free and rent-free tenures and holdings within a local area, estate or tenure.

Effect of proceedings in certain cases had in Courts pending final publication of record-of-rights.

95. When an order has been made, under section 79 or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, directing the preparation of a record-of-rights by a Revenue-officer,

then any judgment, decree or order passed by any Court in any suit or proceeding between the making of such first-mentioned order and the final publication of the record-of-rights, and relating to any of the following matters, namely:—

(*a*) the existence, non-existence, extent or value of customary rights in waste-land or jungle-land in the area to which the record-of-rights applies, or

(*b*) the amount of rent payable in respect of any tenancy therein, or

(*c*) the question whether any land which is the subject of dispute is included in the tenancy of a raiyat or is the khas land of the landlord,

may be received in evidence in any inquiry made by such Revenue-officer in the course of preparing such record-of-rights, if such judgment, decree or order relates to matters relevant to such inquiry;

but no such judgment, decree or order shall be conclusive proof of that which it states, either in the Court of such Revenue-officer or in any other Court, Civil, Criminal or Revenue, subsequent to the final publication of the record-of-rights.

Power of Revenue-officer to give effect to agreement or compromise

96. In framing a record-of-rights, and in deciding disputes, under this Chapter, the Revenue-officer shall give effect to any lawful agreement or compromise made or entered into by any landlord and his tenant: [1885, s. 106 B (1), (3), and Notfn.]

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) the Revenue-officer shall not give effect to any agreement or compromise the terms of which, if they were embodied in a contract, could not be enforced under this Act; and

(*b*) where the terms of any agreement or compromise are such as might unfairly or inequitably affect the rights of third parties, the Revenue-officer shall not give effect to such agreement or compromise unless and until he is satisfied by evidence that the statements made by the parties thereto are correct.

Illustration—A, a proprietor, agrees that B, his tenant, shall be recorded as an occupancy-raiyat. This affects the rights of the tenants of B. The Revenue-officer must, under proviso (*b*), inquire whether B is a tenure-holder or a raiyat, within the meaning of section 5 or section 6. If he finds, on the evidence, that B is a raiyat, he may give effect to the agreement. If he so finds that B is a tenure-holder, he must not give effect to the agreement.

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Date from which settled rent takes effect.

97. When a rent is settled by a Revenue-officer under this Chapter, it shall take effect from the beginning of the agricultural year next after the date of the decision finally fixing the rent. [1885, s. 110.]

Revision of record-of-rights, and new settlement of rents, under orders of Local Government.

98. (*1*) The Local Government may at any time, either of its own motion or on the application of any landlord or tenant, direct that any record-of-rights which has been finally published under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, or any portion of any such record-of rights, be revised, in the prescribed manner, but not so as to affect any rent entered therein. [1885, s. 104G (*2*) and Notfn.]

(*2*) At any time after the expiration of the period of—

(*a*) fifteen years from the date of the certificate of the final publication of a record-of-rights, when such publication was made after the commencement of this Act, or

(*b*) seven years from the date of the certificate of the final publication of a record-of-rights, when such publication was made before the commencement of this Act,

and thereafter at intervals of periods of fifteen years, the Local Government may, of its own motion or on the application of any landlord or tenant, direct—

(*i*) that such record-of-rights or any portion thereof be revised, in the prescribed manner, in so far as it relates to rents, and

(*ii*) that a settlement of rents payable by tenants be made under section 84.

(*3*) The foregoing sections of this Chapter shall, subject to any rules made in this behalf under section 256, apply to every revision and settlement referred to in sub-section (*1*) or sub section (*2*).

Validation of directions given, before the commencement of this Act, for the record of certain rights.

99. Where a direction has been given, in any order made under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, before the commencement of this Act, for the record of any rights of the kind mentioned in clause (*n*) of section 80 of this Act, such direction shall be deemed to be as valid as if the said clause had been enacted before such order was made. VIII of 1885.

CHAPTER XIII.

PRÆDIAL CONDITIONS, AND THE COMMUTATION AND RECORD THEREOF.

Prohibition against new prædial conditions.

100. (*1*) From and after the commencement of this Act,— [1897 s. 10 (1).

(*a*) no tenancy shall be created with any prædial condition attached, other than rent-free tenancies with the sole condition of rendering personal service; and

(*b*) no new prædial condition shall be imposed on any tenancy in existence at the time of such commencement.

(*2*) If any landlord creates a tenancy with a prædial condition attached, or imposes a prædial condition on an existing tenancy, in contravention of sub-section (*1*), he shall not be entitled to enforce the observance of such condition.

Liability of tenant when original conditions of tenancy cannot be ascertained.

101. When the original conditions of a tenancy cannot be ascertained, the tenant shall not be liable to any prædial conditions other than or in excess of those to which, by established custom or usage, the general body of the class to which he belongs in the village, tenure or estate in which the lands of the tenancy are situated, is liable:

Provided that, in any case in which prædial conditions have been observed by a tenant for a period of five years continuously, any Revenue-officer acting under this Chapter may, when commuting such conditions under this Chapter, presume that the same are observeable in accordance with established custom or usage or in accordance with an express or implied contract made at the commencement of the tenancy.

Method of calculating present value of prædial condition.

102. When, in any proceedings under this Act, it becomes necessary for a Court to calculate the value of any prædial condition, such [illegible]

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Procedure in suit to recover value of prædial conditions.

103. When, in any suit for the recovery of rent, it is sought to recover the value of the prædial conditions appurtenant to a tenancy, an issue may be framed as to whether the value of the prædial conditions, when added to the rent payable in respect of the tenancy, exceeds a fair rent; and, if it is found that the resulting amount exceeds a fair rent, the Court shall decree the rent and so much (if any) of the value of the prædial conditions as, together with the rent, will not exceed a fair rent.

Voluntary commutation of prædial conditions.

104. (*1*) When any land is held subject to any prædial conditions, the tenant or the landlord may apply in writing to a Revenue-officer for commutation of such conditions. [1897, s. 4.]

(*2*) The Revenue-officer shall thereupon cause a notice to be served on the landlord or the tenant, as the case may be, and shall fix a day for considering the application; and on such day, or any day thereafter to which the hearing may be adjourned, shall proceed to inquire into the matter and to determine the amount which, in his judgment, is fairly and equitably payable in commutation of such conditions.

(*3*) In calculating the said amount, the Revenue-officer shall have regard only to the conditions to which the tenant is liable in accordance with established custom or usage or with any contract made when the tenancy commenced, and to the money value of such conditions at the time of making such calculation, and shall follow the procedure prescribed in section 102:

Provided that the amount payable in commutation shall be so fixed that the total annual rent of the land, including such amount as aforesaid, shall not exceed the rent which would be fair and reasonable if the land were not held subject to any prædial conditions.

Power to order record of prædial conditions, with or without commutation.

105. (*1*) The Local Government may, in any case in which it is, in its opinion, expedient so to do, make an order directing either— [1897, s. 5.]

(*a*) that a record of all prædial conditions to which the lands within any local area or any estate, tenure or part thereof are subject shall be prepared, and a commutation of such conditions made, by a Revenue-officer; or

(*b*) that a record as aforesaid be made by a Revenue-officer without commutation of such conditions as aforesaid.

(*2*) A notification in the Calcutta Gazette of an order under this section shall be conclusive evidence that the order has been duly made.

(*3*) The record of prædial conditions shall be prepared in the prescribed manner.

Preparation of record.

106. (*1*) Whenever an order is made under section 105, the Revenue-officer shall thereupon proceed to prepare a record containing the following particulars, namely:— [1897, s. 5.

(*a*) the name of each tenant;

(*b*) the name of his landlord;

(*c*) the rent payable for the lands held by each tenant at the time the record is being prepared;

(*d*) the prædial conditions to which all or any of such lands are subject;

(*e*) the amount which, in the judgment of the Revenue-officer, may fairly be deemed payable in commutation of such conditions, and

(*f*) such other particulars as the Board may direct.

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(Chapter XIII.—Prædial Conditions, and the Commutation and Record thereof.—Clauses 107—110.)

Publication of record.

107. (*1*) When the Revenue-officer has prepared a record under section 106, he shall cause a draft of the same to be locally published in the prescribed manner and for the prescribed period, and shall receive and consider any objections which may be made to any entry therein or to any omission therefrom during the period of publication. [1897, s. 7.]

(*2*) When objections have been considered and disposed of in the prescribed manner, the record shall be finally framed and published in the prescribed manner.

(*3*) Separate drafts or records may be published under sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) for different local areas, estates, tenures or parts thereof.

Appeal from orders of Revenue-officers.

108. (*1*) An appeal from any order of a Revenue-officer under this Chapter shall lie to the Deputy Commissioner, or to such officer as the Local Government may appoint in this behalf. [1897, s. 8.]

(*2*) When an appeal has been disposed of under sub-section (*1*), a further appeal shall lie to the Commissioner.

(*3*) The provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to appeals shall, as nearly as may be, apply to all appeals under sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*). XIV of 1882.

(*4*) If the Commissioner does not concur with the lower appellate authority, an appeal shall lie to the Board from the order of the Commissioner.

(*5*) Every appeal under sub-section (*1*) must be presented within three months, and every appeal under sub-section (*2*) or sub-section (*4*) must be presented within one month, from the date of the order appealed against.

Revision by Commissioner or Board.

109. The Commissioner or the Board may direct the revision of any record prepared under this Chapter, or any portion of such record, at any time within two years from the date of the final publication of the record, but not so as to affect any decision from which an appeal has been preferred under section 108: [1897, s. 9.]

Provided that no such direction shall be made until reasonable notice has been given to the parties concerned to appear and be heard in the matter.

Procedure where a survey and record-of-rights are being made.

110. In every local area, estate, tenure or part thereof, in which a survey is being made and a record-of-rights is being prepared under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, [1897, s. 9A.]

and in which a record of prædial conditions is being prepared and a commutation thereof is being made under an order issued under section 105,

the following provisions shall have effect, instead of those contained in sections 106 to 109, namely:—

(*1*) The Revenue-officer shall, at the time of attesting the preliminary record, ascertain all the prædial conditions to which, by established custom or usage or by contract made when the tenancy commenced, each tenant is liable, and the cash values of such conditions; and shall prepare a statement, in such form as the Board may direct, showing the conditions and values so ascertained.

(*2*) In calculating the cash value of such conditions, the Revenue-officer shall be guided by the provisions of section 104, sub-section (*3*).

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(Chapter XII.—Prædial Conditions, and the Commutation and Record thereof.—Clauses 111—113.)

(3) The Revenue-officer shall enter in the *khatiyán* of each tenant the cash value of the prædial conditions (if any) to which such tenant is liable, as ascertained under clause (1).

(4) If any tenant is liable, by established custom or usage or by contract made when the tenancy commenced, to any prædial conditions other than those to which the general body of tenants are liable, or is not liable to all the prædial conditions to which the general body of tenants are liable, the Revenue-officer shall also specify in the *khatiyán* the prædial conditions to which such tenant is liable.

(5) The statement prepared under clause (1), and the entries in the *khatiyán*, shall be published in draft in the same manner and for the same period as the record-of-rights.

(6) Objections as to entries or omissions in the statement or *khatiyán* relating to prædial conditions may be made under the same conditions as objections to entries in or omissions from the record-of-rights, and shall be disposed of in the same manner as such objections.

(7) After the disposal of objections, the said statement, and the entries in the *khatiyan* relating to prædial conditions, shall be finally published at the same time and in the same manner as the record-of-rights.

(8) At any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights, a suit may be instituted before a Revenue-officer, for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry in the record relating to prædial conditions or regarding any omission to enter any such conditions in the record; and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute.

(9) In all such suits the Revenue-officer shall, subject to any rules made in this behalf under section 256, adopt the procedure laid down in Chapter XVI for the trial of suits.

(10) An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner from any decision of a Revenue-officer under clause (8), if presented within three months from the date of the decision.

Note of decisions in record-of-rights.

111. A note of every decision made by the Revenue-officer under clause (8) of section 110, or by the Commissioner under clause (10) of that section, shall be made in the record-of-rights as finally published under section 82, and such note shall be considered as part of the record.

Decision of question as to whether a payment in kind is a prædial condition or a payment of rent in kind.

112. Where, in any proceeding under this Chapter or under section 35, a question arises as to whether a payment in kind is a prædial condition or a payment of rent in kind, the Revenue-officer acting under this Chapter, or the officer acting under section 35, as the case may be, shall, after such inquiry as he may consider necessary, decide whether in fact the payment is a prædial condition or not.

Commencement and effect of commutation.

113. (1) When the commutation of any prædial conditions is settled under this Chapter, for any local area or estate, tenure or part thereof, the settlement shall take effect from the beginning of the agricultural year next after the final publication of the record. [1897, s. 10.

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(Chapter XIII.—Prædial Conditions, and the Commutation and Record thereof.—Chapter XIV.—Record of Landlords' Privileged Lands.—Clauses 114—117.]

(3) The amount determined by a Revenue-officer under this Chapter to be payable by a tenant in commutation of prædial conditions shall be deemed to be part of the rent payable by the tenant, and shall be recoverable accordingly.

Expenses of voluntary commutation.

114. (1) The Revenue-officer may require any person applying for commutation under section 104 to deposit in advance the whole or any part of the estimated amount of the expenses to be incurred thereunder. [1897, s. 11.]

(2) When in any case the proceedings under section 104 have been completed, the Revenue-officer shall apportion the total expenses thereof between the landlord and tenant in such proportion as, having regard to all the circumstances, he may deem fit; and the amounts so apportioned shall be recoverable as an arrear of land-revenue.

(3) If the amount deposited by any person in pursuance of sub-section (1) exceeds the sum apportioned to him under sub-section (2), the excess shall, when the proceedings have been completed, be refunded to him.

Expenses of record and compulsory commutation.

115. (1) The expenses incurred by the Government in carrying out in any local area or any estate, tenure or part thereof any order made under section 105, or such part of those expenses as the Local Government may direct, shall be defrayed by the landlords and tenants of land in that local area, estate, tenure or part, in such proportions as the Local Government, having regard to all the circumstances, may determine. [1897, s. 12.]

(2) The portion of the aforesaid expenses which any person is liable to pay shall be recoverable by the Government as if it were an arrear of land-revenue due in respect of the said local area, estate, tenure or part.

Explanation.—The word "tenure" in this section includes all revenue-free and rent-free tenures and holdings within a local area, estate or tenure.

Saving of right to claim reduction or enhancement of rent.

116. No proceedings under this Chapter shall bar the right of any tenant or landlord to claim a reduction or enhancement of rent under this Act after such proceedings have been completed. [1897, s. 12A.]

CHAPTER XIV.

RECORD OF LANDLORDS' PRIVILEGED LANDS.

Definition of "landlords' privileged lands."

117. (1) The expression "landlords' privileged lands," as used in this Chapter, means— [1879, s. 6, para 1. 1885, ss. 116, 120 (1) (a).]

(a) lands—

(i) which are cultivated by the proprietor himself with his own stock or by his own servants or by hired labour, or are held by a tenant under a lease for a term of years or from year to year, and which were, by custom, recognised, before the first day of January, 1905, as privileged land in which occupancy-rights could not accrue, and

(ii) which are entered in a record prepared by a Revenue-officer under this Chapter after he has satisfied himself that they rightly fall under sub-clause (i) of this section, and

(b) lands which are entered as manjhihas or bethkheta in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869. Ben. Act I of 1869.

(2) From such date as the Local Government may, by notification, direct, no lease shall be considered for the purposes of sub-clause (i) of this section unless it be in writing.

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Jurisdiction where land is situated in more than one district or sub-division.

133. (*1*) When any suit is instituted or application made in respect of any land comprised in a tenure or holding, and such land is situated in more than one district or sub-division, the district or sub-division in which the greater part of such land is situated shall be deemed to be the district or sub-division in which the cause of action has arisen; [1879, s. 147.]

and, if any question be raised respecting the district or sub-division in which the greater part of the land is situated, the Board or (if the land is situated in one district) the Deputy Commissioner shall decide the question.

(*2*) Except as provided in sub-section (*1*), no Deputy Commissioner shall exercise any jurisdiction under this Act in respect of any land situated beyond the local limits of his jurisdiction, even if such land forms part of an estate the revenue of which is paid into the treasury of his district. [1879, s. 148.]

Certain suits and applications cognizable only by the Deputy Commissioner.

134. The following suits and applications shall be cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner, and shall be instituted and tried or heard under the provisions of this Act, and shall not be cognizable in any other Court, except as otherwise provided in this Act, namely:— [1879, s. 37.]

(1) all suits and applications for the determination of the rates of rent payable by any tenant for agricultural land;

(2) all suits for arrears of rent due on account of—

(*a*) agricultural land, whether subject to the payment of rent or only to the payment of dues which are recoverable as if they were rent, or

(*b*) rights of pasturage, forest rights, fisheries or the like;

(3) all suits under this Act to eject any tenant of agricultural land or to cancel any lease of agricultural land;

(4) all suits and applications to recover the occupancy or possession of any land from which a tenant has been illegally ejected by the landlord or any person claiming under or through the landlord;

(5) all suits and applications to recover possession of agricultural land from the cultivator thereof on the ground that he has no right to occupy the land and is a trespasser;

(6) all suits to recover possession of agricultural land, on the ground that the relationship of landlord and tenant has ceased to exist or does not exist, from a person claiming title to the land as a village headman, whether known as a manjhi or pradhan or otherwise;

(7) all suits, by landlords and others in receipt of the rent of land, against any agents employed by them in the management of land or the collection of rents, or the sureties of such agents, for money received or accounts kept by such agents in the course of such employment, or for papers in their possession;

(8) all suits and applications under this Act which are not mentioned in any of the foregoing clauses.

Reference of suits to arbitration.

135. The Deputy Commissioner may, with the consent of the parties, refer any suit under this Act to arbitration; and the provisions of sections 506 to 522 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure shall, as far as may be practicable, apply to such references. [1879, s. 38.] XIV of 1882.

Collective suits or applications.

136. Subject to such rules (if any) as may be made in this behalf under section 256, any number of tenants holding land in the same village may sue or apply or be sued or complained against collectively, in any suit or proceeding before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act, and an allegation that such tenants are wrongly joined shall be no ground for dismissing a suit or refusing to hear an application; [1879, s. 39.]

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but no order shall be passed in any such collective suit or application unless the officer making the same is satisfied that all parties have had an opportunity to appear and make objection to any claims preferred against them;

and if at any time it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the question between any two of the parties of whom one is so joined with others cannot conveniently be jointly tried or heard, the Deputy Commissioner may order a separate trial or hearing.

Order or decree in collective suit or on collective application to specify how far it affects each tenant.

137. Every order or decree passed in any case which is tried or heard jointly under section 136 shall specify the extent to which each of the tenants named in the order or decree shall be affected thereby. [1879, s. 40.]

Suits and applications by or against sarbarákárs or tahsildars of estates held khas.

138. All suits or applications before the Deputy Commissioner which, under this Act, may be brought or made by or against landlords or other persons in receipt of the rent of land may be brought or made by or against sarbarákárs or tahsildars of estates held under khas management, whether such estates are the property of the Government or of individuals. [1879, s. 41.]

Institution of suits by presentation of statement of claim.

139. Suits before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall be instituted by presenting a statement of claim showing— [1879, s. 46.]

(*a*) the name, description and place of abode of the plaintiff;

(*b*) the name, description and place of abode of the defendant, so far as they can be ascertained;

(*c*) the substance of the claim, and

(*d*) the date of the cause of action.

Additional particulars required in statement of claim in certain suit

140. (*1*) In all suits before the Deputy Commissioner for the recovery of an arrear of rent, or for the ejectment of a tenant from any tenure or holding, or for the recovery of occupancy or possession of any tenure or holding, the statement of claim shall contain, in addition to the particulars required by section 139,— [1879, ss. 47, 48; 1885, s. 148(b) and Notfn.]

(*a*) a specification of the situation and designation of the land held by the tenant, and

(*b*) a specification of the extent and boundaries of such land, or (if the plaintiff is unable to specify the extent or boundaries) a description sufficient for the identification of the land.

(*2*) In all suits referred to in sub-section (*1*), and in all other suits and all applications before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act relating to the rent of land or to any right or easement arising out of land, [1879, s. 47. 1885, s. 148 (*1*) & Notfn.]

if a survey has been made and a record-of-rights has been finally published under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, in respect of the land to which the suit relates,

the statement of claim shall further contain, and the application shall contain, the following particulars, namely:—

(*i*) a list of the survey plots comprised in the tenancy,

(*ii*) a statement of the rental of the tenancy according to the record-of-rights, and

(*iii*) a copy of all entries in the record-of-rights in regard to the subject-matter of the suit or application,

unless the Deputy Commissioner is satisfied, for reasons to be recorded in writing, that it is not necessary that such particulars or any of them should be furnished or that the plaintiff was prevented by any sufficient cause from furnishing such particulars or any of them:

Provided that, in all cases in which the Deputy Commissioner admits a statement of claim or application which does not contain the said particulars, he may direct the supply, without payment of fee, of a verified or certified copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights relating to the tenancy and the question in dispute in the suit or application.

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(*3*) Where, since the record-of-rights was prepared and finally published, an alteration has been made in the area of the tenancy, the statement required by clause (*ii*) of sub-section (*2*) must also show the rental of the original tenancy according to the record-of-rights, and the statement of claim must further show how the amount of the rent claimed in the suit has been calculated. [1885, s. 148 (*b* 2) & Notfn.]

Substitution of copies or extracts for original documents admitted in evidence.

141. When any account-books, rent-rolls, collection-papers, measurement-papers or maps have been produced by the landlord before the Deputy Commissioner in any suit or proceeding under this Act, and have been admitted in evidence in the suit or proceeding or in any inquiry pending before the Deputy Commissioner, copies of, or extracts from, such documents, certified by a duly authorized Officer of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner to be true copies or extracts, may, with the permission of the Deputy Commissioner, be substituted on the record for the originals, which may then be returned to the landlord; [1885, s. 148 (*f*).]

and thereafter copies or extracts, so certified, may be admitted in evidence in any other suit or proceeding instituted before the same or any other Deptuy Commissioner under this Act, unless the Deputy Commissioner before whom they are produced sees fit to require the production of the originals.

Statement of claim by whom to be presented.

142. The statement of claim shall be presented by the plaintiff, or by an agent of the plaintiff who has personal knowledge of the facts of the case, or by an agent who is accompanied by a person who has such knowledge. [1 79, s. 49.]

Signature and verification of statement of claim.

143. The statement of claim shall be subscribed and verified at the foot, by the plaintiff or his agent, in the following form, or in a form to the like effect:— [1879, s. 50.]

"I, A. B., do declare that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief."

Production of documents by plaintiff.

144. (*1*) If the plaintiff relies in support of his claim on any document in his possession, he must deliver such document to the Deputy Commissioner at the time of presenting his statement of claim. [1879, s. 51.]

(*2*) Unless such document be delivered or its non-delivery be excused by the Deputy Commissioner, or unless the Deputy Commissioner sees fit to extend the time for delivering the same, it shall not afterwards be admitted.

Production of documents by defendant.

145. If the plaintiff requires the production of any document in the possession or power of the defendant, he may, at the time of presenting his statement of claim, deliver a description of the document to the Deputy Commissioner, in order that the defendant may be directed to produce the document. [1879, s. 52.]

Return or amendment of statement of claim.

146. If the statement of claim does not contain the several particulars required by section 139 or by sections 139 and 140, as the case may be, or is not subscribed and verified as required by section 143, the Deputy Commissioner may return the statement to the plaintiff, or may at his discretion allow it to be amended. [1879, s. 53.]

Issue of summons to defendant.

147. If the statement of claim is in proper form, the Deputy Commissioner shall, except in the case provided for in section 150, direct the issue of a summons to the defendant, in the prescribed form. [1879, ss. 54, 55.]

Attendance of defendant personally or by agent.

148. If the plaintiff requires the personal attendance of the defendant, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that such personal attendance is necessary, or if the Deputy Commissioner of his own accord requires such personal attendance, the summons shall contain an order for the defendant to appear personally on a day to be specified in the summons; otherwise the summons shall order the defendant to appear personally or by an agent who has personal knowledge of the subject or is accompanied by a person who has such personal knowledge. [1879, s. 54.]

Day for hearing, and production of documents and witnesses.

149. (*1*) The day to be specified in the said summons shall be fixed with reference to the state of the file and the distance at which the defendant is, or is supposed to be, from the place where the Court is held. [1879, s. 55.]

(*2*) The said summons shall order the defendant to produce any document which he has in his possession and of which the plaintiff demands inspection, or upon which the defendant may intend to rely in support of his defence;

and shall also enjoin the defendant to bring his witnesses with him if they are willing to attend without issue of process.

Issue of warrant for arrest of defendant.

150. (*1*) If, in any suit against a tenant for the recovery of an arrear of rent, or against an agent for the recovery of any money, papers or accounts, the plaintiff desires a warrant of arrest to be issued against the defendant, such defendant being resident within the district in which the suit is instituted, he shall present with his statement of claim an application for the issue of such warrant. [1879, s. 57.]

(*2*) When such application is presented, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine the plaintiff or his agent, according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses, and shall inspect the documents adduced by him in support of his claim; and, if there be *primâ facie* grounds for believing the claim to be well founded, and that, if a summons be issued, the defendant will abscond instead of appearing to answer the claim, the Deputy Commissioner may issue a warrant, in the prescribed form, for the arrest of the defendant:

Provided that no such warrant shall be issued in a suit for arrears of rent due in respect of a tenure or holding which is liable to sale in execution of any decree which may be passed in the case.

(*3*) [*Omitted.*]

(*4*) The Deputy Commissioner shall fix a reasonable time for the return of the warrant; and the officer entrusted with the service of the warrant shall, at the time of arresting the defendant, deliver to him a notice, in the prescribed form, addressed to the defendant, containing the particulars of the claim, and requiring the defendant, if he contests the claim, to bring with him any document upon which he may intend to rely in support of his defence.

(*5*) [*Omitted.*]

Deposit of cost of serving summons or warrant.

151. (1) The amount of the cost of serving the summons, or, if a warrant is issued under section 150, the amount of cost of serving the warrant, shall in all cases be deposited in Court on the day on which the statement of claim is presented to the Deputy Commissioner, or on the next following day. [1879, s. 57.]

(*2*) If the said amount be not so deposited, the case shall not be brought on the file of suits; but in such case the plaintiff may present another statement of claim at any time within the period prescribed by this Act for the limitation of suits.

Procedure on arrest of defendant.

152. (*1*) If the defendant is arrested under such warrant, he shall be brought with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner; and the Deputy Commissioner shall commit him to the civil jail unless he deposits in Court the money, papers or accounts specified in the notice delivered to him under section 150, sub-section (*4*), and shall with all convenient speed proceed to try the case in the manner hereinafter provided. [1879, ss. 58, 59.]

(*2*) If the suit cannot be at once adjudicated, the Deputy Commissioner may, if he thinks fit,—

(*a*) direct the defendant to give security for his appearance whenever the same may be required at any time while the suit is pending, and until execution of the final decree which may be passed therein; and

(*b*) commit the defendant to the civil jail, to be there detained until he furnishes such security or deposits such sum as the Deputy Commissioner may order.

(*3*) The security referred to in sub-section (*2*) shall be by bond in the prescribed form.

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Procedure if defendant cannot be arrested.

153. (*1*) If the defendant cannot be arrested under the warrant, the Deputy Commissioner, on the application of the plaintiff, shall either— [1879, s. 60.]

(*a*) postpone the case, for such period as he may think proper, in order that the plaintiff may apply within the said period for another warrant to be issued for the arrest of the defendant, or

(*b*) forthwith issue a proclamation, to be affixed at his own office and at the residence of the defendant, appointing a day for the hearing of the case, which shall not be less than ten days from the date of the publication of the notice at the residence of the defendant.

(*2*) If the defendant appears in pursuance of such proclamation, he shall be dealt with as provided in section 152.

Compensation when arrest of defendant applied for without reasonable cause.

154. If it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the arrest of the defendant was applied for without reasonable cause, the Deputy Commissioner may, in his decree, award to the defendant such sum, not exceeding one hundred rupees, as he may deem a reasonable compensation for any injury or loss which the defendant may have sustained by reason of such arrest or of his detention in jail during the pendency of the suit. [1879, s. 61.]

Procedure when neither party appears on day of trial.

155. If, on the day fixed by the summons or proclamation for the appearance of the defendant, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be postponed prior to the recording of an issue for trial as provided in section 168, neither of the parties appears in person or by agent, the case shall be struck off, with liberty to the plaintiff to bring a fresh suit unless precluded by the provisions for the limitation of suits contained in this Act. [1879, s. 62.]

Procedure when only the defendant appears.

156. If, on such day, only the defendant appears, the Deputy Commissioner shall pass judgment against the plaintiff by default, unless the defendant admits the cause of action, in which case the Deputy Commissioner shall give judgment for the plaintiff upon such admission, without costs: [1879, s. 63.]

Provided that such judgment, if there be more than one defendant, shall be only against the defendant who makes the admission.

Procedure when only the plaintiff appears.

157. If, on such day, only the plaintiff appears, the Deputy Commissioner, upon proof that the summons or proclamation has been duly served, shall proceed to examine the plaintiff or his agent, and, after considering the allegations of the plaintiff and any documentary or oral evidence adduced by him, may either dismiss the case, or postpone the hearing of it to a future day for the attendance of any witness whom the plaintiff may wish to call, or pass judgment *ex parte* against the defendant. [1879, s. 64.]

Hearing of defendant on day to which case is postponed.

158. If the defendant appears on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the suit may be postponed under section 157, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such conditions (if any) as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, allow the defendant to be heard in answer to the suit as if he had appeared on the day fixed for his attendance. [1879, s. 65.]

Production of witnesses.

159. The parties shall bring forward their witnesses on the day of trial; and, if either party requires assistance to procure the attendance of a witness on such day, either to give evidence or to produce a document, he shall apply to the Deputy Commissioner in sufficient time before such day to enable the witness to be summoned to attend on that day; and the Deputy Commissioner shall issue a summons requiring such witness to attend. [1879, s. 75.]

Procedure when neither party appears on day fixed for trial of issue.

160. (*1*) If, on the day fixed for the trial of any issue, neither of the parties appears, the case shall be struck off under the conditions provided in section 155. [1879, s. 77.]

(*2*) If, on such day, only one of the parties appears, the issue may be tried and determined, in the absence of the other party, upon such proof as may then be before the Court.

Institution or defence of suits by naibs, gumashtas, &c., of landlords.

161. (*1*) When suits before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act are instituted or defended by naibs, gumashtas or other persons employed in the collection of rent or the management of land, in the name and on behalf of the landlords by whom they are so employed, [1879, s. 78.]

all the provisions of this Act by which the personal appearance or attendance of parties to a suit is or may be required shall apply to such naibs, gumashtas or other persons; and anything which by this Act is required or permitted to be done by a party in person may be done by any such person.

(*2*) Processes served on any such person shall be as effectual for all purposes in relation to the suit as if they had been served on the landlord in person; and all the provisions of this Act relating to the service of processes on a party to the suit shall be applicable to the service of processes on such person.

Exemption of women from personal attendance.

162. A plaintiff or defendant shall not be required to attend in person if of the female sex and of a rank or class which, according to the custom and manners of the country, would render it improper for her to appear in public. [1879, s. 79.]

Employment of agents.

163. Any party to a suit before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act may employ an agent to conduct the case on his behalf; but the appointment of an agent shall not excuse the personal attendance of the plaintiff or defendant in cases where his personal attendance is required by the summons or by any order of the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 80.]

Power to grant time or adjourn hearing.

164. The Deputy Commissioner may in any case grant time to the plaintiff or defendant to proceed in the prosecution or defence of a suit, and may also from time to time, in order to secure the production of further proof, or for other sufficient reason to be recorded by him, adjourn the hearing or further hearing of any case in such manner as he may think fit. [1879, s. 81.]

Examination and cross-examination of parties or their agents and of witnesses.

165. (*1*) When both parties appear in person on the day named in the summons, or upon any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be adjourned under section 164, the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to examine them, and either party or his agent may cross-examine the other. [1879, ss. 68, 70.]

(*2*) If either of the parties is not bound to attend personally, any agent by whom he appears, or any person who accompanies such agent, shall be examined and cross-examined in like manner as the party himself would have been if he had attended personally.

(*3*) At the time of examination the defendant may, if he thinks fit, file a written statement of his defence.

(*4*) Such statement shall be verified in the manner prescribed in section 143.

(*5*) If either of the parties brings forward a witness on the day aforesaid, the Deputy Commissioner may take the evidence of such witness.

Conduct and record of examination.

166. (*1*) The examination of the parties or their agents, or of persons accompanying such agents, shall be conducted according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses. [1879, s. 69.]

(2) The depositions of parties, agents and other persons as aforesaid, and of witnesses, shall be recorded in English, or, if the Deputy Commissioner is not sufficiently acquainted with English, then in the vernacular language of the Deputy Commissioner.

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Power to direct attendance of party whose agent cannot answer material question.

167. If the agent of either party is unable to answer any material question relating to the case, which the Deputy Commissioner is of opinion that the party whom he represents ought to answer and is likely to be able to answer if interrogated in person, the Deputy Commissioner may postpone the hearing of the case to a future day, and may direct that such party shall attend in person on such day; [1879, s. 73.]

and, if such party fails to appear in person on the day appointed, the Deputy Commissioner may pass judgment as in case of default, or make such other order as he may deem proper under the circumstances of the case.

Power to postpone trial to take further evidence.

168. If it appears that the parties are at issue on any question upon which it is necessary to hear further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall declare and record the issue, and shall fix a convenient day for the examination of witnesses and the trial of the suit; and the trial shall take place on that day, unless there be sufficient reason for adjourning it, which reason shall be recorded by the Deputy Commissioner. [1879 s. 74.]

Production of documents by defendant.

169. If the defendant relies on any document in support of his defence, he shall deliver it into Court at the first hearing of the suit; and, unless such document is so delivered, or its non-production is excused by the Deputy Commissioner, or unless the Deputy Commissioner sees fit to extend the time for producing it, it shall not afterwards be admitted. [1879, s. 71.]

Decree when to be made.

170. If, after the examination required by section 165, and after the examination of any witness who may attend to give evidence on behalf of either of the parties, and after a consideration of the documentary evidence adduced, a decree can properly be made without taking further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall make a decree accordingly. [1879, s. 72.]

Judgment.

171. (*1*) The Deputy Commissioner shall pronounce judgment in open Court. [1879, s. 89.]

(*2*) The judgment shall be written in English, and shall contain the reasons for the decision, and shall be dated and signed by the Deputy Commissioner at the time when it is pronounced:

Provided that any judgment may be written in the vernacular if the Deputy Commissioner is not sufficiently acquainted with English.

Local inquiries.

172. (*1*) The Deputy Commissioner may, at any stage of a suit or other proceeding before him under this Act,— [1879, s. 82.]

(*a*) cause a local inquiry and report respecting the matter in dispute to be made by any officer subordinate to him, or by any other officer of the Government with the consent of the authority to whom such officer is subordinate, or by any other person whom the Deputy Commissioner may deem fit; or

(*b*) himself proceed to the spot and make such local inquiry in person.

(*2*) The provisions of the law for the time being in force, relating to local inquiries by Commissioners under orders of Civil Courts, shall apply to any local inquiry made under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*), and, so far as they are applicable, also to inquiries made under clause (*b*) of that sub-section.

(*3*) Where the Deputy Commissioner has made a local inquiry in person, he shall, after completing the inquiry, record on the proceedings such observations as appear to him to be appropriate; and the observations so recorded shall be received as evidence in the suit or other proceeding aforesaid.

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Payment into Court by defendant, after tender to plaintiff.

173. (*1*) The defendant in any suit before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act may, if he has duly tendered the same to the plaintiff before the institution of the suit, pay into Court such sum of money as he may consider to be due to the plaintiff, without paying in any costs incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment; and such sum shall immediately be paid out of Court to the plaintiff. [1879,

(*2*) If, after such payment, the plaintiff elects to proceed in the suit, and ultimately recovers no more than was paid into Court, he shall be charged with all costs of the suit incurred by the defendant; but, if the plaintiff ultimately recovers more than was paid into Court, the defendant shall be charged with all costs of the suit.

Payment into Court by defendant, without prior tender to plaintiff.

174. (*1*) The defendant in any suit before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act may, without having tendered the same to the plaintiff before the institution of the suit, pay into Court such sum of money as he may consider to be due to the plaintiff, together with the costs (to be fixed by the Deputy Commissioner, if necessary, as upon a suit originally instituted for the amount so paid into Court) incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment; and such sum shall immediately be paid out of Court to the plaintiff. [1879, s.

(*2*) If, after such payment, the plaintiff elects to proceed in the suit, and ultimately recovers no more than was paid into Court, he shall be charged with all costs of the suit incurred by the defendant subsequently to such payment; but, if the plaintiff ultimately recovers more than was paid into Court, the defendant shall be charged with costs as upon a suit originally instituted for the whole amount for which the plaintiff ultimately obtains a decree, but shall have credit therefor for the amount of costs paid into Court by him in the first instance.

Prohibition of interest on sums so paid into Court.

175 From the date on which any sum is paid into Court by the defendant under section 173 or section 174, no interest shall be allowed to the plaintiff on such sum, whether it be in full satisfaction of his claim or falls short thereof. [1879, s. 85.]

Power to award damages to plaintiff in rent-suit.

176. (*1*) In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the defendant has, without reasonable or probable cause, neglected or refused to pay the amount due from him, [1879, s. 90. *Cf.* 1885, s. 68.]

and that he has not, before the institution of the suit, tendered such amount to the plaintiff or his agent, or, in case of refusal of the plaintiff or such agent to receive the amount tendered, has not deposited such amount in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner under section 56 before the institution of the suit,

the Deputy Commissioner may, for reasons to be recorded in writing, award to the plaintiff, in addition to the amount decreed for rent and costs, such damages, not exceeding twenty-five *per centum* on the amount of rent decreed as the Court may think fit, unless interest has been decreed under section 59.

(*2*) Any damages so awarded, as well as the amount of rent and costs decreed in the suit, shall carry interest, from the date of decree until payment thereof, at such rate *per centum* as the Deputy Commissioner deems reasonable.

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Power to award compensation to defendant in rent-suit.

177. In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the plaintiff has instituted the suit against the defendant without reasonable or probable cause, [1879, s. 91.]

or that the defendant, before the institution of the suit, duly deposited in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner, under section 56, the full amount which the Deputy Commissioner finds to have been due to the plaintiff at the date of such deposit,

the Deputy Commissioner may, for reasons to be recorded in writing, award to the defendant, by way of compensation, such sum, not exceeding twenty-five *per centum* on the whole amount claimed by the plaintiff, as the Deputy Commissioner may think fit;

and such sum, with interest until payment thereof at such rate *per centum* as the Deputy Commissioner deems reasonable, shall be recoverable from the plaintiff in like manner as other sums decreed to be paid by defendants under this Act.

Procedure where third party claims right to receive rent.

178. When, in any suit before a Deputy Commissioner under this Act between a landlord and a tenant, the right to receive the rent of the land or tenure cultivated or held by the tenant is disputed, and such right is claimed by or on behalf of a third person on the ground that such third person, or a person through whom he claims, has actually and in good faith received and enjoyed such rent before and up to the time of the institution of the suit, [187

such third person shall be made a party to the suit, and the question of the actual payment of the rent to such third person in good faith shall be inquired into, and the suit shall be decided according to the result of such inquiry:

Provided that such decision shall not affect the right of any party, who may have a legal title to the rent of such land or tenure, to establish such title by suit in a Civil Court, if instituted within one year from the date of the decision.

Suit for ejectment of non-occupancy-ryot or cancelment of lease of other tenant, for arrears of rent.

179. (*1*) Any landlord desiring to eject a non-occupancy-raiyat on the ground that he has failed to pay an arrear of rent, or to cancel the lease of any tenant on account of the non-payment of arrears of rent, may sue for such ejectment or cancelment and for the recovery of the arrears in the same suit, or may, in a suit for such ejectment or cancelment, adduce any unexecuted decree for arrears of rent as evidence of the existence of such arrears. [1879 s. 88.]

(*2*) In all cases of suits for the ejectment of a non-occupancy-raiyat for non-payment of arrears of rent, or for the cancelment of a lease for non-payment of arrears of rent, the decree shall specify the amount of the arrear; and if such amount, together with interest and costs of suit, be paid into Court within thirty days from the date of the final decree, execution shall be stayed.

(*3*) The Deputy Commissioner may, for special reasons to be recorded in writing, extend the period of thirty days mentioned in sub-section (*2*).

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Power of Deputy Commissioner to grant lease to raiyat in default of landlord.

180. If a decree is given for the grant of a lease to a raiyat, and the landlord fails, for a period of three months after the date of the decree, to grant such lease, the Deputy Commissioner may grant a lease, in conformity with the terms of the decree, under his own hand and seal; and such lease shall have the same force and effect as if granted by the landlord. [1879, s. 92.]

Procedure where tenant fails to deliver counterpart engagement to landlord.

181. If a decree is given for the delivery of a counterpart engagement by a tenant to a landlord, and the tenant fails, for a period of three months after the date of the decree, to deliver such counterpart, the decree shall be evidence of the amount of rent claimable from such tenant, and a copy of the decree under the hand and seal of the Deputy Commissioner shall have the same force and effect as a counterpart engagement delivered by the tenant to the landlord. [1879, s. 93.]

Execution of Decrees and Orders of the Deputy Commissioner.

Limitation of time for application for execution.

182. No process of execution of any description whatsoever shall be issued on any decree or order passed by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act, except upon an application made within three years from— [187, s. 105.]

(*a*) the date of the decree or order, or

(*b*) where there has been an appeal, the date of the final decree or order of the Appellate Court, or

(*c*) where there has been a review of judgment, the date of the decision passed on the review.

Issue of warrant of execution.

183. (*1*) A warrant of execution may be issued against either the person or the moveable property of a judgment-debtor, but shall not be issued simultaneously against both person and property. [1879, s. 99.]

(*2*) Every warrant of execution against the person or moveable property of a judgment-debtor shall be in the prescribed form.

Indication of moveable property to be seized.

184. (1) Any moveable property required to be seized under a warrant of execution shall, if practicable, be described in a list to be furnished by the judgment-creditor; but, if the creditor is unable to furnish such list, he may apply for a general seizure of the debtor's effects to the amount of the judgment and costs. [1879, s. 100.]

(*2*) In either case, the property to be seized shall be pointed out by the creditor or his agent to the officer entrusted with the execution of the warrant.

Duration of warrant of execution.

185. Every warrant of execution shall bear the date of the day on which it is signed by the Deputy Commissioner, and shall continue in force for such period as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, not being more than sixty days from such date. [1879, s. 101.]

Second and successive warrants of execution.

186. Second and successive warrants of execution may be issued, by order of the Deputy Commissioner, on the application of the judgment-creditor, after the expiration of the period fixed for the continuance in force of a previous warrant. [1879, s. 102.]

Notice when to be given before issue of warrant of execution.

187. (*1*) A warrant of execution shall not be issued upon any decree or order without previous notice to the party against whom execution is applied for, if, when application for the issue of the warrant is made, a period of more than one year has elapsed from the date of the decree or order, or from the date of the last previous application for execution. [1879, s. 103.]

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(2) A warrant of execution shall not be issued against the heir or other representative of a deceased party without previous notice to such representative to appear and be heard. [1879, s. 104.]

Imprisonment of defendant after passing of decree.

188. If a decree or order is for the payment of arrears of rent, or for money, or for the delivery of papers or accounts, and if the defendant has been committed to the civil jail under section 152, sub-section (1), or appears pursuant to the conditions of any security-bond given under section 152, the Deputy Commissioner may order that he be detained in, or committed to, the civil jail, there to remain for such time, not exceeding six months, as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, unless in the meantime he pays into Court the amount of the decree, with costs, or otherwise complies with the terms of the decree or order. [1879, s. 96.]

Procedure when judgment-debtor is arrested.

189. (1) If a warrant is issued against the person of a judgment-debtor, the officer charged with the execution of the warrant shall bring him with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, 106.

(2) If the decree in execution of which the judgment-debtor was arrested is a decree for money, and if he does not immediately deposit in Court the full amount specified in the warrant, or make arrangements, satisfactory to the judgment-creditor, for the payment of the same, or satisfy the Deputy Commissioner that he has no present means of paying the same,

the Deputy Commissioner shall send him to the civil jail, there to remain for such time as may be directed by warrant addressed to the keeper of the jail, unless in the meantime he pays the said amount:

Provided that no judgment-debtor shall be imprisoned in execution of a decree under this Act for a longer period than six months or (if the decree is for the payment of a sum of money not exceeding fifty rupees) six weeks;

(3) If the decree in execution of which the judgment-debtor was arrested is a decree for the delivery of papers or accounts, and if the papers or accounts are not immediately delivered by him to the Deputy Commissioner,

the Deputy Commissioner may commit him to the civil jail, there to remain for such time, not exceeding six months, as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, unless in the meantime he delivers the papers or accounts according to the terms of the decree.

No second imprisonment under the same decree or order.

190. (1) When any judgment-debtor has been discharged from the civil jail, he shall not be imprisoned a second time under the same decree or order. [1879, s. 107.

(2) If the amount due under such decree or order does not exceed fifty rupees, the Deputy Commissioner may declare such discharged person to be absolved from liability thereunder.

(3) In other cases the discharge shall not extinguish the liability of the discharged person under such decree or order, or exempt property belonging to him from attachment in execution thereof.

Diet-money for subsistence of prisoners.

191. (1) Any person who applies for a warrant for the arrest of a defendant under section 150, or for a warrant of execution against the person of a judgment-debtor under section 183, shall deposit in Court, at the time of the issue of the warrant, diet-money for thirty days, at such rate as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, for the subsistence of the prisoner. [1879, s. 108.]

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(*2*) The said person shall also pay diet-money, at the same rate, before the commencement of each succeeding month of the imprisonment; and, if he fails to make any such payment, the prisoner shall be discharged. [1879, s. 109.]

(*3*) All diet-money spent in providing subsistence for any prisoner shall be added to the costs in the suit; and any diet-money not so spent shall be returned to the person who paid it. [1879, s. 110.

Execution of decree or order for ejectment or re-instatement of cultivator.

192. (*1*) If the decree or order is for the ejectment of any cultivator from land occupied by him, or for the re-instatement of any cultivator in the occupancy of land from which he has been ejected, the decree or order shall be executed by giving the possession or occupancy of the land to the person entitled by the decree or order to such possession or occupancy. [1879, s. 94.]

(*2*) If any opposition to the execution of the order for giving such possession or occupancy is made by the party against whom the order is made, the Deputy Commissioner shall, in the exercise of his powers as a Magistrate, give effect to the order.

Execution of decree or order for cancelment of lease, or for ejectment or re-instatement of tenant not being an actual cultivator.

193. If the decree or order is for the cancelment of any lease, or the ejectment of any tenant (not being an actual cultivator), or for the re-instatement of any tenant (not being an actual cultivator) in the possession of a tenancy from which he has been ejected, the decree or order shall be executed— [1879, s. 95.]

(*a*) by proclaiming its substance to the cultivators or other occupants of the tenancy by beat of drum, or

(*b*) by notification reciting the substance of the decree or order and affixed in some conspicuous place within, or adjacent to, the tenancy, or

(*c*) in such other manner as may be prescribed by rule made in this behalf under section 256.

Execution against judgment-debtor's surety.

194. If the judgment-debtor has given security for his appearance, and is not present when judgment is pronounced, and if his surety fails to deliver him into custody when required so to do, a warrant of execution may be issued against the surety, for the sum due under the bond, in the same manner as if a decree for that sum had been passed against the surety. [1879, s. 97.]

Execution of decree for rent given in favour of sharer in undivided estate or tenure.

195. If a decree is given by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act in favour of a sharer in a joint undivided estate or tenure for money due to him on account of his share of the rent of any tenure comprised in such undivided estate or tenure, [1879, s. 27.]

application for the sale of such tenure shall not be received unless execution has first been taken out against any moveable property which the judgment-debtor may possess within the district in which the suit was instituted, and unless the sale of such property (if any) has proved insufficient to satisfy the decree;

and such tenure may then, with the previous sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be sold, in execution of the decree, in the manner in which any other immoveable property may be sold in execution of a decree for money under the provisions of sections 196 and 209.

Execution against immoveable property in certain cases, if judgment not satisfied.

196. In the execution of any decree or order by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act for the payment of money, not being money due or recoverable as an arrear of rent, [1879, s. 128.]

if satisfaction of the decree or order cannot be obtained by execution against the person or moveable property of the debtor within the district in which the suit was instituted,

the judgment-creditor may apply for execution against any immoveable property belonging to such debtor;

and such immoveable property may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be brought to sale in the manner provided in section 209.

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Sales in Execution of Decrees of the Deputy Commissioner.

Notification of intended sale of moveable property, and custody of property.

197. (*1*) For the purpose of executing a warrant of execution issued by the Deputy Commissioner under this Chapter against the moveable property of a judgment-debtor, the officer charged with the execution of the warrant shall prepare a list of the property pointed out by the judgment-creditor; and shall publish a proclamation specifying the day upon which the sale is intended to be held, and a copy of the said list, at the intended place of sale and at the residence of the debtor. [1879, s. 111.]

(*2*) A copy of the said list and proclamation shall be transmitted to the Deputy Commissioner, and shall be affixed in his office.

(*3*) Until the day of sale, the said property shall remain in the custody of the officer executing the warrant.

Interval between seizure and sale.

198. No sale of any moveable property seized in execution under this Chapter shall be made until the expiration of a period of ten days after the day on which the property was so seized. [1879, s. 117.]

Place and manner of sale.

199. (*1*) Such sale shall be held at the place where the property is deposited, or at the nearest market or other place of public resort if the officer executing the warrant thinks it is likely to sell there to better advantage. [1879, s. 112.]

(*2*) The property shall be sold by public auction, in one or more lots as the officer executing the warrant may think advisable; and if the judgment-debt, and the costs of the execution and sale, are realised by the sale of a portion of the property, the execution shall immediately be withdrawn with respect to the remainder.

Prohibition of purchase by officers.

200. Officers executing warrants for the sale of property under this Chapter, and all persons employed by, or subordinate to, such officers, are prohibited from purchasing, either directly or indirectly, any property sold by such officers. [1879, s. 116.]

Postponement of sale if fair price be not offered.

201. If, on the property being put up for sale, no price which the officer executing the warrant considers fair is offered for it, and the owner of the property, or some person authorized to act on his behalf, applies to have the sale postponed until the next day, or the next market day if a market be held at the place of sale, the sale shall be postponed until such day, and shall then be completed at whatever price may be offered for the property. [1879, s. 113.]

Payment of purchase money.

202. (*1*) The price of every lot shall be paid in ready money at the time of sale, or as soon thereafter as the officer executing the warrant may think necessary; and, in default of such payment, the property shall again be put up and sold. [1879, s. 114.]

(*2*) When the purchase-money has been paid in full, the officer executing the warrant shall give the purchaser a certificate describing the property purchased by him and stating the price paid.

Application of proceeds of sale.

203. (*1*) From the proceeds of the sale, the officer executing the warrant shall make a deduction, at the rate of one anna in the rupee, on account of the costs of the sale, and shall transmit the amount to the Deputy Commissioner in order that it may be credited to the Government. [1879, s. 115.]

(*2*) The said officer shall then pay to the judgment-creditor the expenses incurred by the judgment-creditor in securing the execution of the decree, to such amount as, after examination of the statement of expenses furnished by the judgment-creditor, he thinks proper to allow.

(*3*) The remainder shall be applied to the discharge of the debt for which the sale was made, with interest thereon up to the day of sale; and, if there be any surplus, it shall be delivered to the person whose property has been sold.

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Procedure where third party claims interest in property seized.

204. (*1*) If, before the day fixed for the sale, a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner and claims a right or interest in any of the moveable property seized in execution, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party or his agent according to the law for the time being in force relating to the examination of witnesses; and, if he sees sufficient reason for so doing, may stay the sale of such property. [1879, s. 118.]

(*2*) The Deputy Commissioner shall, after taking evidence, adjudicate upon such claim, and shall make such order thereupon as he thinks fit. [1879, s. 119.]

(*3*) If the claimant fails to establish his right to the property seized in execution, the Deputy Commissioner may, by his order under sub-section (*2*), award to the judgment-creditor against the claimant, in addition to the costs of the proceedings, such sum as the Deputy Commissioner may consider sufficient to cover any loss of interest or any other damage which the judgment-creditor has sustained by reason of the postponement of the sale. [1879, s. 120.]

(*4*) The party against whom any order is passed by the Deputy Commissioner under this section may, at any time within one year from the date of the order, bring a suit in the Civil Court to establish his right: [1879, s. 121.]

Provided that, if the order be for the sale of the property, the suit shall not be for the recovery of the property, but for damages against the judgment-creditor by whom the property was brought to sale.

Irregularities not to vitiate sale.

205. No irregularity in publishing or conducting a sale of moveable property under a warrant of execution issued under this Chapter shall vitiate such sale; but nothing contained in this section shall bar any person who sustains damage by reason of any such irregularity from recovering damages by suit in the Civil Court, if instituted within one year from the date of the sale. [1879, s. 122.]

Sale of tenure or holding in execution of decree for arrears of rent.

206. (*1*) When a decree passed by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act is for an arrear of rent due in respect of a tenure or holding, the decree-holder may apply for the sale of such tenure or holding, and the tenure or holding may thereupon be brought to sale, in execution of the decree, according to the provisions for the sale of under-tenures contained in the Bengal Rent Recovery (Under-tenures) Act, 1865; and all the provisions of that Act except sections 13 and 14 shall, as far as may be, apply: [1879, s. 123, paras. 1 to 4.] Ben. Act VIII of 1865.

Provided that the Commissioner may, by order, in any case in which he may consider it desirable so to do,—

(*a*) prohibit the sale of any tenure or portion thereof, or

(*b*) stay any such sale for any period specified in the order:

Provided also that any sale of a resumable tenure under this section shall not affect the right of the grantor or his successor in title to resume such tenure, but shall be made subject to such right.

(*2*) When a warrant of execution has been issued under this Chapter against the person or moveable property of the judgment-debtor, no application shall be received under sub-section (*1*) while such warrant remains in force.

Sale of other property in execution of decree for arrears of rent of tenure or holding.

207. (*1*) If, after the sale of a tenure or holding in pursuance of section 206, any portion of the amount decreed remains due, process may be applied for against any other property, moveable or immoveable, belonging to the judgment-debtor. [1879, s. 123, para. 5.]

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(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (1), a decree-holder may, with the permission of the Deputy Commissioner, granted for reasons to be recorded in writing, proceed against any other property, moveable or immoveable, of the judgment-debtor, without first making application for the sale of the tenure or holding in respect of which the arrear has accrued.

(3) Property referred to in sub-sections (1) and (2) may be brought to sale— [1879, s. 123, para. 5.]

(a) if moveable, in the manner provided in sections 197 to 203, and

(b) if immoveable, in the manner provided in section 209.

Procedure where third party claims to be in lawful possession of tenure or holding.

208. (1) If, before the day fixed for the sale of any tenure or holding under this Chapter, a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner and alleges that such third party, and not the person against whom the decree has been obtained, is the holder of such tenure or holding and was in lawful possession of the same at the time when the decree was obtained, [1879, s. 125.]

the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party according to the law for the time being in force relating to the examination of witnesses; and if he sees sufficient reason for so doing, and if such party deposits in Court or gives security for the amount of the decree, the Deputy Commissioner shall stay the sale, and shall, after taking evidence, adjudicate upon the claim:

Provided that no such adjudication shall be made if the Deputy Commissioner considers that the claim was designedly or unnecessarily delayed:

Provided also that no transfer of a tenure shall be recognised unless it has been registered in the office of the landlord or sufficient cause for non-registration is shown to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner.

(2) The party against whom judgment is given by the Deputy Commissioner under sub-section (1) may, at any time within one year from the date of the judgment, bring a suit in the Civil Court to establish his right. [1879, s. 126.]

Execution against buildings, undertenures and estates.

209. (1) If the immoveable property against which execution is applied for under this Chapter is a building, process shall be issued in the same manner as for the seizure and sale of moveable property; and the provisions of sections 197 to 203 shall, so far as may be practicable, be applicable to the execution of such process. [1879, s. 129.]

(2) If the property is a saleable tenure, it shall be sold under the provisions of the law for the time being in force in Bengal applicable to the sale of such tenures for demands other than those for arrears of rent due in respect thereof.

(3) If the property is an estate or a share of an estate, it shall be sold under the provisions of the law for the time being in force in Bengal applicable to the sale of estates for the recovery of demands recoverable by the same process as arrears of land-revenue.

(4) If, before the day fixed for the sale of any immoveable property referred to in this section, objection is offered to the sale on the ground of such property not belonging to the judgment-debtor, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine the party making the objection, according to the law for the time being in force relating to the examination of witnesses; and, if satisfied that there is sufficient ground for so doing, shall stay the sale, and shall, after taking evidence, adjudicate upon the objection. [1879, s. 130.]

(5) The party against whom judgment is given by the Deputy Commissioner under sub-section (4) may, at any time within one year from the date of the judgment, bring a suit in the Civil Court to establish his right.

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(Chapter XVI.—Judicial Procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner—Clauses 210—215.)

Application to set aside sale of immoveable property, on deposit of debt and compensation to purchaser.

210. (*1*) When any immoveable property has been sold under this Chapter in execution of a decree, any person who owned such property immediately before the sale, or who claims an interest therein under a title lawfully acquired before the sale, may, at any time within a period of thirty days from the date of the sale, apply to have the sale set aside on his depositing in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner,— [1879, s. 130A (*1*).]

(*a*) for payment to the purchaser—a sum equal to five *per centum* of the purchase-money, and

(*b*) for payment to the decree-holder—the amount specified in the proclamation of sale as that for the recovery of which the sale was ordered, less any amount which may, since the date of such proclamation and sale, have been received by the decree-holder:

Provided that, if a person applies under section 211 to set aside the sale of his immoveable property, he shall not be entitled to make an application under this section. [Act XIV of 1882, s. 310A. prov.]

(*2*) If the said deposits are made within the said period, the Court shall pass an order setting aside the sale, and the provisions of section 315 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply in the case of a sale so set aside. [1879, s. 130A (*2*).] XIV of 1882.

Application to set aside sale of immoveable property on ground of irregularity.

211. (*1*) When any immoveable property has been sold under this Chapter in execution of a decree, the decree-holder or the person who owned such property immediately before the sale may apply to the Deputy Commissioner to set aside the sale on the ground of a material irregularity in publishing or conducting it; but no sale shall be set aside on the ground of irregularity unless the applicant proves to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner that he has sustained substantial injury by reason of such irregularity. [Act XIV of 1882, s. 311.]

(*2*) If such application be made, and if the objection be allowed, the Deputy Commissioner shall pass an order setting aside the sale. [Act XIV of 1882, s. 312, para. 2.]

Grounds on which suit to set aside sale may be instituted.

212. No suit shall be entertained in any Court to set aside, or to modify the effect of, any sale made under this Chapter, save under section 210 or section 211 or on the ground of fraud or want of jurisdiction.

Appeals.

Appeal from orders of Deputy Commissioners.

213. (*1*) All orders passed by a Deputy Commissioner under the foregoing provisions of this Act, not being— [1879, s. 135.]

(*a*) judgments in suits, or

(*b*) orders passed in the course of suits and relating to the trial thereof, or

(*c*) orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof, or

(*d*) orders passed under section 204, section 208 or section 211, sub-section (*4*),

shall be appealable—

(*i*) to the Commissioner, or,

(*ii*) if passed by a Deputy Collector exercising powers of a Deputy Commissioner—to the Deputy Commissioner.

(*2*) No judgment of a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector in any suit, and no order of a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector passed in any suit and relating to the trial thereof, or after decree and relating to the execution thereof, shall be open to revision or appeal otherwise than as expressly provided in this Act.

(*3*) Orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof [except orders passed under section 204, section 208 or section 211, sub-section (*4*),] shall be appealable to the Court to which an appeal from the decree itself would lie.

Limitation of appeals from such orders.

214. Every appeal under section 217 against an order of a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector shall be presented to the Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be, within thirty days from the date of the order. [1879, s. 136, para. 1.]

Bar to further appeals, with proviso for revision by Board or Commissioner.

215. Orders passed in appeal by the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner shall not be open to any further appeal; but the Board or the Commissioner may call for any case and pass [1879, s. 136, para. 2.]

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Bar to appeal in certain suits.

216. (*1*) In suits referred to in clause (*2*) or clause (7) of section 134, tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, if the amount sued for, or the value of the property claimed, does not exceed one hundred rupees, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner shall be final, and not open to revision or appeal except as provided in sub-section (*2*), unless in any such suit a question relating to a title to land, or to some interest in land, as between parties having conflicting claims thereto, has been determined by the judgment, in which case the judgment shall be open to appeal in the manner provided in section 221. [1879, s. 137.]

(*2*) When any such suit in which, if tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner would be final, is tried and decided by a Deputy Collector, an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Collector shall lie to the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 138.]

Appeal to Deputy Commissioner when to be presented.

217. Every petition of appeal to the Deputy Commissioner under section 216, sub-section (*2*), shall be presented within thirty days from the date of decree appealed against: [1879, s. 140.]

Provided that such time as may be requisite for procuring a copy of the decree appealed against shall not be reckoned as part of the thirty days.

Appeal when to be heard.

218. (*1*) The Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, shall fix a day for hearing the appeal, and shall cause notice of the same to be served on the respondent. [1879, s. 141.]

(*2*) If, on the day fixed for hearing the appeal, or on any other day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the appellant does not appear in person or by agent, the appeal shall be dismissed for default.

(*3*) If on such day the appellant appears and the respondent does not appear in person or by agent, the appeal shall be heard *ex-parte*.

Re-admission of appeal.

219. If an appeal is dismissed for default of prosecution, the appellant may, within fifteen days from the date of the dismissal, apply to the Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, for the re-admission of the appeal; and, if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, that the appellant was prevented by any sufficient cause from appearing when the appeal was called on for hearing, the Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, may re-admit the appeal. [1879, s. 142.]

Judgment in appeal.

220. After hearing the appeal, the Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, shall give judgment in the manner provided in section 171 for giving judgment in original suits; and his judgment shall be final. [1879, s. 143.]

Appeal to Judicial Commissioner or High Court.

221. (*1*) In all suits before a Deputy Commissioner under this Act, except— [1879, s. 144.]

(*a*) suits in which, when tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner is declared by section 216, sub-section (*1*), to be final, and

(*b*) suits in which, when tried and decided by a Deputy Collector, an appeal is allowed by section 216, sub-section (*2*), to the Deputy Commissioner,

an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector shall lie to the Judicial Commissioner, unless the amount or value in dispute exceeds five thousand rupees, in which case the appeal shall lie to the High Court.

(*2*) A second appeal shall lie to the High Court, under Chapter XLII of the Code of Civil Procedure, from any appellate decree passed by the Judicial Commissioner under this Chapter. XIV of 1882.

Transfer of appeals from Deputy Commissioner to Judicial Commissioner.

222. Where, in analogous cases, some appeals have been presented to the Deputy Commissioner and others to the Judicial Commissioner, the Judicial Commissioner may, on the application of any of the parties, transfer to his own Court the appeals pending in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 144A.]

Limitation of appeal to Judicial Commissioner or High Court.

223. Appeals to the Judicial Commissioner or to the High Court under this Chapter shall be presented within the time prescribed for the presentation of appeals to a District Judge or the High Court, as the case may be, under the Code of Civil [1879, s. 145.]

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(*Chapter XVI.—Judicial Procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner.—Chapter XVII.—Limitation.—Clauses 224—231.*)

Power to alter or rescind judgment passed *ex-parte* or by default.

224. (*1*) No appeal shall lie from a judgment passed *ex-parte* against a defendant who has not appeared, or from a judgment passed against a plaintiff by default for non-appearance. [179, s. 6.

(*2*) If the party against whom any such judgment has been given appears, either in person or by agent,—

(*a*) if a plaintiff, within thirty days from the date of the Deputy Commissioner's order, and,

(*b*) if a defendant, within thirty days after any process for enforcing the judgment has been executed,

or at any earlier period, and shows sufficient cause for his previous non-appearance, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such terms and conditions as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, revive the suit and alter or rescind the judgment, according to the justice of the case.

(*3*) No judgment shall be altered or rescinded under sub-section (*2*) without previously summoning the opposite party to appear and be heard in support of it.

Order to set aside judgment final, but rejection of application to set aside appealable.

225. In all cases in which the Deputy Commissioner passes an order for setting aside a judgment, the order shall be final; but, in all appealable cases in which the Deputy Commissioner rejects an application for setting aside a judgment, an appeal shall lie from the order of rejection to the tribunal to which the final decision in the suit would be appealable, provided that the appeal be preferred within the time allowed for an appeal from such final decision. [1879, s. 17.

Application of section 561 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

226. The provisions of section 561 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall, so far as applicable, apply to all appeals under this Act from decisions of the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 153A (*1*)] XIV of 1882

CHAPTER XVII.

LIMITATION.

Application of the Indian Limitation Act, 1877.

227. The provisions of the Indian Limitation Act, 1877, shall, so far as they are not inconsistent with this Act, apply to all suits, appeals and applications under this Act. [1885, s. 185. XV of 1877.

General rule of limitation.

228. All suits and applications instituted or made under this Act, for which no period of limitation is provided elsewhere in this Act, shall be commenced and made, respectively, within one year from the date of the accruing of the cause of action: [1879, s. 12.]

Provided that there shall be no period of limitation for applications under section 26, 30, 33, 35, 50, 51, 75, 84, 93 (proviso), 104, 119 or 237.

Limitation of suits and applications for grant of leases, etc.

229. Suits and applications for the delivery of leases or counterpart engagements, or for the determination of the rates of rent payable for lands held by a tenant, may be instituted and made, respectively, at any time during the tenancy. [1879, s. 13.]

Limitation of suits and applications for arrears of rent.

230. Suits, and applications under section 240, for the recovery of arrears of rent shall be instituted within three years from the end of the agricultural year in which the arrear became due: [1879, s. 11.

Provided that, if any suit or application be for the recovery of rent at a higher rate than was payable in the previous agricultural year, such rent not having been enhanced by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act, it shall be instituted within three months from the end of the agricultural year on account of which such enhanced rent is claimed.

Successive suits or applications for recovery of rent.

231. (*1*) Where a landlord has instituted a suit against a tenant, or applied for a certificate under section 240 against a Mundari khunt-kattidar, for the recovery of any rent of his tenancy, the landlord shall not institute another suit or apply for another such certificate against him for the recovery of any rent of that tenancy until after six months from the date of the institution or making of the previous suit or application. [1879, s. 44A.]

(2) Nothing in sub section (1) shall prohibit a fresh suit

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Limitation of suits against agents for money, accounts or papers.

232. Suits for the recovery of money in the hands of an agent, or for the delivery of accounts or papers by an agent, may be brought at any time during the agency, or within one year after the determination of the agency, of such agent : [1879, s 45].

Provided that, if the person having the right to sue has, by fraud, been kept from knowledge of the receipt of any such money by the agent, or if any fraudulent account has been rendered by the agent, the suit may be brought within one year from the time when the fraud first became known to such person ; but no such suit shall in any case be brought at any time exceeding three years from the termination of the agency.

Suits for recovery of possession of holding.

233. Suits for the recovery of possession of a holding, or any portion thereof, from which an occupancy-raiyat has been unlawfully ejected must be instituted within six years from the date of such ejectment.

Suits or applications for recovery of possession of village.

234. Suits or applications for recovery of possession of a village by a village headman, whether known as a pradhan, manjhi or otherwise, against a landlord or any person holding by virtue of any assignment from a landlord, must be instituted or made within six years from the date of dispossession.

CHAPTER XVIII.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS WITH RESPECT TO MUNDARI KHUNT-KATTIDARS.

Application of preceding sections to mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

235. Such of the preceding sections as are applicable to Mundari khunt-kattidars shall, in their application to such persons and their tenancies, be read subject to the provisions of the following sections in this Chapter. [1879, s. 151.

Restrictions on transfer of Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

236. (*1*) No Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or portion thereof shall be transferable by sale, whether in execution of a decree or order of a Court or otherwise : [1879 s. 152.]

Provided that, when a decree or order has been made by any Court for the sale of any such tenancy or portion thereof, in satisfaction of a debt due under a mortgage (other than a usufructuary mortgage) which was registered before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1908, the sale may be made with the previous sanction of the Deputy Commissioner. Ben. Act V of 1903.

(*2*) If the Deputy Commissioner refuses to sanction the sale of any such tenancy or portion thereof under the proviso to sub-section (*1*), he shall attach the land and make such arrangements as he may consider suitable for liquidating the debt.

(*3*) No mortgage of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid, except a bhugut bandha mortgage for a period, expressed or implied, which does not exceed or cannot in any possible event exceed seven years.

(*4*) No lease of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid, except a lease of one or other of the following kinds, namely :—

(*a*) mukarari leases of uncultivated land, when granted to a Mundari or a group of Mundaris for the purpose of enabling the lessees or the male members of their families to bring suitable portions of the land under cultivation ;

(*b*) leases of uncultivated land, when granted to a Mundari cultivator to enable him to cultivate the land as a raiyat ;

Explanation.—The expression "uncultivated land," as used in this sub-section, includes land which, though formerly cultivated, is not, at the time the lease is granted, either under cultivation or in the occupation of the lessee for purposes of cultivation.

(*5*) Where a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy is held by a group of Mundari khunt-kattidars, no bhugut bandha mortgage or mukarari lease of the tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid unless it is made with the consent of all the Mundari khunt-kattidars.

(*6*) No transfer of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof, by any contract or agreement made otherwise than as provided in the foregoing sub-sections, shall be valid; and no such contract or agreement shall be registered.

(*7*) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall affect any sale or, except as declared in the proviso to sub-section (*1*), any mortgage, or any lease, made before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903. Ben. Act V of 1903.

Transfer for certain purposes.

237. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in section 236, a Mundari khunt-kattidar may, without the consent of his landlord, transfer the land comprised in his tenancy, or any part thereof, for any reasonable and sufficient purpose having relation to the good of the tenancy or of the tenure or estate in which it is comprised, such as the use of the land for any charitable, religious or educational purpose, or for the purposes of manufacture or irrigation, or as building ground for any such purpose, or for access to land used or required for any such purpose:

Provided that the transfer shall be made by registered deed, and that, before the deed is registered and the land transferred, the written consent of the Deputy Commissioner shall be obtained to the terms of the deed and to the transfer.

(*2*) Before consenting to any such transfer the Deputy Commissioner shall satisfy himself that the landlord is adequately compensated for the transfer, and, where only part of the land comprised in the tenancy is transferred, may, if he thinks fit, apportion between the transferee and the original tenant all dues payable for the tenancy.

(*3*) An appeal against any order of a Deputy Commissioner consenting or refusing to consent to any such transfer shall lie to the Commissioner, if presented within one month from the date of the order.

Ejectment of persons unlawfully obtaining possession of such tenancies.

238. If any person obtains possession of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof, in contravention of the provisions of section 236, the Deputy Commissioner may eject him therefrom; [1879, s. 153.]

and if the tenancy was, before such possession was obtained, entered as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy in a record-of-rights finally published under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, no suit shall be maintainable in any Court in respect of such ejectment; but an appeal shall lie to the Commissioner, if presented within three months from the date of the ejectment.

Enhancement of rent.

239. (*1*) The rent of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy may be enhanced only— [1879, s. 154.]

(*a*) by an order of the Deputy Commissioner, and

(*b*) if it be shown before the Deputy Commissioner that the tenancy was created within a period of twenty years immediately preceding the presentation of the petition for enhancement.

(*2*) An order of the Deputy Commissioner under sub-section (*1*) shall not enhance the rent of any such tenancy to an amount which would exceed one-half of the rent which would be payable for the land if it were held by a raiyat having a right of occupancy therein.

(*3*) The provisions of sections 25 to 27 shall be applicable to proceedings for the enhancement of the rent of a Mundari khunt-

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Recovery of arrears of rent under the certificate procedure, where there is a record-of-rights.

240. (*1*) When an arrear of rent accrues in respect of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy for which a record-of-rights has been prepared under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, [1879, s. 155.]

no suit shall be maintainable in any Court for the recovery of the arrear; but the landlord may apply in writing to the Deputy Commissioner to make a certificate authorising the recovery thereof, with simple interest at six-and-a-quarter or (in the case of money recoverable under the Cess Act, 1880,) twelve-and-a-half *per centum per annum*, under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895. Ben. Act IX of 1880. Ben. Act I of 1895.

(*2*) Upon receiving any such application, the Deputy Commissioner may, after making such inquiry and taking such evidence as he may consider necessary, make a certificate as aforesaid.

(*3*) The person in whose favour any such certificate is made shall be deemed to be the decree-holder for the amount mentioned in the certificate, and the person against whom the certificate is made shall be deemed to be the judgment-debtor for the said amount; and all proceedings taken by the Certificate Officer for the recovery of such amount shall be taken at the instance of the first-mentioned person, and at his cost and on his responsibility, and not otherwise.

(*4*) Every such certificate shall have the same effect as a certificate made under section 7 of the said Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895; and the following portions of that Act shall be applicable, namely, the proviso to section 7, sub-section (*1*); section 9, sub-sections (*2*) and (*3*); section 10, sub-section (*1*); and sections 11 to 14, 18, 19, 22 and 24 to 33: Ben. Act I of 1895.

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) a certificate made under this section may be enforced only by the attachment and sale of the moveable property of the person against whom the certificate is made, or by the attachment and realisation of rent or other debts due to him, or by execution against his person in the manner provided by Chapter XVI, or by any two or more of these processes; and

(*b*) no objection by any third person to the attachment or sale of crops shall be entertained, except—

(*i*) an objection, by a mortgagee holding under a bhugut bandha mortgage, that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

(*ii*) an objection, by a lessee holding under a mukarrari lease as described in section 236, clause (*a*), that the land in respect of which the arrear accrued is included in his lease, and that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

(*iii*) an objection, by a cultivator, that he is in possession of the land in respect of which the arrear accrued, that the land is recorded in the record-of-rights as being in the possession of himself or of some person from whom he has lawfully acquired such possession, and that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

(*iv*) an objection, by such third person, that the land on which such crops were or are standing is entered in the record-of-rights as being in the possession of himself or of some person from whom he has lawfully acquired possession, and that such land does not form part of the tenancy in respect of which the certificate was made.

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(5) The provisions of sections 182 to 205 shall, so far as they may be applicable, apply to proceedings under sub-section (4).

(6) If no appeal is presented under section 32 of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, or if any such appeal is decided against the judgment-debtor, the certificate shall become absolute, and shall have the same force and effect as a final decree of a Civil Court. Ben. Act 1 of 1895.

(7) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the Deputy Commissioner may, in any case, by written order setting forth the reasons therefor, refuse to make a certificate as aforesaid, or stay for any specified period the execution of any certificate which has been made.

(8) An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner from any order made under sub-section (7), if presented within one month from the date of the order.

Reference of question of title to Civil Court.

241. If, in the course of any proceedings under section 240, any question of title is raised which could, in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioner, more properly be determined by a Civil Court, the Deputy Commissioner shall refer such question to the principal Civil Court in the district for determination. [1879, s. 156.]

Recovery of arrear of rent by suit where there is no record-of-rights.

242. (1) When an arrear of rent accrues in respect of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy for which no record-of-rights has been prepared, the landlord may institute a suit for the recovery of the arrear. [1879, s. 157.]

(2) A decree or order made in any such suit may be enforced only by the attachment and sale of the moveable property of the defendant, or by the attachment and realisation of rent or other debts due to him, or by execution against his person in the manner provided by Chapter XVI, or by any two or more of these processes.

Joinder of parties in proceedings under section 240 or 242.

243. Where a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy is held jointly by a group of khunt-kattidars, [1879, s. 158.]

and an objection to the making of a certificate under section 240, or to the execution thereof, or to the maintenance of a suit under section 242, is made on the ground that all the khunt-kattidars have not been made parties to the proceedings,

the objection shall not be entertained if it be shown that other khunt-kattidars could not be made parties without undue delay or expense.

Recovery of money due to the Government.

244. Where a decree, or a certificate under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, has been made against a Mundari khunt-kattidar for any money due to the Government, the Deputy Commissioner may attach the land occupied by him and make such arrangements as the Deputy Commissioner may consider suitable for liquidating the debt. Ben. Act 1 of 1895.

Entry of Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies in record-of-rights.

245. All Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies shall be so described in any record-of-rights prepared under Chapter XII. [1879, s. 159.]

Decision of disputes regarding entries or omissions in record-of-rights.

246. (1) At any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights under this Act, or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, a suit may be instituted before a Revenue-officer, for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or the incidents thereof in the record, or regarding any omission to enter such a tenancy or any incident thereof in the record; and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute. [1879, s. 160.]

(2) In all such suits the Revenue-officer shall, subject to any rules made in this behalf under section 256, adopt the procedure laid down in Chapter XVI for the trial of suits before the Deputy Commissioner.

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Appeal against such decisions.

247. An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner from any decision of a Revenue-officer under section 246, if presented within three months from the date of the decision. [1879, s. 161.]

Entry of decision in record-of-rights.

248. Whenever a suit instituted under section 248 has been finally decided, a note of the decision shall be made in the record-of-rights, as finally published, by the Revenue-officer referred to in section 246; and such note shall be considered as part of the record. [1879, s. 162.]

In preparing record-of-rights, judgments, etc., in suits not to be taken as evidence that tenancies are or are not Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

249. When an order has been issued under section 79 of this Act, or under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in respect of any local area, estate, tenure or part thereof, no judgment, decree or order in any suit instituted thereafter shall be taken as evidence, [1879, s. 163.] VIII of 1885.

in any inquiry made by a Revenue-officer engaged in the preparation of a record-of-rights for such area, estate, tenure or part, under Chapter XII of this Act, or under Chapter X of the said Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885,

respecting any claim that any tenancy within that area, estate, tenure or part is or is not a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

Record-of-rights to be conclusive evidence on the question whether a tenancy is a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

250. When a record-of-rights has been finally published under section 82 of this Act, or under sub-section (2) of section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, or amended under section 248 of this Act, [1879, s. 165. Ben. Act V of 1905, s. 2.] VIII of 1885.

the entries therein relating to Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies shall be conclusive evidence of the nature and incidents of such tenancies and of all particulars recorded in such entries;

and, if any tenancy in the area, estate or tenure for which the record-of-rights was prepared has not been recorded therein as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, no evidence shall be received in any Court to show that such tenancy is a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

CHAPTER XIX.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS.

Bar to suits.

Bar to suits in certain cases.

251. Save as expressly provided in this Act, no suit shall be entertained in any Court to vary, modify or set aside any order or decree of any Deputy Commissioner or Revenue-officer in any suit or proceeding under section 27, 31, 34, 35, 42, 50, 55, 62, 63, 66, 73, 75, 86, 90 (proviso) or 93, or under Chapter XIII, XIV, XV, XVI or XVIII, except on the ground of fraud or want of jurisdiction.

Process.

Modes of serving notice or summons.

252. Subject to any rules made in this behalf under section 256, every notice or summons under this Act required to be served on any person may be served— [1879, s. 149.]

(*a*) by delivering the same to the person to whom it is directed; or

(*b*) on failure of such delivery, by posting the same on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person usually resides; or by delivering the notice or summons to a general agent of the person to whom such notice or summons is directed, or to any person who has been appointed in that behalf; or

(*c*) by sending a registered letter, containing the notice or summons, directed to the said person at his usual place of abode; or

(*d*) if no such place of abode can be found, and if the notice or summons cannot be served in any of the modes hereinbefore mentioned, by posting the same at the landlord's office (locally known as *bhandhar*) in the village, or at some conspicuous place on the land, to which the notice or summons relates.

Authentication and service of process issued by the Deputy Commissioner and payment of costs.

253. Every process issued by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall be under the seal and signature of the Deputy Commissioner, and shall be served or executed by the nazir, or, subject to the provisions of section 252 and to any rules therein referred to, in such other manner as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, at the cost of the party at whose instance [1879, s. 134.]

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(*Chapter XIX.—Supplemental Provisions—Clauses 254—257.*)

Production of Witnesses and Documents.

Production of witnesses and documents.

254. For the purposes of any inquiry under this Act, any Deputy Commissioner or Revenue-officer shall have power to summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses and compel the production of documents in the same manner as is provided in the case of a Court by the Code of Civil Procedure. XIV of 1882.

Registration of Documents.

Documents not to be registered unless accompanied by copy of entries in record-of-rights.

255. No document relating to land situate in any area—

(*a*) for which a record-of-rights has been finally published under section 82 or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, and

(*b*) which is specified in this behalf in a notification issued by the Local Government,

shall be accepted for registration unless it is accompanied by a true copy of all entries in the record-of-rights relating to such land.

Rules and Notifications.

Power to make rules to carry out objects of Act.

256. (*1*) The Local Government may make rules to carry out the objects of this Act. [1885, s. 189, & Notfn. 1897, s. 13 (1), (2).]

(*2*) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of sub-section (1), the Local Government may make rules—

(*a a*) to limit the enhancement of the rent of occupancy holdings under section 27;

(*a*) to regulate the procedure to be followed by Deputy Commissioners and Revenue-officers in the discharge of any duty imposed upon them by or under this Act, and may, by such rules, confer upon any such officer—

(*i*) any power exercised by a Civil Court in the trial of suits;

(*ii*) power to enter upon any land, and to survey, demarcate and make a map of the same, and any power exercisable by any officer under the Bengal Survey Act, 1875; and Ben. Act V of 1875.

(*iii*) power to cut and thresh the crops on any land and weigh the produce with a view to estimating the capabilities of the soil;

(*b*) to prescribe the forms to be used, and the mode of service or publication of notices issued, under this Act:

(*c*) to prescribe the form and manner in which rent may be remitted by a tenant by postal money order;

(*d*) to prescribe the form in which receipts for rent are to be given under this Act, and the form in which counterfoils of such receipts are to be retained; and

(*e*) to prescribe the procedure to be followed and the information to be given by any party or applicant in any proceeding under this Act.

Power to make rules as to procedure, and application of the Code of Civil Procedure.

257. (*1*) The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Government of India, make rules for regulating the procedure of the Deputy Commissioner in matters under this Act for which a procedure is not prescribed hereby; and may, by any such rule, direct that any provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply, with or without modification, to all or any classes of cases before the Deputy Commissioner. [Act XV of 1887, s. 88, *cf.* 1879, s. 76, 98, 145A (2).] XIV of 1882.

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(2) Until rules are made under sub-section (1), and subject to those rules when made and to the provisions of this Act,—

(a) the Code of Civil Procedure shall, so far as it is applicable, apply to all proceedings in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner, whether before or after decree, and XIV of 1882.

(b) the Judicial Commissioner shall, in respect of those proceedings, be deemed to be the High Court within the meaning of that Code, and shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, exercise, as regards the Courts under his control, all the powers of a High Court under the Code.

Publication of rules in draft.

258. All powers conferred by this Act for making rules are subject to the condition that the rules be made after previous publication. [1885, s. 190 & Notfn 1897, s. 14.]

Publication and effect of rules and notifications.

259. All rules made, and notifications issued, under this Act shall be published in the Calcutta Gazette, and on such publication shall have effect as if enacted in this Act. [1885, s. 189, & Notfn. 1897, s. 15. *Cf.* Act III of 1906, s. 1 (3).]

Recovery of Dues.

Recovery of dues.

260. All fines, costs, interest, penalties, damages and compensation imposed or awarded under this Act shall be recoverable under the procedure prescribed in Chapter XVI, as if they were sums for which a decree had been passed under that Chapter.

Powers.

Transfer of cases from one Revenue-officer to another.

261. A Revenue-officer may, at any time, transfer any pending suit, application or proceeding under this Act from the file of any Revenue-officer acting under this Act to the file of any other Revenue-officer so acting who is duly authorised to entertain and decide such suit, application or proceeding.

Control over Deputy Commissioners and Deputy Collectors.

262. In the performance of their duties and the exercise of their powers under this Act, Deputy Commissioners shall be subject to the general direction and control of the Commissioner and the Board, and Deputy Collectors exercising functions of the Deputy Commissioner shall also be subject to the direction and control of the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 134.

Powers of Board exerciseable from time to time.

263. Any power conferred by this Act on the Board may be exercised from time to time as occasion requires. [1897, s. 9A(1). *Cf.* Ben. Act I of 1898, s. 15.]

Saving of special enactments.

Saving of special enactments.

264. Nothing in this Act shall affect— [1885, s. 195 (a), (f) and Notfn.].

(*a*) the powers and duties of Settlement-officers as defined by any law not expressly repealed by this Act; or

(*b*) any other special or local law not repealed, either expressly or by necessary implication, by this Act.

The Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908.

(*Schedules A and B.*)

SCHEDULE A.

ACTS AND NOTIFICATION REPEALED IN THE CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION, EXCEPT THE DISTRICT OF MANBHUM.

[*See section* 2(*1*).]

Acts of the Bengal Council.

1	2
No. and year.	Short title.
I of 1879 ...	The Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Proceduro Act.
IV of 1897 ...	The Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897.
V of 1903 ...	The Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903.
V of 1905 ...	The Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1905.
VIII of 1879 ...	The Bengal Rent Settlement Act, 1879.

Notification.

Notification No. 1379L.R., dated the 5th March, 1908, published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 11th idem, Part I, page 631, and in the Gazette of India of the 21st idem, Part I, page 214.

SCHEDULE B.

ACTS PROSPECTIVELY REPEALED IN THE DISTRICT OF MANBHUM.

[*See section* 2(*2*).]

1	2
No. and year.	Short title.
Act of the Governor General of India in Council.	
X of 1859 ...	The Bengal Rent Act, 1859
Acts of the Bengal Council.	
VI of 1862 ...	The Bengal Rent Act, 1862.
IV of 1867 ...	The Bengal Rent (Appeals) Act, 1867.
VIII of 1879 ...	The Bengal Rent Settlement Act, 1879.

I.—*Statement showing where sections of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act (Ben. Act I of 1879), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908.*

1	2	3
Bengal Act I of 1879.	Bill.	REMARKS.
1 para. 1 ...	1(*1*)	
,, ,, 2 ...	1(*2*)	
,, ,, 3 ...	.....	Repealed by the Repealing and Amending Act, 1903 (1 of 1903).
2—"civil jail" ...	3(*v*)	
,, "Commissioner" and "Judicial Commissioner."	3(*vi*)	
,, "Deputy Collector."	3(*viii*)	
,, "Nazir" ...	3(*xv*)	
,, "section" ..	.....	Rendered unnecessary by the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899, (Ben Act I of 1899), s. 3(*39*).
,, (*a*) ...	3(*ii*)	
,, (*b*) ...	3(*iv*)	
,, (*c*) ...	3(*viii*)	
,, (*d*) ...	3(*x*)	
,, (*e*) ...	3(*xii*)	
,, (*f*) ...	3(*xiii*)	
,, (*g*) ...	8	
,, (*h*) ...	3(*xiv*)	
,, (*j*) ...	6	
,, (*k*) ...	3(*xvi*)	
,, (*l*) ...	3(*xvii*)	
,, (*m*) ...	3(*xviii*)	
,, (*n*) ...	3(*xxv*)	
,, (*o*) ...	3(*xxvi*)	
,, (*p*) ...	5	
3, 4 ...	.....	Repealed by the Repealing and Amending Act, 1903 (I of 1903).
5 ...	45	
6, para. 1 ...	15 (*I*), 17 (*I*), 44, 117 (*i*).	

I.—*Statement showing where sections of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act (Ben. Act I of 1879), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1.	2	3
Bengal Act I of 1879.	Bill.	REMARKS.
6, para. 2 ...	15(3)	
„ „ 3 ...	15(2)	
„ „ 4 ...	3(xi), 68	
7 ...	...	
8, para. 1 ...	20	
„ „ 2 ...	23	
9 ...	38	
10 ...	46	
10A (1) ...	48	
„ (2) ...	61	
10B ...	47	
11 ..	62	
12 ...	55(1) to (4)	
13, para. 1 ...	54(a), 56(1) (c)	
„ rest ...	56(1)	
14 ...	57	
15 ...	58	
16 ...	...	
17 ...	63	
18 ...	9	
19, para. 1 ...	10, 37, proviso (a)	
„ ...	37, „ (b)	
20 ...	.....	
21 ...	25(1)(a)	
22 ...	25(1)(a), 26(1)	
23 ...	26	
24 ...	27(1), (4)	
25, 26 ...	.....	Repealed by the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897 (Ben. Act IV of 1897), s. 2.
27 ..	33	
28 ...	34	
28A ...	90(1)	
28B ...	93	
29 ...	72	
30 ...	59	

I.—*Statement showing where sections of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act (Ben. Act I of 1879), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	3
Bengal Act I of 1879.	Bill.	REMARKS.
31 ...	41, 59	
32 ...	60	
32A ...	41(*b*)	
33 ...	75	
34 ...	11	
35 ...	... ...	Repealed by the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903 (Ben. Act V of 1903), s. 18.
36 ...	12	
36A ...	13	
37 ...	134	
38 ...	135	
39 ...	136	
40 ...	137	
41 ...	138	
42 ...	228	
43 ...	229	
44 ...	230	
44A ...	231(*l*)	
45 ...	232	
46 ...	139	
47, 48 ...	140	
49 ...	142	
50 ...	143	
51 ...	144	
52 ...	145	
53 ...	146	
54 ...	147, 148	
55 ...	147, 149	
56 ...	151	
57 ...	150	
58 ...	152(*l*)	
59 ...	152	
60 ...	153	
61 ...	154	
62 ...	155	

I.—*Statement showing where sections of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act (Ben. Act I of 1879), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	3
Bengal Act I of 1879.	Bill.	REMARKS.
63 ...	156	
64 ...	157	
65 ...	158	
66 ...	224	
67 ...	225	
68 ...	165(*1*) to (*4*)	
69 ...	166	
70 ...	165(*5*)	
71 ...	169	
72 ...	170	
73 ...	167	
74 ...	168	
75 ...	159	
76 ...	257	
77 ...	160	
78 ...	161	
79 ...	162	
80 ...	163	
81 ...	164	
82 ...	172	
83 ...	173	
84 ...	174	
85 ...	175	
86 ...	...	
87 ...	178	
88 ...	179	
89 ...	171	
90 ...	176	
91 ...	177	
92 ...	180	
93 ...	181	
94 ...	192	
95 ...	193	
96 ...	188	
97 ...	194	
98 ...	257	

I.—*Statement showing where sections of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act (Ben. Act I of 1879), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	3
Bengal Act I of 1879.	Bill.	REMARKS.
99 ...	183	
100 ...	184	
101 ...	185	
102 ...	186	
103 ...	187(*1*)	
104 ...	187(*2*)	
105 ...	182	
106 ...	189	
107 ...	190	
108 ...	191(*1*)	
109 ...	191(*2*)	
110 ...	191(*3*)	
111 ...	197	
112 ...	199	
113 ...	201	
114 ...	202	
115 ...	203	
116 ...	200	
117 ...	198	
118 ...	204(*1*)	
119 ...	204(*2*)	
120 ...	204(*3*)	
121 ...	204(*4*)	
122 ...	205	
123, paras. 1 to 4 ...	206	
„ para. 5 ...	207	
124 ...	.....	Repealed by the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903 (Ben. Act V of 1903), s. 35.
125 ...	208(*1*)	
126 ...	208(*2*)	
127 ...	195	
128 ...	196	
129 ...	209(*1*), (*2*), (*3*)	
130 ...	209(*4*), (*5*)	
130A ...	210	
131 ...	253	

I.—*Statement showing where sections of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act (Ben. Act I of 1879), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	3
Bengal Act I of 1879.	Bill.	REMARKS.
132 ...	130	
133 ...	3(*viii*) (*b*), (*c*)	
134 ...	262	
135 ...	213	
136, para. 1 ...	214	
„ 2 ...	215	
137 ...	216(*1*)	
138 ...	.....	Repealed by the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903 (Ben. Act V of 1903), s. 43.
139 ...	216(*2*)	
140 ...	217	
141 ...	218	
142 ...	219	
143 ...	220	
144 ...	221	
144A ...	222	
145 ...	223	
145A (*1*) ...	226	
„ (*2*) ...	257	
146, paras. 1, 2, 3 ...	131	
„ para. 4 ...	132	
147 ...	133(*1*)	
148 ...	133(*2*)	
149 ...	252	
150 ...	.....	
151 ...	235	
152 ...	236	
153 ...	238	
154 ...	239	
155 ...	240	
156 ...	241	
157 ...	242	
158 ...	243	
159 ...	245	
160 ...	246	
161 ...	247	

I.—*Statement showing where sections of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act (Ben. Act I of 1879), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—concluded.

1	2	3
Bengal Act I of 1879.	Bill.	REMARKS.
162 ...	248	
163 ...	249	
164 ...	250	
Schedule A ...	.....	Repealed by the Repealing and Amending Act, 1903 (I of 1903).
Schedules B to I ...	.....	Of cl. 256(*b*) of Bill.

II.—*Statement showing where sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as modified up to the 31st May, 1907, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908.*

1	2	3
Act VIII of 1885.	Bill.	REMARKS.
1, 2 ...	.....	
3(*1*) ...	3(*ix*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with the substitution of "Deputy Commissioner" for "Collector" by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ (*2*) ...	3(*xx*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ (*3*) ...	3(*xxv*)	
„ (*4*) ...	3(*xii*)	
„ (*5*) ...	3(*xxii*)	
„ (*6*) ...	3 (*xvi*)	
„ (*7*) ...	3(*xxvi*)	
„ (*8*) ...	3(*xvii*)	
„ (*9*) ...	3(*x*)	
„ (*10*) ...	3(*xxvii*)	
„ (*11*) ...	3(*i*)	
„ (*12*), (*13*), (*14*) ...	.....	
„ (*15*) ...	3(*xix*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ (*16*) ...	3(*xiii*)	
„ (*17*) ...	3 (*xxiv*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
	3 (*xxi*)	
4 ...	4	

II.—*Statement showing where sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as modified up to the 31st May, 1907, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	3
Act VIII of 1885.	Bill.	REMARKS.
5 (*1*) ...	5	
„ (*2*), (*3*) & (*4*) ...	6	
„ (*5*) ...	.....	
6 to 13 ...	.....	
14 ...	.....	Repealed by the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1907 (Ben. Act I of 1907).
15 to 18C ...	.....	
19 (*1*) ...	14	
„ (*2*) ...	.....	
20 ...	15	
21 ...	17	
22 ...	18	
23 ...	19	
24 ...	20	
25 ...	21	
26 ...	22	
27 ...	23	
28 ...	25	
29 to 34 ...	.....	
35 ...	27 (*1*), second proviso	
36 ...	28	
37 ...	.....	
38 ...	34	
39 ...	.....	
40 ...	35 (*1*) to (*8*)	
40A ...	36	
41 ...	.....	
42 ...	38	
43, para. 1 ...	40	
„ proviso ...	.....	
44 ...	41	
45 ...	.....	Repealed by the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1907 (Ben. Act I of 1907).
46, (*1*) to (*9*) ...	42	
„ (*10*) ...	43	
47 ...	74	
48 to 52 ...	.....	

II.—*Statement showing where sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as modified up to the 31st May, 1907, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	3
Act VIII of 1885.	Bill.	REMARKS.
53 ...	53	
54(*1*), (*3*) ...	59	
„ (*2*) ...	54	
55 to 60 ...	.....	
61 (*1*) ...	56	
„ (*2*) ...	.....	
62, 63 ...	.....	
64 (*1*) ...	57(*3*)	
„ (*2*) ...	.....	
65, 66 ...	.....	
67 ...	59	
68 to 71 ...	.....	
72 ...	52	
73 to 83 ...	.....	
84 ...	51	
85, 86 ...	.....	
87 (*1*), (*2*), (*3*) ...	73	
„ (*4*) ...	.....	
88 ...	.....	
89 ...	70	
90 ...	.....	
91 (*1*) ...	.....	
„ (*2*) ..	75(*4*)	
92 to 100 ...	.....	
101 (*1*) ...	79(*1*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with the omission of certain words, by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
101 (*2*) ...	.....	
„ (*3*) ...	79(*2*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ (*4*) ...	79(*3*)	Ditto.

II.—*Statement showing where sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as modified up to the 31st May, 1907, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	3
Act VIII of 1885.	Bill.	REMARKS.
102 ...	80	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with modifications, by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
102A	81	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
103 ...	.....	
103A ...	82	Extended (except certain words) to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
103B ...	83	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with the substitution of Deputy Commissioner for "Collector", by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
104	84	
104A to 104C ...	.....	
104D	84	
104E, 104F ...	.....	
104G (*1*) ...	.....	
„ (*2*) ...	98	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with modifications, by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ „ proviso ...	...	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.

II.—*Statement showing where sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as modified up to the 31st May, 1907, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	3
Act VIII of 1885.	Bill.	REMARKS.
104H, 104J, 105 ...	.....	
105A, para. 1 ...	85	
„ proviso ...	.....	
106, para. 1 ...	86(*1*)	
„ provisoes ...	.....	
107 (*1*) ...	.....	
„ (*2*) ...	87	
108	88	
108A ...	89	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with modifications, by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
109	.....	
109A (*1*) ...	.....	
„ (*2*) ...	86(*2*)	
„ (*3*) ...	.....	
109B (*1*) ...	96, and prov. (*a*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with a modification, by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ (*2*) ...	.....	
„ (*3*) ...	96 prov.(*b*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ *Ill.* ...	96, *Ill.*	Ditto.
109C ...	.....	
109D ...	87	
110, first part ...	97	
„ rest	.....	
111 ...	90(*1*)	Extended (except certain words) to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.

II.—*Statement showing where sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885,) as modified up to the 31st May, 1907, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	3
Act VIII of 1885.	Bill.	REMARKS.
111A, para. 1 ...	91	Extended (except certain words) to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ proviso	.....	Ditto.
111B (*1*) ...	92(*1*)	
„ (*2*) ...	.....	
111B (*3*) ...	.....	
„ (*4*) ...	90(*2*), 92(*2*)	
112 ...	.....	
113 ...	93	
114 ...	94	Extended (except certain words) to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
115, 115A ...	.....	
116 ...	44, 117	
117 ...	118	
118 ...	119	
119 ...	.....	
120 (*1*) ...	117	
„ (*2*) ...	120	
„ (*2a*),(*3*) ...	.....	
121 to 147B ...	.....	
148, opening words and clause (*b*).	140(*1*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with a modificaton by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ (*a*) ...	.....	
„ (*b1*) ...	140(*2*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with a modification, by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.

II.—*Statement showing where sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as modified up to the 31st May, 1907, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—continued.

1	2	
Act VIII of 1885.	Bill.	REMARKS.
148(*b2*) ...	140(*3*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ (*c*) to (*f*) ...	.....	
„ (*f*) ...	141	
„ (*g*), (*h*) ...	.....	
148A to 177 ...	.....	
178(*1*) (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) ...	78(*1*)	
„ „ (*d*) ...	.....	
„ (*2*) ...	78(*2*)	
„ (*3*) ...	78(*3*)	
„ provisoes ...	.....	
„ Expln. ...	.....	
179, 180 ...	.....	
181, first part ...	77	
„ second part ...	.....	
182 ...	.....	
183 ...	76	
„ *Ill.* (*1*) ...	.....	
„ „ (*2*) ...	76, *Ill.* II	
184 ...	.....	
185 ...	227	
186 to 188A ...	.....	
189, opening words and clauses (*1*) and (*2*).	256(*2*)(*a*), (*b*), 259	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), with modifications in clause (*2*), by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ (*3*), (*4*) ...	.....	
190 ...	258	Extended (except certain words) to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
191 to 194 ...	.....	

I.—*Statement showing where sections of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as modified up to the 31st May 1907, are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908*—concluded.

1	2	3
Act VIII of 1885.	Bill.	REMARKS.
195 (*a*) ...	264 (*a*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
„ (*b*) to (*e*) ...	.....	
„ (*f*) ...	264 (*c*)	Extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum), by Notification No. 1379, dated 5th March, 1908.
196 ...	.....	
Schedules ...	.....	

III.—*Statement showing where sections of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897 (Ben. Act IV of 1897), are reproduced in the Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908.*

1	2	3
Bengal Act IV of 1897.	Bill.	Remarks.
1 (*1*) ...	1 (*1*)	
„ (*2*) ...	„ (*2*)	
„ (*3*) ...	.....	
2	.....	Repealed by the Repealing and Amending Act, 1903 (I of 1903).
3 (*1*) (*a*) ...	3 (*xxiv*) ...	
„ „ (*b*), (*c*) ...	3 (*xviii*) ...	
„ „ (*d*) ...	3 (*i*)	
„ (*2*)	3 (*2*)	
4	104	
5	105	
6	106	
7	107	
8	108	
9	109	
9A	110, 263	
10 (*1*)	100 (*b*), 113 (*1*)	
„ (*2*)	113(*2*)	
11	114	
12	115	
12A	116	
13 (*1*), (*2*) ...	256 (*a*), (*b*), 259	
„ (*3*) to (*6*) ...	.....	
14	258	

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE objects of this Bill are—

(1) to consolidate, simplify and re-arrange the greater part of the statute law relating to landlord and tenant in Chota Nagpur;
(2) to secure raiyats in Chota Nagpur in the enjoyment of their existing rights, both statutory and customary, to ameliorate their condition, and to ensure in cases of necessity their protection against oppressive landlords;
(3) to safeguard the interests of landlords in their khas privileged lands, and their interests in certain other directions, and to protect them against fraudulent complaints made by raiyats, and
(4) to remove, as far as possible, ambiguities, defects and anomalies which are known to exist in the present law.

2. The existing statute law relating to landlord and tenant in Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) is to be found mainly in the following Acts of the Bengal Council:—

Bengal Act I of 1879,	Bengal Act V of 1903, and
Bengal Act IV of 1897,	Bengal Act V of 1905,

and in certain provisions of Act VIII of 1885 (the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885) which were extended to Chota Nagpur (except the district of Manbhum) by Notification No. 1379L.R., dated the 5th March 1908, *viz.*, sections 3(*1*), (*2*), (*15*), (*17*), 101(*1*), (*3*), (*4*), 102, 102A, 103A, 103B, 104G(*2*), 108A, 109B(*1*), (*3*), 111, 111A, 114, 148 (*b*), (*b1*), (*b2*), 189(*1*), (*2*), 190 and 195 (*a*), (*f*).

3. In 1906 certain proposals to amend Bengal Act I of 1879 were made, and an amending Bill was drafted, circulated for consideration, and introduced in the Bengal Council, and was referred to a Select Committee of the Council in February, 1907. The opportunity has now been taken of incorporating the clauses of that Bill (subject to certain modifications and additions) with the sections of the Acts at present in force, and of re-arranging the law relating to landlord and tenant in the manner adopted in the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. It is hoped that the new arrangement of the sections and the division of the Act into Chapters dealing with separate subjects will render the law more readily intelligible and easy of reference.

4. The important principles of the Bill in regard to its second object, namely, the improvement of the position of raiyats in Chota Nagpur, are the following:—

(*1*) The principle of the settled raiyat, which has been accepted in the rest of Bengal since 1885, is recognized in Chota Nagpur (clause 15). No objections of any kind have been made to this proposal, and no reason exists why raiyats in Chota Nagpur should be placed in a less advantageous position in this respect than raiyats in the rest of Bengal. At the same time, where by custom or usage raiyats in Chota Nagpur have rights superior to those conferred by the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, these have been safeguarded.

(*2*) All enhancements of rents of occupancy-raiyats by private contract in future have been distinctly prohibited [clause 25(*2*)]. Section 21 of Bengal Act I of 1879 provides for this to some extent already, but opinions have not been unanimous as to the proper interpretation of that section, and moreover, in practice, private enhancements have been frequent, and in many cases excessive, and hence the question has been dealt with fully in the present Bill (clauses 25 to 28). The Bill (clause 24) legalises existing enhancements where the enhanced rents have been paid continuously for a period of seven years; and for enhancements in future provides that rents shall only be enhanced, in areas where a record-of-rights has not been prepared, by order of the Deputy Commissioner, and, in areas where a record-of rights has been published, by periodical revisions of that record by Settlement-officers. A record-of-rights is being prepared for the whole Division, and it is therefore hoped that, in the course of a few years, rents of occupancy-raiyats will only be liable to enhancement at periodical revisions of Settlement all over the Division. In preparing records-of-rights after the commencement of this Bill, Settlement-officers have also been given the power of settling fair rents (clause 84), and, when once fair rents have been settled and a record prepared, no revision of the same is allowed for a period of fifteen years (clause 93).

(*3*) The term "enhancement" has been distinguished from an increase of rent on account of increase of area (clause 29). An increase of rent on the ground of an increase in the area of a tenancy is allowed at any time if sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner on an application made to him, or by a Revenue-officer engaged in preparing a record-of-rights; and, in addition to this, landlords are allowed, under the Bill, to settle separate new lands with any raiyat by private contract (clauses 30 to 32). Provision has also been made for the payment of increased rent where uplands are converted into rice lands, without the intervention of any Government officer [clause 32(*b*)].

(*4*) There exists in the present law no provision for the commutation of rents in kind into money-rents. This has been provided for in the Bill (clause 35), on the lines of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

(*5*) All raiyats have been protected from ejectment from their holdings, except in execution of a decree or of an order of a competent Court (clause 70). The provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act regarding abandonment have also been inserted in the Bill (clause 73).

(*6*) The position of non-occupancy raiyats has been very much ameliorated by the present Bill, and such raiyats have been given very much the same rights as non-occupancy raiyats in the rest of Bengal (Chapter VI). No objections to this proposal have been made at the various discussions of the Bill.

(*7*) The customary rights of the raiyats in regard to the conversion of jungle and waste lands into rice lands have been clearly and specifically recognized (clauses 64 to 69).

(*8*) Lastly, provision has been made that the Local Government may, in any particular area in which such a course is found necessary, cause to be prepared a record-of-rights of village headmen and other classes of tenants, which record shall be final and conclusive (clauses 123 to 127). Aboriginal cultivators have in certain areas been protected already to some extent by the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, and by Bengal Acts V of 1903 and V of 1905; but similar protective measures are necessary in the case of other aboriginals in many parts of the Division, and it is to meet the cases of these men that the present proposals contained in clauses 123 to 127 of the Bill have been made. It is not proposed to extend the provisions of these clauses to any area where inquiry does not show that the preparation of such a record is advisable, but it is necessary that the Local Government should have power to protect these aboriginals in areas in which the necessity for such protection is proved to exist. In many parts of the Division aboriginal raiyats are entirely unable to meet the expense of civil litigation, and are also not sufficiently intelligent or educated to be able to secure their rights in their lands in the ordinary Civil Courts. The result of the Bhuinhari agitation was the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, by which Act certain classes of aboriginal raiyats in Ranchi were partially protected. The result of repeated risings on the part of the Mundas was the special legislation of 1903 and 1905 to which reference has been made. The discontent that prevails among more law-abiding classes of aboriginals at the want of any protective measures securing them in the enjoyment of their rights is the more to be regretted in that it has given rise to a feeling that the best method of securing redress of any grievances is violent and unlawful political agitation. It is obviously undesirable that any such false impression should exist.

5. The interests of landlords have been equally considered in the Bill in many most important matters, as follows:—

(*1*) Provision has been made for the preparation of a record of all landlords' privileged lands, *i.e.*, lands in which, by custom, no occupancy-rights can accrue (clauses 117 to 122). In Bengal the only persons who can own lands of a similar character are proprietors of estates; but in Chota Nagpur the fact has been recognized that such privileged lands can be, and often are, held by tenure-holders. The register of such lands will be prepared by Deputy Commissioners, on application made, in areas in which a record-of-rights is not prepared after the commencement of the Bill, and by Settlement-officers during the course of ordinary settlement proceedings in areas where a record-of-rights is prepared after the commencement of the Bill.

(*2*) Settlement-officers preparing records-of-rights in future have also been given power to settle fair rents in all cases at any time before final publication of the record-of-rights (clause 84) and Revenue-officers are authorized, in areas in which a record-of-rights has been prepared before the Bill comes into force, to assess rents on lands recorded as assessable with rent, but on which no rent has actually been assessed [clause 93 (*1*) proviso]. Under the existing law no application for assessment of rents on such lands can be entertained, to the very great prejudice of landlords.

(*3*) Authority has also been given to Revenue Courts to grant compensation to landlords in cases in which false or vexatious allegations of non-delivery of rent receipts are made by raiyats (clause 55).

6. All amendments of any importance which it is proposed by the Bill to make in the existing law are mentioned in the subjoined notes on clauses.

NOTES ON CLAUSES.

Clauses 1 and 2.—The Bill is declared to extend, like the enactments and notifications which are entered in Schedule A for repeal, to the whole of the Chota Nagpur Division except the district of Manbhum. Power is taken to extend the whole or any portion of the Bill, when it becomes law, to the district of Manbhum or any part thereof; and it is declared that when such extension is made the enactments specified in Schedule B shall be deemed to be repealed. Manbhum has long been governed, in tenancy matters, by special enactments, most of which were repealed in the rest of the Chota Nagpur Division by Bengal Act I of 1879; and it is expected that in course of time it will

be possible to bring the Bill into force in that district, so that the whole Division may be subject to the same law.

Clause 3 (*vi*).—It is proposed to authorise the Local Government to empower any other officer to discharge the functions of the Commissioner or the Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpur in any particular area to which the Bill applies.

Clause 3 (*viii*).—The Deputy Commissioner has power, under the present law, to transfer his functions to any Deputy Collector. It is proposed to extend this provision by authorising him to transfer any of his functions to any Revenue-officer.

Clause 3 (*xi*) defines "korkar," that is, shortly, land reclaimed from waste or jungle for the preparation of rice. This term is used in the existing Act (Bengal Act I of 1879), but, owing to the want of a definition of it, very considerable difficulty has arisen in dealing with cases in which such land is in dispute.

Clause 3 (*xvi*).—This explanation of the words "pay," "payable" and "payment" is new. It is taken from the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and is inserted with reference to the payment of rent in kind (*cf.* clause 35 of the Bill).

Clause 3 (*xvii*).—This definition of "permanent tenure" is new. It is taken from the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Clause 3 (*xviii*).—This definition of "praedial conditions" is taken from Bengal Act IV of 1897, with amendments designed to meet difficulties that have arisen in connection with the subject in commutation proceedings.

Clause 3 (*xxii*).—This definition of "rent" is taken, with very slight modifications, from the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. Provision has been made that the value of personal services, locally known as *begari*, shall not be included in "rent." In practice in most Courts, at present, the value or price of such services is not deemed to be a portion of the rent.

Clause 3 (*xxvii*).—This definition of the word "village" is based on section 3(*10*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, but does not exactly follow it. Where a survey and record-of-rights have been prepared, the declaration in the record is adopted, subject to any modification made by a competent Court after final publication of the record. It is necessary, however, to have some definition for areas for which such a survey has not been made, and hence sub-clause (*b*) has been added. In most cases the area of a village is well known and will not be disputed. In cases where disputes arise, provision has been made for a determination of the question. It is not apprehended that sub-clause (*b*) will often be needed in practice.

Clause 4 is new. It merely describes the various classes of tenants dealt with in the Bill, and follows the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, section 4.

Clause 7 defines "raiyat having khunt-katti rights"; that is, a raiyat who is one of those who founded a village and originally cleared the jungle, or is a descendant in the male line of such a raiyat. The term "khunt-katti" is used in section 19 of the existing Act (Bengal Act I of 1879), but no definition of the expression is given in that Act.

Clause 9 reproduces section 18 of Bengal Act I of 1879, with the substitution of "tenure-holder" for "dependent talukdar or other person possessing a permanent transferable interest in land, intermediate between the proprietor of an estate and the raiyat." It is understood that the expression "tenure-holder", as defined in clause 5 of the Bill, includes all the persons referred to in the said section 18.

Clause 10 is based on section 19 of Bengal Act I of 1879, which provides for the enhancement of rents of bhuinhars whose tenures are less than 20 years old. No bhuinhars whose tenures are registered under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, are liable to enhancement under the existing law, since their tenures are all more than twenty years old. Their exemption from enhancement is definitely stated in clause 10. Tenants of a similar description whose lands are not so registered are protected by clause 37 of the Bill.

Clause 11(*1*) reproduces the first paragraph of section 34 of Bengal Act I of 1879, but the words "or otherwise" have been inserted so as to extend the paragraph to transfers of all kinds.

Clause 13 (*b*) is new. It protects a raiyat or any other cultivator in his rights when the tenure within which his land is comprised is resumed. The word "cultivator" has been used advisedly, in order to protect village headmen and others who might not technically be "raiyats" as defined in clause 6 of the Bill.

Clauses 14, 15, 16 and 17 are almost entirely new. They deal with the question of the settled raiyat and occupancy-rights. The provisions of sections 19, 20 and 21 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, have been followed, with some modifications, those of importance being as follow :—

(*a*) in clause 15 (*5*) and (*6*) three years have been substituted for one year, because raiyats in Chota Nagpur are in the habit of moving temporarily to the labour districts in Bengal and Assam for periods of more than a year, in search of labour;

(*b*) clause 16 gives to Bhuinhars and Mundari Khunt-kattidars the rights of settled raiyats. The reasons for this are obvious. If a raiyat, by cultivating lands for 12 years in a village, acquires any status of advantage in the village, the same privilege should *a fortiori* be accorded to any raiyat holding land in the village who is one of the family of the original reclaimers of the village ; and this is exactly the position of Bhuinhars and Mundari Khunt-kattidars.

The provision in section 6 of Bengal Act I of 1879 which bars the acquisition of occupancy-rights in lands locally known as mán or saika is not reproduced in the present clauses. Such lands are dealt with elsewhere. Where they are landlords' privileged lands, they are provided for in clause 44; and, where they are service lands, they will be covered by clause 77.

Clause 18 is new. It embodies section 22 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with changes in sub-clause (*3*), and the addition thereto of a proviso to meet the case of certain village headmen and others who are really cultivators and, by custom, acquire occupancy-rights in their lands.

Clause 19 is new. It embodies section 23 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with the addition of a reference to local custom or usage and with the omission of the reference to trees.

Clause 21 is new. It embodies section 25 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with an amendment in sub-clause (*a*) corresponding with that made in clause 19.

Clause 22 is new. It embodies section 26 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Clause 23 embodies section 27 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. It is similar to paragraph 2 of section 8 of Bengal Act I of 1879, except that the words "in an inquiry under section 24" are not reproduced.

Clause 24 is new. It embodies the section 21 which was proposed in clause 13 of the Bill of July, 1907. The enhancement of rents of occupancy-raiyats by private contract, whether prohibited or not by section 21 of Bengal Act I of 1879, has been very common, and to refuse to recognise the validity of such enhancements when the same have been paid for many years would cause such a disturbance of the relations between landlord and tenant that the greatest dissatisfaction and ill-feeling would result. It is therefore proposed to validate such enhancements when the enhanced rents have been paid for a period of seven years continually, and when the rents are fair and equitable.

Clauses 25, 26 and 27 deal with the future enhancement of the rent of occupancy-raiyats. They reproduce sections 21 to 24 of Bengal Act I of 1879, with the following modifications—

(*a*) enhancement under the procedure provided by clause 27 of the Bill is limited [by clause 25(*a*)] to areas for which a record-of-rights has not been prepared ;

(*b*) it is declared [by clause 25(*b*)] that in areas for which a record-of-rights has been prepared enhancement may be made only by order of a Revenue-officer, passed under Chapter XII of the Bill;

(*c*) it is expressly declared [by clause 25(*2*)] that enhancements made otherwise than as now proposed shall not be recognised in any Court;

(*d*) the particulars to be entered in applications to the Deputy Commissioner for enhancement have been revised [clause 26], and

(*e*) it is declared that rent may be enhanced only on specific grounds; that no enhancement shall be ordered which is, under the circumstances of the case, unfair or inequitable; and that all enhancements shall be limited in the manner prescribed by rules made by the Local Government [clause 27(*1*), provisoes].

Clause 28 is new. It embodies section 30 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and authorises the gradual enhancement of rent where an immediate enhancement might be inequitable.

Clause 29 is new. It deals with the distinction between (1) enhancements and (2) increases of rent on account of increased area. It will be noticed that a payment of increased rent for lands converted from waste or jungle into rice lands is not to be deemed an "enhancement." Such reclamations are common, and rent is payable for the converted lands in accordance with different customs in various villages; and it would be inequitable to refuse to allow private contracts, in accordance with local custom, for the increase of rent in the case of such reclamations On the other hand, the commutation of money-rents into rents in kind is a form of enhancement which is at times practised in the Chota Nagpur Division, and should be checked.

Clauses 30, 31 and 32 are new. They deal with increases of rents on account of increases in area. Such increases will only be effected by orders of the Deputy Commissioner or by orders of a Revenue-officer engaged in preparing a record-of-rights. Increases of rent on account of separate new lands settled with a tenant, or on account of the conversion of uplands into rice lands, are not affected (*see* clause 32).

Clause 33.—The particulars to be entered in applications to the Deputy Commissioner for reduction of rent have been revised.

Clause 34 reproduces section 28 of Bengal Act I of 1879, with the addition of a proviso, taken from section 38 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, specifying the grounds on which the rent of an occupancy raiyat may be reduced under an order of the Deputy Commissioner.

Clauses 34A, 34B, and 34C are new, and are introduced in order to systematise the procedure for securing a decrease of rent on the ground of a decrease in the area of the land held by an occupancy-raiyat. The clauses are based on sections 38 and 52 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and follow clauses 29 to 31 of the Bill, relating to the increasing of rent in respect of excess area.

Clause 35 is new. It deals with the commutation of rents payable in kind into money-rents, and follows very closely the provisions of section 40 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, a sub-clause being added, at the end, to prohibit the assessment of any amount in excess of a fair and equitable rent.

Clause 36 is new. It embodies section 40A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with the substitution of "increased" for "enhanced."

Clause 37.—The first paragraph is new. It declares that the provisions of the Bill relating to occupancy-raiyats shall apply to raiyats having khunt-katti rights.

The provisos reproduce so much of section 19 of Bengal Act I of 1879 as relates to raiyats having khunt-katti rights, but with the modification that the bar to the enhancement of their rent shall operate only where the tenancy was created more than twenty years before the commencement of the new Act, instead of where the tenancy was created more than twenty years before the institution of a suit for enhancement.

Clauses 38 to 43 deal with the rights of non-occupancy raiyats, and follow, with some modifications, sections 42 to 44 and 46 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. The principal modifications are as follow:—

(*a*) the provisions of clause 38 are declared to be subject to local custom or usage;

(*b*) clause 39 is new;

(*c*) in clause 41 (*b*) the same protection is given to a non-occupancy raiyat in regard to the use of his land in any manner authorized by custom as is afforded to occupancy-raiyats by clause 19;

(*d*) in clause 42 (*1*) the period within which a suit under that clause may be brought has been made six, instead of three, months, to meet the convenience of landlords;

(*e*) it has been provided in clause 42 (*2*) that a notice of enhancement need not be served through the Court if the landlord prefers some other method of service; and

(*f*) it has been declared that the Court may, if it thinks fit, have regard to the rents generally paid by non-occupancy raiyats for similar land in adjoining villages.

Clause 44.—This clause reproduces the concluding portion of paragraph 1 of section 6 of Bengal Act I of 1879, with the modification that, to prevent the acquisition of occupancy-rights in landlords' privileged lands which are leased, the lease must be registered.

The other provisions of the clause are new. They bar the acquisition of occupancy-rights in (1) lands which are entered as manjhihas or bethkheta in the register made

under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, and (2) land acquired for the Government of any Local Authority or Railway Company, and Government land in cantonments. The provision in case (1) is new in form only, for it was declared in the preamble to the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, that manjhihas lands are at the "absolute disposal" of the proprietors of villages, and in section 1 of that Act that "manjhihas" includes bethkheta, and section 6 of Bengal Act I of 1879 declares that occupancy-rights cannot be acquired in manjhihas lands. The provision in case (2) follows section 116 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907.

Clause 44 also declares that Chapter V (relating to non-occupancy raiyats) shall not apply to landlords' privileged lands or to land referred to in case (2) above.

Clause 47.—The words "express or implied, which exceeds or might in any possible event exceed" have been substituted for "exceeding," in order to meet an objection which has been taken that section 10B of Bengal Act I of 1879 does not prohibit all transfers for a period exceeding five years.

Clause 48.—In proviso (*b*) words have been inserted to authorise the sale of holdings, under the Certificate procedure, for the recovery of loans granted by the Local Government for the benefit of the holdings otherwise than under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, or the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884.

Clause 49 is new. It provides against the transfer of their tenures by Bhuinhars, and also bars the acquisition of occupancy-rights by their lessees. The original Bhuinhars and their descendants are really cultivators, and are in as much need of protection in these respects as any other class of cultivators. In fact, many of these Bhuinhars have already sold their lands to money-lenders and others, and it is very necessary to prevent the remainder from similarly transferring their tenures and reducing themselves to the position of landless labourers.

Clauses 50 and 51 are new. They embody a very important change in the existing law. By clause 51 landlords are allowed, subject to certain conditions, to acquire the holdings of raiyats for works of public utility, as landlords in Bengal are allowed to do under section 84 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. A similar right of transfer is granted to raiyats and bhuinhar tenure-holders by clause 50, and they are allowed to part with their holdings or tenures in certain circumstances for works of general utility. Provision has at the same time been made for the proper safeguarding of the landlords' interest when transfers are sanctioned under clause 50. Under the existing law, an obstructive landlord, or an obstructive raiyat, may indefinitely delay the completion of some work, from which all alike, landlords and tenants, would benefit.

Clause 52 is new, and is intended to protect tenants from liability to pay rent to a transferee, when the same has been paid *bonâ fide* to an old landlord whose interest in the tenure or estate has been transferred. The clause embodies section 72 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with the addition of the words "in good faith."

Clause 53 is new. It embodies section 53 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with the qualification that agreements as to the payment of rent by instalments must be registered.

Clause 54 provides for the payment of rent by money-order, and is so obviously sound that little need be said to justify its inclusion in the Bill.

Clause 55(5).—Under Bengal Act I of 1879, section 12, as amended in 1903, landlords are subject to fine if receipts are not granted for rents paid. Provision has now been made for the punishment of raiyats who bring false accusations against their landlords that receipts have been withheld.

Clause 56 reproduces section 13 of Bengal Act I of 1879 [in the form adopted in section 61 (*1*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885,] with the following amendments:—

(*1*) the words "or remits" in sub-clause (*a*) are new: they refer to remittances by postal money-order;

(*2*) sub-clause (*d*) is new: it embodies clause (*d*) of section 61 (*1*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885;

(*3*) the words "within three months from the date on which such rent became due" are substituted for the words "within one month from the date of such tender," because in some cases there will be no actual tender.

(*4*) sub-clause (*2*) is new. It declares that, when a deposit is made, it shall be presumed, until the contrary is proved, that it has been lawfully made. This sub-clause is necessary because, if the onus of proving that a deposit is lawfully made is cast on the raiyat, he will lose the benefit of the clause in many cases, although the deposit has been lawfully made.

Clause 57.—Since it is proposed, by sub-clause (*d*) of clause 56, to allow a tenant to deposit rent when he entertains a *bonâ fide* doubt as to who is entitled to receive the rent, it is necessary to make some provision to enable the Deputy Commissioner, in cases of difficulty, to refer to the Civil Court claims to amounts deposited. Sub-clause (*3*) of clause 57 has been altered accordingly.

A further alteration made in clause 57 is the substitution of "as soon as possible" for "within seven days," in sub-clause (*2*).

In sub-clause (*5*), the word "agent" has been substituted for "duly authorised agent." A similar change has been made in other clauses of the Bill, taken from Bengal Act I of 1879, in which the expression "authorized agent" or "duly authorized agent" is used.

Clause 59 reproduces section 30 of Bengal Act I of 1879, with modifications which are, in part, based on sections 54 (*1*) and (*3*) and 67 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. The modifications are—

(*1*) the omission of the provision which admits of the rate of interest being fixed by agreement; and

(*2*) the fixing of the maximum rate of interest at 12½ *per cent.*, with a proviso limiting the interest for the entire year to 6¼ *per cent.*

The rate 12½ *per cent.* is reasonable. In some cases landlords are believed to realise rents in numerous instalments, and to claim heavy interest on each instalment, so that, although a tenant pays the whole of his rent in the year in which it accrues, yet he is mulcted in heavy sums for interest. It is to meet cases of this kind that the proviso has been framed. It is believed that simple interest at the rate of 6¼ *per cent.* will amply compensate any landlord for a delay in the receipt of rent when the sum is paid in full within the year in which it became due.

Section 16 of Bengal Act I of 1879, which prohibits irregular compulsion for payment of rent, is not reproduced in the Bill. The section is of no practical use; and it seems in any case to be superfluous, having regard to the provisions of the Indian Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860), sections 339 *et seq.*, relating to wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement.

Clauses 64 to 69 (clauses 64, 65, 66, 67 and 69 being new) deal with the subject of reclaiming waste and jungle lands and converting them into rice lands. Raiyats are allowed to convert any lands included in their holdings into rice land, without let or hindrance by the landlord. Outside their own holdings they are similarly allowed to reclaim waste and jungle lands and convert them into rice lands without the consent of the landlord, where they have a customary right to do so, the onus to prove the custom being on the raiyats. In cases in which the consent of the landlord to such reclamation is necessary, it is proposed by *clause 65* to declare that if the landlord does not stop a raiyat making *korkar*, by making an application to the Deputy Commissioner within two years of the commencement of the work of reclamation, he shall be deemed to have consented to the same; and, in the case of Bhuinhars and Mundari Khunt-kattidars, it is proposed by *clause 64* (*2*) to declare a presumption that they have a right to convert waste and jungle lands into *korkar* without the consent of the landlord. *Clause 65* will prevent landlords from allowing raiyats to expend years of labour in reclaiming lands and then claiming khas possession of the same, on the ground that no permission to reclaim was given. *Clause 67* prohibits a tenant, who wishes to make *korkar*, from trespassing on to lands in the occupation of another tenant; and *clause 64* only authorizes a raiyat to make *korkar* lands without consent where by custom such consent is not necessary. In the case of Bhuinhars and Mundari Khunt-kattidars, the proposals are that the right to prepare *korkar* without consent shall be presumed to exist until the contrary is proved, because it has been found by experience that, in the case of these tenancies, a custom of preparing *korkar* without consent is recognized, and, in fact, the origin of many of these reclaiming leases was this, that the tenant was to reclaim any land he wished, out of a specified area, and that right of reclaiming any waste land in the village these Khunt-kattidars and Bhuinhars still claim, and not unjustly. *Korkar* lands are ordinarily assessed with rent at rates lower than ordinary raiyati lands, and they are often held rent-free during preparation, or for a number of years; and these facts have been recognized in *clause 69* of the Bill. The question of *korkar* is one of very great importance, and this privilege of reclaiming lands without the consent of the landlord is one that is not uncommon, and is very much cherished by all the aboriginal races of the Division; and *clauses 64 to 69* of the Bill have been framed to make clear what the rights of landlords and tenants in the matter are.

Clause 68 provides that a raiyat shall have occupancy-rights in *korkar* whether he has cultivated it for 12 years or not, and merely reproduces paragraph 4 of section 6 of Bengal Act I of 1879. In this connection it may be mentioned that section 20 of Bengal Act I of 1879 has not been reproduced in the Bill. That section places *korkar* raiyats in a worse position than occupancy-raiyats, and it should therefore be repealed.

Clause 70 is new. It is based on section 89 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and protects all tenants from irregular ejectment.

Clause 71 is new. It authorizes the Deputy Commissioner, after summary inquiry, to reinstate in possession a tenant who has been illegally dispossessed by his landlord.

Clause 73 is new. It deals with abandonment, and will be equally beneficial to landlords and to tenants. Many cases now arise in Court in which landlords allege that holdings were abandoned, and raiyats deny this. By the proposed clause, which is based on section 87 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, raiyats will be protected to some extent against false allegations of abandonment, and landlords will be in a position to prove that their action is *bonâ fide*, and that they have only entered on holdings really abandoned. The exact wording of the Act of 1885 has not been followed, changes being made in view of local conditions. It will be noticed that under this clause an occupancy-raiyat is allowed to apply within six years to be re-instated in possession of a holding alleged to be abondoned; whereas the period prescribed in section 87 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, is two years. The period of six years has been fixed in order to bring clause 73 into agreement with clause 233.

Clause 74 is new. It is based on section 47 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. In many instances tenants are known to execute *kabuliyats* which purport to admit them to occupation of land, when, in fact, their possession has been long antecedent to the execution of the leases; and it is to meet cases of this kind that the clause has been inserted in the Bill.

Clause 75.—Under the existing law, when a tenant does not attend a measurement of his lands after he has been directed to be present, any record prepared in his absence must be accepted as correct. This is a penal clause of great severity, and has been modified in sub-clause (*4*) of clause 75 of the Bill, in so far, that, although there will be a presumption as to the correctness of such record, the tenant is not debarred from proving it to be incorrect. Sub-clause (*4*) is based on section 91 (*2*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Clause 76 lays down in clear language that the Bill shall not affect any custom, usage or customary right not inconsistent with, or not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, its provisions. The clause is based on section 183 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and there are annexed to it two *Illustrations* (Nos. *I* and *III*) which are not appended to that section. *Illustration III* is inserted because the Bill contains no other express provision as to improvements made by raiyats.

Clause 77 is new. It embodies the first part of section 181 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. It is introduced into the Bill on the suggestion of the Settlement Department, and is as necessary in Chota Nagpur as is section 181 of the Bengal Tenancy Act in the rest of Bengal.

Clause 78 is new. It is designed to prevent tenants from contracting themselves out of their rights in certain cases, and overrides section 7 of Bengal Act I of 1879, which permits a raiyat to contract himself out of the acquisition of occupancy-rights. The clause follows section 178 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with modifications.

Clause 80.—Sub-clauses (*n*) and (*o*) are new. The right to take wood, fruit and other jungle produce from village jungles, and to graze cattle in waste, fallow and jungle lands, is a constant source of disputes between landlords and tenants, and the tendency is to deprive raiyats of their customary rights in this matter. In order to afford material for a decision of future disputes, and to secure landlords and tenants in the enjoyment of their respective rights, it is desirable that, when a record-of-rights is prepared under Chapter XII, Settlement-officers should be empowered to make entries in the record of the privileges of landlords and tenants in this matter, and with this object sub-clause (*n*) has been inserted in clause 80. Similarly, as disputes frequently arise as to the right of raiyats to prepare *korkar*, Settlement-officers are empowered by sub-clause (*o*) to make entries in the record of the customary rights of residents in regard to this matter.

Clause 84 is new. It is based on sections 104 and 104D of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and authorizes Revenue-officers to settle fair rents under rules to be made by the Local Government. The principle of this clause was accepted without discussion at a recent Conference, at which representatives of landlords and tenants were present.

Clause 85 is new. It is taken from section 105A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and authorizes a Revenue-officer, acting under Chapter XII, to decide certain questions which must constantly arise in the assessment of fair rents.

Clause 86 is new. It is based on sections 106 and 109A (*2*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and authorizes Revenue-officers to try suits for the decision of disputes, subject to an appeal to an officer to be appointed by rule made by the Local Government.

The provision in section 106 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, that the plaint in a suit before a Revenue-officer should be presented in stamped paper, has been omitted, because stamps are regulated by Imperial legislation.

Clause 87 is new. It is based on sections 107 (*2*) and 109D of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and provides for the entry, in the record-of-rights, of rents settled and decisions made under Chapter XII of the Bill.

Clause 88 is new. It embodies section 108 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, authorizing a Revenue-officer, specially empowered by the Local Government, to revise orders or decisions of Revenue-officers under Chapter XII.

Clause 89.—The reference to section 86, sub-section (*2*), in the proviso to this clause, is new.

Clause 90 is designed to prevent landlords from securing, during the pendency of settlement proceedings, decrees in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner [as defined in clause 3 (viii) of the Bill] or any Civil Court, in regard to certain matters which can only be decided satisfactorily by Settlement-officers, after careful local inquiry in the village. It is believed that grave injustice is done to aboriginal raiyats in this matter; and, when once settlement proceedings are in progress, it is advisable, for a satisfactory treatment of the matters referred to, that proceedings in Civil and Revenue Courts, situate often at a distance from the subject of dispute, should be stayed. The clause reproduces section 28A of Bengal Act I of 1879, also section 111 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, which was extended to Chota Nagpur by Notification No. 1379, dated the 5th March, 1908; but the following amendments have been made:—

(*a*) the bar to the entertainment of suits or applications in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner or in any Civil Court is declared to extend, in all cases, up to the expiration of a period of three months after the final publication of the record-of-rights;

(*b*) the clause is extended also to suits and applications in which there is in issue the existence or non-existence of customary rights to waste-land or jungle-land;

(*c*) a proviso has been inserted in sub-clause (*1*), to protect the landlord against loss during the period for which he is prevented from proceeding; and section 111B (*4*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, has been embodied in sub-clause (*2*), to stay limitation during that period. These provisions are proposed in accordance with a resolution of a Conference held at Ranchi in August, 1907, at which representatives of all interested were present.

The Settlement authorities attach very great importance to clause 90.

Clause 91 reproduces so much of section 111A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as was extended to Chota Nagpur by Notification No. 1379, dated the 5th March, 1908, except the proviso. The proviso (which gives a right of suit under Chapter VI of the Specific Relief Act, 1877), is omitted because Revenue-officers are in a better position to arrive at the facts, by means of local inquiries, than are Civil Courts, before which aboriginal races find themselves placed in a position of great disadvantage.

Clause 92 is new. It embodies sub-sections (*1*) and (*4*) of section 111B of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Clause 93 reproduces section 28B of Bengal Act I of 1879, with the following amendments:—

(*1*) "occupancy holding" has been substituted for "tenure or holding;"

(*2*) the clause is declared to be subject to the provisions of clauses 86, 88 and 89, instead of overriding, as section 28B of Bengal Act I of 1879 does, other sections of that Act;

(*3*) under Bengal Act I of 1879, enhancement and reduction are barred for a period of seven years: clause 93 of the Bill alters the period to fifteen years in the case of future records, and retains the period of seven years in the case of past records;

(*4*) as the law stands at present, Settlement-officers have no power to assess rents on any lands, and in many villages lands have been entered in the record-of-rights as assessable with rents, but no rent has actually been recorded as payable for the same: by the proviso to clause 93(*1*) Settlement-officers are expressly authorized to assess rents upon such lands in areas where a record-of-rights has already been prepared.

Clause 94.—The words "extracts from," in sub-clause (2), are new.

Clause 95 is new, and is designed with the same object as clause 90. Clause 90 temporarily prohibits the institution of certain suits in Civil and Revenue Courts where the subject-matter of such a suit is situate in an area gazetted for settlement. Clause 95 deals with suits in regard to similar matters instituted before the notification of settlement has

been issued. The suits referred to are suits in regard to customary rights in waste-land or jungle land, to the amount of rent payable in respect of any tenancy in such land, or to the question whether land is included in a tenancy or is the *khas* land of the landlord; and it is provided that no decision of any Court in relation to these matters, affecting the rights of a tenant in an area gazetted for settlement, and decided after the issue of a notification of settlement, shall have final effect. The reasons for this proposed change are that it has been found by experience that Civil and Revenue Courts, sitting at headquarters of districts and sub-divisions, have not the necessary materials before them for the satisfactory decision of such disputes, whereas Settlement-officers, making careful local inquiry into such matters, are in a better position to make full inquiries and do justice to the parties. They are at present hampered in their decisions by the production before them of decrees of Courts operating as *res judicata*, and it is to avoid this that clause 95 is proposed. Decrees of Courts passed after an area is gazetted for settlement, relating to such matters in the said area, will in future be admissible in evidence before Settlement-officers and other tribunals after a record is finally published, but will not be conclusive proof of what is stated therein.

Clause 97 is new. It embodies the first part of section 110 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Clause 98 is based on section 104G, sub-sections (*2*), of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, which was extended to Chota Nagpur by Notification No. 1379, dated the 5th March, 1908; but materially alters that sub-section. It empowers the Local Government to direct a revision of a record-of-rights at any time, but not so as to affect any rent entered in the record. It also empowers the Local Government to direct the revision of a record-of-rights, in so far as it relates to rents, and a fresh settlement of rents, at any time after the expiration of a period of fifteen years, if the record is made after the commencement of the new law, or seven years if it was made before such commencement; and also authorizes a repetition of such operations at later intervals of fifteen years.

The proviso to section 104G (*2*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, which is already in force in Chota Nagpur, is not embodied in clause 98, because the scope of that clause is very different from that of section 104G (2).

Sub-clause (*3*) of clause 98 is new. It provides generally for the application of all the foregoing clauses of Chapter XII, where a revision or settlement is directed under sub-clause (*1*) or sub-clause (*2*).

Clause 99 is new. Its object is to validate certain records which have already been made.

Clause 100.—Section 10 (*1*) of Bengal Act IV of 1897 bars the imposition of prædial conditions on tenants of areas for which commutation has been made under that Act. Clause 100 of the Bill goes further, and bars the creation of tenancies with prædial conditions attached (except rent-free tenancies with the sole condition of rendering personal service), and the imposition of any new prædial condition on any existing tenancy. This amendment is considered most salutary. Many of these prædial conditions approach very nearly to *abwabs*, which are, in three out of the five districts in the Division, already prohibited by the Bengal Decennial Settlement Regulation, 1793 (VIII of 1793), section 54, and the Bengal Land-revenue Sales Regulation, 1812 (V of 1812), section 3. From the levy of these *rakumats* and *abwabs* raiyats in Chota Nagpur suffer very greatly, and it is eminently necessary to prohibit in no uncertain language the levy of any new prædial conditions. Where they exist already, they are, when legally recoverable, being commuted, and the benefit of all commutation proceedings would be nullified if the levy of new *rakumats* were not prohibited.

Sub-clause (*2*) of clause 100 and clause 62 deal with breaches of sub-clause (*1*) of the former clause.

Clause 101 is new. It is designed to protect a raiyat from being subjected to any prædial conditions in excess of those sanctioned by the general usage of the village, in cases in which the original conditions of the tenancy cannot be ascertained.

The proviso to this clause declares that, when any such conditions have been observed for a period of five years, a Revenue-officer acting under Chapter XIII may presume that the same are observable in accordance with one or other of the two conditions of ancient usage or contract. This proviso has been added at the suggestion of the Settlement Department, in view of the difficulty in many cases of ascertaining the ancient custom of a village, or the exact terms of the original contract of a tenancy.

Clause 102 is new. It declares that, in calculating the value of prædial conditions, their average value for the last 10 years, or for any shorter period for which evidence may be available, shall be taken as the basis of calculation. Clause 102 may be compared with section 40 (*4*) (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, relating to the commutation of rent payable in kind.

Clause 103 is new. In some cases it is found that the value of prædial conditions levied, together with the rent, exceeds a fair rent, and to provide for such cases this clause enacts that in any such case a Court shall decree in all only an amount which does not exceed a fair rent. The value of these prædial conditions has increased very largely of late years, and prædial conditions which at one time cost a raiyat little or nothing are now in many cases very burdensome and inequitable. Contributions of wood, bamboos, thatching-grass and other jungle produce may be instanced. When jungle abounded in all villages, such articles could be provided free of cost and at the expense of a day's labour; but now that in many villages no jungle exists, these articles have to be purchased at considerable expense, or their money value tendered to landlords.

Clause 104 follows almost exactly section 4 of Bengal Act IV of 1897, the following alterations being made in sub-clause (3) :—

(*a*) the word "only" has been inserted;

(*b*) the words "with established custom or usage or with any contract made when the tenancy commenced" have been substituted for "with ancient custom;" and

(*c*) the Revenue-officer has been directed to follow the procedure prescribed in the new clause 102.

With reference to the second of these alterations, it may be explained that the Settlement Department were of opinion that sections 4 and 9 of Bengal Act IV of 1897 were inconsistent; and, to remedy this ambiguity, it has been distinctly stated in clauses 104 and 110 that the prædial conditions to be considered in commutation proceedings are those payable in accordance with custom or usage, or in accordance with any contract made at the time of the creation of the tenancy. It is obvious that, when payments have been made for a number of years, a presumption will arise, and be given effect to, that the payment is in accordance with one or other of these conditions.

Clause 108.—Power is given to the Local Government to appoint an officer to hear first appeals, in place of the Deputy Commissioner.

Clause 110.—The insertion of references to "established custom or usage" and "contract made when the tenancy commenced," in sub-clauses (*1*) and (*4*) of this clause, is explained in the note, *supra* on clause 104.

Further amendments made in this clause are—

(*a*) the substitution of "each tenant" for "the general body of tenants," in sub-clause (*1*); and

(*b*) the omission from sub-clause (*8*) of the provision that plaints should be presented on stamped paper—stamps being regulated by Imperial legislation.

Clause 111 is new. It follows clause 87 of the Bill, and provides for the correction of the record-of-rights in commutation proceedings where a correction is made in the same by a suit under clause 110(8).

Clause 112 is new. Under the existing law, in certain cases, when Settlement-officers have proceeded to take measures for the commutation of prædial conditions, objections have been taken to the proceedings on the ground that the payments are payments of rent in kind and not prædial conditions. To meet this difficulty, Revenue-officers acting under this Chapter, and officers acting under clause 35, are given summary powers of deciding whether a payment is of the nature of a prædial condition or not.

Clause 117.—The whole of this clause, except the matter printed in Roman type in sub-clause (*i*), is new. The clause defines the expression "landlords' privileged lands."

Clause 118 is new. It is based on section 117 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and empowers the Local Government to direct a survey and record of landlords' privileged lands.

Clause 119 is new. It is based on section 118 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and authorises a Revenue-officer, on the application of landlord or tenant, to ascertain and record whether land is or is not landlords' privileged land. The clause will have no application where a record has been or is being made under clause 118.

Clause 120 is new. It declares that Revenue-officers acting under clause 118 or clause 119 shall proceed in the manner prescribed by rules made by the Local Government under clause 256, and, following section 120(*2*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, directs that they shall presume that land is not a landlords' privileged land until the contrary is proved.

Clause 121 is new. It declares that, where any land in a village has been registered as manjhihas or bethkheta under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, no other lands in that village shall be recorded as being landlords' privileged lands. The reason for this declaration is that it is to be inferred that any privileged lands that exist in such villages were recorded at the time of the Bhuinhari Settlement.

Clause 122 is new. It provides for an appeal in all cases against decisions or orders of Revenue-officers in matters relating to landlords' privileged lands.

Clause 123 is new. It authorizes the Local Government to cause to be prepared a record of the rights and obligations of certain classes of tenants in any local area, which record is declared, by clause 127 of the Bill, to be final.

Raiyats having khunt-katti rights, and village headmen, are specifically mentioned in clause 123, because they are persons particularly needing and deserving protection. It has been found that the customary rights of these persons have been consistently disregarded in certain areas, and that great injustice has been the result. In parts of Singhbhum, village headmen, who are in reality in many cases both cultivating raiyats and hereditary tenure-holders with specific rights, have been evicted from their tenancies by powerful landlords without any regard to their customary rights and ancient privilages, and some means of protection for these unfortunate people is eminently necessary.

There are many other classes of aboriginal tenants whose rights are equally disregarded and who are as helpless as the classes referred to above, and it is eminently necessary to make some provision for safeguarding their interests in case of necessity. For this reason sub-clause (*c*) has been inserted. In the Sonthal Parganas (a district inhabited by aboriginals of the same or similar races as those of Chota Nagpur), a record-of-rights prepared by the Settlement Department is always conclusive evidence of the facts recited therein, and the effect of this has been to ensure protection to landlord and tenant alike in the enjoyment of their just rights.

Clause 124 is new. It directs that, when any final record is published under Chapter XV, notice shall be given to all persons known to be interested in the lands, the record of which is being prepared, in such manner as the Local Government may prescribe by rule. The object of this provision is to ensure that all such persons may have every opportunity of making, in due time, any objections to entries or omissions in the record.

Clause 125 is new. It provides for the trial of regular suits by Revenue-officers after the publication of the record, and follows section 160 of Bengal Act I of 1879, relating to the preparation of records-of-rights in the case of Mundari khunt-kattidars.

Clause 126 is new. It directs the correction of records in accordance with decisions arrived at under clause 125.

Clause 127 is new. It declares that records, when finally published or amended under clause 126, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated. The clause is based on section 164 of Bengal Act I of 1879.

Clause 128 is new. In many cases cultivating raiyats and tenure-holders have been misdescribed in deeds executed by themselves and others, and it is therefore proposed in this clause that, in all investigations under this Chapter, Revenue-officers shall inquire into the real origin and nature of the tenancy and the real status of the tenant, notwithstanding any misdescription in any document.

Clause 130.—A reference to applications has been inserted.

Clause 131.—A reference to applications has been inserted. A new clause, (*d*) has been inserted, with reference to the provision in clause 3 (*viii*) that powers of the Deputy Commissioner may be transferred to a Revenue-officer.

Clause 132.—A reference to Revenue-officers has been inserted, with reference to clause 3 (*viii*).

Clause 133 has been given general application, instead of being confined, like section 147 of Bengal Act I of 1879, to suits for arrears of rent.

Clause 134 reproduces section 37 of Bengal Act I of 1879, with the following amendments:—

(*i*) applications have been mentioned, wherever necessary;
(*ii*) sub-clauses (*1*) and (*2*) have been confined to tenancies of agricultural land;
(*iii*) sub-clause (*3*) has been confined to suits under the new Act, and to tenancies of agricultural land, but has been extended to all tenancies of such land;
(*iv*) sub-clauses (*5*), (*6*) and (*8*) are new.

The most important amendments are the insertion of sub-clauses (*5*) and (*6*), which declare that suits or applications to recover possession of agricultural land, brought by landlords against cultivators or village-headmen, shall be triable only by the Deputy Commissioner [as defined in clause 3 (*viii*)].

It is hoped that this change will result in the more effectual administration of justice. It is believed that Civil Courts are not in a position to deal satisfactorily with cases of the kinds specified in sub-clauses (*5*) and (*6*), and that they have not the opportunity of ascertaining, by local inquiry on the spot, the actual facts of the cases before them. It is to be noted that section 82 of Bengal Act I of 1879 (clause 172 of the Bill) specially provides for local inquiries in all proceedings under the Act, and it is intended to utilize this section as much as possible.

In sub-clause (8), it is proposed that *all* suits and applications under the Bill which are not mentioned in clauses (1) to (7) should be tried and heard by the Deputy Commissioner [as defined in clause 3 (*viii*)], and not by any other Court. This provision will advance to some further extent the policy of confining questions between landlord and tenant, so far as may be, to the Revenue Courts.

The words "except as otherwise provided in this Act," in clause 134, will prevent conflict with other clauses of the Bill which give jurisdiction to a specially appointed Revenue-officer or a Civil Court.

Clause 136 reproduces section 39 of Bengal Act I of 1879, but is extended, for the convenience of landlords, to *all* suits and applications. Consequently, applications for enhancements, measurement, commutations, deposits and other matters may be made on behalf of or against any number of tenants collectively. The convenience of this to landlords and tenants alike is clear, and much unnecessary writing and expenditure will be saved. There are two safe-guards against an improper use of the clause, in that the Local Government can interfere when such joint suits or applications are found to be inequitable or inexpedient, and the trying Court has also power to direct separate trials in any cases in which this may seem desirable.

Clause 138.—A reference to applications has been inserted.

Clause 140.—Sub-clause (*2*) reproduces clause (*bb*) of section 148 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, which was extended to Chota Nagpur by Notification No. 1379, dated the 5th March, 1908. The sub-clause is, however, extended to all suits and applications before the Deputy Commissioner relating to the rent of land or to any right or easement arising out of land, instead of being confined, as is section 148 (*bb*) of the Act of 1885, to suits for rent; and item (*iii*) (copy of entries in the record-of-rights) is new.

The three concluding clauses of section 47 of Bengal Act I of 1879 are sufficiently covered by sub-clause (*c*) of clause 139 and sub-clause (*2*) of clause 140.

Sub-clauses (*2*) and (*3*) provide for making the fullest use of the record-of-rights in all suits and applications before the Deputy Commissioner relating to land.

Clause 141 is new. It embodies clause (*ff*) of section 148 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with some slight modifications.

Clause 166 provides for the record of statements of parties and witnesses in English. All Munsifs in the rest of Bengal are now required to record evidence in English in Civil cases, and there is no reason why Deputy Collectors in Chota Nagpur should not be similarly required to record statements in proceedings under the Act in English.

Clause 176.—Following the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, section 68, the Deputy Commissioner is prohibited by clause 176 of the Bill from awarding both interest and damages in rent suits.

Before leaving this part of the Bill it may be mentioned that section 86 of Bengal Act I of 1879 has not been reproduced. The section empowers the Deputy Commissioner to fix a term for which a lease is to be granted to an occupancy-raiyat, when the parties do not agree. When the section was enacted the rights of occupancy-raiyats had not been determined, but it is now out of date, since the rights of an occupancy-raiyat are not terminable.

Clause 206.—There is room for doubt under Bengal Act I of 1879, in the case of sales of tenures or holdings in execution of decrees under that Act, whether an appeal lies, according to sections 13 and 14 of the Bengal Rent Recovery (Under-tenures) Act, 1865 (Ben. Act VIII of 1865), to the Commissioner, or under section 135 of Bengal Act I of 1879. The latter section indicates that appeals in such cases should lie thereunder, and this has been made clear in clause 206(*1*) of the Bill, by the insertion of the words "except sections 13 and 14."

Clause 207.—Sub-clause (*2*) is new. Under the existing law (see the last paragraph of section 123 of Bengal Act I of 1879) it is open to doubt whether other property of a

judgment-debtor in a rent-suit can be sold before the defaulting enure or holding is sold; and in many cases the defaulting tenure cannot be sold, or it may be expedient not to sell it (see the first proviso in clause 206). The case of a decree for the rent due under a temporary lease which has expired may be cited as an example.

Clause 210.—The proviso to sub-clause (*1*) is new. It follows the proviso to section 310A of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act XIV of 1882), and is inserted because section 311 of that Code is embodied in clause 211 of the Bill.

Clause 211 is new. It introduces a new principle into the Bill, and is of great importance. It is known that in many cases, in execution of decrees for rent, lands which are not the property of the judgment-debtor are sold, and the greatest injustice results from such sales. There is in the existing law no provision for the setting aside of a sale on the ground of material irregularity, resulting in substantial injury, or on the ground of fraud, but the necessity for some such provision exists. Persons whose property is sold under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, are allowed to file applications under section 311 of the Code of Civil Procedure, to get the sale set aside, and there is every reason for granting to debtors in rent suits in Chota Nagpur the same privilege. Hence clause 211, which is modelled on section 311 of the Code of Civil Procedure, has been introduced into the Bill.

Clause 212 is new. It enunciates a principle that is, it is believed, accepted in many Courts already, and follows the rulings reported in W. R. Sp. Number, page 147, and v. W. R., Act X Rulings, page 22. At the same time, attempts are made from time to time to nullify the effect of sales in execution of rent decrees, to the great detriment of *bonâ fide* purchasers; and as any want of security in the title of a purchaser in a rent sale affects the interest of judgment-creditors and debtors alike prejudicially in the long run, the principles enunciated in the rulings referred to have been specifically set forth in clause 212.

Clause 227 is new. Considerable difficulty is experienced in proceedings under Bengal Act I of 1879, owing to the fact that the Act is supposed to be, but is not in fact, a Code complete in itself; in regard to limitation, particularly, this difficulty arises. Provision has now been made therefore for the application of the provisions of the Indian Limitation Act 1877, where they are not inconsistent with the Bill itself, to all proceedings under this Bill.

Clause 228.—The first paragraph reproduces section 42 of Bengal Act I of 1879, but is extended to applications.

The proviso is new. It declares that for particular forms of application there shall be no period of limitation. The applications referred to are such that necessity for them may arise at any period while the applicant has an interest in the land which is the subject of the application. The applications referred to are noted below:—

(1) application for enhancement of rent (clause 26);
(2) applications for increase of rent on account of increased area (clause 30);
(3) applications for reduction of rent (clause 33);
(4) applications for commutation of rents payable in kind (clause 35);
(5) applications for consent of the Deputy Commissioner to transfer land in certain circumstances (clauses 50 and 51);
(6) applications for measurement of lands (clause 75);
(7) applications for settlement of fair rents (clause 84);
(8) applications for assessing rent on lands which are assessable with rent, but on which no rent is assessed (clause 93, proviso);
(9) applications for commutation of prædial conditions (clause 104);
(10) applications for record of landlords' privileged lands (clause 119); and
(11) applications for consent of the Deputy Commissioner to transfer of land by Mundari khunt-kattidars (clause 237).

Clause 230 reproduces section 44 of Bengal Act I of 1879, with the substitution of "three years from the end of the agricultural year in which the arrear became due" for "three years from the last day of the Bengal or Sambat year, or from the last day of the month of Jeth of the Fasli or Wilayati year, in which the arrear claimed shall have become due." This change follows that made in clause (*b*) of Article 2 of Schedule III to the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, by Bengal Act I of 1907, section 61 (2) (*b*).

Clause 231.—Section 44A of Bengal Act I of 1879 prohibits successive suits for rent, and was enacted in order to prevent a landlord from harassing tenants by repeated suits. The section was not intended to apply to cases in which a suit is withdrawn with leave to sue again, in which cases a defendant is always paid the costs of the first case, to compensate him for the trouble he has been put to in attending Court; nor was it intended to apply to cases dismissed for default, in which cases leave to sue again is granted under the Act as it stands. This has been made clear by sub-clause (*2*), which has been added to clause 231. If some such sub-clause were not added, part of a perfectly just claim might become barred by time in the six months during which a fresh suit is prohibited.

Clauses 233 and 234 are new. They allow a period of six years during which an occupancy-raiyat or a village headman may sue for recovery of possession of lands from which they have been illegally ousted. A landlord is, by Article 139 of Schedule II to the Indian Limitation Act, 1877 (XV of 1877), allowed 12 years within which he may sue a tenant alleged to be improperly in the possession of land, and there appears to be no reason why a tenant should not be allowed at least half that period to sue the landlord if he is unlawfully ousted.

Clause 236.—The amendment made in clause 47 (*1*) (*a*) has been repeated in clause 236 (*3*); and the provision in clause 47 (*3*) barring registration has been repeated in clause 236 (*6*).

Clause 237 is new. It gives to Mundari khunt-kattidars the same privileges in regard to the transfer of lands comprised in their tenancies, for works of public utility, as it is proposed by clause 50 to give to occupancy-raiyats. The same reasons apply in both cases.

Clause 244 is new. Under the existing law, the realization of any dues from a Mundari khunt-kattidar is a matter of some difficulty; and, as he has no security to offer for loans in time of scarcity, it is found difficult and often impossible to grant him that assistance which other cultivators obtain from the Government. To remedy this, it is proposed in clause 244 to allow the Deputy Commissioner to attach the tenancy of a Mundari khunt-kattidar in certain cases and make such arrangements as he considers suitable for liquidating the debt when decrees or certificates for arrears of rent, cesses or moneys due to the Government are outstanding against the debtor. It is to be noted that the Deputy Commissioner is not bound to take action under this clause, but is allowed the option of doing so, or refusing to do so, as may appear expedient.

Clause 246 reproduces section 160 of Bengal Act I of 1879, with the exception of the provision that plaints should be presented on stamped paper, stamps being regulated by Imperial legislation.

Clause 251 is new. It will secure finality for certain orders and decrees made by Deputy Commissioners and Revenue-officers in proceedings under the Act; the principle being that the action of a Deputy Commissioner or Revenue-officer acting in a *quasi*-judicial character shall not be liable to be set aside by any other Court, provided that his orders or decrees are passed with proper jurisdiction, and that there is no fraud. The words "save as expressly provided in this Act" refer to the provisions for appeal which are contained in Chapter XVI and other parts of the Bill.

This clause is similar in principle to clause 91 of the Bill.

The orders and decrees that it is proposed to make final are the following:—

Clause 27.—Orders by the Deputy Commissioner on applications for enhancement of rent.

„ *31.*—Orders by the Deputy Commissioner on applications for increase of rent.

„ *34.*—Orders by the Deputy Commissioner on applications for reduction of rent.

„ *35.*—Orders by the Deputy Commissioner or a Revenue-officer on applications for commutation of rents payable in kind.

„ *42.*—Decrees for ejectment of non-occupancy raiyats on the ground of refusal to pay a fair and equitable rent.

„ *50.*—Orders by the Deputy Commissioner consenting or refusing to consent to the transfer of lands in certain cases.

„ *55.*—Orders passed by the Deputy Commissioner on complaints of non-delivery of rent receipts.

„ *62.*—Orders passed by the Deputy Commissioner or other officer in cases in which landlords are accused of levying unlawful dues from, or enforcing the observance of unlawful prædial conditions by, tenants.

„ *63.*—Orders by the Deputy Commissioner punishing landlords for extorting payment of rent or interest by duress.

„ *66.*—Orders by the Deputy Commissioner on applications for the ejectment of cultivators preparing *korkar*.

„ *73.*—Orders passed by the Deputy Commissioner in cases of alleged abandonment.

„ *75.*—Orders passed by the Deputy Commissioner allowing or disallowing a measurement or enjoining the attendance of tenants during the measurement of lands.

„ *86.*—Orders or decrees passed by a Revenue-officer in suits under Chapter XII.

„ *90* (*proviso*).—Orders passed by the Deputy Commissioner prohibiting the continuance of waste or damage in respect of waste-land or jungle-land.

Clause 93.—Orders passed by a Revenue-officer, assessing rents on lands assessable with rents, but not assessed.

Chapter XIII.—Orders and decrees in proceedings for the commutation of præedial conditions.

Chapter XIV.—Orders in proceedings for the record of landlords' privileged lands.

Chapter XV.—Orders and decrees in proceedings for the record of the rights and obligations of raiyats having khunt-katti rights, village headmen and other classes of tenants in selected areas.

Chapter XVI.—Orders and decrees in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner.

Chapter XVIII.—Orders and decrees in proceedings relating to Mundari khunt-kattidars.

Clause 252 reproduces section 149 of Bengal Act I of 1879, with a slight amendment in sub-clause (*d*), and with an addition authorising the Local Government to make rules as to service.

Clause 253.—An amendment has been made with the object of authorising Deputy Commissioners to direct the service of their processes by registered post.

Clause 254 is new.

Clause 255 is new. The Bill contains certain clauses prohibiting the registration of certain documents, *viz.*, clauses 47 (*3*) and 236 (*6*). In order that effect may be given to those clauses it is necessary that the registering officer should have an opportunity of seeing what the entries in the record-of-rights are, regarding the lands which are dealt with in deeds tendered for registration. Clause 255 has been drafted to meet this point. Under it, it will be obligatory on all persons tendering for registration a document relating to land, in an area for which a record-of-rights has been published and to which the Local Government has specially applied the clause by notification, to tender at the same time a true copy of all entries in the record-of-rights relating to such land.

Clause 256.—Sub-clause (1), and the preliminary portion of sub-clause (2), are new. They follow the form now commonly adopted in giving power to make statutory rules.

In sub-clause (*a*), a reference to Deputy Commissioner has been inserted.

The words "or publication," in sub-clause (*b*), are new. The words "where no mode is prescribed by these or any other Act," which appear in section 189, sub-section (2), of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as in force in the Chota Nagpur Division, have been omitted from sub-clause (*b*), because it is proposed to declare in clause 252 that the provisions of that clause as to mode of service shall be subject to rules made under clause 256.

Sub-clauses (*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) are new.

Clauses (*3*), (*4*), (*5*) and (*6*) of section 13 of Bengal Act IV of 1897 are not reproduced, because they are covered by sub-clause (*a*) of clause 256 of the Bill.

Clause 257.—Bengal Act I of 1879 was intended to supply a Code, complete in itself, of procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner but has in practice been found to be deficient in certain details of procedure. To remedy this defect it is proposed, in clause 257, to empower the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Government of India, to made rules for regulating procedure, and for applying any of the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure, with or without modification.

Clause 258 has been shortened with reference to section 24 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Ben. Act I of 1899).

Clause 259.—Words as to the effect of rules and notifications have been added—in the form now commonly adopted.

Clauses 260 and 261 are new.

Clause 264.—Section 150 of Bengal Act I of 1879 is not reproduced, because Bengal Act II of 1869 is no longer a living law.

Schedule B.—See notes on clauses 1 and 2, *ante*.

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F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

The Council met in the Council Chamber on Saturday, the 15th August, 1908, at 11 A.M.

Present:

The Hon'ble MR. R. T. GREER, C.S.I., *presiding.*

The Hon'ble MR. W. H. H. VINCENT.

The Hon'ble MR. S. P. SINHA, Advocate-General of Bengal.

The Hon'ble MR. W. A. INGLIS, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. H. C. STREATFEILD.

The Hon'ble MR. E. P. CHAPMAN.

The Hon'ble SIR CHARLES ALLEN, KT.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble MAHARAJA-DHIRAJ BIJAY CHAND MAHTAB BAHADUR OF BURDWAN.

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD.

The Hon'ble BABU DEVA PRASAD SARVADHIKARY, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble MR. F. A. LARMOUR.

NEW MEMBER.

The Hon'ble MR. W. H. H. VINCENT took his seat in Council.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

CENTRAL WEAVING SCHOOL IN SERAMPORE.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, asked :—

Will the Government be pleased to state the reasons of the delay—

(*a*) in the opening of the Central Weaving School in Serampore, sanctioned by the Government some time ago; and

(*b*) in building the school-house and its adjuncts on the land acquired by the Government for that purpose some time ago?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied :—

"(*a*) The delay in opening the Central Weaving School at Serampore is due to the difficulty in securing the services of a properly-qualified Principal and Assistant Principal. The Principal recruited by the Secretary of State failed at the last moment. Further proposals in regard to the selection of a Principal have now been submitted to the Government of India, and it is hoped that a suitable officer will shortly be appointed.

"(*b*) The building of the school has been postponed until the arrival of the Principal, without whose expert advice it would be inadvisable to erect workshops and machinery."

KANKINARA BOMB OUTRAGE.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, asked :—

Will the Government be pleased to consider the expediency of disclosing the grounds which led the Police—

(*a*) to suspect some respectable men in Bhatpara, notably a *pandit* who is well known for his Sanskrit erudition and for purity of character, of having been concerned in what is popularly known as "the Kankinara bomb outrage";

(*b*) to search their houses, and then to arrest them and to bring them up for trial in the Court of the Deputy Magistrate of Sealdah; and

(*c*) to withdraw the prosecution without disclosing the charges on which they were put on their trial?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied :—

"It is inevitable that when some persons of 'respectable' position are undoubtedly guilty of crime, the mere fact of respectability will not shield other respectable persons from suspicion when information is received and evidence exists against them. It is also unavoidable that prompt action must be taken on information and evidence produced in such cases, if action is to be of any use. Hence there is unfortunately, in such cases and under such circumstances, the possibility of causing annoyance and inconvenience to persons who may afterwards appear, or prove to be, innocent. The Police have avoided, and do avoid, this as much as possible, and exercise all the care they can, consistently with the public safety. It is impossible, in view of the public interests, to disclose the grounds on which action was taken in this particular case."

CARRYING OF HINDU CORPSES IN THE DUM-DUM CANTONMENT.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

(*a*) Is it a fact, as stated in the *Bengalee* newspaper of July 29th, that a Cantonment Committee at Dum-Dum has passed a Resolution restricting the carrying of the corpses of Hindus between sunrise and 7 in the morning and again between 12 noon and 3 in the afternoon, along Jessore Road?

(*b*) Is it a fact, as stated in the same newspaper, in its issue of the 31st July, that as many as twelve persons have been fined for carrying corpses along the Jessore Road beyond the hours specified in the aforesaid Resolution?

(*c*) If so, is the Government aware that such limitation of hours seriously interferes with the religious injunctions of the Hindus relating to the disposal of the dead, the instantaneous removal and cremation of corpses being strictly laid down in the *Sastras*?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased, in consonance with its wise and beneficial policy of non-interference with the religious practices of the people, to direct the local authorities to allow the corpses of Hindus to be conveyed to the burning-ghât along Jessore Road as before?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD said:—

"The matter will be inquired into."

ALIPORE REFORMATORY SCHOOL.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

(*a*) Is it proposed to remove the Alipore Reformatory School to Hazaribagh?

(*b*) If so, has the Board of Management of the Alipore Reformatory School been consulted on the subject, and with what results?

(*c*) Is it a fact that two Committees appointed by the Government and presided over by Mr. Justice Pargiter and the Hon'ble Mr. Collin, respectively, objected to the amalgamation of the Alipore Reformatory School with the Hazaribagh Reformatory, and that the late Director of Public Instruction, Sir Alexander Pedler, was opposed to the amalgamation and urged the necessity of retaining the Alipore Reformatory near Calcutta?

(*d*) Is it a fact that Sir Charles Elliott, while Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, rejected the proposal of amalgamation, which emanated from the Board of Management of the Hazaribagh Reformatory, on the objections raised by the Alipore Board of Management, especially those of Messrs. Garrett and Amir Ali, who were then Members of the Board?

(*e*) Is it a fact that the late Lieutenant-Governor, Sir John Woodburn, also dropped the proposal of amalgamation?

(*f*) In the event of the removal of the Alipore Reformatory School to Hazaribagh, will it not be necessary to open a depôt for boys who are at present working on license, in Calcutta and Howrah, and thereby a large expenditure will be incurred, in building and in acquiring land and in maintaining a new staff of Superintendents and guards, apart from the charges of escorting boys to, and bringing back the Calcutta boys from, Hazaribagh?

(*g*) Having regard to the fact that, boys in the Alipore School being principally from Calcutta, its suburbs and Bengal Proper, its removal would, in the words of Mr. Justice Pargiter, "add some of the terrors of transportation to those of imprisonment," will the Government be pleased to drop the proposal of the removal of the Alipore Reformatory to Hazaribagh, or consult public bodies before taking that step?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied:—

"It is proposed to remove the Alipore Reformatory School to Hazaribagh and to amalgamate it with the Reformatory School at that place. The transfer of boys is already taking place.

"The present site of the Alipore Reformatory School has been found altogether unsuitable for the purpose, and the transfer of the school to another site is a matter of necessity. This necessity became urgent owing to the late outbreak of beri-beri in the school. The difficulty of finding a healthy and spacious site in the immediate neighbourhood of Calcutta is almost insuperable and the cost of such a site would be prohibitive.

"After most careful consideration of all the circumstances, the Lieutenant-Governor was fully convinced that, for the sake of the boys' health as well of efficiency and discipline, the amalgamation of the two schools at Hazaribagh was very desirable, especially as the buildings at that place are sufficiently spacious to receive all the boys, and as the amalgamation could therefore be effected promptly and at comparatively small cost. As His Honour was quite satisfied that the amalgamation ought to be carried out, it was not thought necessary to consult the Board of Management. The Board have, however, been informed officially of the intentions of Government. The arrangements for licensing boys have not yet been decided upon It is not proposed at present to open a separate depôt in Calcutta.

"It appears to the Lieutenant-Governor to be entirely unreasonable and improper to apply the expression 'terrors of transportation' to a land journey of 255 miles, of which 215 can be performed by train. The expression 'imprisonment' as applied to detention in a Reformatory School is also misleading under present conditions. These schools are no longer under the Jail Department. They are managed entirely by the Education Department; and every effort is made to secure that their general character shall be as much as possible that of a school and as little as possible that of a prison. The one object of these schools is the reclamation of boys from a career of crime to one of usefulness; and there is reason to believe that the attainment of this object is more easily secured where the boys are altogether removed from the influence of old associates and surroundings. Boys from Assam have always been sent to the Hazaribagh Reformatory School without objection; and there is therefore no reasonable ground for making the removal thither of boys from Bengal a matter of grievance.

"The Government has no intention of dropping the proposal."

FAMINE IN THE NADIA AND IN THE 24-PARGANAS DISTRICTS.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state the extent and intensity of famine in the Meherpur Sub-division in the district of Nadia and in Basirhat Sub-division in the district of the 24-Parganas, and the steps taken to alleviate the distress of the people?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied:—

"*District Nadia.*—The area affected in the Meherpur Sub-division is 257 square miles with a population of 160,000. No separate statistics of numbers on relief and expenditure incurred are available in respect of this sub-division. In the district taken as a whole, the area affected is 963 square miles with a population of 532,000 persons. About Rs. 5,85,000 have been distributed in loans under the Land Improvement and Agriculturists' Loans Acts. Relief is being given by means of works carried on through the District Board; gratuitous relief has also been given where needed. Grants aggregating Rs. 1,17,830 have been made by Government for this purpose up to date. Funds have also been raised locally, and a grant of Rs. 2,000 will shortly be made from the Bengal Branch of the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund.

This, however, will be devoted solely to the purposes for which this Fund has been raised. On the 1st August, 3,845 persons were employed on works, and Rs. 860 were distributed to 2,276 persons as gratuitous relief for the week. There has been good rain and the prospects of the crops are fair.

"*District 24-Parganas.*—Government is not aware of any severe distress in the Basirhat Sub-division, although careful inquiries have been made by the Sub-divisional Officer. There has been good rain throughout the district, and prospects of crops are on the whole fair."

THE CHOTA NAGPUR TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1907.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT then moved for leave to withdraw the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, 1907. He said :—

"This Bill was introduced into Council in the early part of last year. It was then referred to a Select Committee. On a detailed examination it was found that it was open to objection in some particulars and incomplete and deficient in others. It is therefore proposed to proceed no further with that measure, and I have now to ask leave of this Council to withdraw the same."

The motion was put and agreed to.

THE CHOTA NAGPUR TENANCY AND SETTLEMENT BILL, 1908.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved for leave to introduce a Bi amend and consolidate certain enactments relating to the law of Landlord

"The law on this subject is at present contained in a number of Acts, mostly Acts of this Council. In the district of Manbhum, however, Act 10 of 1859, which is not, I think, an Act of this Council governs the relations between landlord and tenant. In the rest of the division, Act I of 1879 is in force. It has since been amended in some particulars by two later Acts of 1903 and 1905. There is also a special Act regarding the mutation of praedial conditions, being Act IV of 1897; and finally a number of sections of Act VIII of 1885 being the (Bengal Tenancy Act) are in force in Chota Nagpur excluding the district of Manbhum, by virture of the notifications of the Government of Bengal specified in paragraph 2 of the Objects and Reasons.

"The present Bill has been framed to supersede and consolidate the Acts at present in force in Chota Nagpur (excluding Manbhum), and by clause 1 of the Bill power has been retained to extend the Bill or any portions of the same to the district of Manbhum, if it should appear advisable to do so. I do not propose to deal with the provisions of the Bill at any great length at this stage of the proceedings. The same are discussed fully in the statement of Objects and Reasons which has been circulated and which is an annexure of the Bill. Moreover, the provisions of the Bill will be considered in greater detail in Select Committee. At the same time, I think it my duty to give the Council some account of the history of the proposed legislation and of the main principles therein contained. Act I of 1879 was amended as I have said in 1903 and 1905. In 1906, further proposals for amendment were made. These proposals were subsequently formulated in the Bill which has just now being withdrawn. After the consideration of that Bill in Select Committee, a fresh amending Bill was drafted by the Government on the basis of the recommendations of the Select Committee, and the new Bill was discussed at considerable length at repeated meetings convened by direction of the Lieutenant-Governor at Ranchi in August last. At these Conferences, representatives of all classes interested in the welfare of landlord and tenant in Chota Nagpur were present and the provisions of the draft Bill were considered and discussed at length and in detail, and finally the same were accepted with some modifications and a final Conference was held at which His Honour presided when the proceedings of the previous Conferences were considered and approved. The Government was then of opinion that it would be inconvenient to pass another merely amending Bill, and that it would be well to take the opportunity of consolidating the unrepealed portions of the existing

law and the proposed changes into one Bill, and in accordance with that view the present Bill has been framed. It also includes some amendments—though comparatively few—of importance which were not considered at the Ranchi Conference.

"Having stated briefly a history of the present Bill, I now wish to lay before the Council the main and important changes which are contained in the same. In the first place, the principle of the settled raiyat, which has been accepted for many years in the rest of Bengal, is now recognized in Chota Nagpur.

"In the year 1901, a suggestion was made by the Government of India that the Lieutenant-Governor should consider the expediency of assimilating the law on this point in Chota Nagpur with the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act. His Honour was then of opinion that the Government had not sufficient information in regard to local conditions to enable it to accept the proposal. Since then a quantity of information on the subject has been collected by the Settlement Department, and the Government is now, after a consideration of the same, of the opinion that there are no valid reasons for retaining raiyats in Chota Nagpur, in a less advantageous position in this respect than the raiyats in the rest of Bengal. Similarly, it is proposed in the Bill to ameliorate the position of non-occupancy raiyats. Act I of 1879 practically gives this class of raiyats no rights, and so far as that Act is concerned they are, independent of any customary rights, tenants at will, and are liable to be called upon to pay rack rents and to summary ejectment at the hands of the landlord. It is proposed in the present Bill to assimilate the position of a non-occupancy raiyat in Chota Nagpur with that held in the rest of Bengal.

"There is also no provision in the existing Act for the mutation of rents in kind into money rents. Provision has been made on the lines of the corresponding sections of the Bengal Tenancy Acts for such mutations.

"I now come to the question of enhancements of rents of occupancy tenants on which point the Bill makes very material changes in the law. At present the law on the subject of enhancements in Chota Nagpur is contained in section 21 of 1879. Enhancements by private contract are in the opinion of the executive authorities entirely prohibited by section 21 of Act I of 1879, and enhancements can be effected legally only by an order of the Deputy Commissioner. Even Revenue-officers preparing records-of-rights, have no authority to settle rents.

"It is now proposed to change this and to enact that all enhancements of rents in areas where a record-of-rights has been prepared, subject to certain conditions, shall be effected only at periodical revisions of settlement. This proposal was accepted gladly and without a single dissentient voice at the Ranchi Conference. It does not seem necessary, therefore, for me to dwell upon it at any length.

The customary rights of aboriginal raiyats in jungle and waste lands of their villages are a possession which these people greatly cherish. At the same time, they are the subject of constant disagreements and disputes with the landlord; and the difficulty of deciding such disputes satisfactorily is enhanced by the absence in many cases of any documentary evidence regarding the same. To remove this difficulty it is proposed to utilize the services of Settlement Officers engaged in the publication of records-of-rights who will be required under the provisions of the Bill to make a record of such customary rights when preparing a record of other tenants' rights under Chapter 12 of the Bill. This record will have of course only the presumptive value that attaches to the record of-rights. Similarly, the customary rights of raiyats in regard to the conversion of jungle and waste lands into rice lands have been clearly and specifically set forth in clauses 64 and 65 of the Bill, and Settlement Officers when preparing records of-rights are called upon to include a statement in regard to this right in the record if so directed by the Local Government. This subject of the reclamation of waste lands locally, known as the preparation of *Korkar* or *Khandwat*, was discussed at very great length at the Ranchi Conferences to which reference has been made, and the provisions of the Bill are based entirely on the decisions of that Conference.

"Provision has also been made in Chapter 14 of the Act for the protection of the interest of landlords in those privileged lands in which rights of occupancy do not ordinarily accrue. These lands correspond to the lands commonly termed *zerait* in the Bengal Tenancy Act, and the proposals on this point also are based on the decisions arrived at in the Conference. Another very important matter to which attention should be drawn is that discussed in Chapter 15 of the Bill. It has been found in certain backward portions of the division that the customary rights of village headmen and other cultivating raiyats have been systematically disregarded by powerful landlords, and that the aboriginal tenants in such areas have been entirely unable to secure redress for their grievances in the ordinary Civil Courts, and the provisions of this Chapter have been framed for the protection of these tenants where such action is found necessary. It is proposed to empower the Local Government to direct the preparation of the record-of-rights in selected areas which shall be final and conclusive evidence of the particulars recorded therein. It is not the intention of Government to enforce the provisions of this Chapter generally or freely, and it is clearly to be understood that it will be utilized only in particular areas after clear proof of the necessity of special measures for the protection of aboriginal raiyats. There are in the existing law similar provisions for the protection of *Mundari Khunt-Kattidars* and in the *Sonthal Parganas*, a district inhabited by aboriginals of similar races to those that inhabit Chota Nagpur, a settlement record-of-rights is final and conclusive, so that the proposals contained in this Chapter cannot be considered to be either new or untried.

I find I have omitted by oversight one change of some importance which occurs earlier in the Act: I refer to clauses 50 and 51 of the Bill.

"Clause 51 in the Bill is based on section 84 of Act VIII of 1885, and enables a landlord in certain circumstances to acquire a raiyat's holding for purposes of general utility.

"In clause 50 of the Bill, similarly, it is proposed to authorise raiyats to sell their own holdings or a portion of the same for purposes of general utility without the consent of their landlords with the sanction of the Deputy Commissioner. Provision has at the same time been made for safeguarding the landlords' interests before such transfers are sanctioned.

Finally, there are two clauses of the Bill to which special attention should be directed, as they involve principles of very great importance.

"I refer to clauses 95 and 134—sub-clauses (*5*) and (*6*). The first of these modifies the effects of Civil and Revenue Court decrees in regard to certain matters in the areas under settlement. The reason for the insertion of this provision is that it is believed that Revenue-officers inquiring locally into the questions referred to in the section are in a better position to ascertain the actual facts than any Civil or Revenue-officers sitting at head-quarters can be, and the Government desires therefore that the inquiries and decisions of Revenue-officers on the questions referred to should not be unduly hampered or limited owing to the existence of decrees of Civil or Revenue Courts, having in view the fact that such decrees are based on insufficient information. At the same time, it is not proposed to treat these decrees as worthless. They are made relevant evidence of the fact stated therein.

"Sub clauses (*5*) and (*6*) of clause 124 give the Revenue Courts jurisdiction to entertain certain classes of suits between landlords and cultivating tenants and between landlords and village headmen. Under the existing law, these suits are tried by ordinary Civil Courts.

"It has been found by experience that ignorant aboriginals are not able to meet their landlords on equal terms or to secure justice in the ordinary Civil Courts. It is hoped that Revenue-officers will be in a better position to deal with the cases mentioned in these sub-clauses, more satisfactorily, and that they will have more opportunities for ascertaining the actual facts by local inquiry than any Munsif has. In this view, the present sub-clauses were framed. The amendments will, I admit, require most careful consideration in Select Committee.

"I have now discussed the main principles of this Bill, and I cannot, I think, usefully occupy your time by dealing at this stage with the many less

important amendments contained therein. Ample opportunity will be given for the discussion of the same in the course of time. All that is necessary I think for me to do at present is to explain shortly the main principles of the Bill and the reasons which have led to the proposals. This I have attempted to do above, and I have now merely to repeat my request for leave to introduce the Bill."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"Sir, the Bill which has been introduced is much different, both in matter and quality, from the previous Bill which was discussed by the Select Committee in March, 1907, and which has just been withdrawn. The whole of the existing Rent Act of Chota Nagpur has been re-cast by the present Bill, and we feel bound to acknowledge that it is a decided improvement in the previous Bill which was a very meagre and imperfect piece of legislation, drafted with little or no regard for public opinion, and as such it evoked loud complaints from the people whose interests it prejudicially affected. As a matter of fact in discussing the provisions of the said Bill, the Select Committee found that not only several of these were open to objection, but some of them were considered unworkable in their practical operatives, and we are thankful to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor for allowing the Bill to be dropped at that stage and giving us further opportunities to consider the provisions in the Bill which was to be substituted in its place.

"Last year about this time a Conference was held at Ranchi which was presided over by the Commissioner of the Division and attended by the Deputy Commissioners and some other officers possessing local experience as also by some representative men of the District of Ranchi, and the revised draft of the Bill was discussed by the Conference in five sittings, in one of which His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor presided. To discuss the provisions of a legislative measure at a place where it would operate and amongst people who are directly interested in it, is certainly a right step in the direction of ascertaining its merits and demerits, but unfortunately the procedure adopted in the Conference, namely, to carry every proposal by a majority of votes, was not a happy one, and the result was that the protest made by almost all the non official members of the Conference against some very objectionable provisions was negatived by a preponderance of official votes. The object of the Conference was or at least should have been to ascertain the views of the local people by a discussion with them directly on the subject and to give due and mature consideration to such views and not to summarily reject them, simply because the votes recorded in favour of their proposals happened to be less than the votes against them. The present Bill has incorporated almost all the provisions of the revised Bill which was discussed in the Conference and also the sections of the existing Rent Act, and as regards the former the Bill has mainly embodied the result of the discussions in the Conference. The provisions of the revised Bill which were open to objection have therefore found their place in the present Bill, but we may express a hope that the Hon'ble Members of the Select Committee will not throw away our objections simply because they were vetoed by the Conference.

"I do not think it would be proper at this stage to enumerate all the provisions of the present Bill which are objectionable, but it may not be altogether out of place to make a few observations on some of the points which are open to very serious objections.

"Section 134 of the Bill purports to reproduce section 37 of the existing Rent Act, but in so doing it has introduced an innovation which, I may say, conflicts with the very fundamental principles which regulates the scope and character of suits cognizable by Revenue Courts. Clause 5 of the said section confers exclusive jurisdiction to Revenue Courts in the trial of suits for recovery of possession of agricultural lands from the cultivator thereof, on the ground that he has no title to occupy the land and is a trespasser; and clause 6 also makes a similar encroachment on the jurisdiction of Civil Courts. I would appeal to the experience possessed by the Hon'ble Members of the working of Rent Law in other parts of the country, and ask them to consider how far they can endorse such provisions of the Bill as purport to oust the Civil Courts

of their jurisdiction in suits against trespassers and in which complicated questions of title are bound to arise. While in one part of the province the Government is making an attempt to separate the judicial and executive functions in matters criminal, it must be regarded a strange irony of fate so far as another part of the province is concerned that a retrograde step of such a character should be thought necessary.

"Chapter IV of the Bill extends the rights and privileges of a settled raiyat to the raiyats of Chota Nagpur, and although this may be regarded as an innovation so far as Chota Nagpur is concerned, and however much it may be objected to by the landlords, we must say that it is a change for the better, as there is no reason why the rights which have been enjoyed by the raiyats of Bengal and Bihar ever since the passing of the Bengal Tenancy Act should any longer be denied to the raiyats of Chota Nagpur.

"But although we are prepared to lend our hearty support to such provisions of the Bill as are calculated to secure in favour of the raiyats extended and legitimate rights on their raiyati lands, we cannot certainly shut our eyes to the interests of landlords, so far as their *nijjote* lands are concerned. Under the head 'Record of Landlords' Privileged Lands,' we find no lands in a village other than those that have been entered as *manjhihas* or *bethkheta* in the register prepared under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, shall be recorded as landlords' privileged lands, and that in villages where there have been no demarcation of *manjhihas* lands, the privileged lands will mean a certain description of lands and which are entered as such in the register prepared by a Revenue-officer. If these provisions be read along with section 17 of the Bill which confers on a settled raiyat, the right of occupancy on all lands held by him as a raiyat and that the accrual of right of occupancy will have restrospective effect from January, 1907, it will appear that the right of the landlords to keep their *nijjote* lands in their *khas* possession will be practically done away with. In making these observations, I do not lose sight of the corresponding provisions in the Bengal Tenancy Act whereby restrospective effect was given from two years before the passing of the said Act, but the circumstances of Chota Nagpur are widely different from those of Bengal and Bihar in this respect. I may say that three-fourths of the Chota Nagpur Division, if not more, is under the management of Wards and Encumbered Estates Department, and all the *khas* lands of the proprietors under such management have been settled with raiyats, as the Managers of such estates do not find it practicable to keep any lands in *khas* cultivation and the Commissioner of the Division issued distinct instructions to the Managers to let all *khas* lands to the raiyats for a term or year by year. The settlements which have been made in respect of such lands have not in many cases yet run out and the effect of allowing the accrual of right of occupancy on such lands will not only lead to a destruction of landlords' cherished rights, but will be conferring privileges to the raiyats which they themselves never thought of enjoying The above remarks apply equally to the cases of other landlords in Chota Nagpur who are not under the management of Wards and Encumbered Estates Departments, as by the general practice prevailing in the division, their *nijjote* lands have mostly been let out on what is called *sajha* or *saika* settlement, and the period of such settlement has not expired in many cases. These provisions will therefore require very careful consideration by the Select Committee.

"Section 59 of the Bill lays down the rate of interest chargeable on arrears of rent which, under the definition as given in the Bill, includes cesses, and this rate for all arrears for a year or more shall not exceed six-and-a-quarter *per cent.* The Bengal Tenancy Act allows twelve and half *per cent.* and the Cess Act allows the same rate and it does not stand to reason why the rate as laid down by the Bill shall not exceed six-and-a-quarter *per cent.*

"I do not think I shall take up any further time of the Council, but I shall make one more observation in regard to section 1 of the Bill which contemplates a future extension of this Act to the district of Manbhum. In the character of its land tenures and in development of trade and industry and in several other respects, the district of Manbhum is much different from other districts in the

division, and the present Act, unless it is modified to suit the conditions of that district, will be productive of great hardship. It is hoped that when such extension will be decided upon, the people of that district will be allowed sufficient opportunity to lay their views before the Government.

"The Bill has been placed in charge of the Hon'ble Mr. Vincent, an officer of ripe judicial experience and possessor of an intimate knowledge of the part of the country for which the Bill is intended, and we feel sure that in piloting the measure the Hon'ble Member will steer clear of all bias against any particular section of the people, either landlords or raiyats, and that he will be pleased to bestow a patient and careful consideration for our suggestion in the Select Committee."

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE said:—"It is a matter of satisfaction to find that many of the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act are going to be introduced into the Chota Nagpur Law. In my humble opinion it would have been very much better if the whole of the Bengal Tenancy Act was introduced in the Chota Nagpur Bill with the addition of a certain number of provisions embodying the customary law of that province. The law relating to landlords, as prevailing in Chota Nagpur and the Sonthal Parganas, has not been of a very satisfactory character. The poverty of the people is owing no doubt greatly to the poverty of the soil, but to some extent also to the paternal system prevailing there by which free contract is restricted and the flow of capital prevented, except the capital of the coal speculators. It would have been very much better if Chota Nagpur and the Sonthal Parganas were regulation districts governed by the same laws which have made the Bengal cultivator prosperous. The constant interference of the Revenue-officers did not make the Bengali cultivator prosperous before 1859.

"It was when the Civil Courts came in, and the system which is now sought to be introduced in Chota Nagpur was abolished in Bengal, that the Bengali cultivator prospered. It is difficult to state all the defects, but the fact remains that from that time alone the prosperity of Bengal dates. I cannot approve of the new provisions by which the jurisdiction of the Civil Courts in very many important matters is being taken away. It is not a move in the right direction. The Chota Nagpur Landlords' Association have objected to a great many provisions of the Act, and I dare say that the Select Committee will carefully consider every one of them. I cannot but congratulate the framers of the Bill on the rights given to non-occupancy raiyats and the restrictions placed on the constant enhancement of rents and other protection for the tenant. The present law of Chota Nagpur has mainly caused a very large proportion of the population to migrate to the tea gardens, and more than three-fourths of the landlords are insolvents under the present conditions. I do not believe that the constant paternal care of the Revenue-officers has been conducive to the good of the country, and I should very much like to have the same system prevailing there as in Bengal."

The Hon'ble BABU DEVA PRASAD SARVADHIKARY said:—"I had not intended at this stage to take part in the discussion, particularly as I see from the Agenda that I shall have the honor of taking part in the proceedings of the Select Committee. But I cannot however refrain from observing from the discussion we have just listened to, that there is undoubtedly a feeling in some quarters that the Bill does not go far enough, and in others that the Bill goes quite the other way. Although there have been Conferences at Ranchi, there is no doubt that the matter has not been as fully thrashed out as it might have been and ought to be. Taking part in the proceedings of the Select Committee, I shall be very sorry two years hence to have it said that the Bill is incomplete, or to have used language with reference to it such as has been heard in the neighbourhood of this table and even by the Hon'ble member in charge of the present Bill. It therefore appears to me that this, like many another measure that has been similarly characterised, is one that should not be hurried through either in the Select Committee or the Council, and the point I should like to submit to the Council at this stage is that more time should be given for the consideration of the matter in the Select Committee

than it was proposed to give so far as I can gather from the proposal about to be submitted for the acceptance of the Council.

"Reference has been made to the benefits derived from a discussion of matters locally, and it has been stated that more than one local conference has been held. Such a procedure is likely to be beneficial to all concerned, but it may be a matter for consideration. Even now whether further information should not be similarly obtained before the matter is finally disposed of. Of course as regards time I do not think that considerations of the character that the period of deputation of the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill is limited, will be allowed to influence the situation.

"There is another matter which I would like to refer to at this stage and that is with regard to the Sonthal Parganas which will have neither the benefits of the Bengal Tenancy Act or the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, although the Parganas are in many ways closely allied to Chota Nagpur. Attention to this matter was drawn by the Hon'ble Mr. Jogendra Chunder Mookerjee, and it was thought that when the consideration of the Chota Nagpur Bill would be brought up, the position of the Sonthal Parganas would also be considered. The question is whether that should not be taken up at an early and convenient time, and whether it is not convenient to be taken up with this Bill. Regarding other matters, I should not make any observations just now: there will be time enough in the Select Committee. I will, however, say that having regard to the very divergent opinions still prevailing with regard to the amended Bill, the Select Committee should have much more time to consider the matter than is proposed to be given."

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT in reply said:—"I should like to reply very briefly to one or two criticisms that have been offered on this Bill. I am very grateful to the Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh for the very kindly manner in which he has spoken of me and also I think I may say for the moderate manner in which his criticisms of the Bill, have been worded.

"It was unfortunate, however, that he did not specify the particular proposals which were carried at the Ranchi Conference by a majority of officials. The only specific point to which he referred was that of landlords' privileged lands. I think I am right in saying that the Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh was one of the members who accepted the proposals on this point made at the Conference which are embodied in the Bill. I agree very distinctly with him that section 134, sub-clauses (*5*) and (*6*), and the other section I referred to which modifies the effect of Civil Court decrees should be very carefully considered in the Select Committee. I have stated so in my opening address and it will be so considered.

"I think in regard to one detail the Hon'ble Member is in error, and that is in supposing that instalments of rent only bear interest at six-and-a-quarter *per cent.* Section 59 lays down that 'any instalment of rent which is not paid before sunset of the day when the same is payable shall be deemed an arrear of rent and shall be liable to simple interest not exceeding twelve-and-a-half *per centum per annum*,' and not six-and-a-quarter *per cent.* The proviso is 'that the interest for the entire year in which any arrear accrues shall not exceed six-and-a-quarter *per cent.*' If a raiyat pays his annual rent within the year, he shall not be called upon to pay more than six-and-a-quarter *per cent.* for that year. The second clause was put in to meet the case of certain landlords who have a system of collection by monthly kists who charge an exorbitant rate of interest. I do not think if the demands are paid within the year, that six-and-a-quarter *per cent.* is unreasonable.

"The Bill has not been extended to Manbhum as yet, and before it is extended there is no doubt that the Local Government will very carefully consider the local conditions. Act X of 1859 is, however, very defective in many details, and if this Act is not extended to Manbhum, then it will be necessary to frame a special Act for that district.

"Another Hon'ble Member proposed the extension of the Bengal Tenancy Act and, in fact, I think he went further and said that all non-regulation districts should be made regulation districts. I think it is not very relevant

to this discussion whether non-regulation districts should be made regulation districts, and I do not propose to enter upon that question.

"The extension of Act VIII of 1885 to this division was considered very carefully, and those sections which are applicable and suited to local conditions have been incorporated in the Bill. I found it a little difficult to follow the Hon'ble Member in regard to Act X of 1859. He said that the prosperity of the agricultural population in Bengal began after Act X had been repealed. I am not aware if this is a fact or not. He then proceeded to say that we were introducing Act X of 1859 into Chota Nagpur. This is not so, and is a statement founded on an entire misapprehension of facts. We do not seek to introduce that Act into any part of Chota Nagpur; in fact power has been obtained to repeal that Act in the district of Manbhum; so that if the repeal of that Act was sufficient to gain prosperity for the agriculturists in Bengal, then the raiyats in Chota Nagpur will have the same advantages as their brethren elsewhere.

"One Hon'ble Member has referred to the time given for the discussion of this Bill in Select Committee. The time put down is only approximate, and if necessary will undoubtedly be extended. It is not the intention of Government to hurry through this Bill either in Select Committee or in Council, but having regard to the fact that the majority of the amendments proposed have been thoroughly discussed at great length at the Conferences already mentioned, the period put down for the presentation of the Select Committee's Report was merely an approximate one. Those sections which have been taken bodily from the Bengal Tenancy Act and introduced into this Bill cannot be the subject of any prolonged discussion, nor do I anticipate that it will be necessary to discuss at any very great length those portions of Act I of 1879 which will remain in force in the division. The remaining portions are not very long and I think, that we may be able to finish in the time described. If it is not done within the time, there will be no objection to an extension being allowed. As for discussing the Bill locally, the only place where it can be discussed is Ranchi, and it has been discussed there at very great length, and I think we shall have to consult the convenience of the other Members of the Committee before making any pronouncement on the matter.

"Lastly, it has been suggested that this legislation should be extended to the Sonthal Parganas, and if I understood the Hon'ble Member correctly, he said a proposal on this point was previously made to Government. No proposal of this kind has, so far as I am aware, been made to Government; nor can the Government make the Act applicable to the Sonthal Parganas without long and detailed inquiries as to the local conditions there. It is very doubtful whether it could be applied with advantage, and the inquiries that would have to be made would be of such a nature that the matter under discussion would be unduly delayed."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Vincent also introduced the Bill and moved that it be read in Council.

The motion was put and agreed to, and the Secretary accordingly read the title of the Bill.

The Hon'ble Mr. Vincent also moved that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Greer, the Hon'ble Mr. Duke, the Hon'ble Mr. Streatfeild, the Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh, the Hon'ble Maharaja-Dhiraj of Burdwan, the Hon'ble Babu Deva Prasad Sarvadhikary, and the Mover, with instructions to report at the Meeting of Council to be held on the 5th September, 1908.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Council was then adjourned to Saturday, the 22nd August, 1908.

CALCUTTA;
The 17th August, 1908.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

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Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 7th August, 1908, and is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT IX OF 1908.

[AS PASSED IN COUNCIL.]

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An Act to Consolidate and amend the law for the Limitation of Suits, and for other purposes.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the limitation of suits, appeals and certain applications to Courts; and whereas it is also expedient to provide rules for acquiring by possession the ownership of easements and other property; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Limitation Act, 1908.

Short title, extent and commencement.

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India; and

(*3*) This section and section 31 shall come into force at once. The rest of this Act shall come into force on the first day of January, 1909.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

Definitions.

(*1*) "applicant" includes any person from or through whom an applicant derives his right to apply:

(*2*) "bill of exchange" includes a hundi and a cheque:

(3) "bond" includes any instrument whereby a person obliges himself to pay money to another, on condition that the obligation shall be void if a specified act is performed, or is not performed, as the case may be:

(*4*) "defendant" includes any person from or through whom a defendant derives his liability to be sued:

(*5*) "easement" includes a right not arising from contract, by which one person is entitled to remove and appropriate for his own profit any part of the soil belonging to another or anything growing in, or attached to, or subsisting upon, the land of another:

(*6*) "foreign country" means any country other than British India:

(*7*) "good faith": nothing shall be deemed to be done in good faith which is not done with due care and attention:

(*8*) "plaintiff" includes any person from or through whom a plaintiff derives his right to sue:

(*9*) "promissory note" means any instrument whereby the maker engages absolutely to pay a specified sum of money to another at a time therein limited, or on demand, or at sight:

(*10*) "suit" does not include an appeal or an application: and

(*11*) "trustee" does not include a benamidar, a mortgagee remaining in possession after the mortgage has been satisfied, or a wrong-doer in possession without title.

PART II.

LIMITATION OF SUITS, APPEALS AND APPLICATIONS.

3. Subject to the provisions contained in sections 4 to 25 (inclusive), every suit instituted, appeal preferred, and application made, after the period of limitation prescribed therefor by the first schedule shall be dismissed, although limitation has not been set up as a defence.

Dismissal of suits, etc., instituted, etc., after period of limitation.

Explanation.—A suit is instituted, in ordinary cases, when the plaint is presented to the proper officer; in the case of a pauper, when his application for leave to sue as a pauper is made; and, in the case of a claim against a company which is being wound up by the Court, when the claimant first sends in his claim to the official liquidator.

4. Where the period of limitation prescribed for any suit, appeal or application expires on a day when the Court is closed, the suit, appeal or application may be instituted, preferred or made on the day that the Court re-opens.

Where Court is closed when period expires.

5. Any appeal or application for a review of judgment or for leave to appeal or any other application to which this section may be made applicable by any enactment or rule for the time being in force may be admitted after the period of limitation prescribed therefor, when the appellant or applicant satisfies the Court that he had sufficient cause for not preferring the appeal or making the application within such period.

Extension of period in certain cases.

Explanation.—The fact that the appellant or applicant was misled by any order, practice or judgment of the High Court in ascertaining or computing the prescribed period of limitation may be sufficient cause within the meaning of this section.

6. (*1*) Where a person entitled to institute a suit or make an application for the execution of a decree is, at the time from which the period of limitation is to be reckoned, a minor, or insane, or an idiot, he may institute the suit or make

Legal disability.

The Indian Limitation Act, 1908.

(*Part II.—Limitation of Suits, Appeals and Applications. Part III.—Computation of Period of Limitation.*)

disability has ceased, as would otherwise have been allowed from the time prescribed therefor in the third column of the first schedule.

(*2*) Where such person is, at the time from which the period of limitation is to be reckoned, affected by two such disabilities, or where, before his disability has ceased, he is affected by another disability, he may institute the suit or make the application within the same period, after both disabilities have ceased, as would otherwise have been allowed from the time so prescribed.

(*3*) Where the disability continues up to the death of such person, his legal representative may institute the suit or make the application within the same period after the death as would otherwise have been allowed from the time so prescribed.

(*4*) Where such representative is at the date of the death affected by any such disability, the rules contained in sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) shall apply.

Illustrations.

(*a*) The right to sue for the hire of a boat accrues to A during his minority. He attains majority four years after such accruer. He may institute his suit at any time within three years from the date of his attaining majority.

(*b*) A right to sue accrues to Z during his minority. After the accruer but while Z is still a minor, he becomes insane. Time runs against Z from the date when his insanity and minority cease.

(*c*) A right to sue accrues to X during his minority. X dies before attaining majority, and is succeeded by Y, his minor son. Time runs against Y from the date of his attaining majority.

Disability of one of several plaintiffs or applicants.

7. Where one of several persons jointly entitled to institute a suit or make an application for the execution of a decree is under any such disability, and a discharge can be given without the concurrence of such person, time will run against them all: but, where no such discharge can be given, time will not run as against any of them until one of them becomes capable of giving such discharge without the concurrence of the others or until the disabilility has ceased.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A incurs a debt to a firm of which B, C and D are partners. B is insane, and C is a minor. D can give a discharge of the debt without the concurrence of B and C. Time runs against B, C and D.

(*b*) A incurs a debt to a firm of which E, F and G are partners. E and F are insane, and G is a minor. Time will not run against any of them until either E or F becomes sane, or G attains majority.

Special exceptions.

8. Nothing in section 6 or in section 7 applies to suits to enforce rights of pre-emption, or shall be deemed to extend, for more than three years from the cessation of the disability or the death of the person affected thereby, the period within which any suit must be instituted or application made.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A, to whom a right to sue for a legacy has accrued during his minority, attains majority eleven years after such accruer. A has, under the ordinary law, only one year remaining within which to sue. But under section 6 and this section an extension of two years will be allowed him, making in all a period of three years from the date of his

(*b*) A right to sue for an hereditary office accrues to A who at the time is insane. Six years after the accruer A recovers his reason. A has six years, under the ordinary law, from the date when his insanity ceased within which to institute a suit. No extension of time will be given him under section 6 read with this section.

(*c*) A right to sue as landlord to recover possession from a tenant accrues to A, who is an idiot. A dies three years after the accruer, his idiocy continuing up to the date of his death. A's representative in interest has, under the ordinary law, nine years from the date of A's death within which to bring a suit. Section 6 read with this section does not extend that time, except where the representative is himself under disability when the representation devolves upon him.

Continuous running of time.

9. Where once time has begun to run, no subsequent disability or inability to sue stops it:

Provided that, where letters of administration to the estate of a creditor have been granted to his debtor, the running of the time prescribed for a suit to recover the debt shall be suspended while the administration continues.

Suits against express trustees and their representatives.

10. Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, no suit against a person in whom property has become vested in trust for any specific purpose, or against his legal representatives or assigns (not being assigns for valuable consideration), for the purpose of following in his or their hands such property, or the proceeds thereof, or for an account of such property or proceeds, shall be barred by any length of time.

Suits on foreign contracts.

11. (*1*) Suits instituted in British India on contracts entered into in a foreign country are subject to the rules of limitation contained in this Act.

(*2*) No foreign rule of limitation shall be a defence to a suit instituted in British India on a contract entered into in a foreign country, unless the rule has extinguished the contract and the parties were domiciled in such country during the period prescribed by such rule.

PART III.

COMPUTATION OF PERIOD OF LIMITATION.

Exclusion of time in legal proceedings.

12. (*1*) In computing the period of limitation prescribed for any suit, appeal or application, the day from which such period is to be reckoned shall be excluded.

(*2*) In computing the period of limitation prescribed for an appeal, an application for leave to appeal and an application for a review of judgment, the day on which the judgment complained of was pronounced, and the time requisite for obtaining a copy of the decree, sentence or order appealed from or sought to be reviewed, shall be excluded.

(*3*) Where a decree is appealed from or sought to be reviewed, the time requisite for obtaining a copy of the judgment on which it is founded shall also be excluded.

(*4*) In computing the period of limitation prescribed for an application to set aside an award, the time requisite for obtaining a copy

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(*Part III.—Computation of Period of Limitation.*)

Exclusion of time of defendant's absence from British India and certain other territories.

13. In computing the period of limitation prescribed for any suit the time during which the defendant has been absent from British India and from the territories beyond British India under the administration of the Government shall be excluded.

Exclusion of time of proceeding *bonâ fide* in Court without jurisdiction.

14. (*1*) In computing the period of limitation prescribed for any suit, the time during which the plaintiff has been prosecuting with due diligence another civil proceeding whether in a Court of first instance or in a Court of appeal, against the defendant, shall be excluded, where the proceeding is founded upon the same cause of action and is prosecuted in good faith in a Court which, from defect of jurisdiction, or other cause of a like nature, is unable to entertain it.

(*2*) In computing the period of limitation prescribed for any application, the time during which the applicant has been prosecuting with due diligence another civil proceeding, whether in a Court of first instance or in a Court of appeal, against the same party for the same relief shall be excluded, where such proceeding is prosecuted in good faith in a Court which, from defect of jurisdiction, or other cause of a like nature, is unable to entertain it.

Explanation I.—In excluding the time during which a former suit or application was pending, the day on which that suit or application was instituted or made, and the day on which the proceedings therein ended, shall both be counted.

Explanation II.—For the purposes of this section, a plaintiff or an applicant resisting an appeal shall be deemed to be prosecuting a proceeding.

Explanation III.—For the purposes of this section, misjoinder of parties or of causes of action shall be deemed to be a cause of a like nature with defect of jurisdiction.

Exclusion of time during which proceedings are suspended.

15. (*1*) In computing the period of limitation prescribed for any suit or application for the execution of a decree, the institution or execution of which has been stayed by injunction or order, the time of the continuance of the injunction or order, the day on which it was issued or made, and the day on which it was withdrawn, shall be excluded.

(*2*) In computing the period of limitation prescribed for any suit of which notice has been given in accordance with the requirements of any enactment for the time being in force, the period of such notice shall be excluded.

Exclusion of time during which proceedings to set aside execution-sale are pending.

16. In computing the period of limitation prescribed for a suit for possession by a purchaser at a sale in execution of a decree, the time during which a proceeding to set aside the sale has been prosecuted shall be excluded.

Effect of death before right to sue accrues.

17. (*1*) Where a person who would, if he were living, have a right to institute a suit or make an application, dies before the right accrues, the period of limitation shall be computed from the time when there is a legal representative of the deceased capable of instituting or making such suit or application.

(*2*) Where a person against whom, if he were living, a right to institute a suit or make an application would have accrued dies before the right accrues, the period of limitation shall be computed from the time when there is a legal representative of the deceased against whom the plaintiff may institute or make such suit or application.

(*3*) Nothing in sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) applies to suits to enforce rights of pre-emption or to suits for the possession of immoveable property or of an hereditary office.

Effect of fraud.

18. Where any person having a right to institute a suit or make an application has, by means of fraud, been kept from the knowledge of such right or of the title on which it is founded, or where any document necessary to establish such right has been fraudulently concealed from him,

the time limited for instituting a suit or making an application—

(*a*) against the person guilty of the fraud or accessory thereto, or

(*b*) against any person claiming through him otherwise than in good faith and for a valuable consideration,

shall be computed from the time when the fraud first became known to the person injuriously affected thereby, or, in the case of the concealed document, when he first had the means of producing it or compelling its production.

Effect of acknowledgment in writing.

19. (*1*) Where, before the expiration of the period prescribed for a suit or application in respect of any property or right, an acknowledgment of liability in respect of such property or right has been made in writing signed by the party against whom such property or right is claimed, or by some person through whom he derives title or liability, a fresh period of limitation shall be computed from the time when the acknowledgment was so signed.

(*2*) Where the writing containing the acknowledgment is undated, oral evidence may be given of the time when it was signed; but, subject to the provisions of the Indian Evidence Act, 1872, oral evidence of its contents shall not be received.

Explanation I.—For the purposes of this section an acknowledgment may be sufficient though it omits to specify the exact nature of the property or right, or avers that the time for payment, delivery, performance or enjoyment has not yet come, or is accompanied by a refusal to pay, deliver, perform or permit to enjoy, or is coupled with a claim to a set-off, or is addressed to a person other than the person entitled to the property or right.

Explanation II.—For the purposes of this section, "signed" means signed either personally or by an agent duly authorized in this behalf.

Explanation III.—For the purposes of this section an application for the execution of a decree or order in an suit

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Effect of payment of interest as such or of part payment of principal.

20. (*1*) Where interest on a debt or legacy is, before the expiration of the prescribed period, paid as such by the person liable to pay the debt or legacy, or by his agent duly authorized in this behalf,

or where part of the principal of a debt is, before the expiration of the prescribed period, paid by the debtor or by his agent duly authorized in this behalf,

a fresh period of limitation shall be computed from the time when the payment was made:

Provided that, in the case of part payment of the principal of a debt, the fact of the payment appears in the handwriting of the person making the same.

Effect of receipt of produce of mortgaged land.

(*2*) Where mortgaged land is in the possession of the mortgagee the receipt of the rent or produce of such land shall be deemed to be a payment for the purpose of sub-section (*1*).

Explanation.—Debt includes money payable under a decree or order of Court.

Agent of person under disability.

21. (*1*) The expression "agent duly authorized in this behalf," in sections 19 and 20, shall, in the case of a person under disability, include his lawful guardian, committee or manager, or an agent duly authorized by such guardian, committee or manager to sign the acknowledgment or make the payment.

Acknowledgment payment by one of several joint contracto , etc.

(*2*) Nothing in the said sections renders one of several joint contractors, partners, executors or mortgagees chargeable by reason only of a written acknowledgment signed or of a payment made by, or by the agent of, any other or others of them.

Effect of substituting or adding new plaintiff or defendant.

22. (*1*) Where, after the institution of a suit a new plaintiff or defendant is substituted or added, the suit shall, as regards him, be deemed to have been instituted when he was so made a party.

(*2*) Nothing in sub-section (*1*) shall apply to a case where a party is added or substituted owing to an assignment or devolution of any interest during the pendency of a suit or where a plaintiff is made a defendant or a defendant is made a plaintiff.

Continuing breaches and wrongs.

23. In the case of a continuing breach of contract and in the case of a continuing wrong independent of contract, a fresh period of limitation begins to run at every moment of the time during which the breach or the wrong, as the case may be, continues.

Suit for compensation for act not actionable without special damage.

24. In the case of a suit for compensation for an act which does not give rise to a cause of action unless some specific injury actually results therefrom, the period of limitation shall be computed from the time when the injury results.

Illustration.

A owns the surface of a field. B owns the subsoil. B digs coal thereout without causing any immediate apparent period of limitation in the case of a suit by A against B runs from the time of the subsidence.

Computation of time mentioned in instruments.

25. All instruments shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be made with reference to the Gregorian calendar.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A Hindu makes a promissory note bearing a Native date only, and payable four months after date. The period of limitation applicable to a suit on the note runs from the expiration of four months after date computed according to the Gregorian calendar.

(*b*) A Hindu makes a bond, bearing a Native date only, for the repayment of money within one year. The period of limitation applicable to a suit on the bond runs from the expiration of one year after date computed according to the Gregorian calend r.

PART IV.

ACQUISITION OF OWNERSHIP BY POSSESSION.

Acquisition of right to easements.

26. (*1*) Where the access and use of light or air to and for any building have been peaceably enjoyed therewith as an easement, and as of right, without interruption, and for twenty years,

and where any way or watercourse, or the use of any water, or any other easement (whether affirmative or negative) has been peaceably and openly enjoyed by any person claiming title thereto as an easement and as of right without interruption, and for twenty years,

the right to such access and use of light or air, way, watercourse, use of water, or other easement shall be absolute and indefeasible.

Each of the said periods of twenty years shall be taken to be a period ending within two years next before the institution of the suit wherein the claim to which such p riod relates is contested.

(*2*) Where the property over which a right is claimed under sub-section (*1*) belongs to Government, that sub-section shall be read as if for the words "twenty years" the words "sixty years" were substituted.

Explanation.—Nothing is an interruption within the meaning of this section unless, where there is an actual discontinuance of the possession or enjoyment by reason of an obstruction by the act of some person other than the claimant, and unless such obstruction is submitted to or acquiesced in for one year after the claimant has notice thereof and of the person making or authorizing the same to be made.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A suit is br ught in 1911 for obstructing a right of way. The defendant admits the obstruction, but denies the right of way. The plaintiff proves that the right was peaceably and openly enjoyed by him, claiming title thereto as an easement and as of right, without interruption from 1st January 1890 to 1st January 1910. The plaintiff is entitled to judgment.

(*b*) In a like suit the plaintiff shows that the right was peaceably and openly enjoyed by him for twenty years. The defendant proves that the plaintiff, on one occasion during the twenty years, had asked his leave to enjoy the right. The suit shall be dismissed.

Exclusion in favour of reversioner of servient tenement.

27. Where any land or water upon, over or from which any easement has been enjoyed or derived has been held under or by virtue of any interest for life or any term of years exceeding three years from the

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granting thereof, the time of the enjoyment of such easement during the continuance of such interest or term shall be excluded in the computation of the period of twenty years in case the claim is, within three years next after the determination of such interest or term, resisted by the person entitled, on such determination, to the said land or water.

Illustration.

A sues for a declaration that he is entitled to a right of way over B's land. A proves that he has enjoyed the right for twenty-five years; but B shows that during ten of these years C, a Hindu widow, had a life interest in the land, that on C's death B became entitled to the land, and that within two years after C's death he contested A's claim to the right. The suit must be dismissed, as A, with reference to the provisions of this section, has only proved enjoyment for fifteen years.

Extinguishment of right to property.

28. At the determination of the period hereby limited to any person for instituting a suit for possession of any property, his right to such property shall be extinguished.

PART V.

SAVINGS AND REPEALS.

Savings.

29. (*1*) Nothing in this Act shall—

(*a*) affect the Indian Contract Act, 1872, section 25;

(*b*) affect or alter any period of limitation specially prescribed for any suit, appeal or application by any special or local law now or hereafter in force in British India.

(*2*) Nothing in this Act shall apply to suits under the Indian Divorce Act.

(*3*) Sections 26 and 27 and the definition of "easement" in section 2 shall not apply to cases arising in territories to which the Indian Easements Act, 1882, may for the time being extend.

Provision for suits for which the period prescribed is shorter than that prescribed by the Indian Limitation Act, 1877.

30. Notwithstanding anything herein contained, any suit for which the period of limitation prescribed by this Act is shorter than the period of limitation prescribed by the Indian Limitation Act, 1877, may be instituted within the period of two years next after the passing of this Act, or within the period prescribed for such suit by the Indian Limitation Act, 1877, whichever period expires first.

Provision for suits by certain mortgagees in territories mentioned in the second schedule.

31. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act or in the Indian Limitation Act, 1877, in the territories mentioned in the second schedule a suit for foreclosure or a suit for sale by a mortgagee may be instituted within two years from the date of the passing of this Act, or within sixty years from the date when the money secured by the mortgage became due, whichever period expires first; and no such suit in the said territories instituted within the said period of sixty years and pending at the date of the passing of this Act, either in a Court of first instance or of appeal, shall be dismissed on the ground that a twelve years' rule of limitation is applicable.

(*2*) Where in the aforesaid territories the claim of a mortgagee for foreclosure or for sale has been wholly or in part dismissed or withdrawn after the twenty-second day of July 1907 and before the passing of this Act, either in a Court of first instance or of appeal on the ground that a twelve years' rule of limitation applied to such claim, the case may be restored on an application in writing to the Court by which the claim was dismissed or in which it was withdrawn, provided the application is made within six months from the date of the passing of this Act: and on such restoration, the provisions of sub-section (*1*) shall apply.

Repeals.

32. The enactments mentioned in the third schedule are repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(See section 3.)

FIRST DIVISION: SUITS.

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.	
	Part I.—Thirty days.		
1.—To contest an award of the Board of Revenue under the Waste Lands (Claims) Act, 1863.	Thirty days	When notice of the award is delivered to the plaintiff.	XXIII 1863.
	Part II.—Ninety days.		
.—For compensation for doing or for omitting to do an act alleged to be in pursuance of any enactment in force for the time being in British India.	Ninety days	When the act or sion takes place	
	Part III.—Six months.		
.—Under the Specific Relief Act, 1877, section to recover possession of immoveable property.	Six months	When the dispossession	I of 1877.
4.—Under the Employers and Workmen (Disputes) Act, 1860, section 1.	Ditto	When the wages, hire or price of work claimed accrue or accrues due.	IX of 1860.
5.—Under the summary procedure referred to in section 128 (2) (*f*) of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.	Ditto	When the debt or liquidated demand becomes payable or when the property becomes recoverable.	V of 1908.
	Part IV.—One year.		
6.—Upon a Statute, Act, Regulation or Bye-law, for a penalty or forfeiture.	One year	When the penalty or forfeiture is incurred.	
7.—For the wages of a household servant, artisan or labourer not provided for by this schedule, article 4.	Ditto	When the wages accrue due.	
8.—For the price of food or drink sold by the keeper of a hotel, tavern or lodging-house.	Ditto	When the food or drink is delivered.	
9.—For the price of lodging	Ditto	When the price able.	

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Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part IV.—One year—contd.	
10.—To enforce a right of pre-emption, whether the right is founded on law, or general usage, or on special contract.	One year .	When the purchaser takes, under the sale sought to be impeached, physical possession of the whole of the property sold, or, where the subject of the sale does not admit of physical possession, when the instrument of sale is registered.
11.—By a person, against whom any of the following orders has been made to establish the right which he claims to the property comprised in the order : (1) Order under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, on a claim preferred to, or an objection made to the attachment of, property attached in execution of a decree ; (2) Order under section 28 of the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882.	Ditto	The date of the order.
11A.—By a person against whom an order has been made under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, upon an application by the holder of a decree for the possession of immoveable property or by the purchaser of such property sold in execution of a decree, complaining of resistance or obstruction to the delivery of possession thereof, or upon an application by any person dispossessed of such property in the delivery of possession thereof to the decree-holder or purchaser, to establish the right which he claims to the present possession of the property comprised in the order.	Ditto	The date of the order.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

FIRST DIVISION : SUITS—*contd.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part IV.—One year—contd.	
12.—To set aside any of the following sales :— (*a*) sale in execution of a decree of a Civil Court ; (*b*) sale in pursuance of a decree or order of a Collector or other officer of revenue ; (*c*) sale for arrears of Government revenue, or for any demand recoverable as such arrears ; (*d*) sale of a patni taluq sold for current arrears of rent. *Explanation.*—In this article "patni" includes any intermediate tenure saleable for current arrears of rent.	One year .	When the sale is confirmed, or would otherwise have become final and conclusive if had no such suit been brought.
13.—To alter or set aside a decision or order of a Civil Court in any proceeding other than a suit.	Ditto .	The date of the final decision or order in the case by a Court competent to determine it finally.
14.—To set aside any act or order of an officer of Government in his official capacity, not herein otherwise expressly provided for.	Ditto .	The date of the act or order.
15.—Against Government to set aside any attachment, lease or transfer of immoveable property by the revenue-authorities for arrears of Government revenue.	Ditto .	When the attachment, lease or transfer is made.
16.—Against Government to recover money paid under protest in satisfaction of a claim made by the revenue-authorities on account of arrears of revenue or on account of demands recoverable as such arrears.	Ditto .	When the payment is made
17.—Against Government for compensation for land acquired for public purposes.	Ditto .	The date of determining the amount of the compensation.

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FIRST DIVISION : SUITS—*contd.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part IV.—One year—contd.	
18.—Like suit for compensation when the acquisition is not completed	One year .	The date of the refusal to complete.
19.—For compensation for false imprisonment.	Ditto .	When the imprisonment ends.
20.—By executors, administrators or representatives under the Legal Representatives' Suits Act, 1855. XII of 1855.	Ditto .	The date of the death of the person wronged.
21.—By executors, administrators or representatives under the Indian Fatal Accidents Act, 1855. XIII of 1855.	Ditto .	The date of the death of the person killed.
22.—For compensation for any other injury to the person.	Ditto .	When the injury is committed.
23.—For compensation for a malicious prosecution.	Ditto .	When the plaintiff is acquitted, or the prosecution is otherwise terminated.
24.—For compensation for libel.	Ditto .	When the libel is published.
25.—For compensation for slander.	Ditto .	When the words are spoken, or, if the words are not actionable in themselves, when the special damage complained of results.
26.—For compensation for loss of service occasioned by the seduction of the plaintiff's servant or daughter.	Ditto .	When the loss occurs.
27.—For compensation for inducing a person to break a contract with the plaintiff.	Ditto .	The date of the breach.
28.—For compensation for an illegal, irregular or excessive distress.	Ditto .	The date of the distress.
29.—For compensation for wrongful seizure of moveable property under legal process.	Ditto .	The date of the seizure.
30.—Against a carrier for compensation for losing or injuring goods.	Ditto .	When the loss or injury occurs.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

FIRST DIVISION : SUITS—*contd.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part IV.—One year—concld.	
31.—Against a carrier for compensation for non-delivery of, or delay in delivering, goods.	One year .	When the goods ought to be delivered.
	Part V.—Two years.	
32.—Against one who, having a right to use property for specific purposes, perverts it to other purposes.	Two years .	When the perversion first becomes known to the person injured thereby.
33.—Under the Legal Representatives' Suits Act, 1855, against an executor. XII of 1855.	Ditto .	When the wrong complained of is done.
34.—Under the same Act against an administrator.	Ditto .	Ditto.
35.—Under the same Act against any other representative.	Ditto .	Ditto.
36.—For compensation for any malfeasance, misfeasance or non-feasance independent of contract and not herein specially provided for.	Ditto .	When the malfeasance, misfeasance or non-feasance takes place.
	Part VI.—Three years.	
37.—For compensation for obstructing a way or a watercourse.	Three years .	The date of the obstruction.
38.—For compensation for diverting a watercourse.	Ditto .	The date of the diversion.
39.—For compensation for trespass upon immoveable property.	Ditto .	The date of the trespass.
40.—For compensation for infringing copyright or any other exclusive privilege.	Ditto .	The date of the infringement.
41.—To restrain waste . .	Ditto .	When the waste begins.
42.—For compensation for injury caused by an injunction wrongfully obtained.	Ditto .	When the injunction ceases.
43.—Under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, section 370 or section 321, or under the Probate and Administration Act, 1881, section X of 1865. V of 1881.	Ditto .	The date of the payment or distribution.

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Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VI.—Three years—contd.	
139 or section 140, to compel a refund by a person to whom an executor or administrator has paid a legacy or distributed assets.		
44.—By a ward who has attained majority, to set aside a transfer of property by his guardian.	Three years .	When the ward attains majority.
45.—To contest an award under any of the following Regulations of the Bengal Code :—	Ditto .	The date of the final award or order in the case.
The Bengal Land-revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822.		
The Bengal Land-revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825.		
The Bengal Land-revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833.		
46.—By a party bound by such award to recover any property comprised therein.	Ditto .	The date of the final award or order in the case.
47.—By any person bound by an order respecting the possession of immoveable property made under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, or the Mamlatdars' Courts Act, 1906, or by any one claiming under such person, to recover the property comprised in such order.	Ditto .	The date of the final order in the case.
48.—For specific moveable property lost, or acquired by theft, or dishonest misappropriation or conversion, or for compensation for wrongfully taking or detaining the same.	Ditto .	When the person having the right to the possession of the property first learns in whose possession it is.
49.—For other specific moveable property, or for compensation for wrongfully taking or injuring or wrongfully detaining the same.	Ditto .	When the property is wrongfully taken or injured, or when the detainer's possession becomes unlawful.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

FIRST DIVISION : SUITS—*contd.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VI—Three years—contd.	
50.—For the hire of animals, vehicles, boats or house-hold furniture.	Three years .	When the hire becomes payable.
51.—For the balance of money advanced in payment of goods to be delivered.	Ditto .	When the goods ought to be delivered.
52.—For the price of goods sold and delivered, where no fixed period of credit is agreed upon.	Ditto .	The date of the delivery of the goods.
53.—For the price of goods sold and delivered to be paid for after the expiry of a fixed period of credit.	Ditto .	When the period of credit expires.
54.—For the price of goods sold and delivered to be paid for by a bill of exchange, no such bill being given.	Ditto .	When the period of the proposed bill elapses.
55.—For the price of trees or growing crops sold by the plaintiff to the defendant where no fixed period of credit is agreed upon.	Ditto .	The date of the sale.
56.—For the price of work done by the plaintiff for the defendant at his request, where no time has been fixed for payment.	Ditto .	When the work is done.
57.—For money payable for money lent.	Ditto .	When the loan is made.
58.—Like suit when the lender has given a cheque for the money.	Ditto .	When the cheque is paid.
59.—For money lent under an agreement that it shall be payable on demand	Ditto .	When the loan is made.
60.—For money deposited under an agreement that it shall be payable on demand, including money of a customer in the hands of his banker so payable.	Ditto .	When the demand is made.
61—For money payable to the plaintiff for money paid for the defendant.	Ditto .	When the money is paid.

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Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VI—Three years—contd.	
62.—For money payable by the defendant to the plaintiff for money received by the defendant for the plaintiff's use.	Three years.	When the money is received.
63.—For money payable for interest upon money due from the defendant to the plaintiff.	Ditto .	When the interest becomes due.
64.—For money payable to the plaintiff for money found to be due from the defendant to the plaintiff on accounts stated between them.	Ditto .	When the accounts are stated in writing signed by the defendant or his agent duly authorized in this behalf, unless where the debt is, by a simultaneous agreement in writing signed as aforesaid, made payable at a future time, and then when that time arrives.
65.—For compensation for breach of a promise to do anything at a specified time, or upon the happening of a specified contingency.	Ditto .	When the time specified arrives or the contingency happens.
66.—On a single bond, where a day is specified for payment.	Ditto .	The day so specified.
67.—On a single bond, where no such day is specified.	Ditto .	The date of executing the bond.
68.—On a bond subject to a condition.	Ditto .	When the condition is broken.
69.—On a bill of exchange or promissory note payable at a fixed time after date.	Ditto .	When the bill or note falls due.
70.—On a bill of exchange payable at sight, or after sight, but not at a fixed time.	Ditto .	When the bill is presented.
71.—On a bill of exchange accepted payable at a particular place.	Ditto .	When the bill is presented at that place.
72.—On a bill of exchange or promissory note payable at a fixed time after sight or after demand.	Ditto .	When the fixed time expires.

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Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VI—Three years—contd.	
73.—On a bill of exchange or promissory note payable on demand and not accompanied by any writing restraining or postponing the right to sue.	Three years.	The date of the bill or note.
74.—On a promissory note or bond payable by instalments.	Ditto	The expiration of the first term of payment as to the part then payable; and for the other parts, the expiration of the respective terms of payment.
75.—On a promissory note or bond payable by instalments, which provides that, if default be made in payment of one or more instalments, the whole shall be due.	Ditto .	When the default is made, unless where the payee or obligee waives the benefit of the provision, and then when fresh default is made in respect of which there is no such waiver.
76.—On a promissory note given by the maker to a third person to be delivered to the payee after a certain event should happen.	Ditto .	The date of the delivery to the payee.
77.—On a dishonoured foreign bill, where protest has been made and notice given.	Ditto .	When the notice is given.
78.—By the payee against the drawer of a bill of exchange, which has been dishonoured by non-acceptance.	Ditto .	The date of the refusal to accept.
79.—By the acceptor of an accommodation-bill against the drawer.	Ditto .	When the acceptor pays the amount of the bill.
80.—Suit on a bill of exchange, promissory note or bond not herein expressly provided for.	Ditto .	When the bill, note or bond becomes payable.
81.—By a surety against the principal debtor.	Ditto .	When the surety pays the creditor.

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Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VI.—Three years—contd.	
82.—By a surety against a co-surety.	Three years	When the surety pays anything in excess of his own share.
83.—Upon any other contract to indemnify.	Ditto	When the plaintiff is actually damnified.
—By an attorney or vakil for his costs of a suit or a particular business, there being no express agreement as to the time when such costs are to be paid.	Ditto	The date of the termination of the suit or business, or (where the attorney or vakil properly discontinues the suit or business) the date of such discontinuance.
5.—For the balance due on a mutual, open and current account, where there have been reciprocal demands between the parties.	Ditto	The close of the year in which the last item admitted or proved is entered in the account; such year to be computed as in the account.
86.—On a policy of insurance, when the sum assured is payable immediately after proof of the death or loss has been given to or received by the insurers.	Ditto	When proof of the death or loss is given or received to or by the insurer, whether by or from the plaintiff, or any other person.
87.—By the assured to recover premia paid under a policy voidable at the election of the insurers.	Ditto	When the insurers elect to avoid the policy.
88.—Against a factor for an account.	Ditto	When the account is, during the continuance of the agency, demanded and refused or, where no such demand is made, when the agency terminates.
89.—By a principal against his agent for moveable property received by the latter and not accounted for.	Ditto	Ditto.
90.—Other suits by principals against agents for neglect or misconduct.	Ditto	When the neglect or misconduct becomes known to the plaintiff

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Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VI.—Three years—contd.	
91.—To cancel or set aside an instrument not otherwise provided for.	Three years	When the facts entitling the plaintiff to have the instrument cancelled or set aside become known to him.
92.—To declare the forgery of an instrument issued or registered.	Ditto	When the issue or registration becomes known to the plaintiff.
93.—To declare the forgery of an instrument attempted to be enforced against the plaintiff.	Ditto	The date of the attempt.
94.—For property which the plaintiff has conveyed while insane.	Ditto	When the plaintiff is restored to sanity, and has knowledge of the conveyance
95.—To set aside a decree obtained by fraud, or for other relief on the ground of fraud.	Ditto	When the fraud becomes known to the party wronged.
96.—For relief on the ground of mistake.	Ditto	When the mistake becomes known to the plaintiff.
97.—For money paid upon an existing consideration which afterwards fails.	Ditto	The date of the failure.
98.—To make good out of the general estate of a deceased trustee the loss occasioned by a breach of trust.	Ditto	The date of the trustee's death, or, if the loss has not then resulted, the date of the loss.
99.—For contribution by a party who has paid the whole or more than his share of the amount due under a joint decree, or by a sharer in a joint estate who has paid the whole or more than his share of the amount of revenue due from himself and his co-sharers.	Ditto	The date of the payment in excess of the plaintiff's own share.

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FIRST DIVISION : SUITS—*contd.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VI.—Three years—contd.	
100.—By a co-trustee to enforce against the estate of a deceased trustee a claim for contribution.	Three years	When the right to contribution accrues.
101.—For a seaman's wages	Ditto .	The end of the voyage during which the wages are earned
102.—For wages not otherwise expressly provided for by this schedule.	Ditto .	When the wages accrue due.
103.—By a Muhammadan for exigible dower (*mu'ajjal*).	Ditto .	When the dower is demanded and refused or (where, during the continuance of the marriage, no such demand has been made) when the marriage is dissolved by death or divorce.
104.—By a Muhammadan for deferred dower (*mu'wajjal*).	Ditto .	When the marriage is dissolved by death or divorce.
105.—By a mortgagor after the mortgage has been satisfied, to recover surplus collections received by the mortgagee.	Ditto .	When the mortgagor re-enters on the mortgaged property.
106.—For an account and a share of the profits of a dissolved partnership.	Ditto .	The date of the dissolution.
107.—By the manager of a joint estate of an undivided family for contribution, in respect of a payment made by him on account of the estate.	Ditto .	The date of the payment.
108.—By a lessor for the value of trees cut down by his lessee contrary to the terms of the lease.	Ditto .	When the trees are cut down.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

FIRST DIVISION : SUITS—*contd.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VI.—Three years—concld.	
109.—For the profits of immoveable property belonging to the plaintiff which have been wrongfully received by the defendant.	Three years	When the profits are received.
110.—For arrears of rent .	Ditto .	When the arrears become due.
111.—By a vendor of immoveable property for personal payment of unpaid purchase-money	Ditto .	The time fixed for completing the sale, or (where the title is accepted after the time fixed for completion) the date of the acceptance.
112.—For a call by a company registered under any Statute or Act.	Ditto .	When the call is payable.
113.—For specific performance of a contract.	Ditto .	The date fixed for the performance, or, if no such date is fixed, when the plaintiff has notice that performance is refused.
114.—For the rescission of a contract.	Ditto .	When the facts entitling the plaintiff to have the contract rescinded first become known to him.
115.—For compensation for the breach of any contract, express or implied, not in writing registered and not herein specially provided for.	Ditto .	When the contract is broken, or (where there are successive breaches) when the breach in respect of which the suit is instituted occurs, or (where the breach is continuing) when it ceases.

The Indian Limitation Act, 1908.

(*The First Schedule.—First Division : Suits.*)

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

FIRST DIVISION : SUITS—*contd.*

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116.—For compensation for the breach of a contract in writing registered.	Six years .	When the period of limitation would begin to run against a suit brought on a similar contract not registered.
117.—Upon a foreign judgment as defined in the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.	Ditto .	The date of the judgment.
118.—To obtain a declaration that an alleged adoption is invalid, or never, in fact, took place.	Ditto .	When the alleged adoption becomes known to the plaintiff.
119.—To obtain a declaration that an adoption is valid.	Ditto .	When the rights of the adopted son, as such, are interfered with.
120.—Suit for which no period of limitation is provided elsewhere in this schedule.	Ditto .	When the right to sue accrues.
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122.—Upon a judgment obtained in British India or a recognisance.	Ditto .	The date of the judgment or recognisance.
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THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

FIRST DIVISION : SUITS—*contd.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
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125.—Suit during the life of a Hindu or Muhammadan female by a Hindu or Muhammadan who, if the female died at the date of instituting the suit, would be entitled to the possession of land, to have an alienation of such land made by the female declared to be void except for her life or until her re-marriage.	Ditto .	The date of the alienation.
126.—By a Hindu governed by the law of the Mitakshara to set aside his father's alienation of ancestral property.	Ditto .	When the alienee takes possession of the property.
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The Indian Limitation Act, 1908.

(*The First Schedule.—First Division: Suits.*)

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

FIRST DIVISION: SUITS—*contd.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VIII.—Twelve years.—contd.	
132.—To enforce payment of money charged upon immoveable property. *Explanation.*—The allowance and fees respectively called *malikana* and *haqqs* shall, for the purpose of this article, be deemed to be money charged upon immoveable property.	Twelve years.	When the money sued for becomes due.
133.—To recover moveable property conveyed or bequeathed in trust, deposited or pawned, and afterwards bought from the trustee, depositary or pawnee for a valuable consideration.	Ditto .	The date of the purchase.
134.—To recover possession of immoveable property conveyed or bequeathed in trust or mortgaged and afterwards transferred by the trustee or mortgagee for a valuable consideration.	Ditto .	The date of the transfer.
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136.—By a purchaser at a private sale for possession of immoveable property sold when the vendor was out of possession at the date of the sale.	Ditto .	When the vendor is first entitled to possession.
137.—Like suit by a purchaser at a sale in execution of a decree, when the judgment-debtor was out of possession at the date of the sale.	Ditto .	When the judgment-debtor is first entitled to possession.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

FIRST DIVISION: SUITS—*contd.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
	Part VIII.—Twelve years—concld.	
138.—Like suit by a purchaser at a sale in execution of a decree, when the judgment-debtor was in possession at the date of the sale.	Twelve years.	The date when the sale becomes absolute.
139.—By a landlord to recover possession from a tenant.	Ditto .	When the tenancy is determined.
140.—By a remainderman, a reversioner (other than a landlord) or a devisee, for possession of immoveable property.	Ditto .	When his estate falls into possession.
141.—Like suit by a Hindu or Muhammadan entitled to the possession of immoveable property on the death of a Hindu or Muhammadan female.	Ditto .	When the female dies.
142.—For possession of immoveable property when the plaintiff, while in possession of the property, has been dispossessed or has discontinued the possession.	Ditto .	The date of the dispossession or discontinuance.
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145.—Against a depositary or pawnee to recover moveable property deposited or pawned.	Thirty years.	The date of the deposit or pawn.

The Indian Limitation Act, 1908.

(The First Schedule.—First Division : Suits. Second Division : Appeals.)

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

FIRST DIVISION: SUITS—*concld.*

Description of suit.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run
	Part IX.—Thirty years—concld.	
146.—Before a Court established by Royal Charter in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction by a mortgagee to recover from the mortgagor the possession of immoveable property mortgaged.	Thirty years	When any part of the principal or interest was last paid on account of the mortgage-debt.
146A.—By or on behalf of any local authority for possession of any public street or road or any part thereof from which it has been dispossessed or of which it has discontinued the possession.	Ditto .	The date of the dispossession or discontinuance.
	Part X.—Sixty years.	
147.—By a mortgagee for foreclosure or sale.	Sixty years .	When the money secured by the mortgage becomes due.
148.—Against a mortgagee to redeem or to recover possession of immoveable property mortgaged.	Ditto .	When the right to redeem or to recover possession accrues: Provided that all claims to redeem arising under instruments of mortgage of immoveable property situate in Lower Burma which had been executed before the first day of May 1893, shall be governed by the rules of limitation in force in that province immediately before the same day.
149.—Any suit by or on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council.	Ditto .	When the period of limitation would begin to run under this Act against a like suit by a private person.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

SECOND DIVISION: APPEALS.

Description of appeal.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
150.—Under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, from a sentence of death passed by a Court of Session.	Seven days .	The date of the sentence. V of 1898.
151.—From a decree or order of any of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay or the Chief Court of the Punjab or the Chief Court of Lower Burma in the exercise of its original jurisdiction.	Twenty days.	The date of the decree or order.
152.—Under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, to the Court of a District Judge.	Thirty days .	The date of the decree or order appealed from. V of 1908.
153.—Under the same Code, to a High Court, from an order of a Subordinate Court refusing leave to appeal to His Majesty in Council.	Ditto .	The date of the order.
154.—Under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, to any Court other than a High Court.	Ditto .	The date of the sentence or order appealed from.
155.—Under the same Code, to a High Court, except in the cases provided for by article 150 and article 157.	Sixty days .	Ditto.
156.—Under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, to a High Court, except in the cases provided for by article 151 and article 153.	Ninety days .	The date of the decree or order appealed from.
157.—Under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, from an order of acquittal.	Six months .	The date of the order appealed from.

The Indian Limitation Act, 1908.

(*The First Schedule.—Third Division: Applications.*)

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V of 1908. 158.—Under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, to set aside an award.	Ten days .	When the award is submitted to the Court.
159.—For leave to appear and defend a suit under the summary procedure referred to in section 128 (2) (*f*) of the same Code.	Ditto. .	When the summons is served.
160.—For an order under the same Code, to restore to the file an application for review rejected in consequence of the failure of the applicant to appear when the application was called on for hearing.	Fifteen days.	When the application for review is rejected.
161.—For a review of judgment by a Provincial Court of Small Causes or by a Court invested with the jurisdiction of a Provincial Court of Small Causes when exercising that jurisdiction.	Ditto. .	The date of the decree or order.
162.—For a review of judgment by any of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay or the Chief Court of the Punjab, or the Chief Court of Lower Burma in the exercise of its original jurisdiction.	Twenty days	Ditto.
163.—By a plaintiff, for an order to set aside a dismissal for default of appearance or for failure to pay costs of service of process or to furnish security for costs.	Thirty days .	The date of the dismissal.
164.—By a defendant, for an order to set aside a decree passed *ex parte*.	Ditto .	The date of the decree or where the summons was not duly served, when the applicant has knowledge of the decree.
165.—Under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, by a person dispossessed of immoveable property, and disputing the right of the decree-holder or purchaser at a sale in execution of a decree to be put into possession.	Ditto	The date of the dispossession.
166.—Under the same Code to set aside a sale in execution of a decree.	Ditto	The date of the sale.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

THIRD DIVISION: APPLICATIONS—*contd.*

Description of application.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
167.—Complaining of resistance or obstruction to delivery of possession of immoveable property decreed or sold in execution of a decree.	Thirty days.	The date of the resistance or obstruction.
168.—For the readmission of an appeal dismissed for want of prosecution.	Ditto	The date of the dismissal.
169.—For the re-hearing of an appeal heard *ex parte*.	Ditto	The date of the decree in appeal or, where notice of the appeal was not duly served, when the applicant has knowledge of the decree.
170.—For leave to appeal as a pauper.	Ditto	The date of the decree appealed from.
171.—Under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, for an order to set aside an abatement.	Sixty days .	The date of the
172.—Under the same Code by the assignee or the receiver of an insolvent plaintiff or appellant for an order to set aside the dismissal of a suit or an appeal.	Ditto	The date of the order of dismissal.
173.—For a review of judgment except in the cases provided for by article 161 and article 162.	Ninety days.	The date of the decree or order.
174.—For the issue of a notice under the same Code, to show cause why any payment made out of Court of any money payable under a decree or any adjustment of the decree should not be recorded as certified.	Ditto .	When the payment or adjustment is made.
175.—For payment of the amount of a decree by instalments.	Six months .	The date of the decree.
176.—Under the same Code to have the legal representative of a deceased plaintiff or of a deceased appellant made a party.	Ditto	The date of the death of the deceased plaintiff or appellant.

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(*The First Schedule.—Third Division : Applications.*)

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

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Description of application.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
177.—Under the same Code to have the legal representative of a deceased defendant or of a deceased respondent made a party.	Six months.	The date of the death of the deceased defendant or respondent.
178.—Under the same Code for the filing in Court of an award in a suit made in any matter referred to arbitration by order of the Court, or of an award made in any matter referred to arbitration without the intervention of a a Court.	Ditto .	The date of the award.
179.—By a person desiring to appeal under the same Code to His Majesty in Council for leave to appeal.	Ditto .	The date of the decree appealed from.
180.—By a purchaser of immoveable property at a sale in execution of a decree for delivery of possession.	Three years	When the sale becomes absolute.
181.—Applications for which no period of limitation is provided elsewhere in this schedule or by section 48 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908. V of 1908.	Ditto .	When the right to apply accrues.
182.—For the execution of a decree or order of any Civil Court not provided for by article 183 or by section 48 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.	Three years or, where a certified copy of the decree or order has been registered, six years.	1. The date of the decree or order, or 2. (where there has been an appeal) the date of the final decree or order of the Appellate Court, or the withdrawal of the appeal, or 3. (where there has been a review of judgment) the date of the decision passed on the review, or 4 (where the decree has been amended) the date of amendment, or

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

THIRD DIVISION : APPLICATIONS—*contd.*

Description of application.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
182. For the execution of a decree or order of any Civil Court not provided for by article 183 or by section 48 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908—*contd.*	Three years ; or, where a certified copy of the decree or order has been registered, six years.	5. (where the application next hereinafter mentioned has been made) the date of applying in accordance with law to the proper Court for execution, or to take some step in aid of execution, of the decree or order, or V of 1908. 6. (where the notice next hereinafter mentioned has been issued) the date of issue of notice to the person against whom execution is applied for to show cause why the decree should not be executed against him, when the issue of such a notice is required by the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, or 7. (where the application is to enforce any payment which the decree or order directs to be made at a certain date) such date. *Explanation I.*—Where the decree or order has been passed severally in favour of more persons than one, distinguishing portions of the subject-matter as payable or deliverable to each, the application mentioned in clause 5 of this article shall take effect in favour only of such of the said persons or their representatives as it may be made by. But where the decree or order has been passed jointly in favour of more persons than one, such application, if made by any one or more of them, or by his or their representatives, shall take effect in favour of them all.

The Indian Limitation Act, 1908.

(The First Schedule.—Third Division : Applications. The Second Schedule.—Territories referred to in section 31. The Third Schedule.—Enactments repealed.)

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*concld.*

THIRD DIVISION : APPLICATIONS—*concld.*

Description of application.	Period of limitation.	Time from which period begins to run.
182. For the execution of a decree or order of any Civil Court not provided for by article 183 or by section 48 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908—*concld.*	Three years; or, where certified copy of the decree or order has been registered, six years.	Where the decree or order has been passed severally against more persons than one, distinguishing portions of the subject-matter as payable or deliverable by each, the application shall take effect against only such of the said persons or their representatives as it may be made against. But, where the decree or order has been passed jointly against more persons than one, the application, if made against any one or more of them, or against his or their representatives, shall take effect against them all. *Explanation II.*—"Proper Court" means the Court whose duty it is to execute the decree or order.
183.—To enforce a judgment, decree or order of any Court established by Royal Charter in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, or an order of His Majesty in Council.	Twelve years.	When a present right to enforce the judgment, decree or order accrues to some person capable of releasing the right: Provided that when the judgment, decree or order has been revived, or some part of the principal money secured thereby, or some interest on such money has been paid, or some acknowledgment of the right thereto has been given in writing signed by the person liable to pay such principal or interest, or his agent, to the person entitled thereto or his agent, the twelve years shall be computed from the date of such revivor, payment or acknowledgment or the latest of such revivors, payments or acknowledgments, as the case may be.

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Year.	No.	Short title.	Extent of repeal.
1877	XV	The Indian Limitation Act, 1877.	The whole.
1877	XVI	The Punjab Courts' Act, 1877.	So much as has not been repealed.
1879	XII	The Registration and Limitation Acts Amendment Act, 1879.	In the title the words "and the Limitation Act, 1877", and after section 107, from the words "and whereas" to the end of the Act.
1881	V	The Probate and Administration Act, 1881.	Section 156.
1887	IX	The Provincial Small Causes Courts Act, 1887.	Section 36.
1888	VII	The Civil Procedure Code Amendment Act, 1888.	In the title and in the preamble, the words "and the Indian Limitation Act, 1877", and of section 60 so much as has not been repealed.
1892	VI	The Indian Limitation Act and Civil Procedure Code Amendment Act, 1892.	In the title and in the preamble, the words "the Indian Limitation Act, 1877," and section 1.
1899	X	The Carriers Act, 1899.	Section 3.
1900	VI	The Lower Burma Courts Act, 1900.	So much of section 47 and the first schedule as relates to the Indian Limitation Act, 1877.
1900	XI	The Indian Limitation Amendment Act, 1900.	The whole.
1905	IV	The Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1905.	Section 5.

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PART VI.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 7th August, 1908:

NO. 9 OF 1908.

THE INDIAN PORTS BILL

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The Indian Ports Bill.

(*Chapter I.—Preliminary. Chapter II.—Powers of the Local Government.*)

A Bill to consolidate the Enactments relating to Ports and Port-charges.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate the enactments relating to ports and port-charges; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Ports Act, 190

Title and extent.

(*2*) It shall extend, save as otherwise appears from its subject or context,—

(*a*) to the ports mentioned in the first schedule, and to such parts of the navigable rivers and channels leading to such ports respectively as have been declared to be subject to Act XXII of 1855 (*for the Regulation of Ports and Port-dues*) or to the Indian Ports Act, 1875, *or to the Indian Ports Act, 1889*;

(*b*) to the other ports or parts of navigable rivers or channels to which the Local Government, in exercise of the power hereinafter conferred, extends this Act.

(*3*) *But* nothing in section 31 or section 32 shall apply to any port, river or channel to which the section has not been specially extended by the Local Government

2. Nothing in this Act shall

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(i) apply to any vessel belonging to, or in the service of, His Majesty or the Government of India, or to any vessel of war belonging to any Foreign Prince or State, or

(ii) deprive any person of any right of property or other private right, except as hereinafter expressly provided or

(iii) affect any law or rule relating to the customs or any order or direction lawfully made or given pursuant thereto.

3. In this Act, unless there is *any*thing repugnant in the subject or context,—

Definitions.

(*1*) "Magistrate" means a person exercising powers under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class, and includes, in the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, a Presidency Magistrate :

(*2*) "master," when used in relation to any vessel, means, subject to the provisions of any other enactment for the time being in force, any person (except a pilot or harbour-master) having for the time being the charge or control of the vessel :

(*3*) "pilot" means a person for the time being authorized by the Local Government to pilot vessels :

(*4*) "port" includes also any part of a river or

(*5*) "port-officer" is synonymous with master-attendant :

(*6*) "ton" means a ton as determined or determinable by the rules for the time being in force for regulating the measurement of the net tonnage of British ships : and

(*7*) "vessel" includes anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or of property.

CHAPTER II.

POWERS OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

4. (*1*) With the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may, by notification in the *local* official Gazette,—

Power to extend or withdraw the Act or certain portions thereof.

(*a*) extend this Act to any port in which this Act is not in force or to any part of any navigable river or channel which leads to a port and in which this Act is not in force ;

(*b*) specially extend the provisions of section 31 or section 32 to any port to which they have not been so extended;

(*c*) withdraw this Act or section 31 or section 32 from any port or any part thereof in which it is for the time being in force.

(*2*) A notification under clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) shall define the limits of the area to which it refers.

(*3*) Limits defined under sub-section (*2*) may include any piers, jetties, landing-places, wharves, quays, docks and other works made on behalf of the public for convenience of traffic, for safety of vessels, or for the improvement, maintenance or good government of the port and its approaches, whether within or without high-water-mark, and, subject to any rights of private property therein, any portion of the shore or bank within fifty yards of high-water-mark.

(*4*) In sub-section (*3*) the expression "high-water-mark" means the highest point reached by ordinary spring tides at any season of the year.

5. (*1*) The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council and subject to any rights of private property, alter the limits of any port in which this Act is in force.

Alteration of limits of ports.

(*2*) When the Local Government alters the limits of a port under sub-section (*1*), it shall declare or describe, by notification in the *local* official Gazette, and by such other means, if any, as it thinks fit, the precise extent of such limits.

6. (*1*) The Local Government may, in addition to any rules which it may make under any other enactment for the time being in force, make such rules, consistent with this Act, as it thinks necessary for any of the following pur-

Power to make port-rules.

[Act V 1891, s. 1.]

The Indian Ports Bill.

(*Chapter II.—Powers of the Local Government.*)

and the manner and conditions in and on which, vessels generally or vessels of any class defined in the rules, may enter, leave or be moved in any port subject to this Act;

(*b*) for regulating the berths, stations and anchorages to be occupied by vessels in any such port;

(*c*) for striking the yards and top-masts, and for rigging-in the booms and yards, of vessels in any such port, and for swinging or taking-in davits, boats and other things projecting from such vessels;

(*d*) for the removal or proper hanging or placing of anchors, spars and other things being in or attached to vessels in any such port;

(*e*) for regulating vessels whilst taking-in or discharging passengers, ballast or cargo, or any particular kind of cargo, in any such port, and the stations to be occupied by vessels whilst so engaged

(*f*) for keeping free passages of such width as may be deemed necessary within any such port, and along or near to the piers, jetties, landing-places, wharves, quays, docks, moorings and other works in or adjoining to the same, and for marking out the spaces so to be kept free;

(*g*) for regulating the anchoring, fastening, mooring and unmooring of vessels in any such port;

(*h*) for regulating the moving and warping of all vessels within any such port and the use of warps therein;

(*i*) for regulating the use of the mooring buoys, chains and other moorings in any such port;

(*j*) for fixing the rates to be paid for the use of such moorings when belonging to the Government, or of any boat, hawser or other thing belonging to the Government;

(*k*) for licensing and regulating catamarans plying for hire, and flats and cargo, passenger and other boats plying, whether for hire or not, and whether regularly or only occasionally, in or partly within and partly without any such port, and for determining the quantity of cargo or number of passengers to be carried by any such vessels;

(*l*) for regulating the use of fires and lights within any such port;

(*m*) for enforcing and regulating the use of signals or signal-lights by vessels by day or by night in any such port;

(*n*) for regulating the number of the crew which must be on board any vessel afloat within the limits of any such port;

(*o*) for regulating the employment of persons engaged in cleaning or painting vessels, or in working in the bilges, boilers or double bottoms of vessels, in any such port;

(*p*) with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, for the establishment and regulation of places to be used as sanitaria for the segregation or as hospitals for the treatment of persons who are or have recently been suffering from any dangerous infectious or contagious disease, and for regulating the action, including the disposal of dead bodies, to be taken— [Act III 1901, s. 2

(i) where a vessel on which there is any case of dangerous infectious or contagious disease common in India, enters or is in any such port;

(ii) where a vessel on which there is any case of dangerous infectious or contagious disease uncommon in India, enters or is in any such port;

(iii) where a vessel on which there has been any case of dangerous infectious or contagious disease or any death within twelve days previous to the arrival of the vessel at such port, enters or is in any such port;

(iv) where a vessel enters any such port from a port in which, or in the neighbourhood of which, there is believed to be, or to have been at the time when the vessel left such port, any dangerous infectious or contagious disease uncommon in India;

(v) where a vessel enters any such port having on board any person transhipped from a vessel coming from a port in which or in the neighbourhood of which there is believed to be or to have been at the time when such last-mentioned vessel left such last-mentioned port any dangerous infectious or contagious disease uncommon in India;

(vi) where there is a dead body on board a vessel in any such port;

(vii) where there are on board a vessel in any such port foodstuffs which, owing to decomposition or for any other reason, are, in the opinion of the health-officer, unfit for human consumption; or

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the port or in its neighbourhood any dangerous infectious or contagious disease uncommon in India;

For the purposes of this clause only such diseases shall be deemed to be dangerous infectious or contagious diseases, or diseases common or uncommon in India as the Governor General in Council may by order direct; and

[Act IV of 1896, s. 1.] (*q*) for securing the protection from heat of the officers and crew of vessels in any such port by requiring the owner or master of any such vessel—

(i) to provide curtains and double awnings for screening from the sun's rays such portions of the deck as are occupied by, or are situated immediately above, the quarters of the officers and crew;

(ii) to erect windsails so far as the existing portholes or apertures in the deck admit of their being used for ventilating the quarters of the officers and crew;

(iii) when the deck is made of iron and not wood-sheathed, to cover with wooden planks or other suitable non-conducting material such portions of the deck as are situated immediately above the quarters of the officers and crew;

(iv) when the quarters used by the crew and the galley are separated by an iron bulkhead only, to furnish a temporary screen of some suitable non-conducting material between such quarters and the galley.

(*2*) The power to make rules under sub-section (*1*) is subject to the condition of the rules being made after previous publication:

Provided that nothing in this sub-section shall be construed to affect the validity of any rule in force immediately before the commencement of *the Indian Ports Act, 1889*, and continued by section 2, sub-section (*2*), *of that Act*.

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Act III of 1901, s. 2 (2).] (*3*) If any person disobeys any rule made under clause (*p*) of sub-section (*1*), he shall be punish*able* for every such offence with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

(*4*) If a master fails wholly or in part to do any act prescribed by any rule made under clause (*p*) of sub-section (*1*), the health-officer shall cause such act to be done, and the reasonable expenses incurred in doing such act shall be recoverable by him from such master.

CHAPTER III.

PORT-OFFICIALS AND THEIR POWERS AND DUTIES.

7. (*1*) The Local Government shall appoint some officer or body of persons to be conservator of every port subject to this Act.

Appointment of conservator.

(*2*) Subject to any direction by the Local Government to the contrary,—

(*a*) in ports where there is a port-officer, the port-officer shall be the conservator;

(*b*) in ports where there is no port-officer but where there is a harbour-master, the harbour-master shall be the conservator.

(*3*) Where the harbour-master is not conservator, the harbour-master and his assistants shall be subordinate to, and subject to the control of, the conservator.

(*4*) The conservator shall be subject to the control of the Local Government, or of any intermediate authority which that Government may appoint.

8. (*1*) The conservator of any port subject to this Act may, with respect to any vessel within the port, give directions for carrying into effect any rule for the time being in force therein under section 6.

Power of conservator to give and enforce directions for certain specified purposes.

(*2*) If any person wilfully and without lawful excuse refuses or neglects to obey any lawful direction of the conservator, after notice thereof has been given to him, he shall, for every such offence, be punish*able* with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and *in the case of a continuing offence* with *a* further fine which may extend to one hundred rupees for every day *during* which, after such notice as aforesaid, he *is proved to have* wilfully and without lawful excuse continued to disobey the direction.

(*3*) In case of such refusal or neglect, the conservator may do, or cause to be done, all acts necessary for the purpose of carrying the direction into execution and may hire and employ proper persons for that purpose, and all reasonable expenses incurred in doing such acts shall be recoverable by him from the person so refusing or neglecting to obey the direction.

9. The conservator of any such port may, in case of urgent necessity, cut, or cause to be cut, any warp, rope, cable or hawser endangering the safety of any vessel in the port or at or near to the entrance thereof.

Power to cut warps and ropes.

10. (*1*) The conservator may remove, or cause to be removed, any timber, raft or other thing, floating or being in any part of any such port, which in his opinion obstructs or impedes the free navigation thereof or the lawful use of any pier, jetty, landing-place, wharf, quay, dock, mooring or other work on any part of the shore or bank which has been declared to be within the limits of the port and is not private property.

Removal of obstructions within limits of port.

(*2*) The owner of any such timber, raft or other thing shall be liable to pay the reasonable expenses of the removal thereof, and if such owner or any other person has without lawful excuse caused any such obstruction or impediment, or causes any public nuisance affecting or likely to affect such free navigation or lawful use, he shall also be punish*able* with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

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(*3*) The conservator or any Magistrate having jurisdiction over the offence may cause any such nuisance to be abated.

Recovery of expenses of removal.

11. If the owner of any such timber, raft or other thing, or the person who has caused any such obstruction, impediment or public nuisance as is mentioned in the last foregoing section, neglects to pay the reasonable expenses incurred in the removal thereof, within one week after demand, or within fourteen days after such removal has been notified in the *local* official Gazette or in such other manner as the Local Government by general or special order directs, the conservator may cause such timber, raft or other thing, or the materials of any public nuisance so removed, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be sold by public auction ;

and may retain all the expenses of such removal and sale out of the proceeds of the sale, and shall pay the surplus of such proceeds, or deliver so much of the thing or materials as may remain unsold, to the person entitled to receive the same ;

and, if no such person appears, shall cause the same to be kept and deposited in such manner as the Local Government directs ;

and may, if necessary, from time to time, realize the expenses of keeping the same, together with the expenses of sale, by a further sale of so much of the thing or materials as may remain unsold.

Removal of lawful obstructions.

12. (*1*) If any obstruction or impediment to the navigation of any port subject to this Act has been lawfully made, or has become lawful by reason of the long continuance of such obstruction or impediment, or otherwise, the conservator shall report the same for the information of the Local Government, and shall, with the sanction of that Government, cause the same to be removed or altered, making reasonable compensation to the person suffering damage by such removal or alteration.

(*2*) Any dispute arising concerning such compensation shall be determined according to the law relating to like disputes in the case of land required for public purpose

Fouling of Government moorings.

13 (*1*) If any vessel hooks or gets foul of any of the buoys or moorings laid down by or by the authority of the Local Government in any such port, the master of such vessel shall not, nor shall any other person, except in case of emergency, lift the buoy or mooring for the purpose of unhooking or getting clear from the same without the assistance of the conservator ;

and the conservator, immediately on receiving notice of such accident, shall assist and superintend the clearing of such vessel ;

and the master of such vessel shall, upon demand, pay such reasonable expenses as may be incurred in clearing the same.

(*2*) Any master or other person offending against the provisions of this section shall, for every such offence, be punish*able* with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Raising or removal of wreck impeding navigation within limits of port.

14. (*1*) If any vessel is wrecked, stranded or sunk in any such port so as to impede, or be likely to impede, the navigation thereof, the conservator may cause the vessel to be raised, removed or destroyed.

(*2*) If any property recovered by a conservator acting under sub-section (*1*) is unclaimed, or the person claiming it fails to pay the reasonable expenses incurred by the conservator under that sub-section and a further sum of twenty per cent. of the amount of such expenses, the conservator may sell the property by public auction, if the property is of a perishable nature, forthwith, and, if it is not of a perishable nature, at any time not less than six months after the recovery thereof.

(*3*) The expenses and further sum aforesaid shall be payable to the conservator out of the sale-proceeds of the property, and the balance shall be paid to the person entitled to the property recovered, or, if no such person appears and claims the balance, shall be held in deposit for payment, without interest, to any person thereafter establishing his right thereto :

Provided that the person makes his claim within three years from the date of the sale.

Power to board vessels and enter buildings.

15. (*1*) The conservator or any of his assistants may, whenever he suspects that any offence against this Act has been, or is about to be, committed, or whenever it is necessary for him so to do in the performance of any duty imposed upon him by this Act,

and the person appointed under this Act to receive any port-dues, fees or other charges payable in respect of any vessel, may, whenever it is necessary for him so to do in the performance of any duty imposed upon him by this Act,

either alone or with any other person, board any vessel, or enter any building or place, within the limits of any port subject to this Act.

(*2*) If the master of the vessel, or any person in possession or occupation of the building or place, without lawful excuse, refuses to allow any such person as is mentioned in sub-section (*1*) to board or enter such vessel, building or place in the performance of any duty imposed upon him by this Act, he shall for every such offence be punish*able* with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Power to require crews to prevent or extinguish fire.

16. (*1*) For the purpose of preventing or extinguishing fire in any port subject to this Act, the conservator or port-officer may require the master of any vessel within the port to place at his disposal such number as he requires, not exceeding three-fourths, of the crew then under the orders of such master.

(*2*) Any master refusing or neglecting to comply with such requisition shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and any seaman then under his orders who, after being directed by the master to obey the orders of the conservator or port-officer for the purpose aforesaid, refuses to obey such orders, shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to twenty-five rupees.

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17. (*1*) The Local Government may appoint at any port subject to this Act an officer to be called the health-officer.

Appointment and powers of health-officer.

(*2*) A health-officer shall, subject to the control of the Local Government, have the following powers, within the limits of the port for which he is appointed, namely :—

(*a*) with respect to any vessel, the powers conferred on a shipping-master by the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1859, section 71 ;

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(*b*) power to enter on board any vessel and medically examine all or any of the seamen or apprentices on board the vessel ;

(*c*) power to require and enforce the production of the log-book and any other books, papers or documents which he thinks necessary for the purpose of enquiring into the health and medical condition of the persons on board the vessel ;

(*d*) power to call before him and question for any such purpose all or any of those persons and to require true answers to any questions which he thinks fit to ask ;

(*e*) power to require any person so questioned to make and subscribe a declaration of the truth of the statements made by him.

18. The Government shall not be responsible for any act or default of any conservator, port-officer or harbour-master of any port subject to this Act, or of any deputy or assistant of any of the authorities aforesaid, or of any person acting under the control or direction of any such authority, deputy or assistant, or for any act or default of any pilot, or for any damage sustained by any vessel in consequence of any defect in any of the moorings, hawsers or other things belonging to the Government which may be used by the vessel :

Indemnity of Government against act or default of port-official or pilot.

Provided that nothing in this section shall protect the Secretary of State for India in Council from a suit in respect of any act done by or under the express order or sanction of the Government.

CHAPTER IV.

RULES FOR THE SAFETY OF SHIPPING AND THE CONSERVATION OF PORTS.

General Rules.

19 (*1*) No person shall, without lawful excuse, lift, injure, loosen or set adrift any buoy, beacon or mooring fixed or laid down by, or by the authority of, the Local Government in any port subject to this Act.

Injuring buoys, beacons and moorings.

(*2*) If any person offends against the provisions of this section, he shall for every such offence be liable, in addition to the payment of the amount of damage done, to fine which may extend to two thousand rupees, or to imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years.

20. If any person wilfully and without lawful excuse loosens or removes from her moorings any vessel within any such port without leave or authority from the owner or master of the vessel, he shall, for every such offence, be punish*able* with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months.

Wilfully loosening vessel from moorings.

21. (*1*) No ballast or rubbish, and no other thing likely to form a bank or shoal or to be detrimental to navigation, shall, without lawful excuse, be cast or thrown into any such port or into or upon any place on shore from which the same is liable to be washed into any such port, either by ordinary or high tides, or by storms or land-floods.

Improperly discharging ballast.

(*2*) Any person who by himself or another so casts or throws any ballast or rubbish or any such other thing, and the master of any vessel from which the same is so cast or thrown shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and shall pay any reasonable expenses which may be incurred in removing the same.

(*3*) If, after receiving notice from the conservator of the port to desist from so casting or throwing any ballast or rubbish or such other thing, any master continues so to cast or throw it, he shall also be liable to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months.

(*4*) Nothing in this section applies to any case in which the ballast or rubbish or such other thing is cast or thrown into any such port with the consent in writing of the conservator, or within any limits within which such act may be authorized by the Local Government.

22. If any person graves, breams or smokes any vessel in any such port, contrary to the directions of the conservator, or at any time or within any limits at or within which such act is prohibited by the Local Government, he and the master of the vessel shall for every such offence be punish*able* with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees each.

Graving vessel within prohibited limits.

23. If any person boils or heats any pitch, tar, resin, dammer, turpentine, oil or other such combustible matter on board any vessel within any such port, or at any place within its limits where such act is prohibited by the Local Government, or contrary to the directions of the conservator, he and the master of the vessel shall for every such offence be punish*able* with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees each.

Boiling pitch on board vessel within prohibited limits.

24. If any person, by an unprotected artificial light, draws off spirits on board any vessel within any port subject to this Act, he and the master of the vessel shall for every such offence be punish*able* with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees each.

Drawing spirits by unprotected artificial light.

25 (*1*) Every master of a vessel in any port subject to this Act shall, when required so to do by the conservator, permit warps or

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hawsers to be made fast to the vessel for the purpose of warping any other vessel in the port, and shall not allow any such warp or hawser to be let go until required so to do.

(2) A master offending against sub-section (1) shall be punish*able* for every such offence with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Leaving out warp or hawser after sunset.

26. (1) A master of a vessel shall not cause or suffer any warp or hawser attached to his vessel to be left out in any port subject to this Act after sunset in such a manner as to endanger the safety of any other vessel navigating in the port.

(2) A master offending against sub-section (1) shall be punish*able* for every such offence with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Discharge of fire-arms in port.

27. If any person, without lawful excuse, discharges any fire-arms in any port subject to this Act, or on or from any pier, landing-place, wharf or quay thereof, except a gun loaded only with gunpowder for the purpose of making a signal of distress, or for such other purpose as may be allowed by the Local Government, he shall for every such offence be punish*able* with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Penalty on master omitting to take order to extinguish fire.

28. If the master of any vessel in which fire takes place while lying in any such port wilfully omits to take order to extinguish the fire or obstructs the conservator or the port-officer, or any person acting under the authority of the conservator or port-officer, in extinguishing or attempting to extinguish the fire, he shall be punish*able* with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

Unauthorized person not to search for lost stores.

29. (1) No person, without the permission of the conservator, shall, in any port subject to this Act, creep or sweep for anchors, cables or other stores lost or supposed to be lost therein.

(2) If any person offends against the provisions of sub-section (1), he shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Removing stones or injuring shores of port prohibited.

30 (1) No person without the permission of the conservator shall in any port subject to this Act remove or carry away any rock, stones, shingle, gravel, sand or soil or any artificial protection from any part of the bank or shore of the port;

and no person shall sink or bury in any part of such bank or shore, whether the same is public or private property, any mooring post, anchor or any other thing, or do any other thing which is likely to injure or to be used so as to injure such bank or shore, except with the permission of the conservator, and with the aid or under the inspection of such person, if any, as the conservator may appoint to take part in or overlook the performance of such work.

(2) If any person offends against sub-section (1), he shall for every such offence be punish*able* with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees and shall pay any reasonable expenses which may be incurred in repairing any injury done by him to the bank or shore.

Special Rules.

Moving of vessels without pilot or permission of harbour-master.

31. (1) No vessel of the measurement of two hundred tons or upwards shall enter, leave or be moved in any port to which this section has been specially extended without having a pilot, harbour-master or assistant of the port-officer or harbour-master on board;

and no vessel of any measurement less than two hundred tons and exceeding one hundred tons shall enter, leave or be moved in any such port without having a pilot, harbour-master or assistant of the port-officer or harbour-master on board, unless authority in writing so to do has been obtained from the conservator or some officer empowered by him to give such authority.

(2) If any vessel, except in case of urgent necessity, enters, leaves or is moved in the port contrary to the provisions of sub-section (1), the master of the vessel shall for every such offence be punish*able* with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, unless upon application to the proper officer the master was unable to procure a pilot, harbour-master or assistant of the port-officer or harbour-master to go on board the vessel.

(3) Nothing in sub-sections (1) and (2) shall apply to native vessels when they are entering, leaving or being moved in the port of Bombay.

(4) If any question arises as to whether any vessel is a native vessel within the meaning of this section, the decision thereon of such authority as the Governor of Bombay in Council may appoint in this behalf shall be conclusive.

Provision of certain vessels with fire-extinguishing apparatus.

32. (1) Every vessel exceeding the measurement of two hundred tons and lying in any port to which this section has been specially extended shall be provided with a proper force-pump and hose and appurtenances, for the purpose of extinguishing any fire which may occur on board.

(2) The master of such a vessel who, having been required by the conservator to comply with the provisions of sub-section (1), neglects or refuses, without lawful excuse, so to do for the space of seven days after such requisition, shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

CHAPTER V.

PORT-DUES, FEES AND OTHER CHARGES.

Levy of port-dues.

33. (1) In each of the ports mentioned in the first schedule such port-due, not exceeding the amount specified for the port in the third column of the schedule as the Local Government directs, shall be levied on vessels entering the port and described in the second column of the schedule, but not oftener than the time fixed for the port in the fourth column of the schedule.

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(2) Whenever the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, declares any other port to be subject to this Act, it may, with the like sanction, by the same or any subsequent declaration, further declare,—

(*a*) in the terms of any of the entries in the second column of the first schedule, the vessels which are to be chargeable with port-dues on entering the port,

(*b*) the highest rates at which such dues may be levied in respect of vessels chargeable therewith, and

(*c*) the times at which such vessels are to be so chargeabl

(3) All port-dues now leviable in any port shall continue to be so leviable until it is otherwise declared in exercise of the powers conferred by this section.

(4) An order increasing or imposing port-dues under this section shall not take effect till the expiration of sixty days from the day on which the order was published in the local official Gazette.

Variation of port-dues by Local Government.

34. The Local Government may exempt the vessels entering a port subject to this Act from payment of port-dues and cancel the exemption, or may vary the rates at which port-dues are to be levied in the port, in such manner as, having regard to the receipts and charges on account of the port, it thinks expedient, by reducing or raising the dues, or any of them:

Provided that the rates shall not in any case exceed the amount authorized to be taken by or under this Act.

Fees for pilotage and certain other services.

35. (1) Within any port subject to this Act, fees may be charged for pilotage, hauling, mooring, re-mooring, hooking, measuring and other services rendered to vessels, at such rates as the Local Government may direct:

Provided that, in the case of fees for pilotage, the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council has been obtained.

(2) The fees now chargeable for such services shall continue to be chargeable unless and until they are altered in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1).

Receipt, expenditure and account of port-charges.

36. (1) The Local Government shall appoint some officer or body of persons at every port at which any dues, fees or other charges are authorized to be taken by or under this Act to receive the same and, subject to the control of the Local Government, to expend the receipts on any of the objects authorized by this Act.

(2) Such officer or body shall keep for the port a distinct account, to be called the port fund account, showing, in such detail as the Local Government prescribes, the receipts and expenditure of the port, and shall publish annually as soon after the first day of April as may be practicable an abstract, in such form as that Government prescribes, of the account for the past financial year.

(3) All moneys received under this Act at or on account of any port subject to this Act, excluding receipts on account of pilotage but including—

(*a*) fines,

(*b*) proceeds of waifs, and

(*c*) any balance of the proceeds of a sale under section 14 where no right to the balance has been established on a claim made within three years from the date of the sale

shall be credited in the port fund account of the port.

(5) All expenses incurred for the sake of any such port, excluding expenses on account of pilotage but including—

(*a*) the pay and allowances of all persons upon the establishment of the port,

(*b*) the cost of buoys, beacons, lights and all other works maintained chiefly for the benefit of vessels being in or entering or leaving the port or passing through the rivers or channels leading thereto,

(*c*) pensions, allowances and gratuities of persons who have been employed in the port under this or any other enactment relating to ports and port-dues, or such portion of those pensions, allowances and gratuities as the Local Government may by rule determine,

(*d*) with the previous sanction of the Local Government, contributions towards the support of public hospitals or dispensaries suitable for the reception or relief of seamen or otherwise towards the provision of sanitary superintendence and medical aid for the shipping in the port and for seamen, whether ashore or afloat, belonging to vessels in the port, and

(*e*) with the like sanction, contributions towards sailors' homes, institutes, rest-houses and coffee-houses and for other purposes connected with the health, recreation and temporal well-being of sailors,

shall be charged to the port fund account of the port.

(6) Subject to the provisions of any local law as to the disposal of any balance from time to time standing to the credit of a port fund account, any such balance may be temporarily invested in such manner as the Local Government may direct.

Grouping of ports.

37. (1) The Local Government may direct that for the purposes of the last foregoing section any number of ports shall be regarded as com-

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sub-section (*4*) of that section shall form a common port fund account which shall be available for the payment of all expenses incurred for the sake of any of the ports:

Provided, with respect to the ports of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Rangoon, Karachi, Chittagong and Aden, that none of those ports may be grouped with any other port, and that the port fund account of each of those ports shall be kept separate from the port fund account of any other port.

(*2*) Where ports are grouped by or under this Act, the following consequences ensue, namely:—

(*a*) the Local Government, in the exercise of its control over expenditure debitable to the common port fund account of the group, may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, make rules with respect to the expenditure of the fund for the sake of the several ports of the group on the objects authorized by this Act, and shall cause effect to be given to any directions which the Governor General in Council may deem it necessary to issue with respect to such expenditure; and

(*b*) the Local Government may exercise its authority under section 34 as regards all the ports in the group collectively or as regards any of them separately.

Receipts for port-charges.

38. The person to whom any dues, fees or other charges authorized to be taken by or under this Act are paid shall grant to the person paying the same a proper voucher in writing under his hand, describing the name of his office, the port or place at which the dues, fees or other charges are paid, and the name, tonnage and other proper description of the vessel in respect of which the payment is made.

Master to report arrival.

39. (*1*) Within twenty-four hours after the arrival within the limits of any port subject to this Act of any vessel liable to the payment of port-dues under this Act, the master of the vessel shall report her arrival to the conservator of the port.

(*2*) A master failing without lawful excuse to make such report within the time aforesaid shall for every such offence be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

(*3*) Nothing in this section applies to tug-steamers, ferry-steamers or river steamers plying to and from any of the ports subject to this Act or to ballam boats plying to and from the port of Chittagong.

Conservator may in certain cases ascertain draught and charge expense to master.

40. If any vessel liable to the payment of port dues is in any such port without proper marks on the stem and stern posts thereof for denoting her draught, the conservator may cause the same to be ascertained by means of the operation of hooking, and the master of the vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of the operation.

Ascertainment of tonnage of vessel liable to port-dues.

41. In order to ascertain the tonnage of any vessel liable to pay port-dues the following rules shall be observed, namely:—

(*1*) (*a*) If the vessel is a British registered vessel or a vessel registered under the Indian Registration of Ships Act, 1841, X of 18
or the Indian Registration of Ships Act (1841) Amendment Act, 1850, or under XI of 18
any other law for the time being in force for the registration of vessels in British India, the conservator may require the owner or master of the vessel or any person having possession of her register to produce the register for inspection.

(*b*) If the owner or master or such person neglects or refuses to produce the register or otherwise to satisfy the conservator as to what is the true tonnage of the vessel in respect of which the port-dues are payable, he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and the conservator may cause the vessel to be measured, and the tonnage thereof to be ascertained, according to the mode of measurement prescribed by the rules for the time being in force for regulating the measurement of British vessels, and in such case the owner or master of the vessel shall also be liable to pay the expenses of the measurement.

(*2*) If the vessel is not a British registered vessel or a vessel registered under the Indian Registration of Ships Act, X of 18
1841, or the Indian Registration of Ships Act (1841) Amendment Act, 1850, XI of 18
or under any other law for the time being in force for the registration of vessels in British India, and the owner or master thereof fails to satisfy the conservator as to what is her true tonnage according to the mode of measurement prescribed by the rules for the time being in force for regulating the measurement of British vessels, the conservator shall cause the vessel to be measured and the tonnage thereof to be ascertained, according to the mode aforesaid, and in such case the owner or master of the vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of the measurement.

(*3*) If the vessel is a vessel of which the tonnage cannot be ascertained according to the mode of measurement mentioned in clauses (*1*) and (*2*), the tonnage of the vessel shall be determined by the conservator on such an estimate as may seem to him to be just.

Distraint and sale on refusal to pay port-charges.

42. If the master of any vessel in respect of which any port-dues, fees or other charges are payable under this Act, refuses or neglects to pay the same on demand, the authority appointed to receive such port-dues, fees or other charges may distrain or arrest the vessel, and the tackle, apparel

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and furniture belonging thereto or any part thereof, and detain the same until the amount due is paid;

and in case any part of the port-dues, fees or other charges or of the costs of the distress or arrest or of the keeping of the vessel or other thing distrained or arrested, remains unpaid for the space of five days next after any such distress or arrest, may cause the vessel or other thing distrained or arrested to be sold, and with the proceeds of such sale may satisfy the port-dues, fees or other charges and the costs including the costs of sale remaining unpaid, and shall render the surplus, if any, to the master of the vessel upon demand.

No port-clearance to be granted until port-charges are paid.

43. The officer of Government whose duty it is to grant a port-clearance for any vessel shall not grant such clearance—

(*a*) until her owner or master, or some other person, has paid or secured to the satisfaction of such officer the amount of all port-dues, fees and other charges, and of all fines, penalties and expenses to which the vessel or her owner or master is liable under this Act;

(*b*) until all expenses, which by the Merchant Shipping Act, *1894*, *section 207*, are to be borne by her owner, incurred since her arrival in the port from which he seeks clearance, have been paid.

57 & 58 ct., c. 60.

Port-charges payable in one port recoverable at any other port.

44. (*1*) If the master of any vessel in respect of which any such sum as is mentioned in the last foregoing section is payable causes her to leave any port without having paid the sum, the authority appointed to receive port-dues, fees and other charges at the port under this Act may require in writing the authority appointed to receive port-dues, fees and other charges under this Act at any other port in British India to which she may proceed, or in which she may be, to levy the sum.

(*2*) The authority to whom the requisition is directed shall proceed to levy such sum in the manner prescribed in section 42, and a certificate purporting to be made by the authority appointed to receive port-dues fees and other charges at the port where such sum as is mentioned in the last foregoing section became payable, stating the amount payable, shall be sufficient *prima facie* proof of such amount in any proceeding under section 42 and also (in case the amount payable is disputed) in any subsequent proceeding under section 50.

Penalty for evading payment of port-charges.

45. (*1*) If the master of a vessel evades the payment of any such sum as is mentioned in section 42, he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to five times the amount of the sum.

(*2*) In any proceeding before a Magistrate on a prosecution under sub-section (*1*), any such certificate as is mentioned in section 44, sub-section (*2*), stating that the master has evaded such payment, shall be sufficient *prima facie* proof of the evasion, unless the master shows to the satisfaction of the Magistrate that the departure of the vessel without the payment of the sum was caused by stress of weather, or that there was lawful or reasonable ground for such departure.

(*3*) Any Magistrate having jurisdiction under this Act in any port to which the vesse may proceed, or in which she may be found, shall be deemed to have jurisdiction in any proceeding under this section.

46. A vessel entering any port subject to this Act, but not carrying passengers shall be charged with a port-due at a rate to be determined by the Local Government and not exceeding three-fourths of the rate with which she would otherwise be chargeable.

Port-due on vessels not discharging or taking in cargo.

47. When a vessel enters a port subject to this Act, but does not discharge or take in any cargo or passengers herein (with the exception of such unshipment and reshipment as may be necessary for purposes of repair), she shall be charged with a port-due at a rate to be determined by the Local Government and not exceeding half the rate with which she would otherwise be chargeable.

Port-dues not to be chargeable in certain cases.

48. No port-due shall be chargeable in respect of— [Act V of 1903, s. 2.]

(*a*) any pleasure-yacht, or

(*b*) any vessel which, having left any port, is compelled to re-enter it by stress of weather or in consequence of having sustained any damage, or

(*c*) any vessel which, having entered any port within the territories administered by the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council, leaves it within forty-eight hours without discharging or taking in any passengers or cargo.

Power to impose hospital port-dues.

49. (*1*) The Local Government may by notification in the *local official Gazette*, order that there shall be paid in respect of every vessel entering any port subject to this Act, within a reasonable distance of which there is a public hospital or dispensary suitable for the reception or relief of seamen requiring medical aid, such further port-dues not exceeding one anna per ton as the Local Government thinks fit.

(*2*) Such port-dues shall be called hospital port-dues and the Local Government shall, in making any order under sub-section (*1*), have regard to any contributions made under section 30, sub-section (*3*), clause (*d*).

(*3*) An order imposing or increasing hospital port-dues shall not take effect till the expiration of sixty days from the day on which the order was published in the local official Gazette.

(*4*) Whenever the Local Government is satisfied that proper provision has been made by the owners or agents of any class of vessels for giving medical aid to the seamen employed on board such class of vessels, or that such provision is unnecessary in the case of any class of vessels, it may, by notification in the local official Gazette, exempt such class of vessels from any

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Application and account of hospital port-dues.

50. (*1*) Hospital port-dues shall be applied, as the Local Government may direct, to the support of any such hospital or dispensary as aforesaid, or otherwise for providing sanitary superintendence and medical aid for the shipping in the port in which they are levied and for the seamen belonging to the vessels therein, whether such seamen are ashore or afloat.

(*2*) The Local Government shall publish annually in the *local* official Gazette, as soon after the first day of April as may be, an account, for the past financial year, of the sums received as hospital port-dues at each port where such dues are payable, and of the expenditure charged against those receipts.

(*3*) Such account shall be published as a supplement to the abstract published under section 36, sub-section (*2*).

CHAPTER VI.

HOISTING SIGNALS.

Master to hoist number of vessel.

51. (*1*) The master of every inward or outward bound vessel, on arriving within signal-distance of any signal-station established within the limits of the river Hooghly, or within the limits of any part of a river or channel leading to a port subject to this Act, shall, on the requisition of the pilot in charge of the vessel, signify the name of the vessel by hoisting the number by which she is known, or by adopting such other means to this end as may be practicable and usual, and shall keep the signal flying until it is answered from the signal station.

(*2*) If the master of a vessel arriving as aforesaid offends against sub-section (*1*), he shall be punish*able* for every such offence with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

Pilot to require master to hoist number.

52. (*1*) Every pilot in charge of a vessel shall require the number of the vessel to be duly signalled as provided by the last foregoing section.

(*2*) When, on such requisition from the pilot, the master refuses to hoist the number of a vessel, or to adopt such other means of making her name known as may be practicable and usual, the pilot may, on arrival at the first place of safe anchorage, anchor the vessel and refuse to proceed on his course until the requisition has been complied with.

Penalty on pilot disobeying provisions of this Chapter.

53. Any pilot in charge of a vessel who disobeys, or abets disobedience to, any of the provisions of this Chapter shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees for each instance of such disobedience or abetment, and in addition shall be liable to have his authority to act as a pilot withdrawn.

CHAPTER VII.

PROVISIONS WITH RESPECT TO PENALTIES.

Penalty for disobedience to rules and orders of the Local Government.

54. If any person disobeys any rule or order which a Local Government has made in pursuance of this Act and for the punishment of disobedience to which express provision has not been made elsewhere in this Act, he shall be punish*able* for every such offence with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Offences how triable, and penalties how recovered.

55. All offences against this Act shall be triable by a Magistrate, and any Magistrate may, by warrant under his hand, cause the amount of any fine imposed upon the owner or master of any vessel, for any offence committed on board of the vessel or in the management thereof or otherwise in relation thereto, whereof the owner or master is convicted, to be levied by distress and sale of the vessel, and the tackle, apparel and furniture thereof, or so much thereof as is necessary.

Costs of conviction.

56. (*1*) In case of any conviction under this Act, the convicting Magistrate may order the offender to pay the costs of the conviction in addition to any fine or expenses to which he may be liable.

(*2*) Such costs may be assessed by the Magistrate and may be recovered in the same manner as any fine under this Act

Ascertainment and recovery of expenses and damages payable under this Act.

57. (*1*) If any dispute arises as to the sum to be paid in any case as expenses or damages under this Act, it shall be determined by a Magistrate upon application made to him for that purpose by either of the disputing parties.

(*2*) Whenever any person is liable to pay any sum, not exceeding one thousand rupees, as expenses or damages under this Act, any Magistrate, upon application made to him by the authority to whom the sum is payable, may, in addition to or instead of any other means for enforcing payment, recover the sum as if it were a fine.

Costs of distress.

58. Whenever any fine, expenses or damages is or are levied under this Act by distress and sale, the costs of the distress and sale may be levied in addition to such fine, expenses or damages, and in the same manner.

Magistrate to determine the amount to be levied in case of dispute.

59. If any dispute arises concerning the amount leviable by any distress or arrest under this Act or the costs payable under the last foregoing section, the person making the distress or using the arrest may detain the goods distrained or arrested, or the proceeds of the sale thereof, until the amount to be levied has been determined by a Magistrate, who, upon application made to him for that purpose, may determine the amount, and award such costs to be paid by either of the parties to the other of them as he thinks reasonable, and payment of such costs, if not paid on demand, shall be enforced as if they were a fine.

Jurisdiction over offences beyond local limits of jurisdiction.

60. (*1*) Any person offending against the provisions of this Act in any port subject to this Act shall be punishable by any Magistrate having jurisdiction over any district or place adjoining the port

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(2) Such Magistrate may exercise all the powers of a Magistrate under this Act, in the same manner and to the same extent as if the offence had been committed locally within the limits of his jurisdiction, notwithstanding that the offence may not have been committed locally within such limits, and in case any such Magistrate exercises the jurisdiction hereby vested in him, the offence shall be deemed, for all purposes, to have been committed locally within the limits of his jurisdiction.

Conviction to be quashed on merits only.

61. (1) No conviction, order or judgment of any Magistrate under this Act shall be quashed for error of form or procedure, but only on the merits, and it shall not be necessary to state, on the face of the conviction, order or judgment, the evidence on which it proceeds.

(2) If no jurisdiction appears on the face of the conviction, order or judgment, but the depositions taken supply that defect, the conviction, order or judgment shall be aided by what so appears in the depositions.

CHAPTER VIII.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS.

Hoisting unlawful colours in port.

62. (1) If any vessel belonging to any of His Majesty's subjects, or sailing under British colours, hoists, carries or wears, within the limits of any port subject to this Act, any flag, jack, pennant or colours, the use whereof on board such vessel has been prohibited by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, or any other Statute now or hereafter to be in force, or by any proclamation made or to be made in pursuance of any such Statute, or by any of His Majesty's regulations in force for the time being, the master of the vessel shall, for every such offence, be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

57 & 58 Vict., c. 60.

(2) Such fine shall be in addition to any other penalty recoverable in respect of such an offence.

(3) The conservator of the port, or any officer of His Majesty's Navy or Indian Marine Service, may enter on board any such vessel and seize and take away any flag, jack, pennant or colours so unlawfully hoisted, carried or worn on board the same.

Foreign deserters.

63. Any Magistrate, upon an application being made to him by the Consul of any Foreign Power to which the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, *or the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894*, has by an Order in Council been, *or to which the latter Act shall by a like Order* hereafter be declared to be applicable, or by the representative of such Consul, and upon complaint on oath of the desertion of any seaman, not being a slave, from any vessel of such Foreign Power, may, until a revocation of such Order in Council has been publicly notified, issue his warrant for the apprehension of any such deserter, and, upon due proof of the desertion, may order him to be conveyed on board the vessel to which he belongs, or, at the instance of the Consul, to be detained in custody until the vessel is ready to sail, or, if the vessel has sailed, for a reasonable time:

17 & 18 Vict., c. 104, 57 & 58 Vict., c. 60.

Provided that a deposit be first made of such sum as the Magistrate deems necessary for the subsistence of the deserter during the detention, and that the detention of the deserter shall not be continued beyond twelve weeks.

Application of sections 10 and 21.

64. (1) The provisions of sections 10 and 21 shall be applicable to all ports heretofore or hereafter declared by the Local Government to be ports for the shipment and landing of goods but not otherwise subject to this Act, and may be enforced by any Magistrate to whose ordinary jurisdiction any such port is subject.

(2) Any penalties imposed by him, and any expenses incurred by his order, under the said provisions shall be recoverable respectively in the manner provided in sections 55 and 57.

(3) In any of the said ports for the shipment and landing of goods the consent referred to in section 21, sub-section (4), may be given by the principal officer of customs at such port or by any other officer appointed in that behalf by the Local Government.

Application of Moulmein and Bassein port-dues.

65. The port-due leviable under this Act in either of the ports of Moulmein and Bassein shall, to the extent of one anna and six pies per ton, be applicable in the first place to defray the expenses of maintaining the existing port-lights of Burma.

Grant of sites for sailors' institutes.

66. Any local authority in which any immoveable property in or near a port is vested may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, appropriate and either retain and apply or transfer by way of gift or otherwise, the whole or any part of the property as a site for, or for use as, a sailors' home or other institution for the health, recreation and temporal well-being of sailors.

Exercise of powers of conservator by his assistants.

67. (1) All acts, orders or directions by this Act authorized to be done or given by any conservator may, subject to his control, be done or given by any harbour-master or any deputy or assistant of such conservator or harbour-master.

(2) Any person authorized by this Act to do any act may call to his aid such assistance as may be necessary.

Service of written notice of directions.

68. Any written notice of a direction given under this Act, left for the master of any vessel with any person employed on board thereof, or affixed on a conspicuous place on board of the vessel, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to have been given to the master thereof.

Publication of or Local Government.

69. Every declaration, order and rule of a Local Government made in pursuance of this Act shall be published in the local official Gazette, and a copy thereof shall be kept in the office of the conservator and at the custom-house, if any, of every port to which the declaration, order or rule relates, and shall there be open at all reasonable times to the inspection of any person without payment of any fee.

Repeal.

70. The enactments mentioned in the second schedule are hereby repealed to the extent

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THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

PORTS, VESSELS CHARGEABLE, RATE OF PORT-DUES AND FREQUENCY OF PAYMENT.

(See sections 1 and 33.)

PART I.—BENGAL.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.	
1	2	3	4	
Calcutta	Sea-going vessels of twenty tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton: provided that in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, the rate shall be one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels.	Whenever the vessel enters the port, except in the case of mail-steamers and coasting-vessels, which shall not be chargeable more than once in sixty days.	[Act V of 1903, s. 3.]
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and the 31st December, in each year.	
Chittagong	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards, not being ballam-boats.	Not exceeding four and a half annas per ton.	Whenever the vessel enters the port, except in the case of mail-steamers and coasting-vessels, which shall not be chargeable more than once in sixty days.	
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Ditto	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and the 31st December, in each year.	
	Ballam-boats	Not exceeding one anna per ton.	Whenever the vessel enters the port.	
Cuttack Ports,—namely, False Point and Pooree.	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Whenever the vessel enters any one of the ports except in the case of mail-steamers and coasting-vessels, which shall not be chargeable more than once in sixty days.	
Balasore Ports—namely, Balasore, Churaman, Laichhunpur, Chanua, Subarnarekha, Dhamra (Chandbally), and Sartha.	Ditto	Ditto	Whenever the vessel enters any one of the ports, except in the case of mail-steamers and coasting-vessels, which shall not be chargeable more than once in thirty days.	[Act II of 1894, s. 1.]

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PART II.—MADRAS PRESIDENCY.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
1	2	3	4
Madras ...	Sea-going vessels of fifteen tons and upwards.	*Foreign Vessels.*	
		(*a*) In the case of a foreign ship or steamer, engaged in trade with the Straits Settlements or Ceylon calling at Madras, not exceeding four annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship or steamer for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again.
		(*b*) In the case of any other foreign ship or steamer calling at Madras, not exceeding four annas a ton.	The due is payable on each entry into the port.
		Coasting Vessels.	
		(*c*) In the case of a coasting ship calling at Madras, not exceeding one and a half annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again.
		(*d*) In the case of a coasting steamer calling at Madras, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The due is payable once in thirty days.

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Name of port		Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
1		2	3	4
Eastern Group.				
	Port.			
			Foreign Vessels.	
Ganjam.	1. Gopalpur ...	Sea-going vessels of fifteen tons and upwards.	(*a*) In the case of a foreign ship or steamer, engaged in trade with the Straits Settlements, calling at any one port in the Eastern group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship or steamer for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that port.
	2. Baruva ...			
	3. Calingapatam ...			
Vizagapatam.	4. Konada ...		(*b*) In the case of any other foreign ship or steamer calling at any one port in the Eastern group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The due is payable on each entry into the port.
	5. Bimlipatam ...			
	6. Vizagapatam ...			
	7. Pudimadaka ...			
	8. Pentakota ...			
Godavari.	9. Uppada ...		(*c*) In the case of a foreign ship or steamer, engaged in trade with the Straits Settlements, calling at more than one port in the Eastern group, not exceeding four and a half annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the first port called at in the group will exempt the ship or steamer for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that or any other port in the group.
	10. Cocanada ...			
	11. Coringa ...			
	12. Bendamurlanka ...			
	13. Narsapur ...			
	14. Perupalem ...			
Kistna.	15. Masulipatam ...			
	16. Penumudi ...			
	17. Morutota ...			
	18. Nagayalanka ...			
	19. Kottapalem ...			
	20. Gangadipalem ...			
	21. Nizampatnam ...			
	22. Ipurupalem ...			
	23. Bodduvanipalem ...			
	24. Motupalle ...		(*d*) In the case of any other foreign ship or steamer calling at more than one port in the Eastern group, not exceeding four and a half annas a ton.	The due is payable once for the voyage.
			Coasting Vessels.	
Nellore.	25. Kanuparti ...		(*e*) In the case of a coasting ship calling at any port, not exceeding one and a half annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that port.
	26. Kottapatnam ...			
	27. Itamukkala ...			
	28. Pakala ...			
	29. Karedu ...			
	30. Ramayapatnam ...			
	31. Chennayyapalem ...			
	32. Tummalapenta ...			
	33 Juvaladinne ...			
	34 Iskapalle ...			
	35. Ponnapudi ...			
	36 Maipadu ...			
	37. Kistnapatam ...			
	38. Pamanji ...		(*f*) In the case of a coasting steamer calling at one or more ports in the Eastern group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the first port called at in the group will exempt the steamer for a period of thirty days from liability to pay the due again at that or any other in the group.
	39. Tupili ...			
	40. Dugarazpatnam ...			
	41. Pudi ...			
Chinglepat.	42. Covelong ...			

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PART II.—MADRAS PRESIDENCY—*continued.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Eastern Group—contd.			
District. / Port.			
		Foreign Vessels.	
South Arcot. — 43. Cuddalore ...	Foreign Vessels.	(*a*) In the case of a foreign ship or steamer, engaged in trade with the Straits Settlements, calling at any one port in the Eastern group, not exceeding three annas a ton	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship or steamer for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that port.
South Arcot. — 44. Porto Novo ...			
South Arcot. — 45. *Thandavarayasola ganpettai.*			
46. Tirumalavasal		(*b*) In the case of any other foreign ship or steamer calling at any one port in the Eastern group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The due is payable on each entry into the port.
47. Tranquebar			
48. Nagore			
49. Negapatam			
50. Velankani			
51. Topputurai			
52. Point Calimere			
53. Mutupet			
54. Adirampatnam			
55. Gopalapatnam			
56. Kattumavadi			
57. Krishnajipatnam		(*c*) In the case of a foreign ship or steamer, engaged in trade with the Straits Settlements, calling at more than one port in the Eastern group not exceeding four and half annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the first port called at in the group will exempt the ship or steamer for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that or any other port in the group.
58. Ammapatnam			
59. Kottaipatnam ...			
60. Sundarapandiyapatnam.			
61. Pasipatnam ..		(*d*) In the case of any other foreign ship or steamer calling at more than one port in the Eastern group, not exceeding four and a half annas a ton.	The due is payable once for the voyage.
62. Damodarapatnam			
63. Tondi ..			
64. Nambitalai ..			
65. Pudupatnam ..			
66. Karangadu ..			
67. Tiruppalankudi ...			
68. Devipatnam ...			
69. Mudiyanpatnam ...			
70. Attankarai ...			
adur — 71. Emanangundu ...			
72. Pillaimadum ...			
73. Pamban ...			
74. *Alagayankolam* ...			
75. Rameswaram ...			
76. Mandapam ...			
77. Vedalai ...			
78. Muttupettai ...			
79. Kilakarai ...			
80. Ervadi ...			
81. Valinokkam ...			
		Coasting Vessels.	
82. Vaippar ...	Coasting Vessels.	(*e*) In the case of a coasting ship calling at any port, not exceeding one and a half annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that port.
83. Tuticorin ...			
Tinnevelly. — 84. *Ovary*			
85. *Vembar*			
86. Kayalpatnam ...		(*f*) In the case of a coasting steamer calling at one or more ports in the Eastern group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the first port called at in the group will exempt the steamer for a period of thirty days from liability to pay the due again at that or any other port in the group.
87. Kulasekharapatnam			

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Name of port.			Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
1			2	3	4
Western Group.					
District.	Port.			*Foreign Vessels.*	
	88. Cochin	...		(*a*) In the case of a foreign ship or steamer, engaged in trade with the Straits Settlements, calling at any one port in the Western group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship or steamer for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that port.
	89. Arrupuram	...			
	90. Kukkuyi	...			
	91. Madayi	...			
	92. Attakuri	...			
	93. Chávakád	...			
	94. Veliyangod	...			
	95. Ponáni	...			
	96. Kuttayi	...			
	97. Parapanna			(*b*) In the case of any other foreign ship or steamer calling at any one port in the Western group, not exceeding three annas a ton	The due is payable on each entry into the port.
	98. Tanur				
	99. Parpanangádi				
	100. Kadalyandi				
	101. Beypore				
	102. *Ferokh*	...		(*c*) In the case of a foreign ship or steamer, engaged in trade with the Straits Settlements, calling at more than one port in the Western group, not exceeding four and a half annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the first port called at in the group will exempt the ship or steamer for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that or any other port in the group.
	103 Molakkadavi				
	104. Calicut				
	105. Pudiyangadi				
	106. Ellatturu				
alal	107. Kappatta	...			
	108. Quilandi				
	109. Koliam				
	110. Kadalura	...		(*d*) In the case of any other foreign ship or steamer calling at more than one port in the Western group, not exceeding four and a half annas a ton.	The due is payable once for the voyage.
	111. Trikodi	...			
	112. Kottakkal	...			
	113. Badagara	...			
	114 Muttankal	...			
	115. Chompayi	...			
	116. Kallayi	...			
	117. Talayi	...			
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	119. Dharmapatnam	...			
	120. Ezhara	...			
	121. Cannanore	...			
	122. *Thekkembagam*	...		*Coasting Vessels.*	
	123 Pudiyangadi	...			
	124. Palapatnam (Baliapatam).			(*e*) In the case of a coasting ship calling at any port, not exceeding one and a half annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that port.
	125. Ettikulam	...			
	126. Kavvayi	...			
				(*f*) In the case of a coasting steamer calling at one or more ports in the Western group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the first port called at in the group will exempt the steamer for a period of thirty days from liability to pay the due again at that or any other port in the group.

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PART II.—MADRAS PRESIDENCY—*concluded.*

Name of port.		Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
1		2	3	4
Western Group—concld.				
District.	Port.		*Foreign Vessels.*	
South Canara.	127. Hosdrug ...	Vessels of 50 tons and upwards.	(*a*) In the case of a foreign ship or steamer, engaged in trade with the Straits Settlements, calling at any one port in the Western group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship or steamer for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that port.
	128. Baikal ...			
	129. Kasaragod ...			
	130. Kumbale ...			
	131. Manjesvara ...		(*b*) In the case of any other foreign ship or steamer calling at any one port in the Western group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The due is payable on each entry into the port.
	132. Mangalore ...			
	133. Mulki ...			
	134. Padubidri ...		(*c*) In the case of a foreign ship or steamer, engaged in trade with the Straits Settlements calling at more than one port in the Western group, not exceeding four and a half annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the first port called at in the group will exempt the ship or steamer for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that or any other port in the group.
	135. Ermala ...			
	136. Uchhila ...			
	137. Kaph ...			
	138. Udiyavara ...		In the case of any other foreign ship or steamer calling at more than one port in the Western group, not exceeding four and a half annas a ton.	The due is payable once the voyage.
	139. Malpe ...			
	140. Barkur or Hangarakatta.	Vessels of less than 50 tons.	*Coasting Vessels.*	
	141. Coondapo ...			
	142. Nyakinakatte (Navakkankottai).		(*e*) In the case of a coasting ship calling at any port, not exceeding one and a half annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the port will exempt the ship for a period of sixty days from liability to pay the due again at that port.
	143. Baindur ...			
	144. Siruru ...		(*f*) In the case of a coasting steamer calling at one or more ports in the Western group, not exceeding three annas a ton.	The payment of the due at the first port called at in the group will exempt the steamer for a period of thirty days from liability to pay the due again at that or any other port in the group.

Explanations to Part II of the First Schedule.

Explanation 1.—In this Part of the schedule—

(*a*) "ship" means a sailing vessel, and "steamer" a steam-vessel;

(*b*) "coasting ship" or "coasting steamer" means respectively a ship or steamer which at any port discharges cargo exclusively from, or takes in cargo exclusively for, any port in the island of Ceylon or any part of India, between the westernmost part of Sind and the south-eastern most part of Burma; and "coasting steamer" includes a coasting steam-vessel having a general pass under section 164 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878; VIII of 1878.

(*c*) "foreign ship" or "foreign steamer" means respectively a ship or steamer not being a coasting ship or coasting steamer:

Act V of 1903, s. 4.] Provided that, for the purpose of the levy of port-dues, a vessel shall not be deemed, during one and the same voyage, to be both a coasting ship or steamer and a foreign ship or steamer, but port-dues shall, in respect of such voyage, be leviable on such vessel either as a coasting or as a foreign ship or steamer, whichever rate is the higher.

Explanation 2.—As regards the levy of port-dues, each of the following pairs of ports, namely, Cocanada and Coringa, Nagore and Negapatam, Beypore and Calicut, is to be treated as if it were only one port; every vessel in respect of which such dues have been charged and taken at one of any of the said pairs being exempted from the dues on entering the other of the same pair immediately after leaving the one in which the dues were charged and taken.

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PART III.—BOMBAY PRESIDENCY.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
1	2	3	4
Bombay	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing-boats).	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once in the same month.
	Tug-steamers, ferry-steamers and river-steamers.	Ditto ...	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and 31st December, in each year.
Northern Group of Ports—			
1. Gogha	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing-boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port may be charged at a rate to be determined by the Local Government and not exceeding the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port: provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
2. Dholerá (*Whittle Bandar*)			
3. Tankári			
4. Dehegám			
5. *Kavi*			
6. Dehej			
7. Broach			
8. Bhagwá			
9. Surát			
10. Matwád			
11. Balsár			
12. Umarsádi			
13. Kolak			
14. Kalái			
15. Maroli			
16. Umbargam... ...			
17. Gholwad			
18. Dáhánu Creek ...			
19. Tárápur			
20. Olivárá Navápur ...			
21. Sátpáti Creek ...			
22. Máhim (Kelva) ...			
23. Kelva			
24. Dantiora			
25. Arnála			

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PART III.—BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*continued.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
1	2	3	4
Southern Group of Ports—			
1. Bándra	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing-boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton : provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port may be charged at a rate to be determined by the Local Government and not exceeding the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs, and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port : provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
2. Vesáva			
3. Manori			
4. Utan			
5. Bassein			
6. Bhiwndi			
7. Kalyan			
8. Thána			
9. Trombay			
10. Panwel			
11. Karanjá			
12. Thal			
13. Alibág			
14. Revdandá			
15. Mandád			
16. Bankot			
17. Kelshi			
18. Harnai			
19. Borya			
20. Jaygad			
21. Varavdá			
22. Ratnagiri			
23. Purangad			
24. Jaytápur			
25. Vijaydurg			
26. Devgad			
27. Achra			
28. Málwan			
29. Nivti			
30. Vengurla			
31. Redi			
32. Karwár, including Baitkhol.			
33. Chendya			
34. Ankolá			
35. Gangávali			
36. Tadri			
37. Kumptá			
38. Honáwar			
39. Murdeshwar ...			
40. Shiráli			
41. Bhatkal			
42. *Mahul*			
43. *Mora*			
44. *Dabhol*			
45. *Kirnapani*			
46. *Tilmati*			
47. *Sadashivgad* ...			
48. *Bingi*			
49. *Belikeri*			
50. *Manki*			

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PART III.—BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*concluded.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
1	2	3	4
Karachi	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing-boats).	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once in three months.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Ditto	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and the 31st December, in each year.
Aden	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding three annas per ton.	Once a month.

PART IV.—BURMA.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
1	2	3	4
Rangoon	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding six annas per ton.	Once in sixty days.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and the 31st December, in each year.
Maulmain	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards, but less than twenty-five tons.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once in sixty days.
	Sea-going vessels of twenty-five tons and upwards.	Not exceeding five annas six pies per ton.	Ditto.
Kyauk-l'hyu ...	Sea going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once in sixty days.
Akyab	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto	Ditto.
Bassein	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards, but less than twenty-five tons.	Ditto	Ditto.
	Sea-going vessels of twenty-five tons and upwards.	Not exceeding five annas six pies per ton.	Ditto.
Tavoy	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Ditto.
Mergui	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto.

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THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

(*See section 70.*)

Year.	No.	Short title or subject.	Extent of repeal.
1889 ...	X	The Indian Ports Act, 1889	So much as is unrepealed.
1891 ...	V	The Indian Ports Act, 1891 ...	The whole.
1894 .	II	The Indian Ports Act (1889) Amendment Act, 1894.	Ditto.
1896 ...	IV	The Indian Ports Act (1889) Amendment Act, 1896.	Ditto.
1901 ...	III	The Indian Ports Act, 1901 ...	Ditto.
1903 ...	V	The Indian Ports (Amendment) Act, 1903.	Ditto.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. This is a pure consolidating Bill. The Indian Ports Act, 1889, has been amended by no less than five other Acts. The object of the present Bill is to collect the provisions of these six Acts and to incorporate them in one Act. The result will be that the law will be more easily ascertainable and that one Act will take the place of six on the Statute-book.

2. The fact that the General Clauses Act, 1897, will apply to the Bill when passed has rendered it unnecessary to retain some provisions of the existing Act. The opportunity has been taken to incorporate alterations of a formal character intended merely to improve and simplify the language of the existing Act. The numbering of the sections of the Act of 1889 has been preserved.

3. The only clause which in any way alters the law as at present in force is clause 43 (*b*). That clause corresponds to section 43 (*b*) of the Act, which enacts that the owner or master of a vessel must pay all expenses, required by section 228 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854 (17 & 18 Vict., c. 104), to be borne by him, before the grant of a port-clearance. The Statute of 1854 has been repealed by the present Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 & 58 Vict., cap. 60), section 207 of which makes the owner or master liable to pay a further item of expense in addition to the items mentioned in the corresponding section (228) of the repealed Statute. The substitution of section 207 of the existing Statute for the reference to the repealed Statute makes the scope of clause 43 (*b*) of the Bill slightly wider than that of the corresponding provision of the existing Act. This is, however, in accordance with the spirit of the existing enactment.

4. The Act has been withdrawn from certain ports mentioned in the first schedule, while certain new ports have been brought under its operation. The schedule has been amended accordingly.

5. A table showing the disposal of the sections of the Acts is annexed.

The 22nd July 1908. H. ERLE RICHARDS.

Table showing disposal of sections of Act X of 1889 and of the amending enactments.

Sections of Act	Clause of Bill.	Remarks.
Act X of 1889—1 (1), (3), (5) ...	1	
1 (2) ...	Omitted	The consolidating Act will come into force at once.
1 (4)	2	
2 (1)	*Cf.* 70	
2 (2)	Omitted	*See* General Clauses Act, 1897, section 24.
2 (3)	Do.	*See* General Clauses Act, 1897, section 8.
3 to 48 ...	3 to 48	
49 (1), (2), (3), (4)...	49	
49 (5)	Omitted	*See* General Clauses Act, 1897, section 21.
50 to 65 ...	50 to 65.	
66	Omitted	Spent—*see* General Clauses Act, 1897, section 6 (*b*).
67 to 70... ...	66 to 69	
Act V of 1891—1	See 6 (1) (*a*).	
2	Omitted	It saved past rules; unnecessary: See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 6.
3	Ditto	Unnecessary.
Act II of 1894—1	See Schedule I, Part I, entry in the fourth column against Balasore Ports.	
Act IV of 1896—1	See 6(1) (*q*).	
Act III of 1901—1	Omitted	Short title and commencement
2	See 6 (1) (*p*); 6 (3), (4).	
3	Omitted	Repealing the Indian Quarantine Act, 1870.
Act V of 1903—1	Ditto	Short title and commencement.
2 ...	See 47, 48.	
3	See Schedule I, Part I, first entry in fourth column.	
4	See Schedule I, Part II, Explanation I.	

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 7th August, 1908 :

No. 10 of 1908.

THE INDIAN REGISTRATION BILL.

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A Bill to consolidate the enactments relating to the Registration of Documents.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate the enactments relating to the registration of documents; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

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PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Registration Act, 190 .

reference o Act III 1877.] s, paras. 1,]

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India, except such districts or tracts of country as the Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, exclude from its operation.

s. 3.]

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there *is anything* repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*1*) "addition" means the place of residence of a person described, and, in the case of a Native of India, his caste (if any) and his father's name, or where he is usually described as the son of his mother, then his mother's name:

(*2*) "book" includes a portion of a book and also any number of sheets connected together with a view of forming a book or portion of a book:

(*3*) "district" and "sub-district" respectively mean a district and sub-district formed under this Act:

(*4*) "District Court" includes the High Court in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction:

(*5*) "endorsement" and "endorsed" include and apply to an entry in writing by a registering officer on a rider or covering slip to any document tendered for registration under this Act:

(*6*) "immoveable property" includes land, buildings, hereditary allowances, rights to ways, lights, ferries, fisheries or any other benefit to arise out of land, and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything which is attached to the earth, but not standing timber, growing crops nor grass:

(*7*) "lease" includes a counterpart, kabuliyat, an undertaking to cultivate or occupy, and an agreement to lease:

(*8*) "minor" means a person who, according to the personal law to which he is subject, has not attained majority:

(*9*) "moveable property" includes standing timber, growing crops and grass, fruit upon and juice in trees, and property of every other description, except immoveable property: and

(*10*) "representative" includes the guardian of a minor and the committee or other legal curator of a lunatic or idiot.

PART II.

OF THE REGISTRATION-ESTABLISHMENT.

Inspector General of Registration.

3. The Local Government shall appoint an officer to be the Inspector General of Registration for the territories subject to such Government: [s. 4, paras. 1, 2.]

Provided that the Local Government may, instead of making such appointment, direct that all or any of the powers and duties hereinafter conferred and imposed upon the Inspector General shall be exercised and performed by such officer or officers, and within such local limits as the Local Government appoints in this behalf.

Branch Inspector General of Sindh

4. (*1*) The Governor of Bombay in Council may also, with the previous consent of the Governor General in Council, appoint an officer to be Branch Inspector General of Sindh, who shall have all the powers of an Inspector General under this Act other than the power to frame rules hereinafter conferred. [s. 4, paras. 3, 4.]

(*2*) Any Inspector General or the Branch

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(*Part II.—Of the Registration-establishment.*)

Districts and sub-districts.

5. (*1*) For the purposes of this Act, the Local Government shall form districts and sub-districts, and shall prescribe, and may alter, the limits of such districts and sub-districts.

(*2*) The districts and sub-districts formed under this section, together with the limits thereof, and every alteration of such limits, shall be notified in the local official Gazette.

(*3*) Every such alteration shall take effect on such day after the date of the notification as is therein mentioned.

Registrars and Sub-Registrars.

6. The Local Government may appoint such persons, whether public officers or not, as it thinks proper, to be Registrars of the several districts, and to be Sub-Registrars of the several sub-districts, formed as aforesaid, respectively.

Offices of Registrar and Sub-Registrar.

7. (*1*) The Local Government shall establish in every district an office to be styled the office of the Registrar and in every sub-district an office or offices to be styled the office of the Sub-Registrar, or the offices of the Joint Sub-Registrars.

(*2*) *The Local Government* may amalgamate with any office of a Registrar any office of a Sub-Registrar subordinate to such Registrar, and may authorize any Sub-Registrar whose office has been so amalgamated to exercise and perform, in addition to his own powers and duties, all or any of the powers and duties of the Registrar to whom he is subordinate:

Provided that no such authorization shall enable a Sub-Registrar to hear an appeal against an order passed by himself under this Act.

Inspectors of Registration-offices.

8. (*1*) The Local Government may also appoint officers to be called Inspectors of Registration-offices, and may prescribe the duties of such officers.

(*2*) Every such Inspector shall be subordinate to the Inspector General.

Military cantonments may be declared sub-districts or districts

9. Every military cantonment may (if the Local Government so directs) be, for the purposes of this Act, a sub-district or a district, and *the Cantonment* Magistrate shall be the Sub-Registrar or the Registrar of such sub-district or district, as the case may be.

Absence of Registrar or vacancy in his office.

10. (*1*) When any Registrar, other than the Registrar of a district including a Presidency-town, is absent otherwise than on duty in his district, or when his office is temporarily vacant, any person whom the Inspector General appoints in this behalf, or, in default of such appointment, the Judge of the District Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the Registrar's office is situate, shall be the Registrar during such absence or until the Local Government fills up the vacancy.

(*2*) When the Registrar of a district including a Presidency-town is absent otherwise than on duty in his district, or when his office is temporarily vacant, any person whom the Inspector General appoints in this behalf shall be the Registrar during such absence, or until the Local Government fills up the vacancy.

[s. 11.]

Absence of Registrar on duty in his district.

11. When any Registrar is absent from his office on duty in his district, he may appoint any Sub-Registrar or other person in his district to perform, during such absence, all the duties of a Registrar except those mentioned in sections 68 and 72.

[s. 12.]

Absence of Sub-Registrar or vacancy in his office.

12. When any Sub-Registrar is absent, or when his office is temporarily vacant, any person whom the Registrar of the district appoints in this behalf shall be Sub-Registrar during such absence, or until the Local Government fills up the vacancy.

[s. 13.]

Report of certain appointments, and suspension and removal and dismissal of officers.

13. (*1*) All appointments made under section 10, section 11 or section 12 shall be reported to the Local Government by the Inspector General.

(*2*) Such report shall be either special or general, as the Local Government directs.

(*3*) The Local Government may suspend, remove or dismiss any person appointed under the provisions of this Act, and appoint another person in his stead.

Remuneration and establishments of registering officers.

14. (*1*) Subject to the approval of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may assign such salaries as such Government deems proper to the registering officers appointed under this Act, or provide for their remuneration by fees, or partly by fees and partly by salaries.

(*2*) The Local Government may allow proper establishments for the several offices under

[s. 15.]

Seals of registering officers.

15. The several Registrars and Sub-Registrars shall use a seal bearing the following inscription in English and in such other language as the Local Government directs:—"The seal of the Registrar (*or* of the Sub-Registrar) of ."

[s. 16.]

Register-books and fire-proof boxes.

16. (*1*) The Local Government shall provide for the office of every registering officer the books necessary for the purposes of this Act.

(*2*) The books so provided shall contain the forms from time to time prescribed by the Inspector General, with the sanction of the Local Government, and the pages of such books shall be consecutively numbered in print, and the number of pages in each book shall be certified on the title-page by the officer by whom such books are issued.

(*3*) The Local Government shall supply the office of every Registrar with a fire-proof box, and shall in each district make suitable provision for the safe custody of the records connected with the registration of documents in such district.

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OF REGISTRABLE DOCUMENTS.

[s. 17.] **17.** (*1*) The *following* documents shall be registered, if the property to which they relate is situate in a district in which, and if they have been executed on or after the date on which, Act No. XVI of 1864, or the Indian Registration Act, 1866, or the Indian Registration Act, 1871, or the Indian Registration Act, 1877, or this Act came or comes into force, *namely*:—

Documents of which registration is compulsory.

of 1866. of 1871. of 1877.

(*a*) instruments of gift of immoveable property;

(*b*) other non-testamentary instruments which purport or operate to create, declare, assign, limit or extinguish, whether in present or in future, any right, title or interest, whether vested or contingent, of the value of one hundred rupees and upwards, to or in immoveable property;

(*c*) non-testamentary instruments which acknowledge the receipt or payment of any consideration on account of the creation, declaration, assignment, limitation or extinction of any such right, title or interest; and

(*d*) leases of immoveable property from year to year or for any term exceeding one year, or reserving a yearly rent:

Provided that the Local Government may, by order published in the local official Gazette, exempt from the operation of this sub-section any leases executed in any district, or part of a district, the terms granted by which do not exceed five years and the annual rents reserved by which do not exceed fifty rupees.

(*2*) Nothing in clauses (*c*) and (*d*) of sub-section (*1*) applies to—

(i) any composition-deed; or

(ii) any instrument relating to shares in a Joint Stock Company, notwithstanding that the assets of such Company consist in whole or in part of immoveable property; or

II of s. 2.] (iii) any debenture issued by any such Company and not creating, declaring, assigning, limiting or extinguishing any right, title or interest to or in immoveable property except in so far as it entitles the holder to the security afforded by a registered instrument whereby the Company has mortgaged, conveyed or otherwise transferred the whole or part of its immoveable property or any interest therein to trustees upon trust for the benefit of the holders of such debentures; or

(iv) any endorsement upon or transfer of any debenture issued by any such Company; *or*

(v) any document not itself creating, declaring, assigning, limiting or extinguishing any right, title or interest of the value of one hundred rupees and upwards to or in immoveable property, but merely creating a right to obtain another document which will, when executed, create, declare, assign, limit or extinguish any such right, title or interest; *or*

(vi) *any* decree or order of *a* Court and *any* award; *or*

(vii) *any* grant of immoveable property by Government; *or*

(viii) *any* instrument of partition made by *a* Revenue-officer; *or*

(ix) *any* order granting a loan or instrument of collateral security granted under the Land Improvement Act, 1871, or the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883; *or* [Act XIX of 1883, s. 2.] XXVI of 1871. XIX of 1883.

(x) *any* order granting a loan under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884, or instrument for securing the repayment of a loan made under that Act; *or* [Act VII of 1886, s. 3 (1).] XII of 1884.

(xi) any endorsement on a mortgage-deed acknowledging the payment of the whole or any part of the mortgage-money, and any other receipt for payment of money due under a mortgage when the receipt does not purport to extinguish the mortgage; *or* [Act VII of 1886, s. 4.]

(xii) *any* certificate granted to the purchaser of any property sold by public authority by a Civil or Revenue officer. [Act. VII of 1888, s. 65.]

(*3*) Authorities to adopt a son, executed after the first day of January, 1872, and not conferred by a will, shall also be registered.

[s. 18.] **18.** Any of the *following* documents may be registered under this Act, *namely*:—

Documents which may be registered.

(*a*) instruments (other than instruments of gift and wills) which purport or operate to create, declare, assign, limit or extinguish whether in present or in future, any right, title or interest, whether vested or contingent, of a value less than one hundred rupees, to or in immoveable property;

(*b*) instruments acknowledging the receipt or payment of any consideration on account of the creation, declaration, assignment, limitation or extinction of any such right, title or interest;

(*c*) leases of immoveable property for any term not exceeding one year, and leases exempted under section 17;

(*d*) instruments (other than wills) which purport or operate to create, declare, assign, limit or extinguish any right, title or interest to or in moveable property;

(*e*) wills; *and*

(*f*) all other documents not required by section 17 to be registered.

[s. 19.] **19.** If any document duly presented for registration be in a language which the registering officer does not understand, and which is not commonly used in

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the district, he shall refuse to register the document, unless it be accompanied by a true translation into a language commonly used in the district and also by a true copy.

[s. 20.] Documents containing interlineations, blanks, erasures or alterations.

20. (*1*) The registering officer may in his discretion refuse to accept for registration any document in which any interlineation, blank, erasure or alteration appears, unless the persons executing the document attest with their signatures or initials such interlineation, blank, erasure or alteration.

(*2*) *If the registering officer registers* any such document, he shall, at the time of registering the same, make a note in the register of such interlineation, blank, erasure or alteration.

[s. 21.] Description of property and maps or plans.

21. (*1*) No non-testamentary document relating to immoveable property shall be accepted for registration unless it contains a description of such property sufficient to identify the same.

(*2*) Houses in towns shall be described as situate on the north or other side of the street or road (*which should be specified*) to which they front, and by their existing and former occupancies, and by their numbers if the houses in such street or road are numbered.

(*3*) Other houses and lands shall be described by their name, if any, and as being in the territorial division in which they are situate, and by their superficial contents, the roads and other properties on which they abut, and their existing occupancies, and also, whenever it is practicable, by reference to a Government map or survey.

(*4*) No non-testamentary document containing a map or plan of any property comprised therein shall be accepted for registration unless it is accompanied by a true copy of the map or plan, or, in case such property is situate in several districts, by such number of true copies of the map or plan as are equal to the number of such districts.

[s. 22.] [Act XVII of 1899, s. 2.] Description of houses and land by reference to Government maps or surveys.

22. (*1*) Where it is, in the opinion of the Local Government, practicable to describe houses, not being houses in towns, and lands by reference to a Government map or survey, the Local Government may, by rule *made under this Act*, require that such houses and lands as aforesaid shall, for the purposes of section 21, be so described.

(*2*) Save as otherwise provided by any rule made under sub-section (*1*), failure to comply with the provisions of section 21, sub-section (*2*) or sub-section (*3*), shall not disentitle a document to be registered if the description of the property to which it relates is sufficient to identify that property.

PART IV.

OF THE TIME OF PRESENTATION.

Time for presenting documents.

23. Subject to the provisions contained in sections 24, 25 and 26, no document other than a will shall be accepted for registration unless presented for that purpose to the proper officer within four months from the date of its execution :

Provided that a copy of a decree or order *may be presented* within four months from the day on which the decree or order was made, or, where it is appealable, within four months from the day on which it becomes final.

[s. 23] Documents executed by several persons at different times.

24. Where there are several persons executing a document at different times, such document may be presented for registration and re-registration within four months from the date of each execution.

Provision where delay in presentation is unavoidable.

25. (*1*) If, owing to urgent necessity or unavoidable accident, any document executed, or copy of a decree or order made, in British India is not presented for registration till after the expiration of the time hereinbefore prescribed in that behalf, the Registrar, in cases where the delay in presentation does not exceed four months, may direct that, on payment of a fine not exceeding ten times the amount of the proper registration-fee, such document shall be accepted for registration.

(*2*) Any application for such direction may be lodged with a Sub-Registrar, who shall forthwith forward it to the Registrar to whom he is subordinate.

Documents executed out of British India.

26. When a document purporting to have been executed by all or any of the parties out of British India is not presented for registration till after the expiration of the time hereinbefore prescribed in that behalf, the registering officer, if satisfied—

(*a*) that the instrument was so executed, and

(*b*) that it has been presented for registration within four months after its arrival in British India,

may, on payment of the proper registration-fee, accept such document for registration.

Wills may be presented or deposited at any time.

27. A will may at any time be presented for registration or deposited in manner hereinafter provided.

PART V.

OF THE PLACE OF REGISTRATION.

Place for registering documents relating to land.

28. Save as in this Part otherwise provided, every document mentioned in section 17, sub-section (*1*), clauses (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*), and section 18, clauses (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*), shall be presented for registration in the office of a Sub-Registrar within whose sub-district the whole or some portion of the property to which such document relates is situate.

Place for registering other documents.

29. (*1*) Every document other than a document referred to in section 28, and a copy of a decree or order, may be presented for registration either in the office of the Sub-Registrar in whose sub-district the document was executed, or in the office of any other Sub-Registrar under

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the Local Government at which all the persons executing and claiming under the document desire the same to be registered.

(2) A copy of a decree or order may be presented for registration in the office of the Sub-Registrar in whose sub-district the original decree or order was made, or, where the decree or order does not affect immoveable property, in the office of any other Sub-Registrar under the Local Government at which all the persons claiming under the decree or order desire the copy to be registered.

[s. 30.] Registration by Registrars in certain cases.

30. (1) Any Registrar may in his discretion receive and register any document which might be registered by any Sub-Registrar subordinate to him.

(2) The Registrar of a district including a Presidency-town and the Registrar of the Lahore District may receive and register any document referred to in section 28 without regard to the situation in any part of British India of the property to which the document relates

[s. 31.] Registration or acceptance for deposit at private residence.

31. In ordinary cases the registration or deposit of documents under this Act shall be made only at the office of the officer authorized to accept the same for registration or deposit:

Provided that such officer may on special cause being shown attend at the residence of any person desiring to present a document for registration or to deposit a will, and accept for registration or deposit such document or will.

PART VI.

OF PRESENTING DOCUMENTS FOR REGISTRATION.

[s. 32.] Persons to present documents for registration.

32. Except in the cases mentioned in section 31 and section 89, every document to be registered under this Act, whether such registration be compulsory or optional, shall be presented at the proper registration-office,—

(*a*) by some person executing or claiming under the same, or, in the case of a copy of a decree or order, claiming under the decree or order, or

(*b*) by the representative or assign of such person, or

(*c*) by the agent of such person, representative or assign, duly authorized by power-of-attorney executed and authenticated in manner hereinafter mentioned.

[s. 33.] Powers-of-attorney recognizable for purposes of section 32.

33. (1) For the purposes of section 32, the *following* powers-of-attorney shall alone be recognized, *namely*:—

(*a*) if the principal at the time of executing the power-of-attorney resides in any part of British India in which this Act is for the time being in force, a power-of-attorney executed before and authenticated by the Registrar or Sub-Registrar within whose district or sub-district the principal resides;

(*b*) if the principal at the time aforesaid resides in any other part of British India, a power-of-attorney executed before and authenticated by any Magistrate;

(*c*) if the principal at the time aforesaid does not reside in British India, a power-of-attorney executed before and authenticated by a Notary Public, or any Court, Judge, Magistrate, British Consul or Vice-Consul, or representative of His Majesty or of the Government of India:

Provided that the following persons shall not be required to attend at any registration-office or Court for the purpose of executing any such power-of-attorney as is mentioned in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of this section, *namely*:—

(i) persons who by reason of bodily infirmity are unable without risk or serious inconvenience so to attend;

(ii) persons who are in jail under civil or criminal process; and

(iii) persons exempt by law from personal appearance in Court.

(2) In the case *of every such person* the Registrar or Sub-Registrar or Magistrate (as the case may be), if satisfied that the power-of-attorney has been voluntarily executed by the person purporting to be the principal, may attest the same without requiring his personal attendance at the office or Court aforesaid.

(3) To obtain evidence as to the voluntary nature of the execution, the Registrar or Sub-Registrar or Magistrate may either himself go to the house of the person purporting to be the principal, or to the jail in which he is confined, and examine him, or issue a commission for his examination

(4) Any power-of-attorney mentioned in this section may be proved by the production of it without further proof when it purports on the face of it to have been executed before and authenticated by the person or Court hereinbefore mentioned in that behalf.

[s. 34.] Enquiry before registration by registering officer.

34. (1) Subject to the provisions contained in this Part and in sections 41, 43, 45, 69, 75, 77, 88 and 89, no document shall be registered under this Act, unless the persons executing such document, or their representatives, assigns or agents authorized as aforesaid, appear before the registering officer within the time allowed for presentation under sections 23, 24, 25 and 26:

Provided that, if owing to urgent necessity or unavoidable accident all such persons do not so appear, the Registrar, in cases where the delay in appearing does not exceed four months, may direct that on payment of a fine not exceeding ten times the amount of the proper registration-fee, in addition to the fine, if any, payable under section 25, the document may be registered.

(2) Appearances *under sub-section* (1) may be simultaneous or at different times.

(3) The registering officer shall thereupon—

(*a*) enquire whether or not such document was executed by the persons by whom it purports to have been executed;

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(*b*) satisfy himself as to the identity of the persons appearing before him and alleging that they have executed the document; and,

(*c*) in the case of any person appearing as a representative, assign or agent, satisfy himself of the right of such person so to appear.

(*4*) Any application for a direction under the proviso to sub-section (*1*) may be lodged with a Sub-Registrar, who shall forthwith forward it to the Registrar to whom he is subordinate.

(*5*) Nothing in this section applies to copies of decrees or orders.

[s. 35] **35.** (*1*) (*a*) If all the persons executing the document appear personally before the registering officer and are personally known to him, or if he be otherwise satisfied that they are the persons they represent themselves to be, and if they all admit the execution of the document, or

Procedure on admission and denial of execution respectively.

(*b*) if in the case of any person appearing by a representative, assign or agent, such representative, assign or agent admits the execution, or

(*c*) if the person executing the document is dead, and his representative or assign appears before the registering officer and admits the execution,

the registering officer shall register the document as directed in sections 58 to 61, inclusive.

(*2*) The registering officer may, in order to satisfy himself that the persons appearing before him are the persons they represent themselves to be, or for any other purpose contemplated by this Act, examine any one present in his office.

(*3*) (*a*) If any person by whom the document purports to be executed denies its execution, or

(*b*) if any such person appears to the registering officer to be a minor, an idiot or a lunatic, or

(*c*) if any person by whom the document purports to be executed is dead, and his representative or assign denies its execution,

the registering officer shall refuse to register the document as to the person so denying, appearing or dead:

Provided that, where such officer is a Registrar, he shall follow the procedure prescribed in Part XII.

PART VII.

OF ENFORCING THE APPEARANCE OF EXECUTANTS AND WITNESSES.

36. If any person presenting any document for registration or claiming under any document which is capable of being so presented, desires the appearance of any person whose presence or testimony is necessary for the registration of such document, the registering officer may, in his discretion, call upon such officer or Court as the Local Government directs in this behalf to issue a summons requiring him to appear at the registration-office, either in person or by duly authorized agent, as in the summons may be mentioned, and at a time named therein.

Procedure where appearance of executant or witness is desired.

[s. 37] **37.** The officer or Court, upon receipt of the peon's fee payable in such cases, shall issue the summons accordingly, and cause it to be served upon the person whose appearance is so required.

Officer or Court to issue and cause service of summons.

[s. 38] **38.** (*1*) (*a*) A person who by reason of bodily infirmity is unable without risk or serious inconvenience to appear at the registration-office, or

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(*b*) a person in jail under civil or criminal process, or

(*c*) persons exempt by law from personal appearance in Court, and who would but for the provision next hereinafter contained be required to appear in person at the registration-office,

shall not be required so to appear.

(*2*) In the case of every such person the registering officer shall either himself go to the house of such person, or to the jail in which he is confined, and examine him or issue a commission for his examination.

[s. 39] **39.** The law in force for the time being as to summonses, commissions and compelling the attendance of witnesses, and for their remuneration in suits before Civil Courts, shall, save as aforesaid and *mutatis mutandis*, apply to any summons or commission issued and any person summoned to appear under the provisions of this Act.

Law as to summonses, commissions and witnesses.

PART VIII.

OF PRESENTING WILLS AND AUTHORITIES TO ADOPT.

[s. 40] **40.** (*1*) The testator, or after his death any person claiming as executor or otherwise under a will, may present it to any Registrar or Sub-Registrar for registration.

Persons entitled to present wills and authorities to adopt.

(*2*) The donor, or after his death the donee, of any authority to adopt, or the adoptive son, may present it to any Registrar or Sub-Registrar for registration.

[s. 41] **41.** (*1*) A will or an authority to adopt, presented for registration by the testator or donor, may be registered in the same manner as any other document.

Registration of wills and authorities to adopt.

(*2*) A will or authority to adopt presented for registration by any other person entitled to present it shall be registered if the registering officer is satisfied—

(*a*) that the will or authority was executed by the testator or donor, as the case may be;

(*b*) that the testator or donor is dead; and

(*c*) that the person presenting the will or authority is, under section 40, entitled to present the same.

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PART IX.

OF THE DEPOSIT OF WILLS.

[s. 42.] Deposit of wills.

42. Any testator may, either personally or by duly authorized agent, deposit with any Registrar his will in a sealed cover superscribed with the name of the testator and that of his agent (if any) and with a statement of the nature of the document.

[s. 43.] Procedure on deposit of wills.

43. (*1*) On receiving such cover, the Registrar, if satisfied that the person presenting the same for deposit is the testator or his agent, shall transcribe in his Register-book No. 3 the superscription aforesaid, and shall note in the same book and on the said cover the year, month, day and hour of such presentation and receipt, and the names of any persons who may testify to the identity of the testator or his agent, and any legible inscription which may be on the seal of the cover.

(*2*) The Registrar shall then place and retain the sealed cover in his fire-proof box.

Withdrawal of sealed cover deposited under section 42.

44. If the testator who has deposited such cover wishes to withdraw it, he may apply, either personally or by duly authorized agent, to the Registrar who holds it in deposit, and such Registrar, if satisfied that the applicant is actually the testator or his agent, shall deliver the cover accordingly.

Proceedings on death of depositor.

45. (*1*) If, on the death of a testator who has deposited a sealed cover under section 42, application be made to the Registrar who holds it in deposit to open the same, and if the Registrar is satisfied that the testator is dead, he shall, in the applicant's presence, open the cover, and, at the applicant's expense, cause the contents thereof to be copied into his Book No. 3.

(*2*) When such copy has been made, the Registrar shall re-deposit the original will.

[s. 46.] Saving of certain enactments and powers of Courts.

46. (*1*) Nothing hereinbefore contained shall affect the provisions of section 259 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, *or of section 81 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881*, or the power of any Court by order to compel the production of any will.

(*2*) When any such order is made, the Registrar shall, unless the will has been already copied under section 45, open the cover and cause the will to be copied into his Book No. 3 and make a note on such copy that the original has been removed into Court in pursuance of the order aforesaid.

PART X.

OF THE EFFECTS OF REGISTRATION AND NON-REGISTRATION.

[s. 47.] Time from which registered document operates.

47. A registered document shall operate from the time from which it would have commenced

[s. 48.] Registered documents relating to property when to take effect against oral agreements.

48. All non-testamentary documents duly registered under this Act, and relating to any property, whether moveable or immoveable, shall take effect against any oral agreement or declaration relating to such property, unless where the agreement or declaration has been accompanied or followed by delivery of possession.

[s. 49.] Effect of non-registration of documents required to be registered.

49. No document required by section 17 to be registered shall—

(*a*) affect any immoveable property comprised therein, or

(*b*) confer any power to adopt, or

(*c*) be received as evidence of any transaction affecting such property or conferring such power,

unless it has been registered.

[s. 50.] Certain registered documents relating to land, to take effect against unregistered documents.

50. (*1*) Every document of the kinds mentioned in clauses (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) of section 17, sub-section (*1*), and clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of section 18, shall, if duly registered, take effect as regards the property comprised therein, against every unregistered document relating to the same property, and not being a decree or order, whether such unregistered document be of the same nature as the registered document or not.

(*2*) Nothing in sub-section (*1*) applies to leases exempted under the proviso to sub-section (*1*) of section 17 or to any document mentioned in sub-section (*2*) of the same section.

Explanation.—In cases where Act No. XVI of 1864 or the Indian Registration Act, 1866, was XX of 1866. in force in the place and at the time in and at which such unregistered document was executed, "unregistered" means not registered according to such Act, and, where the document is executed after the first day of July, 1871, not registered under the Indian Registration Act, 1871, or the VIII of 1871. Indian Registration Act, 1877, or this Act. III of 1877.

PART XI.

OF THE DUTIES AND POWERS OF REGISTERING OFFICERS.

(A) As to the Register-books and Indexes.

[s. 51.] Register-books to be kept in the several offices.

51. (*1*) The following books shall be kept in the several offices hereinafter named, *namely:*—

A—In all registration offices—

Book 1, "Register of non-testamentary documents relating to immoveable property;"

Book 2, "Record of reasons for refusal to register;"

Book 3, "Register of wills and authorities to adopt;" and

Book 4, "Miscellaneous Re[illegible]

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(2) In Book 1 shall be entered or filed all documents or memoranda registered under sections 17, 18 and 89 which relate to immoveable property, and are not wills. [Act XII of 1879, s. 105.]

(3) In Book 4 shall be entered all documents registered under clauses (*d*) and (*f*) of section 18 which do not relate to immoveable property.

(4) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to require more than one set of books where the office of the Registrar has been amalgamated with the office of a Sub-Registrar.

[s. 52.] **52.** (1) (*a*) The day, hour and place of presentation, and the signature of every person presenting a document for registration, shall be endorsed on every such document at the time of presenting it:

Duties of Registering Officer when document presented.

(*b*) a receipt for such document shall be given by the registering officer to the person presenting the same; and,

(*c*) subject to the provisions contained in section 62, every document admitted to registration shall without unnecessary delay be copied in the book appropriated therefor according to the order of its admission.

(2) All such books shall be authenticated at such intervals and in such manner as is from time to time prescribed by the Inspector General.

[s. 53.] **53.** All entries in each book shall be numbered in a consecutive series, which shall commence and terminate with the year, a fresh series being commenced at the beginning of each year.

Entries to be numbered consecutively.

[s. 54.] **54.** In every office in which any of the books hereinbefore mentioned are kept, there shall be prepared current indexes of the contents of such books; and every entry in such indexes shall be made, so far as practicable, immediately after the registering officer has copied, or filed a memorandum of, the document to which it relates.

Current indexes and entries therein.

[s. 55.] **55.** (1) Four such indexes shall be made in all registration offices, and shall be named, respectively, Index No. I, Index No. II, Index No. III and Index No. IV.

Indexes to be made by registering officers, and their contents.

(2) Index No. I shall contain the names and additions of all persons executing and of all persons claiming under every document entered or memorandum filed in Book No. 1.

(3) Index No. II shall contain such particulars mentioned in section 21 relating to every such document and memorandum as the Inspector General from time to time directs in that behalf.

(4) Index No. III shall contain the names and additions of all persons executing every will and authority entered in Book No. 3, and of the executors and persons respectively appointed thereunder, and after the death of the testator or the donor (but not before) the names and additions of all persons claiming under the same.

(5) Index No. IV shall contain the names and additions of all persons executing and of all persons claiming under every document entered in Book No. 4.

(6) Each Index shall contain such other particulars, and shall be prepared in such form, as the Inspector General from time to time directs.

[s. 56.] **56.** (1) Every Sub-Registrar shall send to the Registrar to whom he is subordinate, at such intervals as the Inspector General from time to time directs, a copy of all entries made by such Sub-Registrar, during the last of such intervals, in Indexes Nos. I, II and III.

Copy of entries in Indexes Nos. I, II and III to be sent by Sub-Registrar to Registrar and filed.

(2) Every Registrar receiving such copy shall file it in his office.

[s. 57.] **57.** (1) Subject to the previous payment of the fees payable in that behalf, the Books Nos. 1 and 2 and the Indexes relating to Book No. 1 shall be at all times open to inspection by any person applying to inspect the same; and, subject to the provisions of section 62, copies of entries in such books shall be given to all persons applying for such copies.

Registering officers to allow inspection of certain books and indexes, and to give certified copies of entries.

(2) Subject to the same provisions, copies of entries in Book No. 3 and in the Index relating thereto shall be given to the persons executing the documents to which such entries relate, or to their agents, and after the death of the executants (but not before) to any person applying for such copies.

(3) Subject to the same provisions, copies of entries in Book No. 4 and in the Index relating thereto shall be given to any person executing or claiming under the documents to which such entries respectively refer, or to his agent or representative.

(4) The requisite search under this section for entries in Books Nos. 3 and 4 shall be made only by the registering officer.

(5) All copies given under this section shall be signed and sealed by the registering officer, and shall be admissible for the purpose of proving the contents of the original documents.

(*B*) *As to the Procedure on admitting to Registration.*

58. (1) On every document admitted to registration, other than a copy of a decree or order, or a copy sent to a registering officer under section 89, there shall be endorsed from time to time the following particulars, *namely*:— [Act VII 1886, s. (2).]

Particulars to be endorsed on documents admitted to registration.

(*a*) the signature and addition of every person admitting the execution of the document, and, if such execution has been admitted by the representative, assign or agent of any person, the signature and addition of such representative, assign or agent;

(*b*) the signature and addition of every person examined in reference to such document under any of the provisions of this Act; and

(*c*) any payment of money or delivery of goods made in the presence of the registering officer in reference to the execution of the document, and any

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in whole or in part, made in his presence in reference to such execution.

(*2*) If any person admitting the execution of a document refuses to endorse the same, the registering officer shall nevertheless register it, but shall at the same time endorse a note of such refusal.

[s. 59.] **Endorsements to be dated and signed by registering officer.**

59. The registering officer shall affix the date and his signature to all endorsements made under sections 52 and 58, relating to the same document and made in his presence on the same day.

[s. 60.] **Certificate of registration.**

60. (*1*) After such of the provisions of sections 34, 35, 58 and 59 as apply to any document presented for registration have been complied with, the registering officer shall endorse thereon a certificate containing the word "registered," together with the number and page of the book in which the document has been copied.

(*2*) Such certificate shall be signed, sealed and dated by the registering officer, and shall then be admissible for the purpose of proving that the document has been duly registered in manner provided by this Act, and that the facts mentioned in the endorsements referred to in section 59 have occurred as therein mentioned.

[s. 61.] **Endorsements and certificate to be copied and document returned.**

61. (*1*) The endorsements and certificate referred to and mentioned in sections 59 and 60 shall thereupon be copied into the margin of the Register-book, and the copy of the map or plan (if any) mentioned in section 21 shall be filed in Book No. 1.

(*2*) The registration of the document shall thereupon be deemed complete, and the document shall then be returned to the person who presented the same for registration, or to such other person (if any) as he has nominated in writing in that behalf on the receipt mentioned in section 52.

[s. 62.] **Procedure on presenting document in language unknown to registering officer.**

62. (*1*) When a document is presented for registration under section 19, the translation shall be transcribed in the register of documents of the nature of the original, and, together with the copy referred to in section 19, shall be filed in the registration office.

(*2*) The endorsements and certificate respectively mentioned in sections 59 and 60 shall be made on the original, and, for the purpose of making the copies and memoranda required by sections 57, 64, 65 and 66, the translation shall be treated as if it were the original.

[s. 63.] **Power to administer oaths and record of substance of statements.**

63. (*1*) Every registering officer may at his discretion administer an oath to any person examined by him under the provisions of this Act.

(*2*) *Every such officer* may also at his discretion record a note of the substance of the statement made by each such person, and such statement shall be read over, or (if made in a language with which such person is not acquainted) interpreted to him in a language with which he

(*3*) Every such note so signed shall be admissible for the purpose of proving that the statements therein recorded were made by the persons and under the circumstances therein stated.

(*C*) *Special duties of Sub-Registrar.*

[s. 64.] **Procedure where document relates to land in several sub-districts.**

64. Every Sub-Registrar on registering a non-testamentary document relating to immoveable property not wholly situate in his own sub-district shall make a memorandum thereof and of the endorsement and certificate (if any) thereon, and send the same to every other Sub-Registrar subordinate to the same Registrar as himself in whose sub-district any part of such property is situate, and such Sub-Registrar shall file the memorandum in his Book No. 1.

[s. 65.] **Procedure where document relates to land in several districts.**

65. (*1*) Every Sub-Registrar on registering a non-testamentary document relating to immoveable property situate in more districts than one shall also forward a copy thereof and of the endorsement and certificate (if any) thereon, together with a copy of the map or plan (if any) mentioned in section 21, to the Registrar of every district in which any part of such property is situate other than the district in which his own sub-district is situate.

(*2*) The Registrar on receiving the same shall file in his Book No. 1 the copy of the document and the copy of the map or plan (if any), and shall forward a memorandum of the document to each of the Sub-Registrars subordinate to him within whose sub-district any part of such property is situate: and every Sub-Registrar receiving such memorandum shall file it in his Book No. 1.

(*D*) *Special Duties of Registrar.*

[s. 66.] **Procedure after registration of documents relating to land.**

66. (*1*) On registering any non-testamentary document relating to immoveable property, the Registrar shall forward a memorandum of such document to each Sub-Registrar subordinate to himself in whose sub-district any part of the property is situate.

(*2*) *The Registrar* shall also forward a copy of such document, together with a copy of the map or plan (if any) mentioned in section 21, to every other Registrar in whose district any part of such property is situate.

(*3*) Such Registrar on receiving any such copy shall file it in his Book No. 1, and shall also send a memorandum of the copy to each of the Sub-Registrars subordinate to him within whose sub-district any part of the property is situate.

(*4*) Every Sub-Registrar receiving any memorandum under this section shall file it in his Book No. 1.

[s. 67.] **Procedure after registration under section 30, sub-section (*2*).**

67. On any document being registered under section 30, sub-section (*2*), a copy of such document and of the endorsements and certificate thereon shall be forwarded to every Registrar within whose district any part of the

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(*E*) *Of the controlling Powers of Registrars and Inspectors General.*

[s. 68.] **68.** (*1*) Every Sub-Registrar shall perform the duties of his office under the superintendence and control of the Registrar in whose district the office of such Sub-Registrar is situate.

Power of Registrar to superintend and control Sub-Registrars.

(*2*) Every Registrar shall have authority to issue (whether on complaint or otherwise) any order consistent with this Act which he considers necessary in respect of any act or omission of any Sub-Registrar subordinate to him or in respect of the rectification of any error regarding the book or the office in which any document has been registered.

[s. 69.] **69.** (*1*) The Inspector General shall exercise a general superintendence over all the registration-offices in the territories under the Local Government, and shall have power from time to time to make rules consistent with this Act—

Power of Inspector General to superintend registration offices and make rules.

(*a*) providing for the safe custody of books papers and documents, and also for the destruction of such books, papers and documents as need no longer be kept;

(*b*) declaring what languages shall be deemed to be commonly used in each district;

(*c*) declaring what territorial divisions shall be recognized under section 21;

(*d*) regulating the amount of fines imposed under sections 25 and 34, respectively;

(*e*) regulating the exercise of the discretion reposed in the registering officer by section 63;

(*f*) regulating the form in which registering officers are to make memoranda of documents;

(*g*) regulating the authentication by Registrars and Sub-Registrars of the books kept in their respective offices under section 51;

(*h*) declaring the particulars to be contained in Indexes Nos. I, II, III and IV, respectively;

(*i*) declaring the holidays that shall be observed in the registration-offices; and

(*j*) generally, regulating the proceedings of the Registrars and Sub-Registrars.

(*2*) The rules so made shall be submitted to the Local Government for approval, and, after they have been approved, they shall be published in the official Gazette and *on publication* shall have *effect* as if *enacted* in this Act.

70. The Inspector General may also, in the exercise of his discretion, remit wholly or in part the difference between any fine levied under section 25 or section 34, and the amount of the proper registration-fee.

Power of Inspector General to remit fines.

PART XII.

OF REFUSAL TO REGISTER.

71. (*1*) Every Sub-Registrar refusing to register a document, except on the ground that within his sub-district, shall make an order of refusal and record his reasons for such order in his book No. 2, and endorse the words "registration refused" on the document; and on application made by any person executing or claiming under the document, shall, without payment and unnecessary delay, give him a copy of the reasons so recorded.

Reasons for refusal to register to be recorded.

(*2*) No registering officer shall accept for registration a document so endorsed unless and until, under the provisions hereinafter contained, the document is directed to be registered.

[s. 72.] **72.** (*1*) Except where the refusal is made on the ground of denial of execution, an appeal shall lie against an order of a Sub-Registrar refusing to admit a document to registration (whether the registration of such document is compulsory or optional) to the Registrar to whom such Sub-Registrar is subordinate, if presented to such Registrar within thirty days from the date of the order; and the Registrar may reverse or alter such order.

Appeal to Registrar from orders of Sub-Registrar refusing registration on ground other than denial of execution.

(*2*) If the order of the Registrar directs the document to be registered and the document is duly presented for registration within thirty days after the making of such order, the Sub-Registrar shall obey the same, and thereupon shall, so far as may be practicable, follow the procedure prescribed in sections 58, 59 and 60; and such registration shall take effect as if the document had been registered when it was first duly presented for registration.

[s. 73.] **73.** (*1*) When a Sub-Registrar has refused to register a document on the ground that any person by whom it purports to be executed, or his representative or assign, denies its execution, any person claiming under such document, or his representative, assign or agent authorized as aforesaid, may, within thirty days after the making of the order of refusal, apply to the Registrar to whom such Sub-Registrar is subordinate in order to establish his right to have the document registered.

Application to Registrar where Sub-Registrar refuses to register on ground of denial of execution.

(*2*) Such application shall be in writing and shall be accompanied by a copy of the reasons recorded under section 71, and the statements in the application shall be verified by the applicant in manner required by law for the verification of plaints.

[s. 74.] **74.** In such case, and also where such denial as aforesaid is made before a Registrar in respect of a document presented for registration to him, *the Registrar* shall, as soon as conveniently may be, enquire—

Procedure of Registrar on such application.

(*a*) whether the document has been executed;

(*b*) whether the requirements of the law for the time being in force have been complied with on the part of the applicant or person presenting the document for registration, as the case may be, so as to entitle the document to registration.

[s. 75.] **75.** (*1*) If the Registrar finds that the document has been executed and that the said requirements have been complied with [illegible]

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(*2*) If the document is duly presented for registration within thirty days after the making of such order, the registering officer shall obey the same and thereupon shall, so far as may be practicable, follow the procedure prescribed in sections 58, 59 and 60.

(*3*) Such registration shall take effect as if the document had been registered when it was first duly presented for registration.

(*4*) The Registrar may, for the purpose of any enquiry under section 74, summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses, and compel them to give evidence, as if he were a Civil Court, and, he may also direct by whom the whole or any part of the costs of any such enquiry shall be paid, and such costs shall be recoverable as if they had been awarded in a suit under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908. c8.

Order of refusal by Registrar. 76 (*1*) Every Registrar refusing—

(*a*) to register a document except on the ground that the property to which it relates is not situate within his district or that the document ought to be registered in the office of a Sub-Registrar, or

(*b*) to direct the registration of a document under section 72 or section 75,

shall make an order of refusal and record the reasons for such order in his Book No. 2, and, on application made by any person executing or claiming under the document shall without unnecessary delay, give him a copy of the reasons so recorded.

(*2*) No appeal lies from any order by a Registrar under this section or section 72.

Suit in case of order of refusal by Registrar. 77. (*1*) Where the Registrar refuses to order the document to be registered, under section 72 or section 75, any person claiming under such document, or his representative, assign or agent, may, within thirty days after the making of the order of refusal, institute in the Civil Court, within the local limits of whose original jurisdiction is situate the office in which the document is sought to be registered, a suit for a decree directing the document to be registered in such office if it be duly presented for registration within thirty days after the passing of such decree.

(*2*) The provisions contained in sub-sections (*2*) and (*3*) of section 75 shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to all documents presented for registration in accordance with any such decree, and, notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, the document shall be receivable in evidence in such suit.

PART XIII.

OF THE FEES FOR REGISTRATION, SEARCHES AND COPIES.

Fees to be fixed by Local Government. 78. Subject to the approval of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government shall prepare a table of fees payable—

(*a*) for the registration of documents;

(*c*) for making or granting copies of reasons, entries or documents, before, on or after registration;

and of extra or additional fees payable—

(*d*) for every registration under section 30;

(*e*) for the issue of commissions;

(*f*) for filing translations;

(*g*) for attending at private residences;

(*h*) for the safe custody and return of documents; and

(*i*) for such other matters as appear to the Local Government necessary to effect the purposes of this Act.

Publication of fees. 79. A table of the fees so payable shall be published in the official Gazette, and a copy thereof in English and the vernacular language of the district shall be exposed to public view in every registration office. [s. 79.]

Fees payable on presentation. 80. All fees for the registration of documents under this Act shall be payable on the presentation of such documents. [s. 80.]

PART XIV.

OF PENALTIES.

Penalty for incorrectly endorsing, copying, translating or registering documents with intent to injure. 81. Every registering officer appointed under this Act and every person employed in his office for the purposes of this Act, who being charged with the endorsing, copying, translating or registering of any document presented or deposited under its provisions, endorses, copies, translates or registers such document in a manner which he knows or believes to be incorrect, intending thereby to cause, or knowing it to be likely that he may thereby cause, injury, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, to any person, shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to seven years, or with fine, or with both. [s. 81.] XLV of 1860.

Penalty for making false statements, delivering false copies or translations, false personation, and abetment. 82 Whoever— [s. 82.]

(*a*) intentionally makes any false statement, whether on oath or not, and whether it has been recorded or not, before any officer acting in execution of this Act, in any proceeding or inquiry under this Act; or

(*b*) intentionally delivers to a registering officer, in any proceeding under section 19 or section 21, a false copy or translation of a document, or a false copy of a map or plan; or

(*c*) falsely personates another, and in such assumed character presents any document, or makes any admission or statement, or causes any summons or commission to be issued, or does any other act in any proceeding or enquiry under this Act; or

(*d*) abets anything made punishable by

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shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to seven years, or with fine, or with both.

[s. 83, paras. 1, 2.] Registering officer may commence prosecutions.

83. (*1*) A prosecution for any offence under this Act coming to the knowledge of a registering officer in his official capacity may be commenced by or with the permission of the Inspector General, the Branch Inspector General of Sindh, the Registrar or the Sub-Registrar, in whose territories, district or sub-district, as the case may be, the offence has been committed.

[Act XII of 1879, s. 106.] (*2*) No Court inferior to that of a Magistrate of the second class shall try any offence under this Act.

[s. 84.] Registering officers to be deemed public servants.

84. (*1*) Every registering officer appointed under this Act shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

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(*2*) Every person shall be legally bound to furnish information to such registering officer when required by him to do so.

(*3*) In section 228 of the *Indian Penal* Code, the words "judicial proceeding" shall *be deemed to* include any proceeding under this Act.

PART XV.

MISCELLANEOUS.

[s. 85.] Destruction of unclaimed documents.

85. Documents (other than wills) remaining unclaimed in any registration office for a period exceeding two years may be destroyed.

[s. 86] Registering officer not liable for thing *bonâ fide* done or refused in his official capacity.

86. No registering officer shall be liable to any suit, claim or demand by reason of anything in good faith done or refused in his official capacity.

[s. 87.] Nothing so done invalidated by defect in appointment or procedure.

87. Nothing done in good faith pursuant to this Act or any Act hereby repealed, by any registering officer, shall be deemed invalid merely by reason of any defect in his appointment or procedure.

[s. 88.] Registration of documents executed by Government officers or certain public functionaries.

88. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything herein contained, it shall not be necessary for any officer of Government, or for the Administrator General of Bengal, Madras or Bombay, or for any Official Trustee or Official Assignee, or for the Sheriff, Receiver or Registrar of a High Court, to appear in person or by agent at any registration office in any proceeding connected with the registration of any instrument executed by him in his official capacity, or to sign as provided in section 58.

(*2*) Where any instrument is so executed, the registering officer to whom such instrument is presented for registration may, if he thinks fit, refer to any Secretary to Government or to such officer of Government, Administrator General, Official Trustee, Official Assignee, Sheriff, Receiver or Registrar, as the case may be, for information respecting the same, and, on being satisfied of the execution thereof, shall register the instrument.

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Copies of certain orders, certificates and instruments to be sent to registering officers and filed.

89. (*1*) Every officer granting a loan under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, shall send a copy of his order to the registering officer within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the whole or any part of the land to be improved or of the land to be granted as collateral security, is situate, and such registering officer shall file the copy in his Book No. 1.

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(*2*) Every Court granting a certificate *of sale of immoveable property* under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, shall send a copy of such certificate to the registering officer within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the whole or any part of the immoveable property comprised in such certificate is situate, and such officer shall file the copy in his Book No. 1.

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(*3*) Every officer granting a loan under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884, shall send a copy of any instrument whereby immoveable property is mortgaged for the purpose of securing the repayment of the loan, and, if any such property is mortgaged for the same purpose in the order granting the loan, a copy also of that order, to the registering officer within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the whole or any part of the property so mortgaged is situate, and such registering officer shall file the copy or copies, as the case may be, in his Book No. 1.

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(*4*) Every Revenue-officer granting a certificate of sale to the purchaser of immoveable property sold by public auction shall send a copy of the certificate to the registering officer within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the whole or any part of the property comprised in the certificate is situate, and such officer shall file the copy in his Book No. 1.

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Exemption of certain documents executed by or in favour of Government.

90. (*1*) Nothing contained in this Act *or in the Indian Registration Act*, *1877*, or in the Indian Registration Act, 1871, or in any Act thereby repealed shall be deemed to require, or to have at any time required, the registration of any of the following documents or maps, namely :—

(*a*) documents issued, received or attested by any officer engaged in making a settlement or revision of settlement of land-revenue, and which form part of the records of such settlement; or

(*b*) documents and maps issued, received or authenticated by any officer engaged on behalf of Government in making or revising the survey of any land, and which form part of the record of such survey; or

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(*c*) documents which, under any law for the time being in force, are filed periodically in any revenue-office by patwaris or other officers charged with the preparation of village-records; or

(*d*) sanads, inam title-deeds and other documents purporting to be or to

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evidence grants or assignments by Government of land or of any interest in land : or

[Act VII of 1886, s. (6) I. Bom. V of 1879.] (*c*) notices given under section 74 or section 76 of the Bombay Land-revenue Code, 1879, of relinquishment of occupancy by occupants, or of alienated land by holders of such land.

(*2*) All such documents and maps shall, for the purposes of sections 48 and 49, be deemed to have been and to be registered in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

[s. 91.] Act VII of 1886, s. 6 (2)]. Inspection and copies of such documents.

91. Subject to such rules and the previous payment of such fees as the Local Government prescribes in this behalf, all documents and maps mentioned in section 90, clauses (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*e*), and all registers of the documents mentioned in clause (*d*), shall be open to the inspection of any person applying to inspect the same, and, subject as aforesaid, copies of such documents shall be given to all persons applying for such copies.

[s. 92.] Burmese registration-rules confirmed.

92. All rules relating to registration enforced in Lower Burma *prior to the commencement of the Indian Registration Act, 1877*, shall be deemed to have had the force of law, and no suit or other proceeding shall be maintained against any officer or other person in respect of anything done under any of the said rules.

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Repeals.

[*Cf.* s. 2, para. 2.] Repeals.

93. (*1*) The enactments mentioned in the schedule are repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof.

[New.] (*2*) *Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect any provision of any enactment in force in any part of British India and not hereby expressly repealed.*

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REPEAL OF ENACTMENTS.

(*See section 93.*)

Year.	No.	Short title.	Extent of repeal.
1877	III	The Indian Registration Act, 1877.	The whole.
1879	XII	The Registration and Limitation Acts Amendment Act, 1879.	So much as is unrepealed.
1883	XIX	The Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883.	So much of section 12 as is unrepealed.
1886	VII	The Indian Registration Act, 1886.	The whole.
1888	VII	The Civil Procedure Code Amendment Act, 1888.	So much as is unrepealed.
1891	XII	The Amending Act, 1891.	In the second schedule the entries relating to Act III of 1877.
1899	XVII	The Indian Registration (Amendment) Act, 1899.	The whole.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. This is a pure consolidating Bill. The provisions relating to the registration of documents are now scattered about in seven enactments. The object of the present Bill is to collect these provisions and to incorporate them in one Act. This will make the law more easily ascertainable. It will further clear the Statute-book of three entire Acts and will enable two more Acts to be entirely removed from it on the coming into force of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, and of the Indian Limitation Bill, now before Council.

2. The fact that the General Clauses Act, 1897, will apply to the Bill when passed has rendered it unnecessary to retain some provisions of the present Acts. The opportunity has been taken to incorporate alterations of a formal character intended merely to improve and simplify the language of the existing Act. The numbering of the sections of the Act of 1877 has been preserved.

3. It has been found that the mere process of consolidation might result in the law being changed in some respects. To avoid this some few amendments appear to be necessary, and to these reference is made in the *Notes on Clauses* below.

4. A table showing the disposal of the sections of the Act is appended to this Statement.

Notes on Clauses.

Clause 46.—Section 46 of the Act saves the provisions of section 259 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, relating to the filing and preservation of wills in the Courts of District Judges and Delegates. Exactly the same provisions have since been enacted in section 81 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881, in respect of wills to which the Succession Act does not apply ; these provisions being contained in a later enactment are not affected by the provisions of the Registration Act to the contrary. To avoid any question as to the effect of the re-enactment of the law relating to registration and to preserve the law unaltered, the provisions of section 81 of the Probate and Administration Act have been expressly saved by introducing a reference to that enactment in the clause.

Clause 49.—The words "in accordance with the provisions of this Act" occurring at the end of section 49 of the Act may give rise to some difficulty if they are retained in this clause. No doubt seems ever to have been cast on the view that under the law, as it stands, documents prior to the Act of 1877, if registered in accordance with the law for the time being in force, are not rendered inoperative or inadmissible in evidence by this section. Regard being had however to the terms of clause 17, which reproduces section 17 of the Act, a strict adherence to the definition of the word "registered" contained in the General Clauses Act, section 3 (45), might lead to a construction of clause 49 which would make these documents inoperative and inadmissible if the words quoted above are retained. They have accordingly been omitted.

Clause 50.—The words "if duly registered" in section 50 of the Act have been interpreted by the Bombay High Court to mean "registered under this Act" so that an unregistered document of which registration is optional would be avoided by a later registered document of which registration is compulsory only if the latter document has been registered under the Act of 1877 (*Shivram* v. *Sava*, I. L. R. 13 Bom. 220). The effect of leaving the words as they are would be that by virtue of section 3 (45) of the General Clauses Act, 1897, they would mean "registered under the law for the time being in force." Accordingly a document registered under any Act prior to the Act of 1877 would acquire priority over a previous unregistered document. This would alter the law as interpreted in Bombay ; but as it is not quite clear what is the view taken of the section by the other High Courts the wording of the section has been left unaltered for the present. Attention is invited to the point.

Clause 93 (2).—The provisions of the Act relating to optional registration have to a great extent been superseded by the provisions of sections 54 and 59 of the Transfer of Property Act, 1882, in cases to which that Act extends. Special provisions relating to the registration of certain documents are also contained in some other later enactments, as, for instance, in section 12 of the Bengal Tenancy Act. Clause 93 (2) is inserted to make it clear beyond doubt that the re-enactment of these partially superseded provisions of the Registration Act is not intended to effect any alteration in the existing law.

Table showing disposal of the sections of Act III of 1877 and of the amending enactments.

Sections.	Clause of the Bill.	Remarks.
Act III of 1877—		
1, paragraphs 1, 2 ...	1	
1, paragraph 3 ...	Omitted.	The consolidating Act will come into force at once.
1, paragraph 4 ...	Do.	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 21.
2, paragraph 1	*Cf.* 93 (1)	
2, paragraph 2	Omitted.	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 24.
2, paragraph 3 ...	Do.	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 8.
3	2	Clause relating to "signature" and "signed" omitted : see General Clauses Act, 1897, section 3 (52).

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Sections.	Clause of the Bill.	Remarks.
4, paragraphs 1, 2 ...	3	
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5 to 22	5 to 22	In clause 9 the words "where there is a Cantonment Magistrate" have been omitted: see Act XIII of 1889, section 5.
23, paragraphs 1, 2 ...	23	
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26	Omitted.	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 10 (1).
27 to 77	27 to 77	
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78, paragraph 2 ..	Omitted.	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 21.
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83, paragraphs 1, 2 ...	83	
83, paragraph 3 ...	Omitted.	See Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, Chapter III.
83, paragraph 4 ...	Do.	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 25.
84 to 92	84 to 92.	
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Section 104	See 35 (3).	
„ 105	See 51 (2).	
„ 106	See 83 (2).	
„ 107	See 89 (2).	
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Section 12 (1) ...	See 17 (2) (ix)	
„ 12 (3) ...	See 89 (1).	
Act VII of 1886—		
Section 1	Omitted	Short title and commencement.
„ 2	See 17 (2) (iii).	
„ 3 (1)... ...	See 17 (2) (x).	
„ 3 (2)	See 58 (i).	
„ 3 (3)	See 89 (3).	

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Sections.	Clause of the Bill.	Remarks.
Section 4	See 17 (2) (xi).	
„ 5	See 50 (2).	
„ 6 (1)... ...	See 90 (1) (*e*).	
„ 6 (2)	See 91.	
„ 6 (3)... ...	Omitted	Unnecessary: it gives retrospective effect to the amendments effected by section 6.
Act VII of 1888—		
Section 65 (1) ...	See 17 (2).	
„ 65 (2) ...	See 50 (2).	
„ 65 (3) ...	Omitted	It gives retrospective operation to the amendments and saves previous orders of Courts.
Act XII of 1891—		
Schedule II—Entries relating to Act III of 1877.	.....	
No. 1	Omitted	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 21.
No. 2	Omitted	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 25.
No. 3	See 89 (4).	
No. 4	See 90 (*c*).	
Act XVII of 1899—		
Section 1	Omitted	Short title and commencement.
„ 2	See 22.	

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[The bracketed marginal references indicate the corresponding provisions of existing Acts; where no Act is mentioned, the reference is to Act XXI of 1883.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate the enactments relating to the emigration of Natives of India and their departure by sea out of India *for certain purposes*; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

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PRELIMINARY.

[s. 1.] 1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Emigration Act, 190 ; and

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(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India.

[s. 6.] 2. (*1*) In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

Definitions.

(i) "dependent" means any of the following persons accompanying any emigrant, namely:—

(*a*) any woman who has not entered into an agreement to emigrate under this Act;

(*b*) any child in whose name and on whose behalf any such agreement has not been entered into; and

(*c*) any aged or incapacitated relative or friend:

(ii) "emigrant" means any Native of India who emigrates, or has emigrated, within the meaning of clause (iv) or who has been registered under this Act as an emigrant, and includes any dependent of an emigrant:

(iii) "emigrant-vessel" means a vessel the master of which is licensed under this Act to carry emigrants therein:

(iv) "emigrate" and "emigration" denote the departure by sea out of British India of a Native of India under an agreement to labour for hire in some country beyond the limits of India other than the island of Ceylon or the Straits Settlements:

[Act X of 1902, s. 3.] (v) "labour" means unskilled labour and does not include any work or other occupation of the nature hereinafter referred to in Chapter XI:

(vi) "Magistrate" means, in the Presidency-towns, a Presidency Magistrate, and elsewhere a District Magistrate or a Sub-divisional Magistrate, and includes also any person appointed by the Local Government to perform in any area the functions of a Magistrate under this Act:

(vii) "master" means any person (except a pilot or harbour-master) having for the time being control or charge of a vessel:

(viii) "recruiter" includes a head recruiter or other person who collects or receives emigrants recruited by other persons:

(ix) "Registering Officer" means any person appointed by the Local Government to perform in any area the functions of a Registering Officer under this Act: and

(x) "vessel" includes anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property.

[s. 6A; (*2*) In case of any doubt or dispute as to whether any person should be deemed—

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(*b*) to be a Native of India,

within the meaning of this Act, the question shall be determined by such person and in such manner as the Governor General in Council may, by rules made under this Act, direct, and such determination shall be final.

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PORTS FROM WHICH, AND COUNTRIES TO WHICH, EMIGRATION IS LAWFUL.

[s. 7 (1).] Ports from which emigration is lawful.

3. (*1*) Emigration shall not be lawful except from the ports of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay *and Karachi* and from such other ports as the Governor General in Council, by notification in the Gazette of India, declares to be ports from which emigration is lawful.

[s. 7 (3)] (*2*) The Local Government may, by notification in the *local* official Gazette, fix for the purposes of this Act the limits of any port from which emigration is lawful.

[s. 8.] Countries to which emigration is lawful.

4. (*1*) Emigration shall not be lawful except to the countries specified in the first schedule and to such other countries as the Governor General in Council, by notification in the Gazette of India, declares to be countries to which emigration is lawful.

(*2*) Every notification under this section must contain a declaration that the Governor General in Council has been duly certified that the Government of the country to which the notification refers has made such laws and other provisions as the Governor General in Council thinks sufficient for the protection of emigrants to that country during their residence therein.

[s. 9.] Power for Governor General in Council to prohibit emigration to any country.

5. (*1*) *Where* the Governor General in Council has reason to believe that any of the grounds, hereinafter mentioned, for prohibiting emigration to any country to which emigration is lawful exists, he may, by notification in the Gazette of India, declare that emigration to that country shall cease to be lawful from a day specified in the notification; and from that day emigration to that country shall accordingly cease to be lawful.

(*2*) The grounds referred to in sub-section (*1*) are—

(*a*) that the plague or any other epidemic disease dangerous to human life has broken out in the country;

(*b*) that the mortality among emigrants in the country is excessive;

(*c*) that proper measures have not been taken for the protection of emigrants immediately on their arrival in the country or during their residence therein;

(*d*) that the agreements made with emigrants as such before their departure from India are not duly enforced by the Government of the country; and

(*e*) that the Governor General in Council, having, either directly or through the Secretary of State for India in Council, [illegible] the Government of the country [illegible] but shall [illegible] with a view to obtain information regarding the condition or treatment of emigrants therein, has not within a reasonable time received the information asked for.

[s. 10.] Power for Local Government to suspend emigration pending reference to Governor General in Council.

6. (*1*) *Where* the Local Government has reason to believe that, in any country to which emigration is lawful, the plague or other epidemic disease dangerous to human life has broken out, and that emigrants, if allowed to emigrate to that country, would be exposed to serious risk of life on arrival there, it may, by notification in the *local* official Gazette, declare that emigration to that country from any port in the territories administered by it shall cease to be lawful pending a reference to the Governor General in Council.

(*2*) The Local Government shall at once report the publication of a notification under this section, with the reasons for it, to the Governor General in Council, who shall thereupon publish a notification in the Gazette of India confirming or cancelling the notification published by the Local Government.

[s. 11.] Revocation of prohibition.

7. *Where* the Governor General in Council is satisfied that the ground on which a notification has been published by him under either of the two last foregoing sections with respect to any country has ceased to exist, he may, by notification in the Gazette of India, declare that emigration to that country shall again be lawful from a day to be specified in the notification.

[s. 12 (1).] Power for Local Government to prohibit emigration to specified country from the whole or any specified part of its territories.

8. The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, by notification in the *local* official Gazette, prohibit, from a day specified in the notification, all Natives of India or any specified class of *such* Natives from emigrating from the whole or any specified part of the territories under its administration to any specified country.

[s. 1[illegible] Saving for acts done before publication of notification.

9. The publication of a notification under any of the four last foregoing sections shall not affect any act done, offence committed or proceedings commenced before the publication.

CHAPTER III.

EMIGRATION AGENTS.

[s. Appointment of Emigration Agents.

10. (*1*) The Government of every country to which emigration is lawful may, from time to time appoint a person to be Emigration Agent in any port from which emigration is lawful.

(*2*) An appointment under this section shall not take effect until the Local Government, by notification in the *local* official Gazette, has declared its approval of the appointment.

Remuneration of Agents.

11. The remuneration to be given to an Emigration Agent shall not depend on, or be regulated by, the number of emigrants sent by him,

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Provided that the Governor General in Council may authorize the payment to specified Emigration Agents of special fees for occasional work.

CHAPTER IV.

PROTECTORS OF EMIGRANTS AND MEDICAL INSPECTORS.

16 (1).] **12.** (*1*) The Local Government may appoint a proper person to be the Protector of Emigrants for any port within the territories administered by it from which emigration is lawful.

Appointment of Protectors of Emigrants.

6 (2).] (*2*) The Governor General in Council may define the area to which the authority of any Protector of Emigrants so appointed shall extend.

6 (4).] (*3*) Every Protector of Emigrants shall be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian

of 1860. Penal Code.

s 17.] **13.** Every Protector of Emigrants, in addition to the special duties assigned to him by this Act or the rules made under this Act, shall—

General duties of Protector.

(*a*) protect and aid with his advice all emigrants

(*b*) cause, so far as he can, all the provisions of this Act and of the rules made under this Act to be complied with ;

(*c*) inspect, on arrival, all vessels bringing return-emigrants to the port for which he is Protector ;

(*d*) enquire into the treatment received by the return-emigrants both during the period of their service in the country to which they emigrated, and also during the return voyage, and report thereon to the Local Government ; and

(*e*) aid and advise the return emigrants so far as he reasonably can.

of **14.** (*1*) The Local Government may appoint one or more Medical Inspectors of Emigrants at each port from which emigration is lawful and may apportion their respective duties.

Appointment of Medical Inspector.

(*2*) Every Medical Inspector of Emigrants shall be a public servant within the meaning

860. of the Indian Penal Code.

15. Every Emigration Agent and all persons in charge of, or employed in, any depôt established under this Act, or in charge of, or employed in, any emigrant-vessel, shall give the Protector of Emigrants and the Medical Inspector of Emigrants every facility for making such inspections, examinations and surveys as are required by this Act or by the rules made under this Act, or as those officers may deem necessary or proper, and shall afford all

Protector and Medical Inspector to have facilities for inspection.

CHAPTER V.

RECRUITERS.

[s. 20.] **16.** (*1*) The Protector of Emigrants at each of the ports from which emigration is lawful shall, on the application of the Emigration Agent for any country to which emigration is lawful, grant licenses to so many fit persons as to the Protector seems necessary to be recruiters of emigrants within the area to which the authority of the Protector extends.

Protector of Emigrants to license recruiters.

(*2*) A person shall not, unless he holds a license granted under this Chapter,—

(*a*) enter into, or attempt to enter into, any agreement with any person purporting to bind him to emigrate, or,

(*b*) in consideration of any hire or reward, induce or attempt to induce any person to leave any place for the purpose of emigrating, or

(*c*) act or be employed in any other respect as a recruiter of emigrants.

(*3*) Every recruiter shall produce his license when called upon to do so by any Magistrate or officer in charge of a police-station.

[s. 21.] **17.** Every license granted under this Chapter shall specify the particular country for which, and the area within which, the holder is licensed to recruit, and may be in the form set forth in the second schedule.

Form of license.

[s. 22.] **18.** (*1*) A license granted under this Chapter shall not be in force for a longer period than one year from the day on which it comes into force.

Duration of license.

(*2*) The Protector of Emigrants may, on the ground of misconduct, cancel any license granted by him under this Chapter before the expiration of the period for which it is in force.

[s. 23.] **19.** (1) A recruiter shall not, in any place beyond the limits of a port from which emigration is lawful, enter or attempt to enter into any agreement with any person purporting to bind him to emigrate, or induce or assist, or attempt to induce or assist any person to leave any place for the purpose of emigrating, or act or be employed in any other respect as a recruiter of emigrants unless his license bears the countersignature of the District Magistrate.

Countersignature of license.

(*2*) If a District Magistrate has satisfied himself, after such enquiry as he thinks necessary, that the licensee is, by character or from any other cause, unfitted to be a recruiter under this Act, he may refuse to countersign a recruiter's license.

(*3*) If a District Magistrate has satisfied himself, after such enquiry as aforesaid, that sufficient and proper accommodation has not been provided in a suitable place, or is not available, for such intending emigrants or emigrants as may be collected by the recruiter pending their registration or removal to the depôt at the port of embarkation, he may refuse to countersign a recruiter's license or to decide whether he will countersign his license

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(4) Before a Magistrate refuses to countersign, or defers his countersignature of, a recruiter's license, he shall record in writing his reasons for so doing.

[s. 24.] **20.** If any Magistrate, having countersigned a recruiter's license, afterwards finds reason to think that the licensee is, by character or from any other cause, unfitted to be a recruiter under this Act, or that the accommodation provided for intending emigrants or emigrants collected by him has become unsuitable or has ceased to be available, he may require the licensee to produce his license, and may cancel the countersignature on it, or may impound the license and send it for cancellation to the Protector of Emigrants who granted it.

Power for Magistrate to cancel countersignature in certain cases.

[s. 25.] **21.** When a Magistrate countersigns, or refuses to countersign, a recruiter's license, or cancels the countersignature on it, he shall at once report the countersignature, or the refusal or cancellation, and the grounds of the refusal or cancellation, to the Protector of Emigrants who granted the license.

Notice to Protector of Emigrants of countersignature, refusal to countersign or cancellation of countersignature.

[s. 26.] **22.** (1) The Emigration Agent on whose application any recruiter is licensed shall supply the recruiter with a written or printed statement, signed by the Agent, and countersigned by the Protector of Emigrants, of the terms of agreement which the recruiter is authorized to offer on behalf of the Agent to intending emigrants.

Recruiter to be supplied with statement of terms of agreement he is authorized to offer.

(2) The statement shall be both in English and in the vernacular language or languages of the local area within which the recruiter is licensed to recruit.

(3) The recruiter shall give a true copy of the statement to every person whom he invites to emigrate, and shall produce the statement for the information of any Magistrate or officer in charge of a police-station, when called upon to do so by the Magistrate or officer.

[s. 27.] **23.** (1) Every recruiter shall provide sufficient and proper accommodation in a suitable place for such intending emigrants or emigrants as may be collected by him pending their registration or removal to the port of embarkation.

Accommodation to be provided by recruiters.

(2) The place where the accommodation is provided shall have a board fixed in some conspicuous position specifying the purpose for which the place is used.

(3) Every District Magistrate, and any subordinate Magistrate, or officer of Police authorized in this behalf by a rule made under this Act, shall have, for the supervision and regulation of the places where accommodation is provided under this section, the same powers as are by this Act conferred on a Protector of Emigrants in respect of depôts at the port of embarkation.

(4) All recruiters or other persons in charge of these places shall afford every Magistrate and any officer of Police authorized as aforesaid in this behalf every facility for visiting and inspecting them.

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REGISTRATION OF EMIGRANTS AND EXECUTION OF AGREEMENTS TO EMIGRATE.

[s. 28.] **24.** The Local Government may appoint any person to perform in a specified area, but subject to the control of the District Magistrate or such other officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf, the functions of a Registering Officer under this Act.

Power for Local Government to appoint Registering Officers.

[s. 29.] **25.** Every agreement to emigrate entered into by any person must,—

Execution of agreements.

(*a*) if executed within the limits of any port from which emigration is lawful, be executed in the presence of the Protector;

(*b*) if executed elsewhere, be executed in the presence of a Registering Officer.

[s. 30.] **26.** Every recruiter who desires to engage any person to emigrate shall appear before a Registering Officer or the Protector of Emigrants (as the case may be) with that person, and with any persons intending to accompany that person as his dependents.

Appearance of intending emigrants before Registering Officer.

[s. 31, Act XVIII of 1890, s. 1.] **27.** (1) The Registering Officer or Protector shall thereupon examine the person, apart from the recruiter, with reference to his intended agreement.

Examination and registration of emigrant.

(2) *If on such examination* it appears,—

(*a*) that such person is competent and willing to enter into the agreement and understands its nature,

(*b*) that he has not been induced to enter into it by any coercion, undue influence, fraud, misrepresentation or mistake, and

(*c*) that its terms are in conformity with law, and are such as, according to the statement furnished to the recruiter under section 22, he was authorized to offer,

the Registering Officer or Protector shall, subject to the provisions of section 29, register in a book to be kept for the purpose, in such form as the Governor General in Council, by rules made under this Act, prescribes,—

(i) the name, sex, name of the father, caste, occupation and age of the intending emigrant,

(ii) the name of the village or place of which he is a resident, and

(iii) such other particulars (if any) concerning him and his dependents (if any) as the Governor General in Council, by rules made under this Act, prescribes.

[s. 32.] **28.** (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in the last foregoing section, the Registering Officer or Protector may refuse to register any married woman under that section if he finds that her husband does not consent to her emigrating.

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(*2*) The Registering Officer or Protector may also, in the case of any woman whom he believes to be married, refuse to decide whether he will register her until after the expiration of such time, not exceeding ten days, as he thinks fit.

[s. 33.] **Examination of dependent.**

29. (*1*) When any person appears before a Registering Officer or Protector under section 26 as a dependent of an intending emigrant, the Registering Officer or Protector shall, if the person is able to give intelligent answers to questions, examine him, apart from the recruiter, as to his dependence on the intending emigrant whom he is about to accompany, and as to his willingness to emigrate.

(*2*) Where the Registering Officer or Protector sees reason to doubt the existence of the dependence or willingness, he may, if he thinks fit, refuse to register the intending emigrant, unless the name of the dependent is omitted from the register.

[s. 34.] **Record of reasons for refusal to register.**

30. *Where* the Registering Officer or Protector refuses to register any intending emigrant, he shall record his reasons for the refusal.

[s. 35; Act XVIII of 1890, s. 2.] **Execution and attestation of agreement.**

31. (*1*) *Where* the particulars concerning any intending emigrant and his dependents (if any) have been registered, the Registering Officer or Protector shall cause an agreement to be prepared in duplicate and shall call on the recruiter and the intending emigrant to execute the agreement in duplicate in his presence, and, if they execute it, shall attest the execution with his signature.

(*2*) An agreement to emigrate shall not be of any effect until the particulars concerning the intending emigrant and his dependents (if any) have been registered, and the agreement has been executed and attested under this Act.

(*3*) When the particulars concerning any intending emigrant and his dependents (if any) have been registered and an agreement has been executed and attested under this Act, the intending emigrant shall be deemed to be registered under this Act as an emigrant.

[Act XVIII of 1890, s. 2.] (*4*) Any number of intending emigrants appearing with the same recruiter before the Registering Officer or Protector at the same time, and desiring to emigrate on the same terms to the same country, may, with the permission of the Registering Officer or Protector (as the case may be), execute one instrument of agreement under this section, instead of each of such intending emigrants executing a separate instrument.

[s. 36.] **Contents of agreement.**

32. Every agreement to emigrate shall contain a copy of the particulars registered concerning the intending emigrant and his dependents (if any) under section 27, and on the reverse such particulars concerning the nature, duration and term of service and the remuneration of the emigrant, and such other matters (if any) as the Governor General in Council, by rules made under this Act, prescribes.

[s. 37; Act XVIII of 1890, s. 2.] **Record of registrations and agreements.**

33. When the agreement has been executed and attested,—

(*a*) one of the copies thereof shall be delivered to the emigrant, and the other shall be retained by the Protector or sent by the Registering Officer to him; and

(*b*) a certified copy of the particulars registered under section 27, concerning the emigrant or emigrants by whom the agreement was executed, and concerning his or their dependents (if any), shall be delivered to the recruiter for transmission to the Emigration Agent.

[s. 38.] **Fee for preparation of agreement.**

34. For the preparation of every agreement under this Chapter the recruiter or Emigration Agent shall pay such fee as the Governor General in Council, by notification in the Gazette of India, prescribes:

Provided that the Governor General in Council may at any time, by like notification, declare that the fee payable under this section shall be consolidated, either generally or in any specified area, with the fee payable under section 68.

[s. 39.] **Power to make agreement if over sixteen**

35. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Indian Contract Act, 1872, it shall be lawful for any person of the age of sixteen years or upwards to enter in manner in this Act provided into an agreement to emigrate to any place to which emigration is lawful. IX of 1872

[s. 40.] **Power to make agreement on behalf of child or ward.**

36. Any person entering into an agreement to emigrate, and being the parent or guardian of a child under the age of sixteen years and above the age of ten years, may, in the name of and on behalf of the child, enter into an agreement in manner in this Act provided binding the child to emigrate with him.

CHAPTER VII.

EMIGRATION DEPÔTS.

[s. 41.] **Depôts to be established at ports of embarkation.**

37. Every Emigration Agent shall establish at the port for which he is appointed a suitable depôt for the reception and lodging of emigrants before embarkation for the country for which he is Emigration Agent, and shall provide all necessary food and clothing for all emigrants during their stay at the depôt.

[s. 42.] **Licensing of depôts.**

38. (*1*) A depôt established under the last foregoing section shall not be used for the reception and lodging of emigrants until it has been inspected and approved by the Protector of Emigrants and the Medical Inspector of Emigrants, and a license for its use has been granted by the Protector.

(*2*) A license under this section shall not be granted for a longer period than one year from the day on which it comes into force.

(*3*) The Protector of Emigrants may at any time cancel a license under this section—

(*a*) if he considers that the depôt for which it was granted is unhealthy, or has in any respect become unsuitable for the purpose for which it was established;

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(*b*) if the Emigration Agent fails, after reasonable notice, to comply with any of the requirements of this Act or of the rules made under this Act.

Inspection by Protector and Medical Inspector.

39. The Protector of Emigrants and the Medical Inspector shall, from time to time, and at least once in every week during which any emigrants may be kept in any depôt at the port for which they are Protector and Medical Inspector, respectively, inspect the emigrants in that depôt and examine the state of the depôt and the manner in which the emigrants therein are lodged, fed, clothed and otherwise provided for and attended to.

Report by Medical Inspector.

40. The Medical Inspector shall report to the Protector of Emigrants any circumstance that may come to his knowledge showing that any depôt is not suitable for its purpose, or that the emigrants lodged therein are treated with any oppression or neglect.

Treatment of emigrant suffering from disease.

41. (*1*) The Medical Inspector may, if he thinks fit, direct that any emigrant suffering from any disease likely to be dangerous to his neighbours shall be isolated or excluded from the depôt.

(*2*) The Medical Inspector may, if he thinks fit, order the removal of any emigrant so suffering to a proper hospital for treatment at the expense of the Emigration Agent; and the expense (if any) incurred by the Protector of Emigrants in respect of the removal of the emigrant and his treatment in the hospital shall be recoverable from the Emigration Agent by the Protector of Emigrants, with interest thereon at the rate of six per centum per annum from the date on which the expense was incurred.

CHAPTER VIII.

CONVEYANCE OF EMIGRANTS TO DEPÔTS AND PROCEDURE ON ARRIVAL.

Emigrant not to be removed before registration.

42. A recruiter shall not remove or attempt to remove any intending emigrant to a depôt, or induce or attempt to induce him to go to a depôt, or to leave the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Magistrate by whom the recruiter's license has been countersigned, or aid him in going to a depôt, or in leaving any such local limits, until the intending emigrant has been registered under this Act as an emigrant.

Conveyance of emigrant to depôt.

43. (*1*) Every emigrant must, after he has been registered under this Act, be conveyed with all convenient despatch, by or under the orders of the recruiter or Emigration Agent, to the depôt established at the port of embarkation by the Emigration Agent on whose application the recruiter has been licensed.

(*2*) When an emigrant has been registered at a place beyond the limits of the port of embarkation, he must, while proceeding to the depôt, be accompanied throughout the journey either by the recruiter himself, or by a competent person appointed by him with the approval of a Magistrate.

(*3*) The Magistrate shall give to the person so appointed a certificate signed by him stating that he has been appointed for the journey to the depôt.

(*4*) The recruiter or the person so appointed shall, throughout the journey, provide the emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging.

Report of arrival at depôt.

44. The arrival at a depôt of each emigrant must immediately be reported by the person in charge of the depôt to the Emigration Agent and by the Agent to the Protector of Emigrants. [s. 48.]

Examination by Medical Inspector.

45. (*1*) The copy of the particulars registered under section 27, received by the recruiter from the Registering Officer or Protector, must, as soon as conveniently may be after the arrival of the emigrant at the depôt, be shown by the Emigration Agent to the Medical Inspector of Emigrants. [s. 49; Act XVIII of 1890, s. 4.]

(*2*) The Medical Inspector shall examine each emigrant *whose name is* entered in the said copy to ascertain whether he is fit, having regard to his age and state of health, to undertake the journey to the country to which he has agreed to emigrate.

(*3*) The Medical Inspector, if satisfied of his fitness, shall give a certificate to that effect to the Emigration Agent. If not so satisfied, he shall give a certificate to that effect to the Protector of Emigrants.

Power for Protector to order payment of expenses of return of emigrant in certain cases.

46. (*1*) In any of the following cases, namely:— [s. 50.]

(*a*) if the Medical Inspector of Emigrants finds that an emigrant is, or has become, unfit to undertake the journey to the country to which he has agreed to emigrate, and if the Protector of Emigrants considers that the emigrant has not dishonestly represented himself as fit to undertake the journey, or

(*b*) if the Protector finds that any such irregularity has occurred in the recruitment or treatment by the recruiter of any emigrant as makes it just to rescind the agreement to emigrate, or

(*c*) if the Emigration Agent refuses to fulfil the agreement entered into with the emigrant,

the Protector may order the Emigration Agent to pay to the emigrant such sum as the Protector deems reasonable as compensation, and, when the emigrant has been registered at a place beyond the limits of the port of embarkation, such reasonable sum as is necessary to enable him to return to the place at which he was registered, and may take any steps which he thinks necessary for the conveyance of the emigrant to that place.

(*2*) Any emigrant who has been registered at any place beyond the limits of the port of embarkation, and who from his state of health is, in the opinion of the Medical Inspector of Emigrants, unfit to undertake at once the return-journey to the place at which he was registered, shall be entitled to be [illegible]

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clothed and attended to at the depôt at the expense of the Emigration Agent until he is reported by the Medical Inspector fit to undertake the return-journey.

[s. 51.] **47.** (*1*) Where any order is made under the last foregoing section with reference to any emigrant who was registered at any place beyond the limits of the port of embarkation—

Payment of expenses of dependents and relatives.

(*a*) any emigrant who has been registered as his dependent, or

(*b*) any emigrant who, not being a dependent, is the father, mother, wife, husband, son, daughter, brother, sister, guardian or ward of the emigrant,

shall be entitled—

(i) to be conveyed at the expense of the Emigration Agent with the emigrant to the place at which he was registered; and

(ii) if the emigrant is unable to travel, to be lodged, fed and clothed in the depôt at the expense of the Emigration Agent until the emigrant is able to travel.

(*2*) The Protector of Emigrants may include any expenses incurred under this section in an order made under the last foregoing section with respect to the emigrant.

[s. 52.] **48.** If it appears that during the journey to the depôt any emigrant has suffered any ill-treatment, or that, in the case of any emigrant who has been registered at a place beyond the limits of the port of embarkation, the provisions of section 43 have not been complied with, the Protector of Emigrants may order the Emigration Agent to pay—

Compensation to emigrant for ill treatment on journey.

(*a*) to the emigrant a reasonable sum by way of compensation, and

(*b*) to the Protector the expenses (if any) which may have been incurred by or under the orders of the Protector on behalf of the emigrant by reason of the neglect to comply with the provisions of section 43.

[s. 53.] **49.** (*1*) On failure of the Emigration Agent for twenty-four hours to comply with an order of the Protector for the payment of any sum to an emigrant under any of the last three foregoing sections, the Protector may pay the same to the emigrant.

Power for Protector to pay and recover expenses incurred on behalf of emigrant.

(*2*) Every sum paid by the Protector to an emigrant under sub-section (*1*), and, on failure of the Emigration Agent for twenty-four hours to comply with an order for payment thereof under the last foregoing section, every sum which the Protector may have ordered the Emigration Agent to pay to him under that section, shall be recoverable from the Emigration Agent with interest thereon at the rate of six per centum per annum from the date of payment.

(*3*) Further proof shall not be required by any Court in any suit more than that the Protector gave the Emigration Agent an order to pay the sum, and that the Emigration Agent for twenty-four hours failed to comply with the order.

CHAPTER IX.

EMIGRANT-VESSELS.

50. *An* emigrant *shall not be received* on board any vessel unless a license to carry emigrants in the vessel has been obtained from the Local Government.

Master of emigrant-vessel to be licensed.

51. (*1*) When the master or owner of any vessel desires to obtain a license to carry emigrants in his vessel, he shall apply in writing through the Protector of Emigrants to the Local Government for the license.

Application for license.

(*2*) The application must state the number of emigrants which, according to the rules as to space contained in this Chapter, the applicant deems the vessel capable of carrying, and the tonnage and such other particulars respecting the vessel as the Governor General in Council, by rules made under this Act, prescribes.

52. (*1*) The Protector of Emigrants shall cause the vessel to be surveyed by a competent person at the cost of the master or owner, with a view to ascertain her seaworthiness, and the extent and nature of her accommodation for emigrants, and to ascertain that she is properly ventilated, and is supplied with all the tackle, apparel and furniture requisite for her intended voyage:

[s. 56; Act XVIII of 1890, s. 5.]

Survey and licensing of vessel.

Provided that, if the vessel is a steam-ship having a certificate of survey granted by the Board of Trade or any British Colonial Government or under the Indian Steamships Act, 1884, and in force and applicable to her intended voyage, the survey under this sub-section with a view to ascertain her seaworthiness shall not extend to her hull or machinery unless the Protector of Emigrants has reason to believe that, since the grant of the certificate, her hull or machinery has sustained injury or damage or has otherwise become inefficient.

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(*2*) If the Local Government is of opinion that the vessel is in all respects suitable for the carrying of emigrants under this Act, and is properly manned and officered, it shall give to the master of the vessel a license to carry emigrants therein specifying the number of emigrants which may be received on board.

[s. 57.] **53.** (*1*) A license shall not be granted under the last foregoing section unless—

Accommodation required on board emigrant-vessel.

(*a*) there is provided for the emigrants, either between decks or, subject to the approval of the Protector of Emigrants and the Medical Inspector, in cabins on the upper deck, a space devoted to the exclusive use of the emigrants having in every part a height of not less than six feet;

(*b*) a separate place is fitted up for a hos-

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(*c*) such arrangements are made for the separation of women (married or single) and children from the other emigrants as the Governor General in Council, by rules made under this Act, prescribes.

(*2*) The cabins on the upper deck provided under clause (*a*) of this section must be firmly secured and entirely covered in.

[s. 58.] **54.** Every emigrant vessel *shall* contain within the space referred to in clause (*a*) of the last foregoing section at least twelve superficial feet and seventy-two cubic feet of space for each emigrant:

Rules as to space on board emigrant-vessel.

Provided that two emigrants under the age of ten years shall for the purposes of this section count as one only.

[s. 59.] **55.** There *shall* be on board every emigrant-vessel, at the time of departure of the vessel from the port at which they embark, provisions, clothing, fuel and water for the emigrants (over and above the supply for the master, officers and crew, and of the cabin and other passengers, if any), in such quantity and of such description and quantity as the Governor General in Council, by rules made under this Act, prescribes.

Provisions, clothing, fuel and water.

s. 60.] **56.** Every emigrant-vessel *shall*, at the time of departure of the vessel from the port at which the emigrants embark, have on board, and *shall* carry with her, a properly qualified surgeon, and also such compounders, interpreters and attendants subordinate to the surgeon, and such medicines and other stores, in such quantity and of such quality as the Governor General in Council, by rules made under this Act, prescribes.

Surgeons, attendants, medicines and stores.

61.] **57.** The Protector of Emigrants and the Medical Inspector of Emigrants shall see personally that all the provisions of the last two foregoing sections are complied with.

Duty of Protector and Medical Inspector with respect to enforcement of foregoing sections.

52] **58.** (*1*) Every master licensed under this Act shall, on the requisition of the Protector of Emigrants, and before any emigrant embarks on board his vessel, execute to the Protector, in duplicate, a bond, in such form as the Local Government prescribes, binding himself and the owner of the vessel in a penal sum of ten thousand rupees, to perform the duties imposed by this Act or any rule made under this Act on a master and owner, respectively.

Bond to be executed by master of emigrant-vessel.

(*2*) The Protector of Emigrants shall forward one copy of the bond to such officer as may be appointed in this behalf by the Government of the country to which the emigrants are to be conveyed, or, in the case of a foreign colony, to the British Consular Agent, and the other copy to the Local Government.

CHAPTER X.

EMBARKATION AND DEPARTURE.

] **59.** An emigrant shall not embark, except with the permission of the Protector of Emigrants, until seven days have elapsed from the date of his arrival at the depôt.

Time of embarkation after arrival.

60. (*1*) An emigrant-vessel shall not sail from any port in British India—

Time at which emigrant-vessels may leave India.

(*a*) to any country west of the Cape of Good Hope, except at such seasons as the Governor General in Council, by rules made under this Act, prescribes as seasons during which it shall be lawful for emigrant-vessels generally, or of a class to which the vessel belongs, to sail to that country;

(*b*) to any country during any season which the Governor General in Council, by notification in the Gazette of India, declares to be a season during which the sailing of emigrant-vessels to that country is prohibited.

61. If any emigrant without sufficient cause refuses or neglects to embark when called on by the Emigration Agent to do so, it shall not be lawful to compel the emigrant to embark: [s. 65.]

Procedure if emigrant refuses to embark.

Provided that nothing in this section shall affect the civil or criminal liabilities which an emigrant incurs by reason or in respect of any such refusal or neglect.

62. (*1*) When any emigrants are about to embark on board any vessel, the Emigration Agent shall supply the master of the vessel with four copies of a list, specifying, as accurately as may be, the names, ages and occupations of the emigrants, and the names of their respective fathers. [s. 66.]

List of, and passes for, emigrants.

(*2*) The master shall not receive any emigrant on board unless he is provided with a pass, signed by the Emigration Agent, and countersigned by the Protector, stating the name and age of the emigrant, the name of his father, and the country to which he has agreed to emigrate, and certifying that he is in a fit state of health to undertake the voyage to that country.

(*3*) Every emigrant shall on embarkation deliver the pass to the master.

(*4*) The master shall compare the emigrants who embark and the passes delivered by them with the list supplied by the Emigration Agent; and, if the list appears to be correct and to correspond with the passes delivered and with the emigrants embarked, the master shall sign the four copies of the list.

(*5*) The master shall not permit any emigrant to remain on board who has not delivered up his pass to the master or is not mentioned in the list.

63. (*1*) When the copies of the list have been signed, the master shall give two of the copies to the Protector of Emigrants, who shall sign them if he believes them to be correct. [s. 67.]

Disposal of the two copies of list to be given by master to Protector.

(*2*) The Protector shall send one of the copies so signed by him by the vessel which carries the emigrants to such officer as may be appointed in this behalf by the Government of the country to which the emigrants have agreed to emigrate, or, in the case of a foreign colony, to the British Consular Agent, and shall file the other copy in his own office.

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[s. 68.] **64.** (*1*) The master shall give to the Emigration Agent the two remaining copies of the list.

Disposal of the two copies of list to be given by master to Emigration Agent.

(*2*) The Emigration Agent shall thereupon sign the copies, and shall return one of them to the master.

(*3*) The master shall, on the arrival of the vessel at the country to which the emigrants have agreed to emigrate and before their disembarkation, deliver the copy so returned to him to such officer as may be appointed in this behalf by the Government of the country, or, in the case of a foreign colony, to the British Consular Agent.

[s. 69.] **65.** (*1*) The Medical Inspector shall be present at the embarkation of all emigrants, and shall examine each emigrant to ascertain if he is in a fit state of health to undertake the voyage to the country to which he has agreed to emigrate; and, if he finds that he is not fit to undertake the voyage, he shall inform the Protector accordingly.

Examination of emigrants by Medical Inspector.

(*2*) The Protector may thereupon refuse to permit the emigrant to embark; and any emigrant, registered as a dependent of an emigrant whom the Protector has refused to permit to embark, or any emigrant who, not being a dependent, is the father, mother, wife, husband, son, daughter, brother, sister, guardian or ward of the emigrant, may, notwithstanding anything in this Act, refuse to embark.

(*3*) The provisions of sections 46, 47 and 49 shall apply to emigrants who under this section are not permitted to embark, and to any emigrants who under this section refuse to embark, and to the recovery of expenses incurred under this Act in respect of them.

[s. 71.] **66.** Before any emigrant-vessel clears out of any port, the master of the vessel shall obtain from the Protector of Emigrants at the port, and from the Emigration Agent for the country to which the emigrants are to be conveyed, certificates, signed by the Protector and Emigration Agent, respectively, to the effect that the Protector and Agent have, in respect of all the emigrants embarking at that port in the vessel, done all that is required by the foregoing provisions of this Act, or by the rules made under this Act, to be done on the part of the Protector and Agent, respectively, and that all the directions for the security, well-being and protection of emigrants which are contained in this Act or in the rules made under this Act have, in the case of that vessel, been complied with.

Certificates from Protector of Emigrants and Emigration Agent.

[s. 72.] **67.** The master of every emigrant-vessel shall keep on board the vessel during the whole voyage two copies of this Act, and of all rules made under this Act, and two copies of a translation of this Act, and of those rules, in such language or languages as the Local Government directs, and shall, on request made at any reasonable time, produce one of those copies to any emigrant for his perusal.

Copies of Act and rules to be kept on board.

68. For each emigrant who embarks on board an emigrant-vessel the Emigration Agent shall pay to the Protector of Emigrants a fee of such amount as the Governor General in Council, by notification in the Gazette of India, prescribes:

Fee for each embarked emigrant.

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) the fee payable under this section shall not be more than is, in the opinion of the Governor General in Council, sufficient to raise the total income from fees under this Act to an amount which will cover the cost of any establishment or supervision which the Governor General in Council thinks necessary to provide for the control of emigration;

(*b*) if it appears to the Governor General in Council expedient to provide, in the case of any country, any special establishment or expenditure for the protection of Indian emigrants to that country, the Governor General in Council may increase the fee payable in the case of emigrants to that country to an amount sufficient, in his opinion, to cover the cost of the special establishment or expenditure.

69. Every master licensed under this Act *shall* see that all the provisions of this Act and the rules made under this Act are observed on board his vessel during the voyage from British India to the country to which the emigrants are to be conveyed.

Master to see to observance of Act and rules on board his vessel.

70. The master shall return his pass to each emigrant before he disembarks in the country to which he has agreed to emigrate.

Return of pass to emigrant.

Special Provisions as to Vessels sailing from Calcutta.

71. The master of every vessel carrying emigrants from the port of Calcutta shall proceed on his voyage and depart with his vessel from Garden Reach within twenty-four hours after the embarkation of such of the emigrants as have first embarked.

Emigrant-vessel sailing from Calcutta to depart within twenty-four hours of embarkation.

72. Every sailing-vessel leaving the port of Calcutta with emigrants shall proceed from Garden Reach to sea under tow of a steamer declared to be competent by such officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf.

Emigrant-vessel sailing from Calcutta to be towed to sea.

73. (*1*) *Where* an emigrant-vessel leaves the port of Calcutta, if during her passage down the river, and while between Garden Reach and Diamond Harbour, the disease of measles, scarlet-fever or small-pox appears on board, the master shall, if so required by the

Power of surgeon of emigrant-vessel leaving Calcutta to require sick emigrants to be sent to hospital.

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surgeon in charge of the emigrants, send to the hospital at Diamond Harbour all emigrants suffering from the disease, with any emigrants registered as their dependents and any emigrant who, not being a dependent, is the father, mother, wife, husband, son, daughter, brother, sister, guardian or ward of any such emigrant and who wishes to accompany him or her, and shall at once inform the Protector of Emigrants at Calcutta of the number and names of the emigrants so sent to hospital.

(*2*) The provisions of sections 46, 47 and 49 shall, so far as may be, apply to emigrants landed under this section, and to the recovery of expenses incurred in respect of them.

79.] 74. (*1*) In the event of cholera in an epidemic form appearing among the emigrants on board any such vessel carrying emigrants from the port of Calcutta, the surgeon in charge of the emigrants may require the master to land all the emigrants on board the vessel at Diamond Harbour.

Power of surgeon of emigrant vessel leaving Calcutta to require all emigrants to be landed when cholera appears.

(*2*) The master shall at once comply with the request of the surgeon, and shall immediately give notice of his having done so to the Protector of Emigrants at Calcutta, who shall take such action thereon as the Governor General in Council, by rules made under this Act, prescribes.

CHAPTER XI.

DEPARTURE OF NATIVES OF INDIA BY SEA OUT OF INDIA FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES.

Act X 2, s. 6.]

77, (1).] 75. (*1*) Whoever desires to engage any Native of India to depart by sea out of India for the purpose—

Application for permission to engage Natives of India to depart abroad for certain purposes.

(*a*) of working as an artisan, or

(*b*) of any exhibition or entertainment, or

(*c*) of service in any restaurant, tea-house or other place of public resort, or,

(*d*) save as provided in sub-section (*2*), of domestic service,

in any place beyond the limits of India other than the Island of Ceylon or the Straits Settlements, shall apply for the permission of the Local Government having jurisdiction at the port from which such person is to depart, and shall state in his application—

(i) the number of the persons whom he proposes so to engage;

(ii) the place or places beyond the limits of India to which such persons and their dependents are to proceed;

(iii) the accommodation to be provided for such persons and their dependents until their departure out of India and during the voyage;

(iv) the provision to be made for the health and well-being of such persons and their dependents during the period of the proposed engagement, and for their repatriation at the end of such period;

(v) the terms of the agreements under which such persons are to be engaged; and

(vi) the security in British India which he proposes to furnish for the due observance of such agreements and for the proper treatment of the persons to be engaged and their dependents.

(*2*) Nothing in sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to apply to any person who in good faith—

(*a*) engages a Native of India to accompany him out of India as his personal domestic servant, or

(*b*) engages in compliance with the request of some other person, not being in India, a Native of India to depart out of India for the purpose of becoming the personal domestic servant of such other person.

Explanation.—For the purposes of this Chapter—

(i) *the word "port" shall mean a port from which emigration is lawful, or any port which the Governor General in Council, by notification in the Gazette of India, notifies in this behalf; and* [Act XII of 1904, s. 3.]

(ii) the words "emigrant" and "emigrate" in the definition of "dependent" in section 2, sub-section (*1*), clause (i), shall be read as referring to the departure by sea out of India of a person whom it is desired to engage under this Chapter.

[s. 108. Act XII of 1904, s. 2.] 76. On receiving an application under section 75 the Local Government may, after such inquiry as may be necessary, grant the permission applied for on such terms and conditions (if any) and on payment of such fees (if any) as it thinks fit, or withhold such permission, and the decision of the Local Government shall be final.

Applications how to be disposed of.

[s. 109.] 77. (*1*) Before any Native of India departs from India in accordance with permission granted under section 76, the person by whom he has been engaged shall appear before the Protector of Emigrants at the port of embarkation with such Native of India and with any persons intending to accompany him as his dependents.

Appearance of engaged persons before, and registration of names by, Protector of Emigrants.

(*2*) If it appears to the Protector of Emigrants—

(*a*) that permission to engage such Native of India has been duly obtained,

(*b*) that the terms of the agreement under which such Native of India has been engaged are in accordance with the terms of the permission granted, and

(*c*) that the conditions on which such permission was granted have been complied with,

he shall register in a book to be kept for the purpose such particulars concerning such Native of India and his dependents (if any) and concerning the person engaging him in such form as *the Governor General in Council*, by rules made under this Act, prescribes

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[s. 110.] **78.** Where such security as is referred to in section 75, sub-section (*1*), sub-clause (vi), has been furnished, the Local Government may, after such inquiry as may be necessary, pass orders in regard to the forfeiture of the security and the application of the same or of any part thereof, or may order the return of the security or of any part thereof to the person by whom it was furnished, or to his representative.

Provisions as to security.

[s. 112.] **79.** The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, authorize a Protector of Emigrants to receive or dispose of applications made under this Chapter:

Delegation to Protector of Emigrants of authority to receive or dispose of applications.

Provided that an appeal shall lie to the Local Government from every order passed by a Protector of Emigrants in exercise of the authority so conferred.

[112 A (2).] **80.** For the purposes of the application of this Chapter at any port notified under *clause (i) of the explanation to section 75*—

Application of Chapter to ports from which emigration is not lawful.

(*a*) such port shall be deemed to be a port from which emigration is lawful, and

(*b*) such officer as the Local Government may appoint in this behalf shall be deemed to be the Protector of Emigrants.

CHAPTER XII.

RULES.

[ss. 80, 81 (4) 113 (2).] **81.** (*1*) The Governor General in Council may, *by notification in the Gazette of India*, make rules consistent with this Act—

Power for Governor General in Council to make rules.

(*a*) to prescribe the person by whom any doubt or dispute referred to in sub-section (*2*) of section 2 shall be determined and the procedure to be followed and the proof to be required in such cases;

2 [See Act of 190 , sec. 6.]

(*b*) to provide for the supervision and regulation of places of accommodation provided under this Act, and to define the classes of Magistrates and the officers of Police to be authorized to visit and inspect those places;

(*c*) to prescribe the form of the register required under this Act, and the particulars to be entered therein, and to regulate the control to be exercised over Registering Officers by the District Magistrate or officer (if any) appointed in this behalf under this Act;

(*d*) to prescribe the forms of the agreements to be made under this Act, and the particulars to be contained therein, and the language or languages in which agreements must be expressed;

(*e*) to prescribe the conditions on which licenses for the establishment of depôts may be given, to provide for the supervision and regulation of depôts, and for the medical care of the emigrants during their residence there, and the measures to be taken on the outbreak of any epidemic or infectious disease there

(*f*) to prescribe the forms to be supplied by Emigration Agents and recruiters for the purposes of this Act;

(*g*) to prescribe the particulars which the owner or master of a vessel applying for a license to carry emigrants in his vessel must state;

(*h*) to regulate the proportion of women to be ordinarily carried in any emigrant-vessel with male emigrants, and to prescribe the arrangements to be made for the separation of women (married or single) and children from the other emigrants on board an emigrant-vessel;

(*i*) to prescribe the description, quantity and quality of provisions, fuel and water to be taken by emigrant-vessels, the daily allowance of food and water to be issued, and the nature and amount of clothing to be supplied to each emigrant during the voyage;

(*j*) to fix the number of the compounders, interpreters and attendants subordinate to the surgeon to be carried for the care of the sick or weakly on board each emigrant-vessel;

(*k*) to prescribe the nature, quantity and quality of medicines and other stores to be carried on board emigrant-vessels;

(*l*) to provide for the ventilation and cleanliness of every emigrant-vessel during a voyage, and for its being furnished with a sufficient number of life-buoys, boats, water-buckets and other appliances to be used in case of shipwreck or fire;

(*m*) to prescribe the seasons at which alone emigrant-vessels or specified classes of emigrant-vessels may sail from any port in British India to any country west of the Cape of Good Hope to which emigration is for the time being lawful;

(*n*) to provide for the disposal of emigrants who may be landed under section 74;

(*o*) to provide for the medical care of the emigrants on the voyage, and to provide for the measures to be taken on the outbreak of any epidemic or infectious disease on a voyage;

(*p*) to provide for a journal being kept by the surgeon of every emigrant-vessel, recording the health of the emigrants, and his treatment of the sick, with full explanation of the causes of every death; and to define the duties and powers of the surgeon in respect of the emigrants committed to his care;

(*q*) to define and regulate the powers and duties of the several officers appointed

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(*r*) generally to provide for the security, well-being and protection of emigrants; and

(*s*) to carry into effect the provisions of Chapter XI:

Provided that the Local Government may, in special cases, notwithstanding anything contained in rules made under clause (*h*) of this section, permit an emigrant-vessel to sail, though it does not carry the proportion of women required to be carried in ordinary cases.

(*2*) *The power to make rules conferred by this section is subject to the condition of the rules being made after previous publication.*

CHAPTER XIII.

OFFENCES.

Unlawful recruiting.

82. (*1*) Whoever, except in conformity with the provisions of this Act or of the rules made under this Act,—

(*a*) makes, or attempts to make, any agreement with any Native of India, purporting to bind him to emigrate, or

(*b*) in consideration of any hire or reward, induces, or attempts to induce, any Native of India to leave any place for the purpose of emigrating, or otherwise acts or is employed as a recruiter of emigrants, or

(*c*) in consideration of any hire or reward, receives into or detains in any place, or, being a recruiter, in any place other than a place in which accommodation has been provided in accordance with this Act or the rules made under this Act, any person with a view to his being registered as an emigrant, or after his registration as an emigrant and before his departure for the depôt at the port of embarkation,

shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

(*2*) If any person, other than a recruiter licensed under this Act, commits an offence under this section, any Police-officer may arrest him without warrant.

Recruiters removing unregistered emigrants to depôt.

83. Whoever, being a recruiter licensed under this Act,—

(*a*) before any intending emigrant has been registered under this Act as an emigrant,—

(i) removes or attempts to remove *him* to a depôt, or,

(ii) induces, or attempts to induce, him to leave the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Magistrate by whom the recruiter's license has been countersigned, or

(iii) aids, or attempts to aid, him in leaving any such local limits or going to any depôt, or

(*b*) fails to give a true copy of the statement with which he is provided under section 22 to any person whom he invites to

(*c*) fails to provide any emigrant whom he has engaged, and who has been registered at a place beyond the limits of the port of embarkation, with suitable lodging and food, or otherwise ill-treats any emigrant on his journey to the depôt,

shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

[s. 84.] Fraudulently inducing Native to emigrate.

84. Whoever, by means of intoxication, coercion or fraud, causes, or induces, or attempts to cause or induce, any Native of India to emigrate, or to enter into any agreement to emigrate, or to leave any place with a view to emigrating, shall be punish*able* with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine, or with both.

[s. 85.] False representation of Government authority.

85. Whoever,—

(*a*) without lawful authority, issues any written order to the Police to assist himself or any other person to procure emigrants, or

(*b*) falsely represents that any emigrants are required by the Government or are to be engaged on behalf of the Government,

shall be punish*able* with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

[s. 86.] Receiving emigrants on board vessel in contravention of Act.

86. Any master of a vessel *who*—

(*a*) knowingly receives on board his vessel any emigrant who has not complied with the provisions of this Act or the rules made under this Act, so far as they are binding on him, or,

(*b*) not being licensed under this Act, knowingly receives any emigrant on board his vessel, or,

(*c*) being licensed under this Act, knowingly receives on board his vessel any emigrant in excess of the number specified in his license,

shall be punish*able* with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees for each emigrant so received, or with both; and the vessel, her tackle, apparel and furniture, may be declared by the Court before which the master is tried to be forfeited to His Majesty.

[s. 87.] Fraudulent acts on part of master.

87. Any master licensed under this Act *who* fraudulently does, or suffers to be done, any act or thing whereby the license becomes inapplicable to the altered state of the vessel or other matter to which the license relates, shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to five thousand rupees,

and he may also be sued on any bond which he may have executed under section 58.

[s. 88.] Clearance without compliance with Act.

88. Any master of an emigrant-vessel *who* clears, or attempts to clear, his vessel outwards when

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not been complied with in respect of his vessel, shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to four thousand rupees.

[s. 89.] 89. Any master *who* receives on board his vessel any emigrants and fails to comply with the requirements of sections 62, 63 and 64 in respect of those emigrants, shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees for each emigrant so received on board.

Failure of master to comply with provisions as to lists and passes.

[s. 90.] 90. Any master *who*, having cleared his vessel, takes on board any emigrant not entered in the list mentioned in section 62 or not furnished with a pass required by that section, shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees for each emigrant so taken.

Master taking on board, after clearance, emigrants not entered in list.

[s. 91.] 91. Any master *who* lands any emigrant in any country other than the country for which he has been shipped by the Emigration Agent, shall be punish*able* for every emigrant so landed with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month, or with both, unless the landing has been caused by stress of weather or unavoidable accident or has taken place under the provisions of section 72 or 74.

Master landing emigrant at other than specified country.

[s. 92.] 92. Any master of a sailing-vessel leaving the port of Calcutta with emigrants on board *who*—

Failure to comply with provisions as to leaving Calcutta.

(*a*) does not leave Garden Reach with his vessel within the time prescribed in section 71, or,

(*b*) without reasonable excuse, causes or allows his vessel to go below Garden Reach without being in tow of such a steamer as is referred to in section 72,

shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

[s. 93.] 93. (*1*) Any emigrant *who*—

Emigrant deserting or refusing to proceed to depôt.

(*a*) deserts before arrival at depôt, or

(*b*) refuses without reasonable cause to proceed to the depôt,

shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to twenty rupees, or to the cost incurred in entering into an agreement with, registering and conveying him to the depôt, whichever is greater, and, in default of payment of the fine, with imprisonment which may extend to one month.

(*2*) Any fine levied under this section may, in the discretion of the convicting Magistrate, be paid to the Emigration Agent or recruiter by whom the cost was incurred.

[s. 94] 94. (*1*) Any emigrant *who*—

Emigrant deserting from depôt or failing to embark.

(*a*) deserts from the depôt, or

(*b*) without reasonable cause, refuses or neglects to embark when called upon to do so by the Emigration Agent,

shall be punish*able* with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month, or with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or to double the amount of the cost incurred in entering into an agreement with, registering and conveying him to the depôt, and maintaining him therein, or with both.

(*2*) Any fine levied under this section may, in the discretion of the convicting Magistrate, be paid to the Emigration Agent or recruiter by whom the cost was incurred.

95 Any person *who* causes, or any master *who* knowingly permits, any emigrant to embark contrary to the provisions of section 59, shall be punish*able* with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees for each emigrant so embarked. [s. 95

Causing, or permitting, embarkation of emigrant in contravention of section 59.

Offences against provisions of Chapter XI. 96. Whoever,— [s. 111 (3

(*a*) without having first obtained the permission of the Local Government referred to in section 75, sub-section (*1*), enters or attempts to enter into an agreement purporting to bind any Native of India to depart by sea out of India for any of the purposes specified in the said sub-section, or

(*b*) causes any Native of India engaged by him for any such purpose as aforesaid to depart from any port which is not a port from which emigration is lawful, *or which has not been notified under clause (c) of the explanation to section 75*, or

(*c*) causes any Native of India engaged by him, after grant of the permission referred to in section 75, to depart by sea out of India without registration of the particulars required by section 77, sub-section (*2*),

shall, on conviction by a Magistrate of the first class, be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred and fifty rupees for each Native of India in respect of whom the offence is committed.

97. Prosecutions under sections 86 to 96 (both inclusive) shall not be instituted except as follows, namely:— [s. 96, s. (2).]

Institution of prosecutions.

(*a*) under sections 86 to 92, both inclusive, by the Emigration Agent, or by the Protector of Emigrants, or by an officer appointed for the purpose by the Local Government;

(*b*) prosecutions under section 93, by or with the sanction of a Magistrate or Registering Officer or of the Protector of Emigrants at the port of embarkation;

(*c*) prosecutions under section 94, by the Emigration Agent with the sanction of the Protector;

(*d*) prosecutions under sections 95 *and 96* by the Protector of Emigrants or by an officer appointed for the purpose by the Local Government.

98. The following shall be good defences to charges under sections 93 and 94, respectively, [s. 97.

Defence to charges of desertion.

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(*a*) to a charge under section 93, that the accused person or other emigrants accompanying him has or have been ill-treated, deceived or defrauded by the recruiter or any person under his control;

(*b*) to a charge under section 94, that the emigrant has suffered any ill-treatment or neglect in the depôt or on the journey thither.

Power for Customs-officers to search and detain for purposes of Act.

99. All the powers for the time being conferred by law on officers of sea-customs with regard to the searching and detention of vessels or otherwise for the prevention of smuggling on board thereof, may be exercised by those officers for the prevention of offences against this Act.

CHAPTER XIV.

SUPPLEMENTAL.

Power for Local Government to appoint Magistrate for purposes of Act.

100. The Local Government may appoint any person to perform within a specified area the functions of a Magistrate under this Act.

Suits against Agent for breach.

101. (*1*) *Where* an Emigration Agent is chargeable with a breach of any duty to an emigrant arising from any agreement with the emigrant or imposed by this Act or the rules made under this Act, the Protector of Emigrants may, if he thinks fit, institute a suit on behalf of the emigrant against the Emigration Agent for the compensation for the breach.

(*2*) In awarding compensation under this section all sums ordered to be paid under section 46 or section 48 shall be taken into consideration.

[s. 101.]

Power for Governor General in Council to determine probable lengths of voyages for purposes of Act.

102. (*1*) The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, determine what shall be held to be, for the purposes of this Act, the probable length of the voyages by sailing vessels and vessels using steam power, respectively, from any port from which, to any country to which, emigration is for the time being lawful.

(*2*) Until otherwise determined under this section, the probable length of the voyage by sailing-vessels from the ports mentioned in the third schedule to the countries mentioned in that schedule, shall be deemed to be the lengths stated in that schedule.

[s. 102; XVIII of 1870, s. 7; VII of 1876, s. 2.]

Provision supplementary to section 2 *sub-section* (1) (iv), of this Act.

103. From and from such a date as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, *have fixed or may hereafter, by like notification,* fix in this behalf with respect to any protected Native State adjoining the Straits Settlements, or with respect to any country for labour in which Natives of India are recruited exclusively through the agency of the Government of the Straits Settlements, a Native of India *departing* by sea out of British India under an agreement to labour for hire in any such State or country shall not, so long as the notification continues to apply to the State or country, be deemed to emigrate within the meaning of this Act.

[s. 103.]

Application of Act to emigration from British ports to French and Dutch Colonies.

104. The provisions of this Act shall apply to emigration from British Indian ports—

(*a*) to the French colonies, under the terms of the Convention executed at Paris on the first day of July 1861, and ratified at the same place on the thirtieth day of July 1861, between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and His Majesty the Emperor of the French; and

(*b*) to the Netherlands colony of Dutch Guiana under the terms of the Convention executed at The Hague on the eighth day of September 1870, and ratified at the same place on the seventeenth day of February 1872, between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and His Majesty the King of the Netherlands:

Provided that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to the French colonies, or any one of them, until a notification under section 4, sub section (1), has been issued in respect of such colonies or colony:

Provided *also* that, in any case in which there is any conflict between the provisions of this Act and those contained in either of those Conventions, the latter shall prevail.

[s. 104.]

Application of Act to proceedings in British India with emigration from French port in India to French colonies.

105. The provisions of this Act shall, so far as they relate to proceedings which are to be conducted in British India, apply, in the case of Natives of India who depart by sea from a French port in India under an agreement to labour for hire in a French colony, under the Convention between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and His Majesty the Emperor of the French referred to in the last foregoing section as if such Natives were emigrants within the meaning of this Act

Provided that, in any case in which there is any conflict between the provisions of this Act and those contained in that Convention, the latter shall prevail.

[s. 105; Act I of 1896, s. 1.]

Prohibition of departure by land of a Native of India under an agreement to labour for hire in some country beyond the sea.

106. (*1*) The departure by land out of British India of a Native of India under, or with a view to entering into, an agreement to labour for hire in some country beyond the sea other than the Island of Ceylon or the Straits Settlements is prohibited:

Provided that nothing in this section applies to the departure by land of a Native of India for the purpose of departing by sea from a French port in India under an agreement to labour for hire in a French colony in accordance with the Convention referred to in section 104, clause (*a*), and section 105.

(2) Whoever induces, or attempts to induce, any Native of India to depart by land out of British India in contravention of this section shall be deemed to have committed an offence under section 82.

[s. 106.; Act I of 1895, s. 2.]

107. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, declare that all or any of the provisions of this Act or the rules thereunder shall not apply, or shall apply subject to such conditions, modifications or restrictions as to the Governor General in Council may seem expedient, in the case of Natives of India departing out of British India under an agreement made with, or on behalf of, His Majesty's Government to labour for hire in any country beyond the sea:

Power to declare whole or part of Act and rules inapplicable to Natives of India engaged for *His* Majesty's Government to labour for hire in any country beyond the sea.

Provided that no notification under this section shall be issued unless the Governor General in Council is first satisfied that the fair treatment of Natives of India so departing out of British India has, by rules or otherwise, duly been secured.

CHAPTER XV.

SAVINGS AND REPEALS.

[s. 2.]

108. Nothing in this Act or in any rule made under this Act shall apply to any vessel belonging to, or in the service of, His Majesty or of the Government of India.

Saving for Government vessels.

[s. 5.]

109. All contracts entered into under the Indian Emigration Act, 1871, and Act No. XIV of 1872 (*to exempt the Straits Settlements from the Indian Emigration Act, 1871*), or under any enactment hereby repealed, and in force at the commencement of this Act, shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, be deemed to have been entered into under this Act.

Savings.

VII of 1871.

110. The enactments mentioned in the fourth schedule are hereby repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof.

Repeals.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(See section 4.)

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EMIGRATION IS LAWFUL.

I.—The British Colonies of Mauritius, Jamaica, British Guiana, Trinidad, St. Lucia, Grenada, St. Vincent, Natal, St. Kitts, Nevis, Fiji *and Seychelles.*

II.—The Netherlands Colony of Dutch Guiana

III.—The Danish Colony of St. Croix.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 17.)

FORM OF RECRUITER'S LICENSE.

OFFICE of the Protector of Emigrants at the Port of

A. B., described in the descriptive roll annexed, is hereby licensed under the Indian Emigration Act, 190 , to be a recruiter of emigrants for [*here state the country for which the recruiter is licensed to recruit*] in [*here specify the area within which the recruiter is licensed to recruit*].

This license will be in force until the of unless previously cancelled.

(*Signed*) *C. D.*,
Protector of Emigrants.

Dated the day of

Descriptive Roll.

AGE.			HEIGHT.			Name of Village, local sub division (tahsil, taluq, etc.,) and district to which he belongs.

THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

(See section 102.)

PROBABLE LENGTHS OF VOYAGE BY SAILING VESSEL UNDER THIS ACT.

FROM CALCUTTA	
To Mauritius ...	From the month of April to the month of October, both inclusive, ten weeks; and from the month of November to the month of March, both inclusive, eight weeks.
To Fiji, British Guiana, Trinidad, Grenada, St. Vincent, St. Kitts, Nevis, St. Croix, and Dutch Guiana.	*Eighteen* weeks.
To Natal	Twelve weeks.
To Jamaica and St. Lucia	Twenty weeks.
FROM MADRAS—	
To Mauritius ...	From the month of April to the month of October, both inclusive, seven weeks; and from the month of November to the month of March, both inclusive, six weeks.
To the Seychelles ...	During the north-east monsoon, five weeks; and during the south-west monsoon, six weeks.
To Jamaica, British Guiana, Trinidad, St. Lucia, Grenada, St. Vincent, St. Kitts, Nevis, St. Croix, and Dutch Guiana.	Nineteen weeks.
To Natal	Ten weeks.
To Fiji	Seventeen weeks.
FROM BOMBAY—	
To Mauritius ...	From the month of April to the month of September, both inclusive, five weeks; and from the month of October to the month of March, both inclusive, six weeks.
To Jamaica, British Guiana, Trinidad, St. Lucia, Grenada, St. Vincent, St. Kitts, Nevis, St. Croix, and Dutch Guiana.	Nineteen weeks.
To Natal	

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(*The Fourth Schedule.—Enactments repealed.*)

THE FOURTH SCHEDULE

(*See section 110.*)

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

1	2	3	4
Year.	No.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
1883	XXI	The Indian Emigration Act, 1883.	So much as has not been repealed.
1890	XVIII	The Indian Emigration Act (1883) Amendment Act, 1890.	The whole.
1896	I	The Indian Emigration Act (1883) Amendment Act, 1896.	Ditto

THE FOURTH SCHEDULES.—*contd.*

1	2	3	4
Year.	No.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
1897	VII	The Indian Emigration Act Amendment Act, 1897.	Ditto.
1902	X	The Indian Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1902.	Ditto.
1904	XII	The Indian Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1904.	Ditto.
1908		The Indian Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1908.	Ditto.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. THIS is a pure consolidating Bill. The provisions as to emigration are now scattered about in six Acts to which will be added a seventh when the Bill for the further amendment of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883, now before Council, is passed. The object of the present Bill is to collect these provisions and to incorporate them in one Act. The result will be that the law will be more easily ascertainable and that one Act will take the place of seven on the Statute-book.

2. The fact that the General Clauses Act, 1897, will apply to the Bill when passed has rendered it unnecessary to retain some provisions of the present Acts. The opportunity has been taken to incorporate alterations of a formal character intended merely to improve and simplify the language of the existing Act. Chapter XIV of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883, was added by Act X of 1902; the provisions of this Chapter with the exception of section 111 have been removed to their proper place and form Chapter XI of the Bill; section 111, which relates to offences, has been placed in Chapter XIII. The saving and repealing clauses are placed at the end.

3. No amendment has been made in the existing Act except on the points to which reference is made in the *Notes on Clauses* below.

4. A table showing the disposal of the sections of the Act of 1883 and the amending Acts is appended.

The 29th July 1908. H. ERLE RICHARDS.

Notes on Clauses.

Clause 3 (1).—Karachi has been added as emigration from it has been declared to be lawful by notification under section 7 (*1*).

Clause 104 and the First Schedule.—Emigration to the French Colonies mentioned in paragraph II of the Schedule has been prohibited by notifications issued by the Governor General in Council; emigration to those places is not at present lawful and they have therefore been removed from the schedule. As, however, emigration to those places may again be made lawful by the issue of a notification under clause 4 (*1*), sub-clause (*a*) of section 103, which applies the provisions of the Act to emigration from British ports to French Colonies, has been retained as clause 104 (*a*) with a proviso that it is to take effect only in the event of such a notification being issued.

First Schedule.—The Seychelles has been added to paragraph I; emigration to it has been declared lawful by a notification issued under section 8 (*1*) of the Act.

Third Schedule.—References to the French Colonies have been removed as emigration to those places is, as above explained, not at present lawful.

The probable lengths of voyages by sailing vessels to some of the places mentioned in the schedule have been altered and the length of voyages to the Seychelles has been declared, by notifications issued under section 101 of the Act. The schedule has been amended accordingly.

Table showing disposal of Sections of Act XXI of 1883, and of the amending Acts.

Section.	Clause of the Bill.	Remarks.
ACT XXI OF 1883—		
1	1	
2	108	
3	Omitted ...	Unnecessary as the consolidating Act will come into force at once.
4	*Cf.* 110	
5	109	
6	2 (1)	
6A	2 (2)	
7 (1)	3 (1)	
7 (2)	Omitted ...	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 21.
7 (3)	3 (2)	
8	4	
9	5	
10	6	
11	7	
12 (1)	8	
12 (2)	Omitted ...	Ditto ditto.
13	9	
14	10	
15	11	
16 (1) and (2)	12 (1) and (2)	
16 (3)	Omitted ...	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 16.
16 (4)	12 (3)	
17	13	
18	14	
19	15	
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Section.	Clause of the Bill.	Remarks.
32	28	
33	29	
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64	60	
65	61	
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69	65	
70	Omitted ...	Repealed by Act XVIII of 1890.
71	66	
72	67	

Section.	Clause of the Bill.	Remarks.
73	68	
74	69	
75	70	
76	71	
77	72	
78	73	
79	74	
80 (1)	81 (1) (*a*) to (*q*) and *proviso*	
80 (2)	Omitted ...	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 14.
81 (1) (2) (3)	*Cf.* 81 (2) ..	Ditto ditto, section 23.
81 (4)	*Cf.* 81 (1), first paragraph, added words.	Ditto ditto, section 23 (5).
82 to 95	82 to 95	
96	97	
97	98	
98	99	
99	100	
100	101	
101	102	
102 (1)	103	
102 (2)	Omitted ...	See General Clauses Act, 1897, section 21.
103	*Cf.* 104	
104	105	
105	106	
106	107	
107	75	
108	76	
109	77	
110	78	
111 (1)	96	
111 (2)	See 97 (*d*)	
112	79	
112 A (1)	75, expl. (1)	
112 A (2)	80	
113	81 (1), (*s*); 81 (2)	
Schedules of Act.	Schedules of Bill.	
I, II, III	I, II, III	

Sections.	Clause of the Bill.	Remarks.
ACT XVIII OF 1890—		
1	See 27 (1)	
2	„ 31 1)	
	„ 3[illegible] (4)	
3	„ 33	
4	„ 45	
5	„ 52 (1), proviso	
6	Omitted ...	Repealing section 70 of Act XXI of 1883.
7	See 103	
8	Omitted ...	Saving certain Notifications. See General Clauses Act, 1897 section 24.
ACT I OF 1896—		
1	See 106 (1)	
2	„ 107	
ACT VII OF 1897—		
1	Omitted ...	Short title and commencement.
2	See 103	
ACT X OF 1902—		
1	Omitted ...	Short title and commencement.
2	See preamble	
3	See 2 (1) (v)	
4	See 2 (2)	
5	Omitted ...	Repealing clause (*a*) of the proviso to section 105 of Act XXI of 1883.
6	Chapter XI and clauses 96 and 97 (*d*).	
II OF 1904—		
1	Omitted ...	Short title.
2	See 76	
3	See 75, expl. (1); 80	
1908—		
OF 1	Omitted ...	Short title.
	Do. ...	Unnecessary.
2	Do. ...	Repealing proviso to section 6 of Act XXI of 1883.
3	See 2 (*a*)	
4	See 14	
5	See 81 (*1*) (*a*)	
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J. M. MACPHERSON,
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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th August 1908.*

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Victoria point, Mergui archipelago—Intended exhibition of light.

No. 333 (first publication).—

Particulars.—On or about the 1st November 1908 a light of the undermentioned description will be exhibited from Victoria point at the entrance of the Pakchau river.

Position (approximate).—Lat. 9° 59′ N., long. 98° 33′ E.

Description.—*White fixed*, dioptric.

Order.—6th order.

Visibility.—6 miles.

Charts affected (Admiralty).—No. 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang, &c.

,, 2166, Sayer islands to Lord Loughborough island.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1907, page 67.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, pages 420, 421.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, 28th July 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Bassein river—Furian bank buoy disappeared.

No. 334 (first publication).—In continuation of this Office Notice to Mariners No. 312, dated 31st July 1908, the following additional particulars, etc., relative to the above are published :—

Particulars.—The red conical buoy marking the edge of the shoal water that extends from the shore northward of Furian Point has disappeared.

Former position.—In 4¼ fathoms N. 41° W., 7 miles from Furian Point.

Variation.—1° E.

Remarks.—The above buoy will be replaced by another when the weather permits.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 834, Bassein River and Approaches.

Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, page 341.

Authority.—Port Officer, Bassein.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam.

Samit point—Shoal westward of—.

No. 335 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1113 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A shoal or obstruction, on which the S.S. *Donai* touched, is reported to exist in the undermentioned position.

Position.—Lat. 10° 51′ N., long. 102° 50¼′ E.

Depth.—Not ascertained. A sounding of 18 fathoms was obtained immediately after touching.

Remarks.—This shoal has been placed on the charts and marked "Donai 1908. (Position approximate.)"

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2722, Koh Kut to Bay island.

„ 2414, Gulf of Siam.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages 368, 377.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 1098 of 1908.

JAPAN—Kiusiu, south coast.

Bono Misaki (Me saki)—Light established.

No. 336 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1114 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A lantern light of the undermentioned character has been established on Bono Misaki (Me saki), south coast of Kiusiu.

Position.—Lat. 31° 15′ 3″ N., long. 13° 12′ 37″ E. on chart No. 372.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Elevation.—70 feet.

Visibility.—8 miles.

Light power.—45 candles.

Structure.—Wooden staff, painted white.

Charts affected.—No. 372, Kagosima kaiwan.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Nipon.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
„ 1263, China sea.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 205.
Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 522.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1183 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Kwang Tung Peninsula.

Ryojun Ko (Port Arthur) approach—Buoy established.

No. 337 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 1116 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A buoy of the undermentioned character has been established in the approach to Ryójun Ko (Port Arthur).
Position.—Situated at a distance of 4¾ miles N. 61° E. from Encounter rock.
Lat. 38° 37′ N., long. 121° 43¼′ E.
Description.—Red cylindrical iron buoy.
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1256, Gulfs of Po Chili and Liau Tung.
„ 1262, Hong Kong to Gulf of Liau Tung.
Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 585.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1184 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—South island.

Bluff harbour—Night signal established.

No. 338 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1123 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A signal of the undermentioned character has been established at Bluff harbour to warn vessels waiting to enter at night that an outward-bound vessel is in the channel.
Position.—At Stirling point lighthouse.
Lat. 46° 37′ S., long. 168° 23′ E.
Signal.—A *white fixed* light exhibited seaward, through the South channel, at about 7 feet below the *red fixed* light.
Visibility.—About 4 miles.
Remarks.—The day signal, a square flag shown from the flagstaff on Stirling point, is unaltered.
Chart affected.—No. 3484, Awarua or Bluff harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1689.
New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 312.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 35 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—South island, west coast.

Greymouth harbour—Amended night tidal signals.

No. 339 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1124 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The night signals for crossing the bar at Greymouth have been altered and are now as follows :—
Position.—Lat. 42° 26½′ S., long. 171° 13′ E.

Signal.	Indication.
Signals.—*White* harbour light ...	Wait.
Red light under *white* harbour light	Bar unsafe.
Green light over *white* harbour light	Bar safe for vessels drawing 9 feet.
Green light under *white* harbour light	„ „ „ 11½ „
White light over *white* harbour light	„ „ „ 14 „
White light over, and *green* light under, *white* harbour light	„ „ „ 16 „

Remarks.—No vessel should enter the harbour until the signal lights are shown.
Chart affected.—No. 2591, River Waiau to cape Foulwind, with plan.
Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 371, 472; and Revised Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 34 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Tasmania, north coast.

Circular head—Light established.

No. 340 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1125 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character is exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected near Circular head, north coast of Tasmania
Position.—Situated on a rocky point at a distance of about 1½ miles, N. 25° W., from the summit of Circular head.

Lat. 40° 44¼′ S., long. 145° 17½′ E.

Character.—*White and red fixed* (unwatched).
Elevation.—49 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Sectors.—*Red* from S. 67° E. to S. 25° E., over the reef off North point.
White from S. 25° E., through south and west, to N. 65° W.
Structure.—White wooden hut.
Order.—6th (dioptric).
Remarks.—The exact position of this light is not stated. It has been marked on the chart "Position approximate."
Variation—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross island to Circular head.
,, 1695*b*, Bass strait.
,, 1079, Tasmania.
,, 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
,, 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 319.
Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 619.
Authority.—Hobart Notice, dated 27th May 1908.

CHINA SEA—Pescadores (Hoko) islands, Ponghau island.

Makung harbour (Bako Ko)—Wreck in entrance.

No. 341 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1130 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A wreck of the undermentioned description is situated in the entrance to Makung harbour (Bako Ko), Ponghau island.
Position.—Triumphant point bearing N. 59° W., distant 5 cables, and west extreme of North Fort point North.

Lat. 23° 32¼′ N., long. 119° 33′ E., on chart No. 1338.

Description.—The wreck of H.I.J.M.S. *Matsushima*, showing a mast and funnel above water.
Variation.—1° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1338, Pescadores islands, inner anchorages.
,, 1961, Pescadores islands.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 213.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1187 of 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Gulf of Aden.

Aden outer harbour—Temporary light-vessel removed and replaced by light boat.

No. 342 (first publication).—With reference to this office Notice to Mariners No. 131, dated 3rd April 1908, the following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 79 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On and after the 1st September 1908, the temporary Light-vessel moored 7½ cables west from the Residency flagstaff on Ras Tarshein (exhibiting two white fixed lights placed horizontally) will be removed; and will be replaced by a light boat of the undermentioned description, showing lights of the character given below.
Position.—7½ cables west from the Residency flagstaff on Ras Tarshein. Latitude 12° 46¾′ N.; Longitude 44° 57¾′ E.

Character of Lights.—Two red fixed, vertically placed 8 feet apart.
Description of Vessel.—Painted red, exhibiting by day a red ball at the masthead.
Variation.—1¾° W.
Remarks.—The blue lights at present exhibited every half hour will be discontinued.
Charts affected.—No. 3660, Aden Harbour;
„ 7, Aden Harbour and Approaches.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 25.
Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 350; and Supplement, 1904.
Authority.—Port Officer, Aden.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Gulf of Aden.

Aden harbour—Intended light.

No. 343 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 80 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On and after the 1st September 1908, a light of the undermentioned character will be established on the summit of the headland which forms the western boundary of Conquest Bay.
Position.—Latitude 12° 45′ 50″ N.; Longitude 44° 59′ 20″ E.
Character.—White, revolving every 30 seconds.
Elevation.—180 feet.
Visibility.—15 miles from N. 62½ E. through North to N. 36½ W.
Order.—Catoptric 2nd order.
Description of light-house.—Wooden structure seven feet by six feet, painted in diagonal black and white stripes, and besides the structure stand two poles each thirty feet in height painted black and white in alternate bands.
Variation.—1¾° W.
Charts affected.—No. 6B, Gulf of Aden, Sheet II.
„ 2523, Red Sea (General Chart).
„ 8E, Red Sea, Sheet V.
„ 7, Aden Harbour and Approaches.
„ 1012, Arabian Sea.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 25.
Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 5th edition, 1900, page 349.
Authority.—Port Officer, Aden.

BAY OF BENGAL—Orissa coast.

New Puri port light exhibited.

No. 321 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 191, dated 1st May 1908, issued by this office, it is further notified that the new light at Puri port was exhibited from the 1st August 1908. The intensity of the beam is about 350 candles.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Jaigarh Outer Light—Temporary alteration of character.

No. 322 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 243, dated 13th June 1908, issued by this office, the following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 77 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars	...	The Jaigarh Outer Light will show the character given below until further notice.
Position	...	Latitude 17° 18′ N., Longitude 73° 11′ E
Character	...	White fixed.
Charts temporarily affected	...	No. 826, Karachi to Vengurla. „ 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug. „ 739, Boria Pagoda to Achra River. „ 247, Jaigarh and entrance to Shastri.
Publications	...	List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 250. West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898 page 181.
Authority	...	Commissioner of Customs, Bombay.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Gulf of St. Vincent.

Caution—Semaphore anchorage—Telephone cable laid.

No. 323 (second publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 15 of 1908) that a telephone cable has been laid from the light-house on Wonga shoal to the Semaphore jetty.

Masters of vessels, etc., are prohibited from anchoring in the vicinity of the cable.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1752 and 2389, A and B.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—Chatham island.

Port Hutt—Rock in approach.

No. 324 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1053 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock exists in the approach to port Hutt, Petre bay, Chatham island.

Position.—Western entrance point of Ocean bay bearing N. 34° E, distant $1\frac{3}{5}$ miles, and Matakitaki hill N. 35° W.

Lat. 43° 51¼′ S., long. 176° 46¼′ W.

Description.—Breaks with a westerly swell.

Depth.—Not stated.

Remarks.—The above position is very approximate, there being no opportunity to fix the rock accurately.

Variation.—16° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1417, Chatham islands.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 387.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pegasus*, Hydrographic Note, No. 1 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Banka strait, Banka island.

Tobo Ali—Light established.

No. 325 (second publication)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1055 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at Tobo Ali, Banka strait.

Position.—On head of mole, at about 275 yards westward from the fort flagstaff.

Lat. 3° 0¾′ S., long. 106° 27½′ E., on chart No. 2808.

Character.—*Red fixed.*

Elevation.—22 feet.

Visibility.—8 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 2808, Banka strait; south entrance.
„ 2597, Banka strait.
„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 107.

China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 469.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1116 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam.

Koh Phra islet—Light established.

No. 326 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1059 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been erected on Koh Phra islet, Gulf of Siam.

Position.—On north-west point of islet.

Lat. 12° 38′ 25″ N., long. 100° 50′ 50″ E.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—55 feet.
Visibility.—8 miles.
Order.—6th order.
Structure.—Iron column, 10 feet in height.
Charts affected.—No. 2720, Koh Ta Kut to cape Liant.
„ 2414, Gulf of Siam.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 145

China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 385.

Authority.—Bangkok Notice, 13th May 1908.

CHINA SEA—GASPAR STRAIT, MACCLESFIELD CHANNEL.

Pulo Lepar—Rock eastward of—.

No. 327 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1068 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock is reported to exist off Pulo Lepar.
Position.—Within the 3-fathoms contour, eastern side of the island.

Lat 2° 59′ S., long. 106° 55′ E.

Depth —Dries at low water.
Remarks.—The above position is approximate only, and the rock is probably that charted half-a-mile southward.
Charts affected.—No. 2137, Gaspar strait.
„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.
Publication —China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 501.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MALACCA STRAIT—SUMATRA, EAST COAST.

Langsar river entrance—Buoys established.

No. 328 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1069 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys have been established to mark the eastern entrance to Langsar river, Sumatra.

Position.—Langsar river, eastern entrance.

Lat. 4° 33½′ N., long. 92° 3½′ E.

Buoy.	Position.
No. 1, white conical ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 8° E., distant $2\frac{6}{10}$ miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju S. 74° W.
„ 2, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 18° E. distant 2 miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju N. 84 W.
„ 3, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 40° E., distant 2 miles; east point of Pulo Rawan S. 40° W.
„ 1, black can ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 8° E., distant $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju S. 77° W.
„ 2, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 16° E., distant $1\frac{9}{10}$ miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju N. 81° W.
„ 3, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 41° E., distant $1\frac{9}{10}$ miles; east point of Pulo Rawan S. 45° W.

Remarks.—The white buoys should be left on the starboard hand and the black buoys on the port hand on entering.
Variation.—1° E.
Chart affected.—No. 3574, Langsar bay, etc.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol, I, 1906, page 88.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1114 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST—CHALANG BAY.

Chalang reef—Buoy established.

No. 329 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1070 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A buoy has been established to mark Chalang reef, Chalang bay.
Position.—On north point of Chalang reef, at a distance of $6\frac{3}{4}$ cables S. 75° W. from conspicuous house on eastern shore of bay.

Lat. 4° 38′ N., long. 95° 35′ E., on chart No. 1701.

Description.—White conical buoy.
Variation.—Nil.
Chart affected.—No. 1701, Plan of Rigas and Chalang bays.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 284.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1101 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago harbour—Eastern channel closed; Buoys withdrawn.

No. 330 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1071 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The channel between Harrington point and Black head, eastward of Middle Bank, Otago harbour, is closed for navigation, and the buoys marking its eastern side have been withdrawn.
Position.—Harrington point beacon, lat. 45° 47½′ S., long. 170° 44½′ E.
Position of Buoys.—Situated at distances of $4\frac{3}{10}$ cables, S. 15° E., and $5\frac{4}{10}$ cables, S. 10° E., respectively from Harrington point beacon.
Description.—Red conical buoys.
Remarks.—Vessels must use the dredged channel through Middle bank, which has a depth of 21 feet at low water.
Variation.—16° E.
Chart affected.—No. 2411, Otago harbour with plan of entrance.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 294, 295; Revised Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—New Zealand Notice, No. 33 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide entrance—Colour of light altered.

No. 331 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1083 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The colour of the undermentioned temporary leading light at Port Adelaide entrance has been altered.

Position.—On outer end of training wall, south side of river entrance.

Lat. 34° 48′ S., long. 138° 28′ E.

Alteration.—Altered from white fixed to *red fixed.*
Chart affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 1242.

Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 337.

Authority.—Adelaide Notice No. 7 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—SPENCER GULF.

Harvey bay—Buoy established.

Woods point—Beacon established.

No. 332 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1084 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoy and beacon have been established in Spencer gulf.

1. Harvey bay.

Position.—In a depth of 3½ fathoms on eastern extremity of Tunby island reef.

Lat. 34° 24′ 50″ S., long. 136° 9′ 30″ E.

Description.—A black can buoy with staff and diamond topmark.

Remarks.—It may be assumed that this buoy is in place of the buoy charted close north-east of the reef.

2. Woods point.

Position.—On Woods point spit, in a depth of 5 feet, with Woods point bearing S. 74° E., distant 4 $\frac{7}{10}$ miles, and Jarrold point N. 4° E.

Lat. 33° 22′ 5″ S., long 137° 47′ 30″ E.

Description.—Red pillar beacon with spherical topmark.
Charts affected.—No. 403, Wood point to Lowly point.
,, 2389*b*, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs.
Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. *I*, 1907, pages 214, 256.
Authority.— Adelaide Notice, No. 9 of 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Caution—Bassein river—Porian shoal buoy adrift.

No. 312 (third publication).—A telegraphic communication, dated 29th July 1908, has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, stating that the Porian shoal buoy has gone adrift and will be replaced when weather permits.

Mariners are hereby warned.

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG, SOUTH CHANNEL APPROACH.

Yang tse cape bell-buoy—Position and character altered.

No. 313 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1001 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The bell-buoy established to mark the shoal water extending from Yang tse cape, Yang tse Kiang, has been replaced by a buoy of the undermentioned description moored in the position given below.

Position.—Moored in a depth of 12 feet at a distance of 9 $\frac{3}{10}$ miles N. 44° W. from Gutzlaff lighthouse.

Lat. 30° 54′ 50″ N., long. 122° 2′ 5″ E.

Description.—A bell-buoy having a conical superstructure surmounted by a black spherical cage.

Variation.—3° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse Kiang.
,, 1199, Kueshan islands to Yang tse Kiang.
Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 405.

Notice to Mariners No. 346 of 1908. (*This office No. 137 of 3rd April 1908.*)

Authority.—Shanghai Notice, No. 314 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Shantung, Kyau Chau bay entrance.

Arkona island light—Replaced by temporary lights.

No. 314 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1002 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—At the end of May 1908, Arkona island light (red occulting), in the entrance to Kyau Chau bay, was temporarily replaced by lights of the undermentioned character:—

Position.—Lat. 36° 3¼′ N., long. 120° 18¾′ E.
Character.—Two *green fixed* lights, vertical.
Elevation.—79 and 69 feet respectively.
Visibility.—2 miles.
Description of Structure.—Suspended from the light tower.
Chart temporarily affected.—No. 857, Kyau Chau bay.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 880.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 531; Supplement, 1907.

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1322 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam, Malay peninsula—Chomporn (Chumpon) bay.

Metaphon islet—Light established.

No. 315 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1003 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On 9th May 1908, a light of the undermentioned character was established at the entrance to Chomporn (Chumpon) river.
Position.—On islet, now known as Metaphon, at the entrance to river.

Lat. 10° 27′ 35″ N., Long. 99° 13′ 40″ E.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—128 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Order.—4th order.
Structure.—Iron support on piles.
Charts affected.—No. 989, Lakon roads to Lem Tane.
„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.
„ 2414, Gulf of Siam.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 145.

China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 362.

Authority.—Bangkok Notice, 13th May 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Celebes island, east coast.

Tomori gulf—Beacons established.

No. 316 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1004 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Screw pile beacons of the undermentioned description have been established to mark certain dangers in Tomori bay as follows:—

Position.	Beacon.
On north side of a reef, lat. 1° 58′ 0″ S., long. 121° 51′ 45″ E.	Beacon with black truncated cone topmark.
On the north side of a small one-fathom patch, lat. 2° 13′ 0″ S., long. 121° 48′ 15″ E.	„ „ „
On southern side of a reef, lat. 2° 11 0″ S., long. 121° 44′ 20″ E.	Beacon with a white ball topmark.
In 3 feet water off southern point of reef, 2½ miles eastward of Lingkobo point, lat. 2° 2′ 50″ S., long. 121° 33′ 40″ E.	„ „ „

Charts affected.—No. 2195, Plan of Tomori gulf.
„ 3616, Tomori gulf to Salayai strait.
„ 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 370.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1074 of 1908.

INDIA, WEST—Sind coast.

Karachi, Manora light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 317 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1005 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—About the middle of January 1909, Manora point white fixed light will be replaced by a light of the undermentioned character. During the alterations provisional light as given below will be exhibited.

Position.—Lat. 24° 47½′ N., long. 66° 58½′ E.

Character.—*White flashing every seven and a half seconds*, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse,
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$7\frac{2}{10}$ secs.

Elevation.—149 feet.
Visibility.—18 miles.
Power.—1,100,000 candles.
Structure.—Tower, 124 feet from base to vane.

Provisional light.

Position.—Gallery of lighthouse.
Character.—*White fixed.*
Elevation.—140 feet
Visibility.—From N. 56° W., through north, to S. 56° E.
Power.—350 candles.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 40, Karachi harbour.
„ 41, Monze cape to Kediwari mouth.
„ 42, Sind and Kutch coast.
826, Karachi to Vengurla.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 198.

Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 303; Supplement, 1903.

Authority.—Royal Indian Marine Survey, 3rd May 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—South island.

Bluff harbour—Leading beacon lights established.

No. 318 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issue by the British Admiralty (No. 1096 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Leading beacon lights have been established in Awarua or Bluff harbour, as follows:—

Position.—"35 feet ▲" westward of quarantine station, lat. 46° 36½′ S., long. 168° 23½′ E.

1. Tewaewae rocks.

Positions.—Front beacon, 480 yards S. 77° E. from "35 feet ▲."
Rear „ 925 „ N. 36° E. „ „
Characters.—*White fixed* light on each beacon.
Visibility.—6 miles respectively.
Leading Line.—The above beacons in line N. 5° E. lead through South channel.

2. Tewaewae point.

Positions.—Front light, 440 yards S. 71° W. from 35 feet ▲.
Rear „ 520 „ N. 86° W. „ „
Characters.—*Red fixed* light on each beacon
Visibility.—4 miles respectively.
Leading Line.—The above beacon lights in line N. 32° W. lead through the fairway from the leading line mentioned above to that mentioned below.

3. Middle bank.

Position.—On Middle bank red and white dolphins as shown on the chart.
Characters.—*Green fixed* light on each dolphin.
Leading Line.—These dolphin lights in line N. 68° W. lead through the fairway.

Note.—"Posn. approx." has been placed on the chart against the beacon lights in (1) and (2).
Variation.—18° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3484, Awarua or Bluff harbour.
„ 2540, „ „ „
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 347.
New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 312, 313; Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 31 of 1908.

AFRICA, SOUTH—Cape Colony—Mossel bay.

Aliwal light—Amended limit of Sectors.

No. 319 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1007 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—The limit of the sectors of the *fixed* light on the jetty head at Aliwal, Mossel bay, is that given below.
Position.—Lat. 34° 11′ S., long. 22° 9′ E.
Limit.—*Red* when bearing to the westward of S. 37° W., and *green* when bearing to the southward of S. 37° W.
Remarks.—The light shows *green* over the anchorage.
Variation.—29° W.
Charts affected.—No. 639, Mossel bay.
„ 2083, cape Agulhas to Mossel bay.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 12.
Africa Pilot, vol. III, 1905, page 105, is correct.
Notice to Mariners No. 125 of 1908. (*This office No. 75 of 22nd February 1908.*)
Authority.—The Harbour Master, Mossel bay, 1st June 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Hunghwa sound.

Lam Yit channel—Rock.

No. 320 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1028 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock exists on the western side of Lam Yit channel, Hunghwa sound entrance.
Position.—Fort Hill point bearing N. 10° W., distant $1\frac{1}{16}$ miles, and Clam islet N. 74° E.

Lat. 25° 15′ N., long. 119° 22¾′ E.

Depth.—About 6 feet.
Variation.—1° W.
Remarks.—The rock is temporarily marked by the wreck of a steamer, of which only a part of the upper deck shows above water.
Charts affected.—No. 1761, Ockseu islands to Tung Yung.
„ 1968, Formosa island and strait.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
Publication.—China Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 192.
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REPORT ON THE COTTON CROP OF BENGAL, AUGUST 1908.

THE following note is published for general information.

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Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 17th August 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First Report on the Cotton Crops of Bengal, August 1908.

(On an average of the five years ending 1906-07, the area under cotton crop in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 0·38 per cent. of the total area under cotton in India.)

Explanatory.—This report deals with the area sown and prospects of the early crop, and furnishes information also regarding the progress made in the sowings of the late crop.

Character of the season.—The early cotton crop which is generally sown before the rains is important in the Sonthal Parganas, Sambalpur, Manbhum, Singhbhum and Ranchi.

Sowings were normal except in Manbhum, Angul, Palamau and parts of Monghyr where they were late owing to want of rain. The weather conditions have been generally favourable, Bankura, parts of Midnapore and of Monghyr and the Sonthal Parganas excepted, where prospects are not good. A little damage has been done to the crop by caterpillars in Sambalpur.

The chief late cotton-growing districts are Saran Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Singhbhum and Cuttack. Sowings were normal and the prospects of the crop are reported to be fair so far.

Area sown.—The area sown with early cotton is estimated at 40,506 acres, against 35,341 acres finally returned in the previous year.

It is not possible now to estimate the area that will be put under late cotton during the season, as sowings have not yet been completed. The information to hand shows that 28,760 acres have already been sown. In the final cotton forecast of 1907, the total area under the crop was shown as 34,924 acres.

CALCUTTA,
The 8th August 1908.

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for *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.*

First Report on the Cotton Crops of Bengal, August 1908.

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DISTRICT.	Nature of the crop, early or late.	Area in acres sown in the current year (1908-1909).	Area in acres of the previous year (1907-1908).	AVERAGE AREA IN ACRES UNDER COTTON OF PRECEDING.		FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops, and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
				Five years.	Ten years.	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastral survey.			
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.			
Bankura ...	Early cotton ...	200	300	365*	365*	16,408	1889 to 1902 and 1906-07.	Not available	12th May	The general condition of the crop is not good. Late cotton is sown in this district in October. The date of sowing this year was normal.	
	Late cotton ...	.....	1,400	1,660	1,730						
Midnapore ...	Early cotton ...	1,700	1,700	1,820	1,820	35,342	1893 to 1898	338	15th June in case of early cotton and March to July in case of late cotton.	The weather and general condition of the crop have been good at the Sadar Subdivision. In Contai and Tamluk the weather was not favourable. Sowings were early in the Sadar and Contai Subdivisions and normal in Tamluk.	
	Late cotton ...	500	400	1,940	2,020						
Patna ...	Early cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Early cotton is not grown in the district. The weather has been favourable and the general condition of the crop is good. The date of sowing this year was normal. The decrease in the area is due to insufficient rain at the time of sowing.	
	Late cotton ...	1,000	1,300	1,300	1,420	73,164	1900 to 1901	5	July		
Shahabad ...	Early cotton ...	520	512	46†	46†	.....	.....	.....	July	The general condition of the crop is reported to be good so far. The date of sowing was normal.	
	Late cotton ...	565	626	867‡	867‡						

* Figures for 1906 only.
† Average of two preceding years only.
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1	2	3	4	5		6	7	8	9	10	11
District.	Nature of the crop, early or late.	Area in acres sown in the current year (1908-1909).	Area in acres of the previous year (1907-1908).	Average area in acres under cotton of preceding.		Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops, and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
				Five years.	Ten years.	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastral survey.			
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.			
Saran	Early cotton ...	900	600	512*	512*	1,633,435	1893 to 1901	14,839	End of April	The date of sowing was normal. The weather up to the present has been favourable and prospects are fair.	
	Late cotton ...	13,500	13,600	14,635	19,997				15th June		
Champaran ...	Early cotton ...	163	167	.....	.....	2,239,840	1892 to 1899	2,094	1st March in case of early cotton and from 1st to 15th May in case of late cotton.	The weather for the late cotton crop is favourable and the condition of the crop is satisfactory. The date of sowing is normal. The decrease in the area sown is due to the fact that the cultivation of the crop is not considered profitable by the people.	
	Late cotton ...	237	897	1,598	1,969						
Muzaffarpur ...	Early cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	The general condition of the crop is fair. The weather has been favourable so far. The date of sowing this year was normal.	
	Late cotton ...	4,000	5,000	5,677	5,169	1,942,440	1891 to 1892 and 1899 to 1900.	6,100	1st week of June.		

Darbhanga ...	Early cotton ...	179	135	62*	62*	2,142,690	1896 to 1903	2,300	February and March in Madhubani Subdivision, but May and June in Sadar and Samastipore Subdivisions.	The weather is good and the general condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.
	Late cotton ...	3,930	3,788	2,889	4,549					
Monghyr ...	Early cotton ...	153	168	140	270	996,332	1901 to 1904	Not surveyed	June	The weather and general condition of the crops are fair in the Begusarai Subdivision, but unfavourable in the Jamui Subdivision. The date of sowing was normal in Begusarai, but late in Jamui.
	Late cotton ...	207	140	320	600					
Bhagalpur ...	Early cotton ...	320	320	340	5,820	1,027,248	1902 to 1904	3	Middle of June in case of early cotton and middle of September in case of late crop.	The weather and general condition of the crops are good. The date of sowing was normal.
	Late cotton ...	82	82	266	1,453			44		
Santhal Parganas.	Early cotton ...	10,500	10,500	10,500	11,080	3,272,000	1899 to 1903-1904.	16,903	June	The general condition of the crop is good at Deoghur and Jamtara, but not promising at Dumka and Godda, owing to want of timely rain.
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Cuttack ...	Early cotton ...	400	400	1,948	2,460	2,068,437	1887 to 1895 and 1899 to 1901.	2,604	Last week of June.	The weather and general condition of the crops are good. The date of sowing was normal. Sowing of late cotton has not yet begun.
	Late cotton ...	.....	2,300	3,560	3,880					
Balasore ...	Early cotton ...	63	63	115	468	1,095,778	1891 to 1892 and 1894 to 1895.	111	15th June	The weather was favourable and the condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.
	Late cotton ...	200	200	280	170					

* Average of two preceding years only.

1	2	3	4	5		6	7	8	9	10	11
DISTRICT.	Nature of the crop, early or late.	Area in acres sown in the current year (1908-1909).	Area in acres of the previous year (1907-1908).	AVERAGE AREA IN ACRES UNDER COTTON OF PRECEDING—		FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops, and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
				Five years.	Ten years.	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastral survey.			
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.			
Angul	Early cotton ...	1,500	2,000	2,000	2,300	563,840	1888 to 1889 ...	Not ascertained.	20th June ...	The weather has been favourable to the crop, but the date of sowing this year was late. The small area in Column 3 is due to rain being late and to the people being engaged in sowing paddy.	
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	1,300	1,425						
Puri	Early cotton ...	203	233	657	2,259	1,599,360	1898 to 1899 ...	422	June ...	The decrease in the area is due to want of timely rain.	
	Late cotton ...	.....	191	384	1,622						
Sambalpur ...	Early cotton ...	5,100	5,529	11,175	9,525	2,447,360	1884 to 1887 and 1891 to 1897.	30,631	15th to 30th June.	Last years' area in Column 4 was only an estimate, but now the actual area has been given after due checking. The figures in Column 6 have now been revised according to recent Settlement Reports. The date of sowing was normal. The crop is reported to be doing well, but caterpillars are said to have done a little damage to it in places. Late cotton is not grown in the district.	
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		

Hazaribagh ...	Early cotton ...	7,305	1,014	1,705	4,294	.....	.....	.....	...	The general condition of the crop is good. The weather has been favourable. The date of sowing was normal.
	Late cotton ...	339	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Ranchi ...	Early cotton ...	2,900	2,800	2,960	3,540	The district is being cadastrally surveyed			La ter o Ju	The weather and general condition of the crops have been good. The date of sowing was normal.
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Palamau ...	Early cotton ...	500	900	2,360	5,090	187,320	1895 to 1897	1,434	Middle of July.	The condition of the crop is good. The date of sowing this year was late. The decrease in the area is probably due to want of sufficient moisture in the soil at the time of sowing.
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Manbhum ...	Early cotton ...	4,000	4,000	5,350	8,260	Not cadastrally surveyed			End of June	The general condition of the crop is good. The date of sowing was a little late.
	Late cotton ...	1,200	1,200	1,120	1,211*					
Singhbhum ...	Early cotton ...	4,000	4,000	3,900	4,750	1,761,987	1895 to 1897 and 1900 to 1902.	1,813	May, June and July.	The general condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.
	Late cotton ...	3,000	3,000	3,000	2,550					
Total	Early cotton ...	40,506	35,341	45,460	62,831	.....	.....	...	.....	
	Late cotton ...	28,760	24,524	39,106	50,952	.....	.....	.....	.....	

* Average of 9 years.

REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE SALT MARKET FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1908-1909.

No. 4226B., dated Calcutta, the 10th August 1908.

From—Pandit Rama Ballabha Misra, M.A., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P., Mis. Revenue Dept.,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I am directed to submit the following report on the state of the salt market for the first quarter of the year 1908-1909, comprising the months of April, May and June 1908.

Member in charge :
The Hon'ble Mr. E. W. Collin, I.C.S.

2. The quantity of salt of every description cleared during the quarter amounted to 34,04,461 maunds as compared with 26,04,712 maunds in the previous quarter, and 32,21,915 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year. The net amount of duty levied thereon was Rs. 30,87,387, as against Rs. 24,06,420 in the previous quarter, and Rs. 28,93,923 in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

3. The subjoined Table I shows in detail the importations into the port of Calcutta and the total clearances of sea-imported salt during the quarter, as compared with the figures of the corresponding quarters of the two previous years:—

Table I.

Whence imported.	1906-1907. First quarter. Imported.	1906-1907. First quarter. Cleared.	1907-1908. First quarter. Imported.	1907-1908. First quarter. Cleared.	1908-1909. First quarter. Imported.	1908-1909. First quarter. Cleared.
1	2	3	4	5		
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom ...	19,27,118	11,53,047	13,96,077	11,85,257	9,96,762	8,41,979
Hamburg and Bremen	2,13,367	2,13,315	3,29,182	2,23,232	3,45,073	3,34,519
Spain	6,82,755	4,01,017	3,94,516	3,40,229	8,47,660	5,69,008
Port Said	89,662	1,03,485	2,11,570	1,31,860	23,956	1,40,523
Salif	3,38,552	6,76,639	4,92,188	4,67,830	5,03,141	6,42,777
Rawayah		39,940	.....	.....	.....	.....
Aden ...	3,46,215	4,11,852	1,88,027	4,41,073	4,85,426	5,20,962
Muscat, Linga, Hanjam, &c. ...		20,800	.....	360	.....	.....
Rock Salt		4,270	10,072	6,160	10,085	4,272
North Africa, Egypt., &c.		1	.....	.....	.....	...
Bombay	3,17,266	2,61,074	4,51,941	3,03,783	4,04,957	2,89,867
Madras, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Masulipatam, &c.			3,190	7,764		708
Australia (Victoria) and Straits Settlements.						
Phocee				85,145		29,477
Total	39,05,935	32,85,441	34,76,763	31,92,643	36,17,060	33,74,092

Compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year, importations were greater by 4·04 per cent., but as compared with the same quarter of 1906-1907, they were less by 7·4 per cent., the corresponding figures for clearances are respectively 5·7 per cent., and 2·7 percent., in excess.

4. Table II shows the quantity of sea-imported salt remaining in the warehouses at the close of the quarter, as compared with the preceding four quarters:—

Table II.

Where stored.	First quarter of 1907-1908.	Second quarter of 1907-1908.	Third quarter of 1907-1908.	Fourth quarter of 1907-1908.	First quarter of 1908-1909.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Sulkea Government Salt Golas	8,01,707	17,88,941	19,06,950	18,51,003	17,25,657
Kidderpore Dock ditto	1,30,787	5,57,226	5,33,667	2,44,933	3,37,195
Chandbali (private bonded salt warehouses) ...	11,300	8,680	11,700	8,000	3,103
Total ...	9,43,794	23,53,947	24,46,317	21,03,935	20,65,955

The stocks remaining in the golas at the close of the quarter were less than those of the previous three quarters, but considerably greater than those of the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

5. The figures showing the despatches of salt from Calcutta by different routes during the quarter under report will be published as usual in the *Calcutta Gazette* by the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence, when they are available.

6. The quantity of salt despatched during the quarter by the East Indian Railway to stations beyond Buxar amounted to 1,711 maunds, as against 810 maunds in the previous quarter and 1,266 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

7. The quantity of saltpetre salt excised in the refineries of Bengal during the quarter amounted to 4,398 maunds, as compared with 8,332 maunds in the previous quarter and 3,987 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

8. The shipments of Liverpool salt during the quarter for the port of Calcutta, according to the published market reports amounted to 37,763 tons. It is reported that the vessel S. S. *Wardenfels* is on the sea bound for Calcutta with a cargo of salt from Hamburg. The vessel will discharge part of the cargo at Rangoon, but the quantity is not yet known.

9. Table III shows the average wholesale prices* per 100 maunds of Liverpool salt and other descriptions of salt during each fortnight of the quarter.

TABLE III.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1908.	Fortnight ending 30th April 1908.	Fortnight ending 15th May 1908.	Fortnight ending 31st May 1908.	Fortnight ending 15th June 1908.	Fortnight ending 30th June 1908.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Liverpool *panga*	63 0 0	54 8 0	52 6 9	55 0 0	55 0 0	50 10 8
Hamburg *karkatch*	48 8 0	46 8 0	44 14 6	44 1 8	41 13 4	44 1 7
Bombay *karkatch*	47 0 0	47 0 0	43 8 0	42 9 4	41 13 4	44 0 0
Aden crushed	44 13 1	41 14 2	41 14 8	44 1 9	46 11 4	43 1 5
Salif ditto	40 12 9	40 0 0	39 10 8	39 4 0	39 10 8	40 0 6

The price of Liverpool *panga* was high at the beginning of the quarter, as buyers had to replenish their stocks, which had run low in anticipation of a reduction of duty. The price fell towards the end of the quarter. The prices of Hamburg *karkatch*, Bombay *karkatch* and Salif crushed fell. The average price of 100 maunds of Madras salt was Rs. 50.

10. The quantity of sea-imported salt admitted into, and cleared from, bond at the inland warehousing station of Chandbali, in the district of Balasore, during the quarter and the corresponding quarter of the previous year, is given below :—

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	ADMITTED INTO BOND.		CLEARED.	
	First quarter of 1907-1908.	First quarter of 1908-1909.	First quarter of 1907-1908.	First quarter of 1908-1909.
1	2	3	4	5
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
English *panga*	31,860	26,000	29,272	30,369

* These prices are exclusive of Port Commissioners' special toll of annas 4 per ton and customs duty of Re. 1 per maund.

As compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year, the quantity admitted into bond was less by 18·4 per cent., but that cleared was greater by 3·7 per cent.

11. The quantity of Madras and Bombay salt imported inland and consumed in each of the districts of the Orissa Division, including the Tributary States, during the quarter and the previous two quarters, is shown below :—

Name of District.	Madras salt.			Bombay salt.			Remarks.
	Third quarter of 1907-1908.	Fourth quarter of 1907-1908.	First quarter of 1908-1909.	Third quarter of 1907-1908.	Fourth quarter of 1907-1908.	First quarter of 1908-1909.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	
Cuttack	2,51,696	2,26,089	2,64,971	5,011	7,736	22,573	
Balasore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Puri	73,401	52,484	1,02,756	.....	.....	.....	
Total	3,25,097	2,79,173	3,67,727	5,011	7,736	22,573	

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 17th August 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	0·98	7½	7	Weather showery with bright intervals. Rainfall at Kalna 2·53, Katwa 1·85 and Asansol 3·27 inches. Transplantation of paddy nearly over. Prospects of jute fair. Insect pests damaging jute and rice crops in parts of the district. Condition of sugar-cane fair. Grain stocks sufficient. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. 361 persons given gratuitous relief in the Katwa subdivision.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·68	7	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Rampur Hat 0·74 inches. Transplantation of paddy nearly finished Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	5·12	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy finished. An insect pest doing damage to paddy in some parts of the district. Persons gratuitously relieved on the 14th August—220 men, 649 women and 207 children—total 1,076. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 6 to 7 seers a rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE ..	3·03	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 4·48, Tamluk 1·51 and Ghatal 2·87 inches. Transplantation nearing completion. *Aus* paddy being cut in places. Damage by insects reported in the northern thanas. Prospects of jute fair and that of maize and *til* good. Common rice selling at 7 seers a rupee at Contai, 6 seers at Tamluk and 7⅜ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	0·82	6½	6½	Rainfall in the district general. Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute and sugar-cane fair. *Aus* and *aman* paddy being damaged by insect pests. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. Cutting of jute commenced in thana Chanditola. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	1·43	6¾	6¾	Rainfall at Uluberiah 1·69 inches. Weather seasonable. Prospects of jute not good. Jute on low lands does not exist; that on high lands thriving. *Aus* paddy doing well. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fairly good. Prices of food-grains stationary both at the Sadar and Uluberiah subdivision.
7	24-PARGANAS	3·12	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Jute not favourable. Paddy damaged by insects in parts of Barasat, Basirhat and Baduria thanas and by recent heavy rain in parts of Basirhat and Diamond Harbour and in Vishnupur, Bhangor and Jaynagar thanas. Common rice selling at 6¼ seers a rupee at Barasat, at 6¾ seers at Basirhat, and 7 seers at Barrackpore and Diamond Harbour.
8	NADIA ...	2·75	6⅞	6⅝	Rainfall at Ranaghat 1·46, Chuadanga 2·24, Meherpur 1·28 and Kushtia 0·84 inches. More rain wanted. Prospects of *aus* paddy fair. *Aman* paddy doing well. Insect-pests reported from the Meherpur, Ranaghat and Sadar subdivisions. Prospects of jute fair. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity prevalent in the Meherpur subdivision. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending 24 test-works on 12th instant—3,541 men and 26

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	0·79	7	7	Weather cloudy with occasional light showers. Rainfall at Lalbagh 0·63, Kandi 0·95 and Jangipur 0·62 inch. Transplantation of *aman* paddy going on; but somewhat retarded in Jangipur where prospects of the *bhadoi* paddy also unfavourable. Condition of jute fair. Some damage by insect pests in thana Mirjapur. No cattle-disease.
10	JESSORE ...	1·78	$7\frac{7}{16}$	$7\frac{5}{16}$	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Jhenidah 1·21, Magura 1·20, Bangnon 2·54 and Narail 1·21 inches. Harvesting of *aus* paddy commenced. More rain very urgently wanted. Condition of jute not favourable. Stocks of food-grains being supplemented by the imports of Burma rice. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease High prices continuing. 56 persons employed on District Board test-works and 4,254 persons given gratuitous relief.
11	KHULNA ...	0·75	$8\frac{1}{2}$	$8\frac{1}{2}$	Rainfall at Bagerhât 0·63, Satkhira 1·66 inches. Prices of staple food-grain almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. More rain wanted. Condition of agricultural stock good. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops fair and of jute not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	0·40	7 $10\frac{1}{4}$*	7 10*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. *Bhadoi* crops suffering for want of rain without heavy downpour. Transplantation of paddy not taken in hand. Paddy seedlings withering in places. Sugarcane doing well. Prices almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to be sufficient if not largely exported. No cattle-disease. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	0·20	8† $9\frac{3}{4}$*	$7\frac{3}{4}$† $8\frac{3}{4}$*	Weather hot, sometimes cloudy. Transplantation of paddy seedlings almost stationary for want of rain. Sugarcane and other *bhadoi* crops doing well, the latter suffering in places owing to drought. Rain very urgently wanted for standing crops. Prices almost stationary with a slight fall at Sadar. Cattle-disease continuing in some villages in the Nawadah sub-division. Fodder and water sufficient for cattle.
14	SHAHABAD ...	0·23	8† 9†	8 9*	Rainfall at Buxar 4·40, Sasaram 3·11, Bhabhua 2·12 and Dehri 3·02 inches. The condition of standing crops improved by the recent rain. Transplantation of paddy commenced except in places where rainfall is still insufficient. Prices of food-grains almost stationary. Food-stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	0·15	$8\frac{1}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{4}$*	$8\frac{1}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather hot. Rainfall at Siwan 2·79 and Gopalganj 1·40 inches. Weeding of *bhadoi* crops and transplantation of winter rice going on. The state of standing crops good. Rain wanted. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stock resources external. Agricultural stock good. Cattle-disease (locally called *Dhika*) reported from one village. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Inches. 0·78	8 $10\frac{1}{2}$*	8 $10\frac{1}{2}$*	Rainfall at Bettiah 1·61 inches. Distribution of rainfall irregular and local. Weeding of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Transplantation of winter paddy going on, but more rain wanted. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·69	8 $10\frac{3}{4}$*	8 $10\frac{3}{4}$*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Rainfall at Sitamarhi 0·05 and Hajipur 0·17 inches. Scattered showers of varying quantity reported from various parts of the district. Transplantation of paddy continuing on very low lands. Standing crops withering in some places in the Hajipur subdivision for want of moisture. Prospects of jute good in Belsund and Pupri thanas of the Sitamarhi subdivision. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice and maize selling at $7\frac{3}{4}$ and $19\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee respectively at Sitamarhi, and at $7\frac{3}{16}$ and $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee respectively at Hajipur. No apprehension of scarcity, but more rain urgently wanted.
18	DARBHANGA ...	1·28	$8\frac{1}{4}$ 9*	$8\frac{1}{4}$ 10*	Weather hot and at times cloudy. Rain urgently wanted. The rainfall at the Sadar subdivision local, and practically no rain in the Madhubani subdivision. Crops suffering and agricultural operations retarded everywhere for want of rain. Transplantation of rice impossible at present and *bhadoi* crops suffering from the heat. Agricultural stock sufficient. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water available. Prices very high and showing tendency to rise.
19	MONGHYR ...	1·60	7 10*	7 $9\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather hot and cloudy. Want of rain being very keenly felt. Transplantation of paddy not commenced yet. Paddy seedlings reported to be withering in places. More rain wanted for *bhadoi* crops. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Condition of agricultural stock good.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	1·36	$8\frac{3}{16}$ $10\frac{1}{8}$*	$8\frac{3}{16}$ $10\frac{1}{8}$*	Weather hot, sometimes cloudy. Rainfall at Banka 3·35, Madhipura 0·51 and Supaul 0·16 inches. Much good done by recent rain at Banka and Sadar. More rain wanted in Supaul and Madhipura, where transplantation has been stopped. *Kacha* wells being dug in some places in Madhipura to save seedlings. Prospects of jute poor in Supaul, but fair elsewhere. No cattle-disease reported. No apprehension of famine at present. Prices almost stationary in the Sadar and Banka subdivision, rising in Madhipura and Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	0·17	7	7	Weather hot and at times cloudy. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy going on in some places in Araria and Kishanganj. At standstill at the Sadar subdivision for want of rain. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy commenced at Araria. Cutting of jute begun, but difficulty in steeping it for want of water. Condition of jute fair. Prospects of paddy crops unfavourable. Seedlings withered in many places. Stocks of food-grains and agricultural stock adequate. Scarcity not yet apprehended. Cattle-disease reported from Raniganj, Forbesganj and Dhamdaha thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Kishanganj and 8 seers at Araria.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1		3	4	5	6
		Inches			
22	DARJEELING ...	0·20	7 / 10*	7 / 10*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize growing and being harvested in some places. Potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy growing and being harvested in some places. Winter rice and *bara marua* being sown. Terai—Transplantation of winter rice in progress. Prospects of jute not favourable. Other standing crops doing well. Stock of food-grains sufficient.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	1·56	7 / 9*	6½ / 9*	Rainfall at Deoghur 0·33, Godda 1·71, Jamtara 3·07, Pakour 1·08 and Rajmahal 0·48 inches. Rain urgently wanted in the north of the district where transplantation of paddy is retarded. Prospects of maize and jute fair Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Small loans being given to poorer cultivators. Fodder and water sufficient. Cholera and cattle-disease reported from places. Chittagong and Burmah rice being imported from Rampur Hat.
24	CUTTACK ...	5·76	7¾	7¾	Rainfall at Jajpur 8·44, Kendrapara 1·45 and Banki 4·07 inches. *Bidi* paddy in ear and in some places ripening. *Saradh* paddy being transplanted. Sugarcane, turmeric, cotton, jute and *mandia* growing. Condition of jute crop fair. Condition of cattle generally good. Prospects of standing crops good. 693 men, 1,657 women and 3,737 children—total 6,087 on gratuitous relief. 153 men, 152 women and 354 children—total 659—attending test-works.
25	BALASORE ...	5·16	7¾	7½	Rainfall at Bhadrak 0·84 inches. Weather seasonable. Puddling, transplanting and weeding of *saradh* paddy continuing. Vegetables doing well. Sugarcane and jute thriving. Prospects of jute fair. *Saradh* and *bidi* paddy in some parts of Chandbali and Dhamnagore under flooded water, but damage not reported. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some parts of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal, Basta and Jellasore thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee at Bhadrak. 54 men, 262 women and 256 children—total 572—at Sadar, and 296 men, 1,998 women and 2,821 children—total 5,115—at Bhadrak receiving gratuitous relief. 20 men, 290 women and 118 children—total 428—attending test-work at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	...	...	6	Report not received.
27	PURI ..	3·35	6 9/16	7 3/16	*Bidi* paddy growing well. Puddling of *saradh* continuing. Miscellaneous crops thriving. Fodder and water sufficient. 278 men, 223 women and 722 children—total 1,223—attending test-works. Recipients of gratuitous relief—men 340, women 1,224 and children 1,073—total 2,637. Piece-work attended by 66 men.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
	1	2	3	4	5
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	8·46	10	9½	Weather cloudy. Transplantation, reploughing and weeding of autumn and winter rice in progress. *Ali* lands under preparation for sowing of *urid* and *til* in Sambalpur. Sowing of *til* and *urid* continuing in Bargarh. Condition of standing crops—sugarcane and *gulji* good. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Stocks of food-grain and of fodder and water supply sufficient. Rinderpest in both tahsils. Cheapest rice selling at 11¼ seers per rupee at Bargarh. Pests of crop known locally as Horuipok in few villages of the Sadar tahsil. No damage done.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	0·97	7½* / 9†	7* / 8†	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy in full swing. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. Cattle-disease in one thana. Burma rice selling at 6 5/16 seers and coarse rice at 5½ and *marua* 7½ and *mahua* at 11½ seers a rupee in the interior. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 629, women 1,728 and children 1,087—total 3,444. Persons relieved on District Board works—men 49, women 7—total 56. 391 persons doing piece-works.
30	RANCHI ...	2·68	7¼*	7½*	Weather rainy. Transplantation of winter rice in progress. Sowing of *sirguja*, *urid* and cotton continuing. Standing crops doing well, but *gora* paddy reported to have been slightly damaged in the Khunti subdivision by a disease locally called *tothi*. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 seers a rupee. Persons attending test-works—men 210, women 229 and children 84—total 523. Persons gratuitously relieved in the undeclared area—men 43, women 242 and children 22—total 307. Persons on famine relief-works in the declared area—men 3,364, women 1,072 and children 2,638—total 10,074. Persons on gratuitous relief in the declared area—men 865, women 3,012 and children 1,744—total 5,622.
31	PALAMAU ...	2·72	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Paddy transplantation commenced. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. Local grain stock insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANBHUM ...	4·58	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Gobindpur 1·75 inches. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of winter rice nearly finished. *Til* not yet sown. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Nirsha and Chirkunda. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate at present. No sign of scarcity. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	2·21	6	6	Weather cloudy. Transplantation and weeding operations continuing. State of standing crops fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 and 7½ seers a rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	0·95	8 8/19	8 8/9	Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *bitri* paddy going on. Transplantation of *haimantik* paddy retarded for want of sufficient rain. Prospects and condition of jute fair. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Boiled rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at sadar station	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
		Inches			
	Feudatory States, Orissa.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

		Inches.
Talcher	...	4·08
Pal Lahera...	...	5 30
Narsingpur...	...	4·04
Athmallik ...	...	2·92
Baramba ...	...	7·00
Keonjhar ...	...	5 60
Daspalla ...	...	4 92
Kalahandi ...	...	5·65
Athgarh ...	...	6·98
Mayurbhanj	...	4·10
Baud ...	...	5 60
Nayagarh ...	...	2·62
Ranpur ...	...	2·12
Bonai ...	...	6·23
Nilgiri ...	...	4 29
Sonepur ...	...	3·46
Patna ...	...	3·70
Rairakhol ...	...	6·67
Gangpur ...	...	6·98
Hindol ...	...	5·71
Khondpara	...	Copious rain fell for 5 days.

Rainfall sufficient in all States. Sowing of paddy completed in all States. Transplantation almost finished in Pal Lahera and in progress in the other States. *Behura* operations (reploughing) continuing in Kalahandi, Bonai, Patna and Rairakho. Puddling completed in Athgarh and in progress in Ranpur, Mayurbhanj, Athmallik and Daspalla Weeding commenced in Keonjhar, Hindol, Khandpara, Baramba, Ranpur and Nilgiri. Cotton in Nayagarh, Talcher and Hindol; sugarcane in Talcher, Nayagarh, Narsingpur, Hindol, Keonjhar, Kalahandi, Athgarh and Patna; *gora* paddy and Indian corn in Keonjhar; *bajra*, *juar* and *arhar* in Athgarh and *gulgi* and *arhar* in Talcher and all other standing crops in good condition. Agricultural stock, fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice risen in Keonjhar from 6 to 5¼ seers; in Hindol from 7½ to 7 seers; fallen in Pal Lahera from 7 to 8 seers and stationary in other States.

* The report is for the week ending the 8th August 1908.

General Summary.—The rainfall was heavy in Bankura, Cuttack, Balasore and Sambalpur, moderate in Midnapore, the 24-Parganas, Puri, Manbhum and in parts of Shahabad, Bhagalpur and the Santhal Parganas and light in the rest of the Province. More rain is wanted in Bihar and in parts of Nadia, Jessore and Khulna. Transplantation of winter rice is being retarded in Bihar for want of rain. Paddy seedlings and *bhadoi* crops are also suffering in Patna, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr and Purnea. Damage is being done by insect-pests in Burdwan, Bankura, Midnapore, Hooghly, the 24-Parganas, Nadia and Murshidabad. Floods are reported from Balasore. Sugarcane is doing well. The condition of jute is fair except in Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Jessore, Khulna, Darjeeling and parts of Bhagalpur. The price of common rice has risen in Ranchi and Cooch Behar and fallen in Burdwan, Nadia, Gaya, the Santhal Parganas, Puri, Sambalpur and Manbhum. It has been stationary in the remaining districts. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Nadia, Balasore and Palamau. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle-disease is prevalent in Gaya, Saran, Purnea, the Santhal Parganas, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Palamau and Manbhum. The number of persons gratuitously relieved was 32,258. Of these 14,411 were in Orissa. Test-works in Nadia, Jessore, Cuttack, Balasore, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 6,959 persons. The number of persons on famine relief-works in Ranchi was 10,074.

Department of Agriculture, Bengal,
Calcutta, the 18th August 1908.

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 9th to 15th August 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1908.		°		Inches.	°	°	°		-	Inches.	°	%			Inches	
Aug.	9th	149·4	6·8	29·578	84·7	90·8	11·7	79·1	79·5	0·951	77·7	83	SE by E and SE by S.	111	0·09	Partially cloudy, d, p.
"	10th	150·8	6·8	·618	83·9	89·2	10·0	79·2	80·1	·974	78·4	84	SE by S and ESE.	114	0·19	Partially cloudy, o, p.
"	11th	153·1	7·4	·6·3	84·7	90·2	10·5	79·7	79·8	·960	78·0	82	SE by E, E, and SE by S.	118	0·26	Partially cloudy, d, p, t.
"	12th	142·6	3·1	·560	83·9	88·8	9·2	79·6	79·2	·961	78·0	88	E by S, ENE, and E.	117	0·01	Partially cloudy, o, d, p.
"	13th	143·9	0·9	·561	82·8	86·1	6·7	79·7	79·0	·970	78·3	93	ENE, E by S and SSE.	131	0·15	Chiefly cloudy, o, g, d, p, t, <, K.
"	14th	142·6	5·2	·583	84·0	89·1	9·6	79·5	79·5	·955	77·8	83	ESE and SE by S	139	0·69	Partially cloudy, d.
"	15th	136·2	1·3	·541	83·0	87·1	7·6	79·5	79·5	·978	78·5	90	SE by E, E by N, and SSE.	90	0·01	Chiefly cloudy o, d, p.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·579
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·592
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		31·5
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		90·5
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		83·9
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·2
The extreme variation of temperature		11·7
The maximum temperature		90·8
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		11
		%
The mean relative humidity		86
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 9th to 15th August 1908		1·40
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		3·69
The total fall from 1st January to 15th August 1908		60·88
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		42·23

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Knudsen's Barograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; g, dark gloomy; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder; <, lihgtning; K, thunderstorm.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 17th August 1908.*

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Offg. Director-General of Observatories.*

TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan.	Burdwan	Kalna	0·43	0·07	0·32	0·29	...	0·42	0·27	2·32	..	0·04	0·72	0·48	0·53	...	1·07		0·27	0·02	0·45
			Burdwan	...	...	0·05	...		1·05	0·54	5·17	0·21	1·09	0·12	0·19	0·01	0·08	0·81	0·46	2·33	0·06	0·27
			Katwa	...	0·10	...	0·27	0·39	3·52	3·12	1·60	2·50	0·32	0·36	0·06	...	...	7·00	0·02	1·26	0·35	0·37
			Raniganj	0·04	...	...	0·13	...	0·68	0·30	2·57	0·02	0·58	0·08	0·18	...	...	0·68	0·48	0·90	0·15	0·80
			Raniganj	...	...	...	1·11	...	0·19	0·41	...	2·09	0·53	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	1·50	0·45
		Birbhum	Suri	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·13	1·52	1·22	3·89	1·16	0·13	0·15	...	...	0·31	1·06	2·83	0·06	0·35
			Hetampur	...		0·50	1·02	...	1·17	0·21	1·04	4·16	1·02	0·35	0·56	...	...	1·62	1·47	1·21	0·81	0·36
			Rampur Hat	...	0·24	0·14	...	...	1·08	1·30	0·65	5·15	0·45	0·36	...	...	...	1·00	0·07	1·15	..	0·33
			Bolpur	...	0·06	...	0·09	...	2·19	0·43	1·30	4·00	1·12	0·35	0·02	...	..	0·20	0·07	0·65	1·25	1·52
			Muraei	...	...	0·25	...	...	0·62	1·02	0·21	1·12	0·47	0·02		...	0·75	0·10		0·50	0·30	0·09
			Labpur	...	...	...	0·38	...	0·63	1·55	0·80	4·90	0·47	0·10	0·48	...	...	1·34	0·44	0·20	0·13	0·66
		Bankura	Bankura																			
			Vishnupur	0·35	0·05	0·04	...	1·05	0·18	0·01	2·67	0·82	0·80	0·19	..	...	...	0·30	0·23	0·81	1·05	1·70
			Malara	...	...	...	0·08	...	0·14	0·17	2·11	1·45	0·82	0·13	0·21	...	...	1·22	..	1·44	0·01	0·07
			Khatra	0·28	0·11	0·14	0·12	0·06	1·79	...	2·13	0·80	..	0·16	0·85	...	...	0·20	0·24	0·90	2·30	1·60
			Indas	0·20	0·21	...	...	...	0·31	0·16	1·30	1·74	0·42	0·21	0·11	0·20	0·10	0·20	...	1·75	2·00	1·40
			Kotalpur	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	2·11	3·18	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	4·32	1·53	0·80	...
			Onda	0·03	0·10	...	...	...	2·86	...	1·05	..	..	0·12	0·33	...	0·53	0·11	...	0·40	1·72	0·48
			Gangajalghati	...	...		0·51		0·30	...	1·84	1·04	0·11	0·10	...	...	...	1·00	0·78	1·38	0·31	2·76
			Raipur	0·12	0·22	0·10	0·20	0·11	0·84		0·66	0·46	0·25	0·10	...	...	...	1·02	1·15	0·27	3·44	3·30
			Sonamukhi	...	0·48	...	...	...	0·19	0·36	1·85	2·46	0·50	0·14	0·22	0·20		0·19	...	1·84	1·30	0·76
		Midnapore	Pachet	...	...	...	0·47	...	...	0·44	0·27	1·02	...	0·70	...	...		...	0·29	1·50	2·34	...
			Contai	0·04	...	0·08	0·02	...	0·05	0·26	0·31	0·84	...	0·23	...	...	0·17	1·47	...	1·21	2·70	0·16
			Tamluk	...	0·17	0·07	..	0·17	0·32	1·53	3·42	2·03		0·86	...	0·05	1·07	0·56	0·10	1·20	2·52	0·62
			Midnapore	0·66	0·28	0·17	...	...	0·58	1·34	2·11	1·26	0·78	0·13		...	0·02	0·03	0·14	0·77	5·40	2·17
			Ghatal	0·02	0·22	0·06	...	...	0·22	0·12	3·10	0·38	1·82	0·27	0·13	...	...	0·50	0·02	2·21	0·77	1·14
			Kukrahaty	...	0·09	0·26	0·13	...	0·53	0·74	3·64	1·40		0·13	...	...	0·30	...	0·01	2·54	7·40	0·10
			Amlagura	0·50	0·20	0·60	..	...	...	...	2·55	2·50	0·85	0·15	...	...	0·35	...	0·10	1·70	2·15	2·19
			Panskura	0·03	0·08	0·03	...	0·12	0·21	0·68	2·32	0·82	0·03	0·06	0·03	...	0·02	1·53	0·58	0·83	1·37	1·50
			Dantan		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		0·80		0·76	3·35	
			Chandrakona	0·10	...	0·12	...	...	0·08	...	3·50	2·00	0·35	...	...	...	0·23	1·00	0·35	1·65	3·50	3·01
			Bhagwanpur	0·10	0·23	...	...	...	0·17	0·34	1·50	1·44	...	0·23	...	...	...	0·10	0·60	2·01	3·54	0·18
		Hooghly	Serampore	0·06	...	0·18	0·19	0·12	0·87	0·04	0·24	1·11	0·09	0·02	0·23	0·62	...	0·85	0·12	0·98	1·97	0·53
			Hooghly	0·52	...	...	0·71	...	1·52	...	5·25	8·92	0·30	0·04	0·15	...	...	0·69	0·22	1·21	0·48	0·18
			Arambagh (Jahanabad).	0·01	0·12	0·20	...	...	0·44	0·38	3·01	2·25	1·39	0·24	0·03	..	0·07	0·10	0·27	2·78	0·30	0·31
		Howrah	Howrah	...	0·12	0·09	0·51	0·08	1·28	0·09	6·31	0·76	0·11	0·21	0·38	..	0·10	0·52	0·51	0·84	1·32	1·02
			Mohesreka	0·02	..	...	0·08	0·54	0·49	0·35	7·80	1·02	0·08	0·09	0·11	0·10	0·05	0·03	...	1·47	1·20	0·45
			Ulubaria	0·04	0·12	0·12	0·41	0·06	0·40	0·53	5·30	8·40	0·09	0·29	0·14	..	0·04	0·47	0·71	2·15	1·45	0·41
			Amta	0·05	0·42	0·79	0·05	1·05	0·66	0·23	0·15	0·90	0·22	0·20	..	..	...	0·35	0·16	1·04	0·86	0·35
		24-Parganas	Sagor Island	0·02	0·05	...	0·10	0·25	...	0·04	0·38	0·89	...	0·23	...	...		1·10	0·28	1·02	1·54	0·08
			Diamond Harbour.	0·12	0·25	0·20	0·02	...	...	1·05	2·90	1·10	...	0·25	0·21	...	0·40	0·11	0·41	2·80	3·50	0·35
			Budge-Budge	..	0·05	0·42	0·01	0·02	0·55	0·91	3·89	0·72	0·09	0·07	0·18	...	0·12	0·01	0·15	2·31	1·85	1·42
			Canning Town	0·06	..	0·05	0·20	0·03	0·87	0·60	6·08	0·72	0·07	3·31	0·12	0·20		0·66	0·14	1·15	1·53	0·31
			Alipore (Obsv.)	0·30	0·20	0·13	0·81	0·01	0·01	0·20	5·87	0·02	0·02	0·56	1·21		0·7	0·52	0·71	2·62	3·14	0·56
			Barrackpore	0·05	...	0·25	...	0·07	0·87	0·03	9·21	1·57	0·05	0·01	0·20	0·08	...	0·67	1·05	0·36	1·32	0·31
			Dum-Dum	0·40	...	0·25	0·35	...	0·55	...	8·49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	1·12	2·15	...
			Barasat	...	0·12	0·02	0·20	...	0·21	0·15	9·14	0·73	0·02	0·27	0·17	...	...	0·11	0·43	0·71	0·59	1·10
			Basirhat	...	...	0·15	...	...	1·15	0·16	7·25	1·56	0·35	0·06	...	...	0·14	0·28	0·24	0·66	0·13	...
		Nadia	Ranaghat	...	0·08	0·28	0·02	...	0·57	0·15	1·63	1·13	0·10	0·12	0·02	0·12	0·06	0·82	...	0·45	0·02	0·20
			Krishnagar	0·14	...	...	0·23	...	1·11	0·46	1·57	2·88	0·12	0·13	0·07	...	...	0·01	0·08	0·77	0·24	0·13
			Chuadanga	...	...	0·12	...	0·01	2·02	1·84	1·52	2·52	0·30	...	0·14	0·11	...	0·83	0·49	...	0·50	...
			Meherpur	0·02	0·02	0·42	...	0·04	1·87	4·56	1·76	5·48	0·25	...	0·58	0·07	...	0·3	0·35	0·08	0·10	0·08
			Khaluia	...	...	0·20	...	...	5·01	0·87	...	1·76	0·16	0·09	...	0·11	0·56	0·51	1·22	0·74	0·48	...
			Haringhata																			
		Murshidabad	Kandi	...	...	...	0·20	...	1·70	0·72	0·62	3·30	1·00	0·15	0·14	...	...	2·10	0·9	0·84	1·00	0·22
			Berhampore	...	...	...	0·41	0·05	3·80	1·18	0·11	2·91	0·50	0·07	0·80	0·33	...	0·52	0·20	0·53	0·12	0·10
			Lalbagh	...	...	...	0·08	0·13	0·56	1·05	0·07	2·05	0·47	0·04	0·26	0·09	..	0·83	..	0·66	..	0·08
			Azimganj	...	...	...	...	...	5·36	0·53	0·11	1·10	0·27	0·08	..	..	..	1·17	..	0·65	..	0·11
			Jangipur	...	0·16	...	0·05	...	1·34	0·15	0·05	1·37	0·10	0·05	0·04	0·04	...	0·28	0·09	0·23	0·06	0·10
			Lalgola	...	...	...	...		...	1·08		1·55	...	...	0·72	0·19	...	...	...	1·30	...	...
			Akriganj	...	...	...	0·07	...	0·53	0·70	0·13	2·09	0·03	0·05	0·53	...	0·06	...	...	1·30	0·09	0·10
			Patkabari																			
			Dumkal	...		...	...	0·45	5·41	0·49	0·44	1·80	...	...	0·45	2·60	...	0·19	..	2·50	0·10	...
			Kullyanganj	...	0·33	...	0·93	0·73	2·07	1·07	0·17	2·72	0·74	...	0·06	...	...	3·40	0·41	0·39	...	0·13
		Jessore	Narail	0·10	0·28	0·37	0·30	...	2·87	0·70	8·08	3·91	1·18	...	0·14	0·21	...	0·05	0·08	0·27	0·16	...
			Jessore	0·03	0·05	0·06	0·44	0·07	1·58	0·8·	7·50	1·87	0·10	...	0·04	...	0·11	0·75	0·61	0·50	0·10	...
			Jhenida	...	..	0·13	0·07	0·08	2·04	1·02	0·85	3·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·45		0·44	1·34	0·48
			Magura	0·07	0·04	0·14	0·25	0·51	1·60	1·56	0·45	1·75	1·18	...	...	...	...	1·43	0·30	0·31	0·63	0·03
			Bangaon	0·05	...	...	0·06	0·30	0·48	0·12	2·72	3·50	0·70	0·72	0·08	0·04	...	1·68	0·60	0·04	...	0·24
		Khulna	Satkhira	...	0·27	0·05	0·01	1·20	0·50	0·10	3·50	2·40	3·2	0·47	0·18	...	...	...	0·34	0·11	0·10	...
			Hagerhat	...	0·11	0·16	0·02	0·11	1·70	2·17	5·65	3·82	0·31	0·08	0·05	0·85	...	1·15	...	0·05	2·66	0·51	0·39
			Khulna	...	0·09	0·09	0·10	0·15	0·47	1·40	5·64	0·65	0·40	0·12	...	...	...	0·40	0·47	1·50	0·51	0·08
			Kaligani	...	0·15	0·14	...	2·85	2·80	0·63	1·58	3·21	0·40	0·27	0·17	...	...	0·70	0·20	2·00	1·00	0·50
			Nakipur	...	0·22	0·15	0·03	3·77	2·04	0·74	3·50	1·03	0·40	0·47	...	...	0·03	0·35	0·20	0·54	0·26	0·39
			Dumuria	...	1·15	...	...	...	1·05	0·25	4·00	2·17	0·78	...	...	2·05	2·12	1·02	2·02	1·52	0·24	0·35
			Rampal	...	...	0·30	0·48	1·70	1·40	4·08	2·61	0·15	0·04	0·08	...	...	1·03	...	1·61	0·43	0·11	0·40
			Kaliroa	0·12	...	0·09	0·07	...	1·19	0·15	4·96	1·68	0·24	0·80	...	...	...	0·12	1·20	...	0·04	...
			Paikgachha	...	0·18	0·42	0·25	0·15	1·50	1·42	4·52	2·51	0·16	0·24	...	...	...	...	0·79	1·02	3·48	0·20
			Mollahat	0·28	..	0·20	0·18	0·03	1·03	2·10	4·15	2·03	0·10	0·04	0·14	0·10	0·25	0·86	0·02	1·08	0·07	0·01
			Morelganj	0·24	0·02	...	0·26	1·57	3·96	1·53	2·45	5·16	0·58	0·12	0·14	1·58	0·22	0·53	0·98	1·52	0·92	0·42
			Tala	...	...	0·05	0·11	0·35	0·10	0·05	0·30	0·56	1·11	0·5	0·5·	0·05	...	...	...	0·34	7·20	0·53	0·15
Bihar.	Patna.	Patna	Patna	...	...	...	...	...	1·12	1 77	0·21	...	0·14	0·06	...	...	0 40	0·32	0·10	0·70	...	0·27
			Dinapore	...	...	...	...	...	2·34	0·29	...	...	0·11	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·07	1·35	...	0·04
			Bihar	...	...	...	...	1·36	...	0·25	0·17	0·09	0·10	0·42	...	...	...	0·28	...	0·21	1·06	0·18
			Barh	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·63	0·32	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·05	1·10	0·85	...	0·72
			Bikram	...	...	...	...	...	1·07	·15	...	...	0·25	0·13	...	0·09	...	0·79	1·25	0·05	...	..
			Hilsa	...	...	...	...	0·20	1·08	0·30	0·07	...	0·15	0·00	...	...	0·54	...	0·29	...	...	...
			Islampur	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·68	0·14	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Asthawan	...	...	...	2·75	...	0·10	0·42	0·03	0·10	0·44	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	0·19	0·27	0·10
		Gaya	Aurangabad	...	...	...	...	1·39	0·04	0·26	...	...	0·31	0·03	0·05	0·03	...	0·47	0·11	0·35	0·01	1·75
			Gaya	...	0·02	...	...	0·11	1·92	0·07	0·55	...	0·21	0·12	0·04	...	...		0·09	0·08	0·04	0·06
			Nawadah	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·05	0·24	2·29	0·50	0·75	0·80	0·04	...	...	0·30	1·58	0·81	0·03	0·02
			Jahanabad	...	...	...	...	...	1·37	0·07	0·14	...	0·06	0·35	...	0·08	...	0·36	0 01	...	...	0·03
			Arwa.	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·65	0·23	0·07	0·21	0·45	...	...	...	0·56	0 60	0·75	...	...
			Daudnagar	...	...	...	0·44	0·25	0·26	...	...	...	0·45	0·46	...	...	...	...	1·09	0·36	0·09	...
			Sherghati	...	...	...	0·23	1·59	...	0·74	0·50	...	...	...	0·13	...	0·10	2·33	4·70	1·30	...	0·37
			Rajauli	...	...	...	...	1·60	0·15	5·90	0·05	1·05	0·10	...	...	2·30	1·05	...	1·05	0·15	1·00	...
			Pakri Barawa	...	...	...	...	1·25	1·05	..	1·05	0·50	0·82	0·12	...	...	4·00	...	...	...	...	...
			Deo	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·02	...	...	0·30	0·06	0·04	...	0·15	0·56	0 25	1·04	0·04	0·31
			Nowagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·19	0·08	0 75	..	...	0·77	0·38	0·30	1·43	...	...

STATIONS IN BENGAL IN JULY 1908.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 31st July 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 31st July.	Station.	District.	Lieus.	Meteorological Division
...	0·27	...	0·09	0·25	0·86	0·47	0·09	...	...	...	18	13·71	11·02	11·24	2·32	31·82	24·26	Kalna	Burdwan ...		
0·33	0·19	0·07	0·13	0·26	0·01	0·20	0·25	0·16	0·08	...	19	16·10	2·37	12·32	6·24	42·59	25·76	Burdwan			
0·46	0·62	0·17	0·31	...	...	...	0·08	..	0·18	...	19	15·23	17·57	10·71	3·52	36·49	23·69	Katwa.			
1·30	0·38	0·03	0·48	0·14	0·07	0·21	...	0·21	0·05	...	19	10·39	11·46	14·15	2·57	24·61	26·57	Ranigan-			
0·60	...	1·60	0·55	0·68	...	0·27	0·22	0·40	0·35	...	17	15·88	11·91	12·82	2·00	33·58	26·08	Mankur.			
0·14	0·02	0·06	0·31	0·23	0·35	...	0·52	0·39	0·21	0·38	20	17·38	16·43	12·90	3·80	34·11	28·11	Suri	Birbhum ...		
0·72	0·84	0·82	0·78	0·64	0·05	0·34	0·46	0·03	0·01	0·06	21	16·52	20·18	12·76	4·16	37·55	25·84	Hetampur.			
0·28	0·61	0·17	...	...	...	0·01	0·38	0·24	0·21	...	18	16·18	16·51	11·33	5·15	29·19	24·29	Rampur Hat			
0·22	0·44	...	...	0·11	0·15	0·10	0·20	..	1·17	0·07	18	15·31	16·70	11·64	4·00	36·13	25·22	Bolpur.			
0·22	0·32	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·10	...	15	17·17	6·44	14·92	1·12	19·43	27·01	Murari.			
0·56	0·25	0·45	...	0·10	...	...	0·93	0·17	...	...	27	13·86	14·53	11·40	4·90	31·13	24·85	Labpur.			
0·06	0·88	0·25	0·37	0·48	0·12	...	1·32	0·31	0·53			16·46		12·87			25·49	Bankura ...	Bankura ...		
0·12	0·57	0·63	1·95	0·60	0·25	...		0·16	0·35	...	21	16·48	15·32	11·85	2·67	35·29	26·03	Vishnupur.			
1·08	0·48	0·04	0·21	0·05	0·29	0·17	0·42	0·59	0·04	...	18	16·43	13·51	12·68	2·11	29·24	25·93	Maliara			
0·63	1·14	0·20	...	0·32	...	...	0·53	0·35	...	...	21	16·35	15·85	13·15	2·90	30·25	28·15	Khatra			
...	...	...	2·25	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	15·94	15·47	12·07	2·90	28·12	26·11	Indas.			
0·06	0·33	...	0·07	0·13	...	0·37	0·51	0·08	..		11	13·21	14·65	12·85	3·18	35·92	26·07	Kotalpur			
...	0·66	0·10	...	0·30	...	...	0·46	0·26	1·12	0·12	17	14·03	10·05	10·33	2·86	21·58	22·32	Onda.			
0·15	1·50	...	0·11	0·55		...	0·30	0·52	0·59	...	17	14·13	13·50	12·16	2·76	25·95	26·10	Gangajalghati			
...	0·37	0·26	1·28	...	0·51	...	0·35	0·29	0·36	...	23	16·56	16·37	12·27	3·44	32·26	27·52	Raipur.			
										...	20	14·94	14·70	11·68	2·47	34·33	24·89	Sonamukhi.			
0·32	0·28	...	0·09	0·09	...	1·05	...	...	0·06	0·01	11	?	9·24	?	3·34	20·53	?	Pachet	Midnapore ...	Burdwan	
0·10	0·15	..	...	0·17	0·08	0·03	0·42	0·26	0·17	0·27	16	15·52	9·21	14·52	2·70	22·62	27·22	Geria.			
1·07	...	0·13	...	0·12	0·64	...	0·14	0·10	...	...	19	15·47	15·43	12·18	3·42	21·04	24·71	Tamluk.			
0·04	0·44	...	0·14	0·02	0·25	0·04	0·06	1·53	0·01	...	17	15·95	18·31	11·99	5·40	31·39	24·85	Midnapore			
3·82	1·02	...	...	0·45	0·12	...	0·34	0·05	0·05	...	18	15·31	17·45	12·47	3·82	38·78	25·32	Ghatal			
0·26	1·12	...	...	0·20	...	...	0·07	0·18	0·72	0·03	16	15·40	19·02	12·58	7·10	36·02	26·38	Kukrahaty.			
3·45	0·55	0·15	1·15	0·40	...	...	0·65	0·50	...	...	19	15·63	20·13	12·58	3·45	37·18	26·94	Amlagora.			
0·21	0·34	...	...	0·04	0·34	...	0·80	0·53	...	0·18	16	14·38	12·81	11·09	2·32	30·56	24·33	Panskura			
0·12	0·49	...	...	0·49	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	13·13	7·07	12·13	3·35	20·75	24·68	Dantan			
0·70	0·68	...	0·12	0·11	0·49	...	0·15	0·13	...	...	17	?	17·90	?	3·50	3·0·6	?	Chandrakona.			
0·77	0·80	...	...	0·22	0·08	..	0·07	0·59	0·02	...	17	?	14·15	?	3·74	26·75	?	Bhagwanpur.			
1·23	1·28	0·20	...	0·08	0·14	0·04	0·12	0·35	0·15	0·07	20	17·30	21·52	12·64	9·20	47·21	25·51	Serampore ...	Hooghly ...		
0·16	0·31	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	16	16·30	15·88	11·28	5·25	31·98	25·22	Hooghly.			
1·25	0·30	0·07	0·44	0·53	...	...	0·14	0·16	...	...	29	15·50	18·86	12·13	3·01	37·42	25·37	*Arambagh* (Jahanabad).			
2·85	1·47	0·12	...	0·15	0·11	...	0·16	0·41	..	...	21	18·56	1·20	12·04	6·31	47·41	26·03	Howrah	Howrah ...		
3·06	1·47	...	1·60	0·42	0·04	0·03	3·30	0·19	0·10	...	18	16·53	22·32	12·14	7·80	52·46	25·22	Mohesreka.			
2·60	4·25	...	0·08	..	1·07	0·54	0·24	0·10	0·04	0·23	22	16·67	24·54	10·42	5·31	47·59	24·75	Uluberia			
0·50	2·00	...	0·55	0·11	0·20	0·06	0·30	0·11	...	0·04	22	?	18·91	?	0·15	4·20	?	*Amta.*			
0·06	0·67	...	...	0·03	0·20	0·13	0·32	0·10	1·07	1·25	16	16·74	9·75	15·53	1·54	25·08	29·07	Saugor Island	24-Parganas ...		
0·90	0·80	0·10	0·02	0·35	0·25	0·08	0·12	0·40	0·41	0·18	25	17·23	19·18	14·96	3·50	39·77	28·14	Diamond Harbour.			
2·16	2·11	...	0·01	0·16	0·75	0·12	0·60	0·18	0·47	0·25	20	?	18·61	?	5·80	48·51	?	*Budge-Budge.*			
1·01	0·67	1·03	0·54	0·05	...	...	...	0·0.	0·20	0·14	20	16·94	12·45	12·01	1·19	27·02	27·75	Canning Town			
2·87	1·56	0·05	0·04	0·14	0·07	0·40	0·38	0·43	0·35	...	24	18·06	24·64	12·51	5·82	55·65	26·31	Alipore (Obsy.)			
0·87	1·25	0·13	...	0·16	0·17	0·11	0·08	0·61	0·13	0·29	21	15·94	21·81	11·98	9·24	45·25	25·04	Barrackpur			
0·98	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	0·20	...	12	17·05	17·25	11·98	8·10	38·34	26·04	Dum-Dum			
0·69	0·13	0·1	...	0·01	0·40	0·60	0·13	0·39	0·05	0·12	21	1·13	16·22	10·70	3·74	59·1	24·13	Barasat.			
0·70	0·76	0·45	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·55	...	...	17	16·84	14·02	12·82	7·25	35·20	27·89	Basirhat.			
0·13	0·14	0·08	0·17	0·01	0·22	...	...	0·18	0·75	...	17	14·68	6·90	10·75	1·63	26·04	29·73	Ranaghat.	Nadia ...		
0·39	0·03	0·21	...	...	0·14	1·35	...	0·15	0·19	...	18	15·87	11·82	10·37	2·88	33·07	23·41	Krishnagar.			
...	0·10	0·04	...	...		0·22		0·11	0·12	0·03	14	15·20	10·41	1·29	2·32	37·65	27·90	Chuadanga			
0·23	0·01	..	...	0·18	0·10	0·42	0·25	0·40	0·06	...	17	15·68	10·21	10·11	4·87	45·38	25·56	Meherpur			
..	0·08	0·01	0·12	...	0·09	0·01	0·03	0·20	0·23	0·02	14	15·84	12·70	10·59	5·61	27·81	2·70	Kusoo- Haringata.			
0·22	0·08	0·25	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·15	0·19	...	18	15·92	13·84	12·16	3·30	31·94	25·04	Kand.	Murshidabad		
0·43	0·12	0·13	...	...	0·15	...	0·38	0·47	0·62	...	20	16·71	14·40	10·31	3·80	32·49	23·40	Berhampore			
0·18	0·02	0·31	0·02	...	...	...	0·03	0·51	0·06	0·22	12	15·64	14·09	12·05	6·56	28·05	43·58	Lalgola			
0·54	0·23	0·34	...	...	...	..	0·12	0·21	0·27	...	14	15·69	12·54	10·75	5·96	25·87	23·56	Azimganj.			
0·24	0·10	0·03	...	...	0·21	...	...	0·48	0·05	0·18	15	15·73	6·39	10·92	1·37	18·21	24·43	Jangipur.			
0·04	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	8	1·78	6·48	11·49	1·35	19·3	24·81	Lalgola.			
0·08	0·20	0·01	0·17	...	0·06	...	0·01	0·26	...	...	12	15·67	6·99	11·30	2·09	22·08	27·04	Akriganj.			
												12·00		8·85			22·57	Patkabari.			
0·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	...	...	..	12	15·63	15·65	10·28	5·41	33·20	24·25	Dumkal.			
0·90	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·58	...	...	16	?	15·5	?	3·40	27·68	?	*Kaliganganj.*			
0·10	0·19	0·01	0·11	0·04	0 07	...	0·39	0·05	0·02	...	18	15·30	10·95	9·83	8·08	39·01	24·52	Narail.	Jessore ...		
...	0·22	0·32	...	0·04	0·04	0·20	0·44	0·30	0·21	0·11	20	17·52	16·28	11·02	7·30	34·10	28·76	Jessore			
0·20	0·36	0·10	0·05	0 03	0·39	0·05	0·05	0·46	...	...	14	16·00	12·59	10·23	3·02	38·87	25·93	Jhenida			
0·50	0·10	...	0·25	...	0·12	0·15	0·45	0·13	0 03	...	19	16·10	12·08	10·01	1·75	30·27	26·06	Magura			
...	0·35	0·06	...	...	...	0·02	0 20	0·42	0·06	0·24	14	15·48	13·03	10·86	3·50	30·48	24·62	Bangaon.			
0·09	0·11	0·58	...	0·02	0·03	0·06	0·12	0·50	0·15	0·20	20	17·65	12·46	12·35	3·50	30·59	27·30	Satkhira	Khulna ...		
0·38	0·17	0·03	0·01	0·03	0·03	...	0·50	0·03	0·15	0·04	19	19·80	22·02	14·53	5·05	34·43	32·73	Bagerhat.			
0·12	1·05	0·02	0·11	0·15	0·06	...	0·12	0·85	0·15	0·10	21	18·37	15·10	12·28	5·63	30·68	28·46	Khulna			
0·25	0·15	0·16	0·37	0·66	...	0·19		0·05	...	2·10	23	?	28·13	?	4·58	47·05	?	*Kaliganj.*			
1·50	0·45	..	0·25	...	0·11	1·13	0·20	0·36	0·06	0·59	24	15·27	19·94	12·62	3·77	36·51	28·55	Nakipur.			
0·15	0·28	0·12	0·45	0·27	0·85	0·58	1·07	0·56	0·15	0·27	25	?	25·34	?	4·09	40·02	?	*Dumuria.*			
0·33	0·11	0·18	0·22	..	...	0·12	..	0·15	0·68	0·66	20	16·90	16·73	13·71	4·08	28·25	29·70	Rani sa.			
0·24	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	0·25	0·28	0·05	15	?	11·78	?	4·46	19·49	?	*Kaliroa.*			
0·93	0·02	...	0·04	0 08	0·08	0·14	0·10	0·91	...	0 21	20	?	19·70	?	4·52	31·84	?	*Paikgachha.*			
0·15	0·06	...	0·02	0·01	0·11	0·02	0·35	0·03	0·02	0 05	16	?	14 09	?	4·15	30·33	?	*Moilahat.*			
1·21	1·27	0·12	...	0·09	0·71		1·43	0·05	0·52	...	24	?	28 72	?	6·16	44·36	?	*Morelganj*			
0·05	...	0·09	...	...	0·03	0·55	...	0·59	0·03	0·50	17	?	13·80	?	6·56	26·83	?	*Tala.*			
...	...	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	11	14·16	6·34	11·41	1·77	10·62	20·38	Patna	Patna ...		
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...	...	...	0·04	...	0·11	...	0·15	...	...	0·54	12	15·00	5·01	12·90	1·35	8·19	21 04	Bihar.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·03	0·50	0·01	...	7	13·68	4·46	11·35	1·10	7·43	19 65	Barh			
0·22	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	14·57	4·76	13·15	1·07	8·17	24 25	Bikram.			
0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	11	14·24	5·61	12 30	1·28	8·14	21·99	Hilsa.			
0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	8	?	4·70	?	1·70	7·60	?	*Islampur.*			
...	0·30	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	12	?	5·84	?	2·75	11·50	?	*Asthawan.*			
1·01	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·11	1·35	...	0·59	11	14·19	8·13	12·82	1·75	11·16	20·05	Aurangabad	Gaya ...		
0·61	0·07	0·11	...	0·03	...	...	0·03	0·13	0·15	...	13	15·08	5·36	12·30	1·02	8·87	19·05	Gaya.			
0·42	0·13	0·16	0·02	...	...	...		0·07		0·02	15	14·26	9·84	12·07	2·21	14·67	20·09	Nawada.			
0·09	0·13	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·08	...	6	13·75	3·21	12·26	1·37	5·25	19·36	Jahanabad.			
0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	10	13·50	4·14	13·53	0·75	7·17	20·33	Arwal.			
0·13	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	...	...	...	9	14·00	4·03	12·48	1·09	11·48	19·43	Daudnagar.			
0·50	0·06	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·51	...	...	15	12·87	14·01	10·49	4·70	18·17	17 54	Sherghati.			
...	...	3·15	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	8	16 50	10·25	12·61	5·90	22·10	21·09	Rajauli.			
1·12	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	12·87	13·22	13·00	2·30	15·02	19·98	Pakri Barawan.			
0·73	0·10	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·11	...	0·06	11	?	4 28	?	1·04	8·67	?	*Deo.*			
0·81	0·85	0·18	0·05	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	1·24	15	?	9·46	?	1·43	10·14	?	*Nabinagar.*			

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TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Bihar—concluded.	Patna—concluded.	Shahabad	Buxar	...	...	...	...	6·49	0·64	4·37	...	...	0·23	0·29	0·04	...	0·63	...	2·25	1·98	...	...
			Dehri	...	...	...	...	0·41	...	0·09	0·04	0·03	0·25	0·03	...	...	2·26	0·06	1·06	0·79	...	0·15
			Bhabhua	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	0·72	0·42	0·11	...	...	...	0·70	0·58	0·55	0·87	0·05	0·74
			Sasaram	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·16	0·18	1·85	...	0·19	0·03	...	...	0·19	...	0·45	0·47	...	0·06
			Arrah	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	0·08	0·02	0·04	0·10	...	...	...	2·61	0·90	0·32	0·10	...
			Mohanea	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·01	0·05	0·10	...	...	...	1·09	0·03	0·51	...	...	0·35
			Ageaon	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·13	0·09	0·07	...	0·39	...	...	...	1·00	...	0·64	0·09	...
			Ramagar	...	...	...	0·03	...	1·24	1·50	...	0·50	0·15	0·30	...	...	1·05	0·10	1·80	...	...	...
			Koath	...	...	...	...	0·55	0·15	1·60	...	0·64	0·16	0·34	...	...	0·62	0·42	2·63	3·23	...	...
			Sikroul	...	...	...	...	0·67	0·08	1·90	...	0·13	0·03	0·21	...	...	0·84	0·03	6·21	1·90	0·04	...
			Bassowan	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	0·75	0·81	...	...	...	...	0·58	0·07	0·11	0·81	0·25	...
			Monaharpur	...	...	...	...	0·71	0·03	0·01	...	...	0·10	0·20	...	0·43	...	0·02	1·13	3·35	0·32	...
			Akberpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·06	0·21	...	...	...	0·03	1·35	0·90	0·30	...
		Saran	Gopalganj	...	...	...	...	2·63	0·80	0·50	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	0·40	2·75	0·30	0·87	...	...
			Siwan	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·43	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	2·70	0·17	1·10	0·07	...
			Ekma	...	...	...	...	...	1·25	0·05	0·15	...	0·10	...	...	0·15	...	1·85	0·63	0·53	...	...
			Chapra	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Hathwa	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·17	1·50	...	0·08	...	...	...	0·04	0·56	2·14	2·04	2·42	...	...
			Amnor	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·50	...	...	...
			Basantpur	..	...	...	...	...	1·70	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	1·20	2·10	...	0·10
			Dawauli	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	2·00	...	0·38
			Bhoreh	..	...	...	...	2·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·14	1·18	3·03	...	...
			Sripur	...	...	...	...	2·25	0·40	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	0·53	1·84	0·61	2·16	...	...
		Champaran	Motihari	...	...	...	...	0·29	0·02	0·70	0·24	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·85	1·62	2·85	...	...	...
			Bettiah	...	...	...	...	1·69	1·95	0·49	0·15	0·26	...	...	0·02	...	0·21	1·15	0·63	...	...	...
			Bagaha	...	0·01	0·09	...	1·00	0·10	1·54	0·19	0·65	0·01	...	0·01	...	0·06	1·20	1·45	0·02	0·03	0·13
			Burhurwa	...	...	...	...	0·42	0·03	1·78	0·05	0·13	...	...	...	...	2·51	2·00	0·44	..	...	0·05
			Ramnagar	..	...	...	2·05	0·14	5·30	0·43	0·17	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	4·15	..	..	...	...
			Narkatiganj	...	...	...	...	0·67	...	2·11	1·11	0·22	...	...	...	...	0·92	1·15	2·12	0·35	0·72	0·25
			Kissoriah	...	...	...	...	...	0·65	2·25	0·15	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·85	2·25	0·27	0·42	...	0·08
			Dhanaha	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	2·00	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	2·30	1·42	...	...	0·01
		Muzaffarpur	Sitamarhi	..	...	...	0·10	0·30	0·08	2·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	1·30	0·24	...	...
			Muzaffarpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·16	..	1·54	...	...
			Hajipur	...	0·01	...	...	...	1·51	0·58	0·77	0·02	0·02	0·21	...	0·01	0·03	0·70	0·40	2·66	0·01	0·51
			Paru	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03
			Mahua	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·50	3·55	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·65	0·80	...	0·55
			Shuhar	..	...	...	..	...	0·15	7·30	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·35	2·60	...	...	...
			Pupri	...	...	...	0·35	2·21	...	2·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	1·56	1·70	0·70	...
		Darbhanga	Tajpur (Samastipur).	...	...	...	...	0·84	0·28	1·17	0·79	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·34	0·62	0·72	1·12	0·01	0·72
			Darbhanga	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Madhubani	..	...	...	...	1·06	2·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	...	0·27	...	4·38	0·36	...	...
			Bahera	...	...	...	...	2·25	0·75	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	...	1·35	...	...	...
			Rosera	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·30	1·57	0·04	...	...	0·09	...	...	0·2·	0·14	0·25	0·28	...	0·07
			Khutonia	...	...	...	...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	1·05	0·75	...	...	...
			Ladania	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·57	...	0·43	0·05	...	...
			Laukahi	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·25	...	0·33	...	...	...
			Madhepore	...	...	...	...	0·05	4·72	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·10	2·62	...	0·30	0·06	...	...
			Khajouli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	4·20	0·40	...	...
			Banipatti	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Monghyr	Begusarai	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·03	0·86	0·40	...	0·09	...	0·02	0·70	0·35	2·20	0·92	0·12	0·04	0·47
			Monghyr	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·53	0·13	0·13	0·01	0·25	0·03	0·32	0·23	0·35	0·03	0·12	1·13	...	0·11
			Jamui	..	0·09	...	...	0·04	3·15	0·76	0·09	0·79	0·36	...	...	...	0·43	0·59	0·75	0·09	0·05	1·49
			Gogri	...	...	...	...	...	1·59	...	...	...	0·23	...	0·12	...	0·05	0·70	2·31	0·51	...	...
			Jamalpur	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	0·05	0·04	0·30	0·16	0·01	0·54	0·02	0·36	0·28	0·73	0·47	...	0·02
			Shaikhpura	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	2·11	1·11	0·22	...	...	...	...	0·12	1·15	2·12	0·35	0·72	0·25
			Chakai Banda	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·18	3·42	0·83	0·91	2·47	0·27	...	...	0·01	1·05	0·60	0·16	0·11	0·23
			Chupreon	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	0·16	...	...	...	0·08	...	1·81	...	0·13	1·81	...	...
			Gidhour	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·90	0·25	...	1·55	0·45	...	...	...	1·10	0·35	1·28	0·45	...
			Kharagpur	...	...	...	...	...	1·42	...	1·03	0·18	0·64	0·25	0·38	...	0·13	0·98	0·30	1·70	0·13	1·75
	Bhagalpur.	Bhagalpur	Madhipura	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·47	...	...	0·14	0·40	0·12	...
			Bangaon (Sylabad).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	..	...	...	3·81	...	1·50	0·20	...	...
			Supaul	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·45	...	1·00	...	0·07	...
			Pratapganj	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·05	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	3·80	0·10	0·36	0·02	...	...
			Bhagalpur	...	...	...	...	...	1·03	0·01	...	0·09	0·20	..	...	0·10	0·73	0·01	0·15	0·13	0·02	...
			Banka	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·46	...	0·78	0·86	0·43	...	0·16	0·97	1·35	...	0·15	...	0·02	...
			Colgong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·26	0·16	...	0·04	...	2·91	0·11	0·77	0·76	...	...
			Hansil	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	0·36	0·07	0·42	1·17	0·04	0·05	...	1·00	...	0·12	0·12	0·25	0·07
		Darjeeling	Siliguri	...	1·00	0·08	...	2·37	2 25	1·03	0·04	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Darjeeling	...	0·13	1·11	0·04	0·48	0·22	0·61	0·76	...	2·35	0·02	0·11	0·14	0·55	1·63	0·08	0·01	0·36	0·01
			Kalimpong	...	0 08	1·58	...	0·90	...	0·23	1·70	...	2·85	2·06	0·82	0·41	0·90	1·17	1·79	2·62	0·49	0·22	0·07
			Mongpoo	...	0·55	2·45	0·11	1·54	0·12	1·16	0·62	0·02	1·88	1·48	0·60	0·80	...	0·52	1·46	0·15	0·28	0·02	0·09
			Kurseong	...	0·61	4·52	0·20	2·48	0·10	1·76	2·01	...	0·98	0·30	0·57	0·20	1·53	3·28	1·68	1·00	0·57	0·03
			Pedong	...	0·02	0·06	0·04	1·46	0·01	0·13	0·85	0·43	1·36	2·32	0·34	0·52	0·14	2·27	0·52	0·06	0·80	0·07	0·37
		Purnea	Kishangauj	...	0·60	...	...	1·05	...	0·47	...	...	0·75	0·18	...	...	0·10	2·03	...	0·17	0·22	...	...
			Araria	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	...	...	...	2·30	3·04	0·06	0·90	...	...
			Purnea	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·14	0·08	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·26	0·19	2·75	0·32	2·51	0·43	0·27	0·16
			Gondwara (*Korah*).	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·20	0·35	0·26	0·12	0·21	...	...
			Barsoe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Forbesganj	..	0·12	...	...	0·03	...	0·08	...	0·11	0·03	...	0·84	...	2·50	1·90	0·35	...	...	...
			Kaliganj	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·50	...	1·05	0·10	...	7·14	...	...	0·77	0·04	...
		Santhal Parganas.	Rajmahal	...	...	...	...	...	1·04	0·62	0·11	...	0·15	0·05	...	0 04	0·16	0·35	0·98	1·43	0·63	0 36	0·03
			Godda	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·19	3·71	...	0·23	0·37	0·86	0·27	0·03	0·15	0·69	0·03	...	0·20	0·17	...
			Pakaur	...	...	0·15	0·56	0·09	...	2·00	...	0·25	0·86	0·43	...	...	0·03	...	2·02	0·05	0·20	0·30	0·20
			Naya Dumka	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Deoghur	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	0·70	2·80	1·43	1·35	0·01	...	...	1·27	0·53	...	...	0·04	1·00
			Jamtara	..	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·36	0·71	1·85	1·58	0·27	0 28	0·38	...	..	0 97	0·39	0·59	0·26	0·34
			Mohagama	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·19	...	0·31	0·17	...	0·05	0·12	0·65	...	2·80	...	1 80	0·22	...
			Nanihat	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·70	2·65	3·60	3·64	0·17	2·00	...	...	1·85	1·05	0·52	0·37	...	0·09
			Asamboni	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	1·40	1·50	5·25	1·06	0·39	0·55	...	0·52	0·30	0·50	0·05	0 55	0·35	...
			Katikund	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·56	2·16	0·23	4·11	1·11	0·27	0·14	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	0·15
			Madhupur	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	0·50	1·75	1 00	1·00	0·60	0·50	...	...	1 75	0·55	0·95	0·15	2·50	...
			Sarwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·44	0·21	1·40	3·67	2·47	0·65	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·30	0·05	0·50
			Sarath	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 28	0 42	2·20	3·00	3·50	0 54	0·15	...	...	...	0·10	0·80	0·38	1·25
			Poorya	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	1·75	0·10	0·31	1·50	1 30	0·35	0·05	..	0·04	0·38	0·07	0·39	0·09
			Bhagya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	...	3·06	...	1·67	...	...	...
			Monospur	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	1·15	1·01	0·16	1·28	0·60	0·09	0·18	...	...	0·75	0·18	0·41	0 05	0·13
			Basrangpur	...	0·11	0·05	...	...	0·90	0·65	...	0 81	0·45	...	0·47	0·15	...	0·57	0·05	1·25	·40	...	0·26
			Barnarwa	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·63	0·04	...	0·77	0·06	...	0·74	0·27	0·75	8·78	0·21	1·31	0·19	0·16
			Sambhgauj	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·72	...	...	0·33	0·25	...	...	...	4·45	0 85	2·85	0·25	0·12	0·30
			Barid	..	...	0·01	...	0·03	...	0·03	0·67	0·12	0·32	0·12	0·01	0·70	0·12	0·83	0·68	1·37	...	0·38	0·24
			Amarapura	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·85	1·50	0·10	1·40	4·14	0·10	0·55	...	...	2·20	0·10	0·10	...	0·21

TATIONS IN BENGAL IN JULY 1908—*continued.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 31st July 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 31st July.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
0·03	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·03	...	...	11	14·39	11·53	11·72	4·37	15·47	17·58	Buxar ...	Shahabad ...	Patna—*concluded.*	Bihar—*concluded.*
1·04	0·86	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	10	14·72	7·44	11·64	2·26	7·93	18·76	Dehri.			
...	0·35	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·22	13	13·71	6·28	12·28	0·87	6·85	18·12	Bhabhua.			
0·78	0·35	0·01	...	...	...	...	0·66	...	...	...	11	14·32	5·57	11·76	1·85	7·94	17·89	Sasaram.			
...	...	0·45	0·60	...	...	...	0·12	0·07	...	...	9	15·13	6·02	13·35	2·61	10·08	21·35	Arrah.			
0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·63	8	11·14	3·85	13·80	1·09	4·24	20·68	Mohanea.			
0·36	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	12·33	3·20	13·76	1·00	5·15	23·38	Agoaon.			
0·60	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	10	14·09	8·25	13·15	1·50	12·86	20·55	Ramagar.			
0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·13	...	13	14·22	10·65	13·18	2·63	14·69	19·39	Koath.			
...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	9	15·33	12·31	11·48	6·21	14·37	17·21	Sikroul.			
1·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	13·44	4·71	14·04	1·16	7·34	20·11	Bassowan.			
0·32	...	0·05	0·01	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	0·28	10	14·11	7·26	12·10	3·35	10·20	19·19	Monaharpur.			
0·68	0·48	0·73	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·78	11	?	8·63	?	1·35	11·53	?	*Akberpur.*			
...	...	...	0·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	13·68	9·52	12·38	2·75	12·78	29·87	Gopalganj ...	Saran ...		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	0·09	6	14·19	4·92	11·83	2·70	7·23	20·05	Siwan.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	11·71	4·71	10·45	1·85	5·28	19·86	Ekma.			
												14·23		11·29			18·89	Chapra.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	0·89	9	?	10·23	?	2·42	13·18	?	*Hathwa.*			
...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	5	13·75	6·40	12·38	4·50	9·10	22·41	Amnor.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	12·50	6·10	12·28	2·10	10·33	21·51	Basantpur.			
...	...	0·07	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·36	6	?	7·53	?	3·36	16·31	?	*Darauli.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·30	5	?	13·30	?	3·30	17·76	?	*Bhoreh.*			
...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	8	?	9·32	?	2·25	13·49	?	*Sripur.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	0·08	8	12·48	6·79	12·49	2·35	11·09	23·26	Motihari ...	Champaran ...		
...	...	...	...	0·23	0·34	1·18	...	0·37	...	...	11	15·40	8·37	13·98	1·95	12·86	24·08	Bettiah.			
...	...	...	0·06	0·53	0·03	1·73	0·01	...	0·02	5·15	11	15·25	14·02	16·35	5·16	25·78	29·65	Bagaha.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	7	14·19	7·72	12·04	2·51	12·70	21·49	Burhurwa.			
...	...	...	2·30	0·29	3·88	...	...	...	...	8·08	...	11	?	20·33	?	5·30	23·87	?	*Ramnagar.*		
...	1·23	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	?	11·59	?	2·12	15·38	?	*Narkotiaganj.*			
...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	9	?	7·67	?	2·25	8·49	?	*Kissoriah.*			
...	...	...	0·30	...	...	0·44	...	...	...	1·60	9	?	9·93	?	2·30	16·01	?	*Dhanaha.*			
...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·28	...	...	...	8	13·00	5·39	13·54	2·70	9·31	22·36	Sitamarhi ...	Muzaffarpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	15·39	6·35	11·90	2·85	8·85	20·36	Muzaffarpur.			
...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·32	0·07	...	...	11	14·51	8·01	12·23	2·66	14·19	20·67	Hajipur.			
...	...	...	...	...								13·33		12·38			20·19	Paru.			
...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·54	0·09	...	7	13·93	7·17	13·22	3·55	10·37	21·89	Mahua.			
...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	11·67	12·98	10·48	7·30	15·64	19·11	Shiuhar.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	8	11·33	10·22	11·48	2·50	14·95	21·15	Pupri.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	0·06	...	10	93·73	6·92	12·89	1·17	8·65	21·42	Tajpur (Samastipur).	Darbhanga ...		
												14·37		12·13			21·14	Darbhanga.			
...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	13·10	8·50	12·18	4·88	13·38	22·24	Madhubani.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	14·19	5·01	13·11	2·25	7·98	22·46	Bahera.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	8	14·33	3·99	12·64	1·57	6·70	20·15	Koserha.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	5	?	3·49	?	1·20	12·36	?	*Khutonia.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	5	?	3·60	?	1·57	11·00	?	*Ladania.*			
...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	?	4·66	?	3·25	16·03	?	*Laukahi.*			
...	...	0·05	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	?	9·04	?	4·72		?	*Madhepore.*			
0·05	...	...	...	0·15	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·43	5	?	5·15	?	4·30		?	*Khajouli.*			
...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	0·85	1	?	0·17	?	0·17		?	*Banipatti.*			
...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·03	0·72	...	...	10	14·65	7·18	12·18	2·20	11·06	20·10	Begusarai ...	Monghyr ...		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·10	...	...	11	15·61	3·71	12·42	1·13	6·92	20·99	Monghyr.			
27	0·56	0·04	...	0·07	...	...	0·08	0·11	0·07	...	13	16·65	10·60	13·95	3·15	13·11	22·41	Jamui.			
19	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	0·18	10	19·20	6·95	14·75	2·31	9·08	24·55	Gogri.			
...	...	...	...	0·01	0·01	...	...	0·25	0·03	...	9	16·33	3·98	15·72	0·99	4·59	25·49	Jamalpur.			
...	1·22	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	9·53	11·59	11·65	2·12	15·36	20·27	Shaikhpura.			
01	0·12	9·53	...	0·01	...	...	0·07	0·16	0·13	...	17	16·13	12·43	16·16	3·42	18·67	27·76	Chakai Bamda.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	0·10	...	5	13 13	4·46	11·67	1·81	6·98	18·85	Chupreon.			
22	0·02	0·05	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	13	14·83	8·74	12·23	1·90	12·15	20·41	Gidhour.			
25	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·05	...	0·53	0·09	...	14	16·17	9·82	12·28	1·75	13·32	20·59	Kharagpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	6	14·77	2·57	12·87	1·47	7·60	23·55	Madhipura ...	Bhagalpur ...		
...	0·10	...	...	0·45								11·33		12·80			20·16	Bangaon (Sylabad).			
...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·29	5	14·93	4·99	12·50	2·45	12·13	23·29	Supaul.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·10	0·12	1·21	11	15·25	3·69	15·09	3·80	14·57	29·13	Pratapganj.			
15	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·01	...	...	7	15·39	3·43	11·21	1·63	6·35	22·21	Bhagalpur.			
36	...	...	...	...		...	0·30	0·38	...	...	14	16·42	8·19	12·14	1·35	11·94	21·83	Banka.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	...	...	8	15·75	6·65	12·40	2·91	13·52	23·68	Colgong.			
36	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·41	...	...	13	14·17	6·16	11·66	1·17	12·89	21·05	Bansil.			
...	...	0·01	0·02	0·69	0·21	2·66	...	0·13	0·29	1·61	17	22·73	17·01	32·38	2·26	45·64	62·30	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling ...		
...	0·23	...	0·05	0·47	0·21	2·37	0·10	0·02	0·13	1·23	24	25·97	21·75	31·74	2·62	44·14	60·68	Darjeeling.			
02	0·07	0·41	0·11	0·99	1·26	0·03	0·37	0·20	...	0·80	20	23·94	21·14	25·18	2·85	36·01	45·43	Kalimpong.			
...	0·82	0·07	0·17	0·79	2·79	4·09	...	0·02	0·04	0·04	23	23·75	30·90	32·07	4·09	47·72	65·55	Mongpoo.			
18	0·47	1·23	0·61	1·15	5·45	5·94	3·15	1·73	0·32	0·85	30	27·33	46·29	45·23	5·94	78·34	85·33	Kurseong.			
21	0·78	0·02	0·94	1·57	1·45	1·40	0·58	0·32	0·54	0·75	25	25·75	22·34	25·90	2·32	46·37	47·56	Pedong.			
...	...	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·65	0·09	11	18·30	7·48	19·17	2·93	14·71	38·53	Kishanganj ...	Purnea ...		
...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·07	...	0·60	17	16·87	18·53	17·49	9·20	28·10	34·56	Araria.			
...	...	...	0·09	0·12	...	...	...	0·24	0·20	0·34	13	17·13	8·22	15·90	2·75	15·63	28·27	Purnea.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	16·79	4·64	14·53	3·20	12·35	27·30	Gondwara (*Korah*).			
...	...	...	...	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	7	16·50	7·22	17·12	2·50	14·71	31·25	Barsoe.			
...	...	0·10	0·05	...	...	...	0·06	0 07	...	2·23	7	17·89	10·95	18·19	7·14	15·96	33·35	Forbesganj.			
...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·30	0·50	...	2·00	1·00	9	18·29	6·45	25·58	2·00	20·90	46·40	Kaliaganj.			
21	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·05	...	13	15·40	6·88	12·41	1·45	14·55	24·68	Rajmahal ...	Southal Parganas.		
2	0·21	0·24	0·02	...	...	...	0·10	0·60	...	...	15	10·04	8·20	11·80	3·71	15·08	21·96	Godda.			
28	0·80	...	...	...	...	0·37	0·08	0·37	...	...	14	17·00	9·03	13·27	2·69	17·54	27·05	Pakaur.			
												18·72		14·14			26·26	Naya Dumka.			
50	...	0·37	...	0·14	...	...	1·00	0·07	...	0·18	15	17·97	13·30	14·00	2·30	21·08	24·10	Deoghur.			
01	0·54	0·44	0·27	0·60	0·01	...	0·75	0·30	0·10	...	19	17·65	11·12	13·80	1·85	25·06	26·23	Jamtara.			
05	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	10	?	7·06	?	2·86	16·20	?	*Mohagama.*			
38	0·19	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·29	0·36	...	0·37	19	15·33	20·63	13·28	3·64	31·88	20·84	Nanihat.			
05	0·40	...	0·27	0·10	...	...	0·08	0·10	0·08	0·85	18	16·00	15·93	13·14	5·25	32·45	23·39	Asseuboni.			
27	0·28	0·47	...	...	0·43	0·34	0·48	0·14	0·52	0·20	19	16·43	13·46	16·00	4·11	25·40	29·13	Katikund.			
	0·50	0·50	0·05	...	...	0·05	0·12	0·05	...	0·30	17	16·14	14·92	12·87	2·50	22·09	24·53	Madhupur.			
	...	0·60	1·80	0·13	...	...	...	0·41	...	...	13	12·57	14·50	12·61	3·67	23·30	24·50	Surwan.			
	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	14	15·71	12·86	12·65	3·00	22·49	23·00	Surath.			
38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	11	15·67	7·50	9·81	1·75	14·16	20·76	Poorya.			
80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	11·00	6·35	9·37	3·66	14·45	19·55	Bhagya.			
66	0·65	1·32	...	0·03	...	0·05	0·03	0·81	0·05	...	14	14·00	8·91	12·31	1·28	21·06	24·13	Mohespur.			
53	0·24	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·37	0·24	...	0·18	17	?	8·07	?	1·25	17·75	?	*Hiraspur.*			
	0·06	0·91	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	...	...	11	15·86	10·51	12·58	5·78	19·51	24·19	Barharwa.			
67		0·37	...	...	...	...	...	0·42	...	...	14	14·56	11·96	12·59	4·45	19·86	25·17	Sahibganj.			
	0·30	0·84	...	...	0·39	...	0·14	0·71	0·13	...	18	?	9·07	?	1·88	15·52	?	*Beria.*			
	0·61	4·06	0·11	...	0·20	0·37	0·26	...	0·20	0·13	20	?	15·16	?	4·08	26·68	?	Amarapura.			

TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Orissa.	Orissa.	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur ...	...	0·46	2·26	3 31	0·18	3·74	0·23	0·51	0·21	2·40	1·45	0·02	...	1·16	1·05	0·22	2·36	1·02	1·05
			Bargarh ...	...	0·24	0·96	1·09	0·26	1·29	0·83	0·19	0·06	0·34	0·54	...	...	1·22	1·08	...	0·58	0·35	0·67
			Padampur (Barasamber).	...	3·00	1·80	0·26	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	1·31	0·15	...	1·00	0·95	0·07	...	...	0·60
		Uria Feudatory States.	Bhawanipatna	0·80	0·42	0·20	0·34	0·10	1·60	...	0·90	0·70	0·20	0·80	...	...	0·20	1·60	1·70	0·02	...	1·67
			Bolangir ...	1·06	0·09	...	0·38	...	0·10	...	0·23	0·11	0·30	0·49	...	...		0·40	0·13	...	0·27	0·41
			Sonepur ...	...	0·34	...	0·38	...	...	...	0·07	0·05	1·20	...	...	1·50	0·60	...	...	...	0·21	0·85
			Kampur ...	0·42	0·77	4·40	3·27	0·59	1·04	0·30	0·30	0·26	1·20	0·36	...	0·05	1·16	1·45	...	0·23	0·30	1·84
			Deoghur ...	0·33	0·12	0·30	2·40	0·40	0·50	0·63	0·20	...	0·12	0·27	0·06	0·32	0·40	0·50	1·55	0·40	0·25	0·95
			Gangpur ...	...	0·36	0·29	1·09	3·55	0·77	0·65	0·38	0·24	0·21	0·10	0·11	...	...	1·78	0·78	0·57	0·42	2·40
			Bonaigurh ...	0·03	0·90	0·34	1·90	0·35	0·17	0·44	0·20	0·16	0·19	0·81	...	0·05	0·01	0·53	1·07	0·13	0·30	1·06
		Cuttack ...	Jagatsingpur	...	0·08	...	0·30	0·09	0·02	0·16	...	0·10	0·02	...	...	...	0·79	0·50	0·27	0·36	0·56	1·06
			Banki ...	0·10	0·22	0·79	0·21	0·02	0·45	0·16	0·17	...	0·07	0·52	0·43	...	...	0·33	...	...	0·50	0·55
			Cuttack ...	...	0·08	0·23	2·68	0·15	0·78	0·30	0·30	...	0·04	..	0·05	...	0·15	0·89	...	0·54	0·10	0·69
			False Point ...	...	0·20	...	0·50	1·03	0·30	0·07	0 09	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·89	...	0·50
			Kendrapara ...	0·09	0·30	...	...	0 55	0·05	0·34	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·43	...	0·37	...	2·26
			Jajpur ...	0·75	0·35	0·08	0·23	...	0·16	0·12	0·68	...	...	...	1·75	...	0·01	0·04	...	0·04	0·08	1·35
			Dharmsala ...	1·15	0·80	0·15	...	...	0 60	0·02	0·08	...	0·10	2·00	...	0·40	0·25	...	0·30	0·15	0·48	0·08
			Salepur ...	...	...	2·12	0·15	...	0·31	1·11	...	...	...	0·13	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90
		Balasore ...	Akhyapada ...	0·23	1·50	0·43	...	0·14	0·41	0·30	1·17	...	...	...	0·50	0·09	0·10	...	...	...	0·03	0·55
			Chandbali ...	0·28	0·30	...	0·03	...	0·70	0·90	2·36	0·10	...	...	0·68	...	0·04	0·08	..	...	0·27	1·42
			Bhadrak ...	...	0 24	0·14	...	1·75	0·05	0·63	0·46	..	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·03	...	...	0·31	0·36
			Soro ...	0·13	3·08	...	...	0·40	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	2·00	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	...
			Balasore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·83	...	...	...	...	0·61	...
			Jellasore ...	0·13	0·08	..	...	0·11	...	0·12	...	2·69	...	0·40	...	...	0·15	0·28	0·53	0·22	2·75	0·56
			Baliapal ...	0·03	0·06	0·24	...	...	...	0·08	...	0·35	...	0·45	...	...	0·33	...	0·18	0·14	2·55	0·35
			Eram (Basudebpur).	0·11	...	...	...	0·70	1·00	...	...	...	...	2·70	1·65	...	0·07	...	...	..	0·49	0·29
			Tariyaria ...	0·10	...	...	...	0·50	0·10	0·12	0·12	...	0·10	0·22	...	1·90	...	0·10	...	0·50	0·15	...
			Banuth ...	...	...	...	1·20	0·60	0·25	0·60	0·60	...	...	0·50	0·10	...	...	0·50	...	...	0·35	0·55
		Angul ...	Angul ...	0·17	1·50	0·71	0·11	0·03	0·13	0·34	0·22	0·05	0·80	0·90	1·20	...	0·97	...	...	...	0·17	0·70
			Bissipara ...	0·48	0·14	0·12	0·05	0·10	0·20	0·01	0·11	0·22	0·38	0·21	0·14	0·10	0·15	0·31	0·01	0·22	0·09	0·48
			Chhendipada	0·52	1·15	...	0·92	0·46	...	...	0·46	...	0·47	...	...	0·43	...	...	0·46	0·52	0·82	0·40
			Tikerpara ...	0·80	0·32	0·35	0·16	0·05	0·43	0·31	0·19	0·03	0·23	0·36	0·12	0·60	0·20	0·35	0·59	..	0·59	1 19
			Balandapara	0·23	1·27	0·13	0·12	0·22	0·10	0·02	0·06	0·05	1·07	1·15	0·05	0·12	0·00	0·08	0·40	0·07	0·62	0·75
		Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	0·47	0·07	0·80	0·11	...	0·21	0·15	0·07	...	0·03	0·07	0·13	0·03	0·07	0·91	...	...	0·68	0·28
			Kunjabongarh	1·35	0·12	0·10	0·42	0·11	0·25	0·25	0·22	0·13	0·15	0·04	...	0·17	0·22	2·17	0·05	...	0·42	0·25
			Dhenkanal ...	0·40	0·65	1·02	0·75	0·10	0·34	0·52	0·49	0·04	0·63	1·28	0·31	...	0·06	2·27	...	..	0·01	0·90
			Baisinga ...	0·47	0·97	0·60	2·24	1·30	0·50	Instrument was under repair							1 24	0·20	..	0·05	0·46	0·30
			Keonjhar ...	0·63	0·35	0·23	0·35	...	1·27	0·21	0·08	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·60	...	0·59	...	0·68	0·12
			Anandapur ...	0·32	...	0·17	0·49	0·15	0·13	0·61	0·80	...	...	0·12	...	...	1·02	0·13	...	...	0·17	0·19
			Baripada ...	0·08	0·16	0·16	0·02	0·66	0·01	0·01	..	0·11	0·40	...	0·02	..	0·12	0 99	0·17	0 16	1·20	1·90
			Karanjia ...	0 55	0·06	0·55	0·06	0·36	0·12	0·08	0·32	0·04	0·08	0·10	0·12	0·07	0·03	0·60	0·24	0·40	0·72	0·16
			Narsingpur ...	0·32	3·40	0·42	0·46	0·31	0·15	0 45	...	...	0·72	0·13	...		0·31	...	...	1·14	0·83	0·27
			Nayagarh ...	...	0·04	...	0·00	0·05	...	1·03	0·08	0·12	0·09	1·37	...	0·30	1·37	0·11	0·30	0·03	0·24	0·08
			Pal Lahera ...	...	0·40	...	0·30	0·10	1·52	0·65	0·60	0·20	0·54	0·50	0·15	...	2 65	...	0·13	2·61	0·96	0·50
			Ranpur ...	0·20	0·05	...	0·25	0·23	0·26	...	0·05	...	...	...	2·09	...	0·33	0·88	0·18	0·04	0·60	...
			Talcher ...	0·25	1·35	1·14	2·80	0·47	0 82	0·42	0·25	0·02	0·08	0·71	0·11	0·21	0·29	0·16	...	0·32	0·18	1·18
			Athmalik ...	0·17	...	0·60	0·38	0·94	0 09	0·38	0·06	0·02	0·80	0·03	0·20	0·01	0·14	0·16	...	...	0·13	2·80
			Hindol ...	1·38	0·77	0·53	1·57	0·10	0·16	0 03	...	0·11	0·37	0·27	...	0·05	1·53	...	...	0·05	0·77	0·48
			Boad ...	...	1·30	0·77	...	...	0·29	...	0·31	...	...	0·32	0·56	0·54	0·64	0·14	...	0·63	2·25	1·30
			Nilgiri ...	0·06	...	...	0·45	0 35	...	0·12	0·13	...	...	0·12	2·17	...	0·10	0·80	0·23	...	0·67	0·12
			Athgurh ...	0·57	0·32	0·86	0·18	2·00	0 28	0·08	0·39	0·01	0·04	0·20	...	...	0·10	0·80	...	0·17	0·10	0·97
		Puri ...	Puri ...	0·30	...	...	...	1·54	0·03	0·03	0·41	...	0·30	0·05	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...
			Khurda ...	0·51	0·32	...	0·00	0·68	0·36	...	...	0·70	...	...	0·34	0·16	0·21	1·51	...	...	0·18	0·42
			Bhanpur ...	...	...	3·67	0·30	0·32	0·01	...	0 45	...	...	0·03	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04
			Gop ...	0·02	1·52	0·31	...	3·48	0·12	0·06	0·24	..	0·13	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·60	...	0·14	0·20
			Satpara ...	0·20	...	...	0·16	0·46	0·02	...	0·15	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	0·80	...	...	...	...
			Sunakhalla ...																			
			Kanas ...	...	...	0·43	1·06	0·06	...	0·15	...	0·04	...	0·02	...	0·05	...	...	0·30	...	0·03	0·18
			Tanchi ...	0·27	0·42	2·58	1·08	...	0·05	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·05	...	...	...	...
			Jenkia ...																			
		Hazaribagh	Pachamba (*Giridih*).	0·08	...	...	...	0·58	0·10	0·05	1·17	1·52	1·34	0·60	0·03	...	...	0·27	0·28	0·37	0·10	0·19
			Hazaribagh ...	...	...	...	...	...	2·39	0·21	0·57	1·43	4·53	0·09	0·18	...	...	1·17	1·86	0·06	2·78	0·38
			Barhi ...	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	0·12	2·12	0·45	2·37	0·31	...	..	0·25	0·92	1·06	0 81	0·92	0·57
			Chatra ...	...	0·07	...	...	...	1·29	0·07	0·09	0·36	1·84	0 04	...	0·02	0·05	0·18	0·34	0·02	0·54	0·32
			Kharagdiha ...	...	0·76	...	...	0·83	0 69	1·28	1·07	1·03	0·31	...	...	...	2 15	1·21	0 78	0·16	0·13	0·29
			Kamgar ...																			
			Koderma ...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·49	1·50	1·05	0·25	1·20	0·22	0·15	...	...	0·30	0·10	0·35	...	0·50
			Bagodar ...	...	...	...	...	...	2·50	0·56	1·07	1·46	3·45	0·40	0·30	...	...	0·45	0·12	0·04	0·54	0·09
		Ranchi ...	Lohardaga ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	0·26	1·60	0·70	2·64	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	2·29	0·33	0·43
			Ranchi ...	0·04	0·06	0·18	...	0·16	2·08	1·50	0·85	1·00	2·54	0·31	0·28	...	...	0·47	0 03	1·03	0·56	1·86
			Silli ...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·16	1·28	...	...	0·35	0·76	...	...	0·18	2·99	3·00	1·45	0·32
			Palkot ...	...	0·10	0·05	0·15	1·69	2·12	1·03	0·85	0·97	0·31	0·50	1·25	3·05	0·35	0·84	2·45	0·36	0·19	0·35
			Bano ...	...	0·15	0·06	...	...	0·90	1·40	0·71	3·10	0·58	0·85	...	1·73	0·80	...	2·32	0·81	1·18	1·16
			Tamar ...	0·22	0·03	0·07	...	...	0·24	0·72	0·59	1·02	0·08	...	...	0·11	0·32	0·78	0·17	0·09	0·80	0·51
			Kurdeg ...	0·08	0·72	0·03	0·04	1·36	1·74	0·83	0·07	1·13	0·48	0·15	...	0·56	0·01	0·08	1·35	0·80	0·66	0·78
			Gumla ...	...	0·07	0·34	0·07	...	0·06	1·61	...	0·08	2·45	0·36	0·06	..	...	1·33	0·78	1·40	0·33	0·49
			Chainpur ...	0·41	0·02	0·30	0·09	0·48	0·39	1·08	...	0·38	2·56	0·32	0·05	0·06	0·04	0·32	0·56	0·85	0·31	0·75
			Khunti ...	0·37	0·03	0·25	0·70	0·03	...	0·90	...	0 75	0·54	0·40	0·47	...	...	2·68	0·96	0·47	0·42	0·45
		Palamau ...	Palamau (*Daltonganj*).																			
			Balumath ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	0·10	1·05	3·75	...	...	...	0·40	0·55	0·65	...	0·50
			Husainabad ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·00	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	...	...	...
			Garhwa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·32	0·31	0·85	0·18	0·11	0·18	0·12	0·11	0·73	1·31	0·08	0·31
			Mahuadanr ...	...	...	0·23	0·40	1·15	...	1·20	0·18	...	3·50	0·10	...	...	1·90	...	1·80	0·70	0·36	0·80
			Panki ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·60	0·30	1·75	0·15	...	...	1·10	0·15	0·80	1·60	...	...
			Latehar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·38	0·60	3·50	...	...	...	...	0·19	1·00	1·10	0·15	1·00
			Nagaruta ...	...	...	...	0·39	...	...	...	...	1·70	...	0·00	0·20	0·71	1·40	...	0·70	...	0·52	1·00
			Ranka ...	...	...	...	0·20	1·75	0·60	...	0 70	0·50	2·00	0·10	...	0·10	2·25	0·20	1·33	0·75	0·15	0·20
			Chattarpur ...																			
			Bhaonathpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	0·25	0·20	...	...	...	1·17	...	1·20	1·38	...	0·48
			Patan ...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	0·07	...	0·20	...	...	0·07	...	0·97	1·70	0·47	1·54
			Manatu ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·10	...	0·40	1·00	0·30	...	...	...	0·35	1·35	1·79	0·10	0·10
			Lesliganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·00	0·38	2 02	..	1·20	0·25	0·40	...	1·20	1·00	0·80	...	1·50
			Kerh ...	...	...	...	...	0·94	...	0·61	1·43	2·30	3·00	...	...	...	...	0·21	0·75	0·86	0·40	0·33
			Garu ...	...	...	...	...	1·70	0·11	...	2·14	2·30	4·35	0·25	...	...	...	0·50	2·10	1·70	0·25	2·00
		Manbhum ...	Purulia ...	0·22	0·08	0 20	0·08	0·16	0·22	...	0·46	1·00	0·43	0·42	0·05	...	...	0·02	0·36	0·95	2·65	0·02
			Gobindpur ...	...	0·11	0·00	...	...	2·07	...	0·49	3·10	3·05	0·36	0 07	...	...	3·43	0·41	1·85	0 41	0·55
			Raghunathpur	...	...	...	...	...	2·73	...	1·35	1·07	0·75	0·12	...	...	...	0·61	0·05	1·48	1·61	3·41
			Barabhbhum	0·05	0·15	...	...	...	0·85	...	0·10	2·10	0·27	0·36	0·50	...	1·20	1·55	0·20	0·50	1·58	0·45
			Jhalda ...	...	...	...	0·64	0·02	0·15	...	0·12	1·07	0·72	0·38	0·23	...	...	0·07	1·02	0·73	2·33	0·43
			Chas ...	...	0·13	...	...	0·13	...	...	0·41	1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	1·00	...	...
			Pandra ...	0·02	0·03	0·02	...	...	1·00	0·35	1 57	1·75	1·55	0·16	0·24	...	...	0·66	0·34	2·80	2·40	0·91
			Manbasar ...	0·15	0·25	...	...	...	...	1·00	1·80	0·20	0·10	...	...	0·30	0·30	1·00	0·80	3·00	0·80	0·40
			Kotlapal ...	0·72	0·05	...	1·15	...	0·06	0·14	0·50	0·26	0·10	0·40	...	...	0·04	0·34	0·52	1·11	1·91	0·41
		Singhbhum ...	Chaibasa ...	...	0·08	0·61	0·38	0·45	0·03	0·13	...	0·23	...	0·02	0·33	...	...	0·13	0·04	1·47	0·47	0·14
			Chakradharpur	0·09	...	0·21	...	...	0·54	0·02	0·71	0·25	0·02	0·03	...	...	0·37	0·55	0·04	0·38	0·02	...
			Ghatsila ...	0·30	1·59	0·41	0·02	0·31	0·59	0·34	0·20	0·70	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·30	0·25	1·80	0·48
			Bharagura ...	0·24	0·12	0·06	0·15	0·05	1·28	0·71	0·12	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	1·39	3·30	3·24	1·68
			Gulkura ...	...	0·21	..	0·46	0·03	0·04	0·28	0·17	1·72	0·90	1·00	0·27	0·04	...	0·49	0·36	0·21	2·40	0·29
			Kalikapur ...	0·55	0·90	0·04	0·04	0·02	1·38	0·18	0·21	0·59	...	...	0·73	0·08	0·06	0·41	0·93	0·67	1·31	1·02
			Monoharpur ...	0·28	0·10	...	0·07	0·72	0·17	0·40	0·20	0·10	1·40	0·64	0·35	0·15	...	0·65	0·73	0·45	0·60	1·27

STATIONS IN BENGAL IN JULY 1908—*concluded.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 31st July 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 31st July.	Station.	District.	Divisions.	Meteorological Divisions.
0·20	1·52	0·24	0·63	1·04	...	0·59	3·61	0·37	0·04	...	24	19·50	31·09	10·87	3·74	39·82	32·65	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur ...		
0·04	1·39	0·37	0·05	0·74	0·02	0·55	3·44	0·22	0·15	0·35	23	15·60	18·15	16·87	3·14	20·56	26·24	Bargarh.			
...	1·56	0·12	...	0·66	...	...	1·06	0·04	...	...	15	?	14·12	?	3·09	20·07	?	*Padampur (Burasamber)*			
0·10	0·04	0·22	0·20	0·82	...	0·56	...	...	0·10	0·80	21	?	14·09	?	1·70	21·49	?	Bhawanipatna.	Uria Feudatory States.		
...	0·24	...	...	0·28	...	1·09	0·72	0·42	0·07	..	17	?	7·09	?	1·09	16·94	?	Bolangir.			
...	2·31	1·88	...	0·80	...	0·37	1·20	1·10	...	1·90	15	?	15·36	?	2·31	26·43	?	Sonepur.			
...	0·29	2·37	0·30	0·15	0·10	0·86	2·04	1·65	1·09	0·26	...	27	?	28·43	?	4·40	42·51	?	Rampur.		
2·50	0·80	0·35	0·15	0·78	2·18	0·30	2·12	0·10	1·10	0·10	29	?	20·54	?	2·50	32·42	?	Deoghur.			
0·16	1·15	0·79	...	...	0·65	...	0·31	0·09	0·11	...	23	18·78	18·11	17·53	3·55	25·11	28·32	Gangpur.			
0·88	1·68	...	...	0·65	0·20	0·43	0·55	...	0·11	0·64	24	?	14·52	?	1·90	28·54	?	Bonaigurh.			
1·63	0·16	0·41	1·05		0·40	2·66	1·05	...	...	2·15	18	13·33	14·88	12·01	2·26	35·29	22·00	Jagatsingpur	Cuttack ...		
0·04	0·65	0·13	0·10	0·14	0·26	0·39	1·21	0·07	0·50	...	21	15·28	9·17	10·86	1·21	26·00	22·35	Banki.			
0·85	0·49	...	...	0·05	0·04	0·25	0·51	0·13	...	...	19	16·13	11·06	12·06	2·68	28·63	25·79	Cuttack.			
0·26	0·05	...	...		0·64	1·68	3·68	0·30	0·19	0·46	15	14·90	13·30	13·71	3·68	23·24	26·12	False Point.			
0·23	0·47	...	0·89	0·54	..	0·19	1·05	...	...	0·89	16	14·03	10·11	11·85	2·26	33·97	24·34	Kendrapara.			
0·44	0·55	...	2·55	0·51	0·34	...	0·22	...	...	0 03	16	14·50	10·98	12·73	2·55	23·13	26 10	Jajpur.			
0·80	0·10	2·35	0·20	0·22		0·27	0·07	...	0·05	1·12	20	15·13	13·78	11·69	2·35	26·81	25·84	Dharmsala.			
0·32	0·72	...	...	...	0·35	0·75	0 55	...	...	4·35	14	14·40	12·02	10·21	4·35	31·12	23·93	Salepur.			
0·38	0·73	0·34	0·10	0·17	0·03	...	0·04	...	...	0·24	17	13·03	7 63	10·88	1·50	15·27	23·71	Akhyapada ...	Balasore ...		
1·04	0·65	0·03	5·26	..	...	...	0·40	0·04	...	1·16	15	15·50	16·81	12·24	2·36	25·06	23·63	Chandbali.			
0·51	0·16	...	0·71	0·75	0·02	0·03	0·39	0·01	0·02	0·79	14	13·84	8·63	12 21	1·75	20·32	25·36	Bhadrak.			
1·25	0·31	...	0·30	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0 04	9	14·04	5·60	11 75	2·00	18·42	23·45	Soro.			
0·89	...	...	...	0·10	0·10	0·23	0·23	0·50	0·90	...	10	14·94	4·94	11·75	0·90	13·42	25·31	Balasore.			
0·15	0·21	0·02	...	0·46	...	...	0·12	0·22	0·05	0·02	16	14·35	9·36	13·34	2·75	25·63	24·71	Jellasore.			
0·30	0·10	0·04	0·06	0·47	0·10	0·08	0·70	0·54	0·20	...	15	?	7·95	?	2·55	21·59	?	*Baliapal.*			
0·40	0·03	...	0·06	...	0·63	0·08	0 31	...	0·07	0·42	12	?	10·24	?	2·70	20·64	?	*Eram* (Basudeopur).			
0·35	...	0·50	0·60	0·50	...	...	0·15	0·40	0·20	...	19	?	7·81	?	1·20	20·01	?	*Turigaria.*			
1·00	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	0·12	...	0·38	0·75	16	?	8·50	?	1·20	14·95	?	*Banuth.*			
0·82	0·94	...	0·10	0·35	0·17		0·40	0·09	0·07	...	20	15·00	11·34	11·07	1·50	21·03	22·52	Angul ...	Angul ...	Orissa.	Orissa.
0·01	0·13	0 37	0·05	0·21	0·18	0·75	3·99	2·10	1·31	0·03	24	16·00	13·67	13·27	3·80	22·80	24·28	Bisipara.			
0·00	...	0·16	0·66	...	0·30	0·16	...	...	...	...	17	?	9·68	?	1·15	12·38	?	*Chhendipada.*			
0·13	1·30	...	...	0·33	0·23	0·74	0·64	0·03	1·13	...	24	?	12·24	?	1·30	18·32	?	*Tikerpara.*			
0·07	0·20	1·25	0·16	0·26	0·18	0·68	1·29	0·17	0·69	0·51	25	?	14·97	?	1·67	27·42	?	*Balandapara.*			
0·04	1·20	0·42	0·11	0·10	0·17	0·14	...	0·75	0·19	...	18	15·50	8·70	10·74	1·50	28·46	22·13	Baramba ...	Orissa Tributary Mahals.		
1·00	0·10	0·25	2·50	0·27	0·42	1·54	0·32	0·99	0·06	0·11	25	14·30	14·31	11·20	2·50	29·11	21·63	Kunjabongarh			
0·04	1·05	0·27	0·05	1·20	0·33	0·01	0·10	0 90	...	...	22	16·50	15·27	12·92	2·27	32·21	25·38	Dhenkanal.			
1·24	0 38	...	0·58	0·05	0·07	...	0·57	...	0·40	...	16	?	13·85	?	2·34	25·34	?	*Baisinga.*			
0·22	...	0·72	0·19	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·71	0·32	18	13·74	8·18	10·46	1·27	15·36	19·45	Keonjhar.			
0·90	0·09	...	...	...	0·07	0·09	0·62	...	0·05	0·48	16	14·38	0·67	12·29	1·02	17·49	24·81	Anandapur.			
0·03	1·20	0·01	..	0·90	0·37		0·32	0·09	0·11	0·18	19	17·50	10·42	12·99	1·90	15·80	26·42	Baripada.			
4·00	0·17	..	..	0·85	0·50	0·22	0·08	0·18	0·10	0·30	21	?	11·86	?	4·00	24·53	?	*Karanjia.*			
1·63	0·20	0·29	0·50	0 75	0 20	0·52	0·13	0·53		0·33	23	14·50	13·09	9·63	3·40	33·07	19·91	Narsinghpur.			
1·72	0·35	0·78	...	...	0·11	0·09	0 06	0·52	0·03	1·25	15	14·00	10·78	11·44	1·72	21·64	25·27	Nayagarh.			
1·35	1·00	...	0·10	1·44	1·65	0·10	0 30	0·90	0·46	1·00	26	18·44	19·98	23·36	2·65	31·33	35·28	Pal Lahera.			
...	1·42	0·42	0·00	0·55	0·22	0·96	0·18	0·15	0·90	...	18	15·13	10·59	11·25	2·00	18·72	22·19	Ranpur.			
1·63	0·86	0·02	0·34	1·18	0·35	0·19	0 71	0 04	0·17	...	25	15·70	16·99	13·42	2·80	29·42	24·63	Talcher.			
0·07	0·59	0·15	0·83	0·61	0·32	2·94	1·51	0·14	...	0·07	20	?	15·67	?	2·34	23·29	?	*Athmalik.*			
0·45	0·63	0·23	0·83	0·60	0·39	0·24	0·02	0·05	...	0·64	20	?	12·27	?	1·57	31·86	?	*Hindol.*			
0·70	0·35	0·04	1·06	0·82	1 80	2·44	1·60	0·13	...	0·04	23	?	25·59	?	2·44	34·28	?	*Boad.*			
0·24	...	0·26	0·03	0·77	...	...	0·05	0·1	0·27	0·47	15	?	8·64	?	2 17	16·59	?	*Nilgiri.*			
0·52	1·10	0·20	0·13	0·48	0 25	0·10	0·25	0·17	...	0·10	24	?	19·85	?	2·00	26·76	?	*Athgurh.*			
...	0·53	0·02	0·09	0·10	1·70	0·31	1 27	0·14		...	11	11·74	7·45	9·76	1·70	19·38	19·41	Puri ...	Puri ...		
...	1·26	...	...	...	0·13	0 50	1·50	0·67	0·66	..	19	16·26	10·91	13·82	1·51	22·17	24 28	Khurda.			
...	1·11	1·00	1·10	0·21	0·66	1·10	0·48	0·16	0·05	...	14	12·68	10·10	10·02	3·67	19·07	19·26	Bhanpur.			
0·24	1·15	0·30	...	0·55	1·26	0·88	0 54	0·21	...	2·24	18	12 80	14·50	10 98	3·48	27·32	21·14	Gop.			
...	0·32	0·05	...	0·04	...	0·39	0·36	...	...	...	10	8·91	4·04	6·23	0·93	12·28	16·30	Satpara.			
												13·45		11·56			23·18	Sunakhalla.			
1·65	0·45	...	...	1·20	4·40	0·80	...	0·22	...	1·23	13	?	13·72	?	4·40	23·16	?	*Kanas.*			
...	1·50	0·47	...	0·45	...	0·60	0·88	0·45	0·05	...	12	?	9·55	?	2·38	19·34	?	Tanghi.			
																		Jenkia.			
0·02	0·23	0·35	0·37	...	...	...	0·07	0·42	...	...	16	18·83	8·32	12·99	1·54	14·07	23·32	Pachamba ... (*Giridih*).	Hazaribagh		
0·57	1·47	0·13	...	0·31	...	...	0·16	0·35	...	...	18	18·74	19·68	13·62	4·53	28·68	23·69	Hazaribagh.			
0·16	0·65	...	...	...	..	...	...	0·18	...	...	16	15·03	13·71	13·47	2·57	23·21	21·65	Barhi.			
0·46	2·15	0·16	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·16	..	0·29	13	17·33	9·93	16·22	2·15	18·44	26·14	Chatra.			
0·36	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·72	0·43	18	15·53	12·77	14·88	2·15	16 62	25·23	Kharagdiha.			
												14·18		14·78			24·09	Ramgar.			
0·22	0·15	0·10	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	?	7·24	?	1·50	13·43	?	*Koderma.*			
0·14	0 66	0·21	0·13	0·02	...	...	0·43	0·24	...	...	17	?	13·33	?	3·45	24·13	?	*Bagador.*			
0·32	0·80	0·25	...	...	0·39	0·49	..	0·16	..	0·24	16	17·59	12·62	12·51	2·64	16·11	22·10	Lohardaga ...	Ranch. ...		
0·24	1·79	...	0·02	...	0·10	0·02	0·19	0 46	0·42	...	21	19·10	18·69	13·20	2·54	28·96	23·02	Ranchi.			
0·36	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	...	...	14	14·64	11·61	13·27	3·00	21·67	23·05	Silli.			
0·50	...	...	1·36	0·63	0·15	0·10	0·53	0·05	...	0·35	25	17·14	20·36	18·64	3·05	33·53	30·99	Palkot.			
1·20	0·60	...	...	...	...	0·74	0·63	...	...	0·15	19	?	19·49	?	3·10	31·25	?	*Bano.*			
2·91	0·12	0·02	...	0·55	...	0·21	0·35	0·18	...	...	19	16·14	11·20	13·10	2·91	24·18	26·72	Tamar.			
2·86	...	...	0·04	...	...	1·13	...	1·07	2·02	0·41	20	?	21·46	?	2·86	26·77	?	*Kurdeg.*			
0·16	0·70	0·32	...	...	0·31	...	0·07	0·30	...	...	15	?	11·40	?	2·40	17·44	?	*Gumla.*			
1·32	0·40	0·41	0·06	0·20	0·09	...	0·33	0·66	0·06	1·35	22	17·43	14·91	15·55	2·56	19·09	23·73	Chainpur.			
...	0·62	0·17	...	0·2	0·52	...	0 05	0·15	1·42	0·03	20	?	13·50		2·88	22·60		Khunti.			
												16·16		12·51			19·44	Palamau ... (*Daltonganj*)	Palamau ...	Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur.
1·10	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	0·55	12	17·33	10·75	14·00	3·75	17·35	23·30	Balumath.			
1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·00	4	15·07	6·90	10·48	2·00	6·90	23·64	Husainabad.			
0·45	0·14	0·08	...	0·18	...	...	0·59	...	0·72	0·00	18	15·47	8·50	12·59	1·00	11·79	19·17	Garhwa.			
1·50	0·13	...	...	...	...	...		0·60	...	0 80	17	?	10·18	?	3·50	19·96	?	*Mahuadanr.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·10	0·30	1·20	12	?	11·65	?	3·60	14·15	?	*Panki.*			
2·00	0·32	0·45	...	...	...	...		...	...	0·20	14	?	11·73	?	3·50	13·74	?	*Latehur.*			
0·55	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	0·55	...	14	?	10·86	?	1·70	14·22	?	*Nagarutari.*			
0·30	...	0·20	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·20	2·00	21	?	15 15	?	2·25	19 15	?	*Ranka.*			
												?		?			?	*Chattarpur.*			
0·15	0·50	0·80	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·30	...	0·10	14	?	9·23	?	2·00	9·33	?	*Bhaonathpur.*			
1·00	0·00	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	11	?	7·78	?	1·70	8·50	?	*Patan.*			
2·00	0·50	0·90	...	0·40	0·10	...	...	...	...	1·00	17	?	10·90	?	3·00	15·00	?	*Monatu.*			
0 50	0·70	...	0·25	0·38	...	...	...	0·05	0·55	0·05	15	?	14·78	?	3·00	15·08	?	*Lesliganj.*			
0·70	0·31	0·04	...	...	0·16	...	0·63	0·06	...	0·07	15	?	15·03	?	3 00	16·34	?	*Kerh.*			
0·38	0·50	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	16	?	20·35	?		4·35	?	*Garu.*			
1·48	1·90	0·03	0·05	0·40	0·20	...	0·32	0·43	0·02	...	19	17·42	13·91	12·23	2·65	24·12	24·30	Purulia ...	Manbhum ...		
0·03	0·12	0·23	0·81	0·10	0·21		0·32	0·10	0·29	...	20	18·10	18·87	14·12	3·41	29·77	24·98	Gobindpur.			
0·05	1·48	0·11	...	...	0·05	0·04	0·02	0·25	..	...	13	16·33	16·90	13·25	3·41	25·87	22·74	Raghunathpur.			
0·4	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	1·76	0·11	0·31	...	19	18·80	14·31	12 82	2·10	30·55	25·70	Barahabhum.			
0·14	0·03	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	1·17	0·77	0·06	17	13·80	11·31	12·56	2·33	21·60	24·45	Jhalda.			
0·25	0·43	0·00	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	0·10	12	15·73	5·84	12·13	1·40	14·16	22·12	Chas.			
0·25	0·10	...	0·12	0·30	0·12	0·18	0·03	0·08	...	...	18	16·22	14·51	12·51	2·40	27·35	25·04	Pandra.			
0·30	0·47	0·75	0·00	0·70	0·20	0·30	...	...	...	0·10	21	?	14·12	?	3·00	26·07	?	*Manbazar.*			
0·34	...	1·15	0·16	...	...	0·50	0·58	...	0·06	0·58	18	?	11·18	?	1·91	28·20	?	*Koilapal.*			
0·19	0·14	0·30	...	...	1·40	...	0·17	0·08	0·40	0·24	18	16·68	7·64	13·33	1·47	20·87	23·97	Chaibasa	Singhbhum ...		
0·05	...	0·16	0·47	0·27	...	0·16	0·05	...	...	...	12	16·14	5·29	13·86	0·94		24·53	Chakradharpur			
2·71	0·45	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·28	...	0·10	19	15·33	11·38	12·02	2·71	26·19	26·08	Ghatsila.			
0·55	0·00	...	...	1·99	0·13	...	...	0·05	0·26	0·34	19	14·47	17·87	11·73	3·30	30·63	24·92	Baharagora.			
1·00	1·87	0·05	0·19	0·03	0·39	...	1·27	0·02	1·10	4·00	21	17·88	25·35	17·10	6·29	34·22	27 66	Gailkura.			
0·12	0·64	0·02	...	0·40	...	...	0·05	0·06	...	...	17	16·38	11·23	14·36	1·38	23·85	32·50	Kalikapur.			

DISTRICT RAINFALL TABLE OF THE PROVINCE OF BENGAL
for the month of July 1908.

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	District Observations. Rainfall. Of month. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Since 16th May 1908. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	14·27	12·25	+2·02	18·40	15·46	33·62	25·37	+8·25	34·60	30·63
		Birbhum	15·18	12·49	+2·69	18·67	16·10	31·37	26·07	+5·30	35·01	31·67
		Bankura	14·18	12·22	+1·96	18·56	15·52	30·89	25·80	+5·09	35·16	30·54
		Midnapore	15·07	11·43	+2·64	16·00	14·79	31·80	25·56	+6·24	32·15	30·06
		Hooghly	18·75	12·02	+6·73	18·67	16·40	38·20	25·34	+12·86	36·67	32·37
		Howrah	22·28	11·53	+10·75	20·33	17·03	49·04	25·33	+23·71	37·66	38·88
	Presidency	24-Parganas	17·08	12·98	+4·10	19·50	16·64	38·34	26·87	+11·47	35·25	33·18
		Calcutta	24·64	12·31	+12·33	24·00	18·96	53·63	26·30	+27·33	34·50	35·52
		Nadia	12·21	10·36	+1·85	17·60	15·47	33·99	24·07	+9·92	36·00	32·63
		Murshidabad	11·25	10·90	+0·35	13·88	15·31	26·63	24·29	+2·34	28·39	31·42
		Jessore	14·79	10·64	+4·15	17·00	16·08	34·55	26·10	+8·45	37·40	34·40
		Khulna	17·25	13·10	+4·15	20·80	17·60	32·63	29·37	−3·26	39·20	36·10
Bihar.	Patna	Patna	5·08	12·40	−7·32	8·83	14·37	8·56	21·28	−12·72	15·00	23·69
		Gaya	8·59	12·40	−3·81	10·78	14·19	12·65	19·76	−7·11	16·56	22·80
		Shahabad	7·26	12·69	−5·43	9·92	13·90	9·75	19·51	−9·76	13·92	22·58
		Saran	5·28	11·77	−6·49	5·50	13·34	7·89	20·52	−12·63	9·50	22·28
		Champaran	9·23	13·72	−4·49	9·25	13·83	15·37	24·63	−9·26	17·50	25·72
		Muzaffarpur	8·39	12·03	−3·64	7·00	13·03	11·90	20·88	−8·98	12·71	22·88
		Darbhanga	6·11	12·59	−6·48	7·50	13·94	9·40	21·48	−12·08	13·80	23·97
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr	7·95	13·33	−5·38	11·50	14·62	11·24	22·18	−10·94	17·63	24·66
		Bhagalpur	5·67	12·72	−7·05	9·00	14·75	11·07	23·12	−12·05	18·84	26·69
		Darjeeling	26·57	32·08	−5·51	23·17	24·74	50·02	61·26	−11·24	51·91	52·22
		Purnea	8·98	18·16	−9·18	8·43	17·40	17·31	34·22	−16·91	22·22	33·19
		Sonthal Parganas.	11·56	12·68	−1·12	14·31	15·67	21·73	24·03	−2·30	26·63	29·78
Orissa.	Orissa	Sambalpur	24·62	18·37	+6·25	23·50	17·55	38·20	29·45	+3·75	36·50	28·40
		Angul	12·51	12·17	+0·34	22·00	15·80	21·94	23·40	−1·46	35·50	29·85
		Cuttack	12·03	11·89	+0·14	17·38	14·79	27·40	25·56	+2·84	29·76	27·95
		Balasore	7·28	12·03	−4·75	13·50	14·03	18·23	24·37	−6·13	26·87	28·96
		Puri	9·36	10·23	−0·87	13·80	12·64	20·09	20·43	−0·34	22·60	24·85
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	12·88	14·33	−1·45	16·20	16·75	20·39	24·03	−3·64	27·97	28·58
		Ranchi	14·91	14·38	+0·53	19·50	17·01	23·94	25·03	−1·09	31·40	30·04
		Palamau	82·7	13·85	−5·18	11·33	16·01	12·02	21·41	−9·39	14·99	25·23
		Manbhum	13·51	12·80	+0·71	16·86	16·84	24·78	14·19	+10·59	31·99	30·00
		Singhbhum	13·42	15·07	−1·65	18·43	16·51	23·88	27·74	−3·86	31·96	31·91

SUMMARY OF THE RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL DURING THE MONTH OF JULY 1908.

During the month under report the distribution of rain was very irregular. It was heavy in South-West Bengal and light in Bihar. Orissa received an average fall. In Chota Nagpur the rainfall was below the normal. Hooghly received an average fall of 18·75, Howrah 22·28, 24-Parganas 17·08, Calcutta 24·64, Jessore 14·79, Khulna 17·25 and Sambalpur 24·62 inches. The excess over the normal at Hooghly was 6·73, at Howrah 10·75, at the 24-Parganas 4·10, at Calcutta 12·33, at Jessore and Khulna 4·15 and at Sambalpur 6·25 inches. Expressed in percentage figures the above districts received 156, 193, 132, 200, 139, 132, 134 per cent. of rain. In Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Angul, Cuttack, Ranchi and Manbhum rain was also above the normal. The percentage figures are 116, 122, 116, 121, 118, 103, 103, 101, 104, 106. In Bihar and in Balasore, Puri, Hazaribagh, Palamau, Singhbhum the fall was below the normal. The deficiency was noticed in the districts of Bihar and in Balasore and Palamau.

From the Divisional percentage table attached it will be seen that South-West Bengal received 123 per cent., Bihar 59 per cent., Orissa 108 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 87 per cent. of rain.

The total rainfall from January to July was 111 per cent. in South-West Bengal, 60 per cent. in Bihar, 78 per cent. in Orissa and 84 per cent. in Chota Nagpur.

The following table gives the rainfall of the various divisions of Bengal in July and in each of the previous months of the present year as compared with the normal values for the same periods. The figures given represent the actual falls expressed as percentage of the normal falls :—

Meteorological Divisions.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Actual rainfall of first seven months of 1908 expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the period.
South-West Bengal	275	20	16	16	78	145	123	111
Bihar	83	282	56	12	62	52	59	60
Orissa	396	Nil	43	7	47	76	108	78
Chota Nagpur	118	·247	39	1	81	76	87	84

PERCENTAGE TABLE FOR JULY 1908.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for July.	Actual district rainfall for July 1908.	Percentage of actual to normal rainfall.	Percentage excess (+), defect (—).
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	12·25	14·27	116	+ 16
	Birbhum	12·49	15·18	122	+ 22
	Bankura	12·22	14·18	116	+ 16
	Midnapore	12·43	15·07	121	+ 21
	Hooghly	12·02	18·75	156	+ 56
	Howrah	11·53	22·28	193	+ 93
	24-Parganas	12·98	17·08	132	+ 32
	Calcutta	12·31	24·64	200	+100
	Nadia	10·36	12·21	118	+ 18
	Murshidabad	10·90	11·25	103	+ 3
	Jessore	10·64	14·79	139	+ 39
	Khulna	13·10	17·25	132	+ 32
Bihar ...	Patna	12·40	5·08	41	— 59
	Gaya	12·40	8·59	69	— 31
	Shahabad	12·69	7·26	57	— 43
	Saran	11·77	5·28	45	— 55
	Champaran	13·72	9·23	67	— 33
	Muzaffarpur	12·03	8·39	70	— 30
	Darbhanga	12·50	6·11	49	— 51
	Monghyr	13·33	7·95	60	— 40
	Bhagalpur	12·72	5·67	45	— 55
	Darjeeling	32·08	26·57	83	— 17
	Purnea	18·16	8·98	50	— 50
	Santhal Parganas ...	12·68	11·56	91	— 9
Orissa ...	Sambalpur	18·37	24·62	134	+ 34
	Angul	12·17	12·51	103	+ 3
	Cuttack	11·89	12·03	101	+ 1
	Balasore	12·03	7·28	61	— 39
	Puri	10·23	9·36	91	— 9
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	14·33	12·88	90	— 10
	Ranchi	14·38	14·91	104	+ 4
	Palamau	13·85	8·72	63	— 37
	Manbhum	12·80	13·51	106	+ 6
	Singhbhum	15·07	13·42	89	— 11

The following table gives the Summary of the Rainfall data of each of the four Meteorological Divisions of the Province of Bengal for the month of July 1908 :—

Meteorological Divisions.	Rainfall of month.			Rainy days.			Rainfall since 16th May 1908.	
	Average.	Normal average	Variation	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal ...	14·65	11·94	+2·71	17·31	15·92	+1·39	22·71	25·79
Bihar	7·75	13·05	—5·30	9·64	14·68	—5·04	12·87	22·86
Orissa	11·35	11·43	—0·08	16·52	13·92	+2·60	18·84	23·25
Chota Nagpur ...	12·28	14·08	—1·80	15·97	16·55	—0·58	20·14	24·77

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The 18th August 1908.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of June 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1908-09.						1907-08.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Orissa Canals.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.
Taldanda Canal System ...	3,848	7,930	3,573	65,177	2,074	3,965	2,760	5,090	4,474	23,248	1,779	2,616
Kendrapara ditto ...	780	9,981	338	37,947	595	5,848	... ..	6,8..2	.....	90,151	... ..	5,611
High Level, Range I	940	3,438	150	24,894	488	1,904	349	1,911	...	17,448	206	1,420
High Level, Range II	95	584	649	4,452	25	166	136	1,385	24	16,758	30	403
High Level, Range III	29	55	240	1,675	8	26	31	220	.....	2,589	5	56
Jajpur Canal ...	118	453	.....	2,058	47	89	23	286	384	18,214	47	134
Total Orissa Canals	5,840	22,441	4,950	136,173	3,237	11,998	3,299	15,714	4,882	168,408	2,067	10,240
Midnapore Canal ...	7,474	24,376	1,178	5,823	2,828	9,012	7,348	24,918	120	10,637	3,046	10,729
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	4,843	17,452	600	1,610	3,611	13,392	8,166	29,326	1,675	3,187	5,987	21,428
Sone Canals.												
Patna Canal System ...	81	638	29,442	275,599	148	877	1,293	4,[illegible]23	39,810	473,695	1,374	5,632
Arrah ditto ...	12	273	102,570	589,404	155	1,378	130	553	126,519	823,873	532	2,328
Buxar ditto ...	31	271	9,416	86,534	49	353	1,547	3 881	19,650	226,725	1,267	3,565
Total Sone Canals ...	124	1,182	141,428	951,537	352	2,608	2,970	9,257	185,979	1,524,293	3,173	11,525
Grand Total ...	18,281	65,451	148,156	1,095,143	10,028	37,010	21,783	79,215	192,656	1,706,525	14,273	53,922

Calcutta,
The 17th August 1908.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of June 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1908-09.						1907-08					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C ft.	Rs	Rs.	Tons.	Tons	C. ft	C. ft	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	29,262	99,964	3,135	10,980	21,024	65,954	23,348	90,118	4,465	11,470	15,479	58 166
Tolly's Nala	17,527	57,243	1,984	2,934	5,541	17,598	16,099	51,861	850	1,225	4,607	15,299
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	3,079	3,079	1,302	1,302	1,356	1,356	4,560	4,560	42	42	2,035	2,035
Total ...	49,868	160,286	6,421	15,216	27,921	84,908	44,007	146,539	5,357	12,737	22,121	75,500
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,185	8,034	95	6,520	982	3,127	4,553	17,564	210	9,563	1,718	6,789
Nadia Rivers ...	2,697	9,117	2,555	3,415	506	2,798	4,525	15,440	1,221	2,132	8 2	4,575
Grand Total ...	54,750	177,437	9,071	25,151	29,409	90,833	53,085	179,543	6,788	24,432	24,671	86,864

Calcutta,
The 17th August 1908.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st August 1908, on 2,287·05 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	487,175	4,16,784 0 0	7,056,847 0	11,12,547 0 0	38,474 0 0	15,67,805 0 0	157,064	218,299	375,363
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	182 3 10	.....	486 7 3	16 13 2	685 8 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	1,906,803	15,65,989 0 0	26,226,729 0	40 22,216 0 0	1,37,004 0 0	57,25,203 0 0	561,996	783,290	1,345,286
Total for 4½ weeks ...	2,393,978	19,82,767 0 0	33,283,576 0	51,34,763 0 0	1,75,478 0 0	72,93,008 0 0	719,060	1,001,589	1,720,649
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	740,202	4,27,811 6 6	6,436,135 10	10,51,313 0 3	40,837 6 9	15,23,961 13 6	148,510	193,368	341,778
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.		187 3 3	.....	460 0 6	19 9 11	666 13 8	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year.	2,593,960	23,05,648 3 2	33,674,073 30	53,11,121 2 3	1,95,933 15 6	75,12,702 4 11	727,227	961,827	1,689,054

(a) The increase is chiefly in coal.

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,287·05	First 11 days of July ...	866,359	6,98,612	11,318,612	17,83,633	60,190	25,42,735	1,112	587,545	4 5 3
2,287·05	Week ended 18th ,, ...	541,502	4,27,776	7,208,527	11,31,240	38,716	15,97,738	699	381,295	4 3 1
2,287·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	498,842	4,30,595	7,004,690	11,07,317	37,708	15,84,730	693	376,445	4 3 4
2,287·05	,, ,, 1st August ..	487,175	4,16,784	7,056,847	11,12,547	38,474	15,67,805	686	375,363	4 2 10
	Totals up to date ...	2,393,978	19,82,767	33,283,576	51,34,763	1,75,478	72,93,008	698	1,720,649	4 3 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,285·30	First 13 days of July	1,034,609	9,19,173	12,255,363	19,17,941	72,060	29,09,183	1,273	653,521	4 7 3
2,285·30	Week ended 20th ,,	578,165	5 02,615	6,990,747	10,27,517	38,702	15,68,834	686	345,104	4 8 9
2,285·30	,, ,, 27th ,,	510,984	4,56,049	6,896,839	10,14,350	40,325	15,10,724	661	348,651	4 5 4
2,285·30	,, ,, 3rd August	470,202	4,27,811	6,436,135	10,51,313	44,838	15,23,962	667	341,778	4 7 4
	Totals up to date	2,593,960	23,05,648	32,674,074	50,11,121	1,95,934	75,12,703	677	1,689,954	4 7 2

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st August 1908 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	18,711	4,074 0 0	11,994 0	308 0 0	5 0 0	4,387 0 0	1,342	154	1,496
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	183 4 3	.....	13 13	0 3 7	197 5 6	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	102,549	24,507 0 0	35,478 0	1,046 0 0	25 0 0	25,578 0 0	4,792	550	5,342
Total for 4½ weeks ...	121,260	28,581 0 0	47,472 0	1,354 0 0	20 0 0	29,965 0 0	6,134	704	6,838
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	20,630	5,362 10 4	11,890 20	431 9 0	4 6 6	5,798 9 10	1,063	269	1,332
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.		241 3 9		19 6 7	0 3 2	260 13 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year.	135,064	31,207 10 8	58,076 30	2,360 8 0	27 11 6	33,595 14 2	4,854	1,134	5,988

TARKESUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 11 days of July	52,603	13,183	12,835	524	13	13,720	617	2,350	5 13 6
22·23	Week ended 18th ,,	29,374	6,979	11,109	267	7	7,253	326	1,496	4 13 7
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,,	20,572	4,345	11,534	255		4,605	207	1,496	3 1 3
22·23	,, ,, 1st August	18,711	4,074	21,994	808		4,387	197	1,496	2 14 11
	Totals up to date	121,260	28,581	47,472	1,354		29,965	295	6,838	4 6 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 13 days of July ...	47,166	11,190	22,815	963	9	12,182	548	2,242	5 6 11
22·23	Week ended 20th ,, ...	34,067	7,120	14,939	510	6	7,636	343	1,234	6 3 0
22·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	33,201	7,535	10,432	436	8	7,979	359	1,190	6 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 1st August ...	20,630	5,363	11,891	431	5	5,799	261	1,322	4 6 2
	Totals up to date ...	135,064	31,208	58,077	2,360	28	33,596	311	5,988	5 9 9

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st August 1908, on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	28,561	22,990 0 0	222,144 0	14,596 0 0	43 0 0	37,629 0 0	11,703	4,808	16,511
Or per mile of railway	...	141 9 7	..	89 14 4	0 4 3	231 12 2	...	41,657	18,087	59,744
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year.	117,805	94,062 0 0	785,153 0	52,799 0 0	144 0 0	1,47,005 0 0			
Total for 4½ weeks .	146,386	1,17,052 0 0	1,007,297 0	67,395 0 0	187 0 0	1,84,634 0 0	53,360	22,895	76,255
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	31,445	23,440 4 0	1[illegible],106 20	13,384 10 0	41 11 3	36,866 9 3	11,367	4,663	16,030
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	144 6 0	...	82 7 0	0 4 1	227 1 1	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year .	158,430	1,11,180 0 3	1,050,003 30	77,959 6 0	214 12 0	1,89,354 2 3	57,243	23,641	80,884

1908 *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 11 days of July .	51,248	39,632	351,706	22,968	63	62,663	386	26,507	2 5 10
162·36	Week ended 18th ,, .	34,068	27,700	208,512	15,301	40	43,041	265	16,560	2 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, .	33,480	26,730	224,845	14,630	41	41,401	254	16,677	2 7 7
162·36	,, ,, 1st August .	28,581	22,990	2,22,144	14,596	43	37,629	232	16,511	2 5 6
	Totals up to date .	146,386	1,17,052	1,007,207	67,395	187	1,84,634	249	76,255	2 6 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concld. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 13 days of July .	63,583	41,971	335,280	29,568	85	71,624	441	30,244	2 5 11
162·36	Week ended 20th ,, .	32,043	23,660	271,408	18,075	47	41,782	257	17,683	2 5 11
162·36	,, ,, 27th ,, .	31,359	22,109	268,109	16,932	41	39,082	241	16,987	2 4 10
162·36	,, ,, 3rd August .	31,445	23,440	175,107	13,384	42	36,866	227	16,080	2 4 10
	Totals up to date .	158,430	1,11,180	1,050,004			1,89,354		80,884	

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th August 1908 on 2,292·38 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	497,429	4,47,128 0 0	6,705,603 0	10,55,637 0 0	37,474 0 0	15,40,239 0 0	158,505	215,909	374,414
Or per mile of railway	...	195 0 9	...	460 8 0	16 5 7	671 14 4	...	...	...
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	2,303,978	19,82,767 0 0	33,283,576 0	51,34,763 0 0	175,478 0 0	72,93,008 0 0	719,060	1,001,589	1,720,649
Total for 5½ weeks ...	2,891,407	24,29,895 0 0	39,989,179 0	61,90,400 0 0	212,952 0 0	88,33,247 0 0	877,565	1,217,498	2,095,063
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding weeks of previous year	470,922	4,20,183 1 6	5,678,675 20	8,92,151 6 0	36,951 14 9	13,49,286 6 3	142,945	172,662	315,607
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year	...	183 13 10	...	390 6 2	16 2 9	590 6 9	..	...	..
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year	3,064,882	27,25,831 4 8	38,352,749 0	59,03,272 8 3	2,32,885 14 3	88,61,989 11 2	870,173	1,134,489	2,004,66[illegible]

(a) The increase is chiefly in coal and rice.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,287·05	First 11 days of July ...	866,350	6,98,612	11,315,612	17,83,633	60,490	25,42,735	1,112	587,545	4 5 3
2,287·05	Week ended 18th ,, ...	541,692	4,27,776	7,998,427	11,31,246	38,716	15,97,738	699	381,205	4 3 1
2,287·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	498,842	4,30,515	7,002,690	11,07,337	37,798	15,84,730	693	376,446	4 3 4
2,287·05	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	487,175	4,16,784	7,056,847	11,12,447	38,474	15,67,805	686	375,363	4 2 10
2,292·38	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	497,429	4,47,128	6,705,603	10,55,637	37,474	15,40,239	672	374,414	4 1 10
	Totals up to date ...	2,891,407	124,29,895	39,989,179	61,90,400	212,952	88,33,247	692	2,095,063	4 3 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. 1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,285·30	First 11 days of July ...	1,034,000	9,19,173	12,350,353	19,17,[illegible]1	72,069	29,09,188	1,273	653,531	4 7 3
2,285·20	Week ended 20th ,, ...	578,105	5,02,615	6,990,747	10,27,317	35,702	15,65,634	686	345,104	4 8 9
2,285·30	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	510,984	4,56,049	6,906,853	10,14,350	40,325	15,10,724	661	348,651	4 5 4
2,285·30	,, ,, 3rd Aug. ...	470,202	4,27,811	6,455,135	10,51,513	44,838	15,23,962	667	311,778	4 7 4
2,285·20	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	470,922	4,20,183	5,678,675	8,92,152	36,952	13,49,287	590	315,607	4 4 5
	Totals up to date ...	3,064,882	27,25,831	38,352,749	59,03,273	232,886	88,61,999	692	2,004,661	4 6 9

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th August 1908 on 22·21 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	19,792	4,971 0 0	15,808 0	323 0 0	5 0 0	5,299 0 0	1,342	154	1,496
Or per mile of railway	...	223 13 1	.....	14 8 9	0 3 7	238 9 5	...	...	...
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	121,260	28,581 0 0	47,472 0	1,354 0 0	30 0 0	29,965 0 0	6,134	704	6,838
Total for 5½ weeks ...	141,052	33,552 0 0	63,280 0	1,677 0 0	35 0 0	35,264 0 0	7,476	858	8,334
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	20,503	4,561 5 5	10,233 20	406 11 0	4 4 3	4,972 4 8	1,254	132	1,386
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	...	205 3 0	... ...	18 4 9	0 3 1	223 10 10	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year	155,567	35,769 0 1	68,310 10	2,767 3 0	31 15 9	38,568 2 10	6,108	1,266	7,374

TARKESUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 11 days of July ...	52,603	13,183	12,835	524	13	13,720	617	2,350	5 13 5
	Week ended 18th ,, ...	29,374	6,979	11,109	267	7	7,253	326	1,496	4 13 7
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,572	4,345	11,534	255	5	4,605	207	1,496	3 1 3
22·23	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	18,711	4,075	11,994	308	5	4,387	197	1,496	2 14 11
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	19,792	4,971	15,808	323	5	5,299	239	1,496	3 8 8
22·21	Totals up to date ...	141,052	33,552	63,280	1,677	35	55,264	295	8,334	4 3 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. 1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 13 days of July ...	47,166	11,190	22,815	983	9	12,182	518	2,242	5 6 11
	Week ended 20th ,, ...	34,067	7,120	12,939	510	6	7,635	343	1,234	6 3 0
22·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	33,201	7,536	10,432	436	8	7,979	339	1,190	6 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 3rd Aug. ...	23,639	5,333	11,891	431	5	5,769	261	1,322	4 6 2
22·23	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	20,503	4,561	10,233	407	4	4,972	224	1,386	3 9 5
22·23	Totals up to date ..	155,567	35,760	68,310	2,767	32	38,565	296	7,374	5 3 8

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th August 1908 on 162·50 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	31,889	21,152 0 0	231,665 0	14,125 0 0	49 0 0	35,626 0 0	11,926	4,035	16,861
Or per mile of railway	... ...	130 4 6	...	88 13 6	0 4 10	219 6 10	...	...	...
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	146,386	1,17,052 0 0	1,007,297 0	67,395 0 0	187 0 0	1,84,634 0 0	53,360	22,895	76,255
Total for 5½ weeks ...	178,275	1,38,204 0 0	1,238,962 0	81,520 0 0	236 0 0	2,20,260 0 0	65,286	27,830	93,116
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	32,087	22,639 11 11	161,713 30	11,942 0 0		31,605 2 11	11,575	4,410	15,985
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	139 6 2		73 8 10	0 3 3	213			
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year.	191,417	1,38,810 12 2	1,211,717 20	89,201 6 0	247 3 0	2,23,959 5 2	68,818	28,051	96,869

1908 *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coach		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 11 days of July ...	51,248	39,632	351,736	12,978	63	52,673	386	26,507	2 5 10
162·36	Week ended 18th ,, ...	33,068	27,700	208,512	15,301	40	43,041	265	16,589	2 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	33,489	26,730	224,845	14,540	41	41,301	254	16,677	2 7 7
162·36	,, ,, 1st August...	28,581	22,900	222,114	14,596	43	37,539	232	16,541	2 4 6
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	31,889	21,152	231,665	14,125	49	35,326	219	16,861	2 1 10
	Totals up to date ...	178,275	1,38,204	1,238,962	81,520	236	2,20,260	243	93,116	2 5 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. 1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 13 days of July ...	63,583	41,971	335,380	29,068		71,024	441	30,244	2 5 11
	Week ended 20th ,, ...	32,043	24,660	271,408	18,075		41,782	257	17,623	2 5 11
162·36	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	31,350	22,109	268,109	16,652		38,082	241	16,057	2 4 10
162·36	,, ,, 3rd August	31,445	23,440	175,107	13,384		36,866	227	16,050	2 4 10
162·36	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	32,987	22,651	161,714	11,942		34,605	213	15,885	2 2 8
162·36	Totals up to date ...	191,417	1,33,811	1,211,718	89,201		2,23,959	238	96,869	2 5 0

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 1st August 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.				
Total traffic for the week ...	48,000	28,500 0 0	2,40,000 0	43,500 0 0	3,000 0 0	75,000 0 0	15,761	21,141	36,902
Or per mile of railway ...	62·50	37·11	311·28	56·42	3·89	97·42	20·52	27·42	47·94
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	188,500	1,14,500 0 0	8,54,000 0	1,43,000 0 0	13,500 0 0	2,71,000 0 0	56,093	69,246	125,339
Total for 5 weeks	236,500	1,43,000 0 0	10,94,000 0	1,86,500 0 0	16,500 0 0	3,46,000 0 0	71,854	90,387	162,241
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	46,695	27,946 0 0	2,97,666 0	60,725 0 0	4,518 0	93,189 0 0	14,324	19,551	33,875
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	60 80	36·39	386·08	78·76	5·86	121·01	18·65	25·36	44·01
Total to corresponding date of previous year	236,207	1,36,803 0 0	15,07,116 0	2,82,771 0 0	19,708 0 0	4,39,282 0 0	69,104	39,982	163,086

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

Receipts for week ending 1st August 1908.			Receipts for week ending 3rd August 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 1st August 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 3rd August 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	75,000	97·42	771	93,189	121·01	771	14,41,798		771	15,45,808			1,04,010

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 1st August 1908 on 1,797 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs (a)	Mds.	Rs. (b)	Rs. (c)	Rs.		(d)	
Total traffic for the week on 1,797 miles open	323,650	1,39,780	8,59,970	1,05,960	17,340	2,63,080	56,841	42,540	99,381
Or per mile of railway	183·44	77 79	476·89	58·96	9·65	146·40	.....		
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	1,244,720	4,85,210	31,84,780	4,30,570	85,010	10,00,790	202,854	146,370	
Total for 4½ weeks	1,574,370	6,24,990	40,41,750	5,36,530	1,02,350	12,63,870	259,695	190,910	
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,705 miles open	268,615	1,01,389	10,35,774	1,22,939	21,708	2,46,096	54,661	(e) 37,018	91,679
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	157·55	59·47	607·40	72·10	12·77	144·34			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,473,110	5,56,199	54,67,166	6,98,262	1,06,402	13,60,863	261,545	216,454	477,999
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		2·46		2·49	·17	2·65			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		1·85		3·32	·24	2·68			

(a) General increase chiefly under local and foreign outward, due to development of traffic.
(b) Decrease mainly under foreign inward due to heavy grain traffic to Bengal in 1907.
(c) Decrease principally under sundries.
(d) Includes 5,840 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 8,618 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	445,770	1,58,690 0 0	(c)15,03,910 0	(c)2,13,350 0 0	17,580 0 0	3,89,620 0 0 (c)	74,649	(b)35,059	109,708
Or per mile of railway	350	125 0 0	1,180 0	167 0 0	(a)6 0 0	(a)298 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	1,565,000	6,43,230 0 0	60,32,620 0	6,94,460 0 0	92,010 0 0	14,29,700 0 0	264,024	164,063	428,087
Total for 5 weeks	2,010,770	8,01,920 0 0	75,36,530 0	9,07,810 0 0	1,09,590 0 0	18,19,320 0 0	338,673	199,122	537,795
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	440,717	1,55,015 0 0	17,77,073 0	2,59,585 0 0	13,425 0 0	4,28,025 0 0	72,416	56,078	128,494
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,268 miles)	348	123 0 0	1,401 0	205 0 0	1 0 0	329 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,110,926	8,09,835 0 0	85,69,022 0	10,22,254 0 0	1,30,898 0 0	19,62,987 0 0	347,401	247,889	595,290

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 10,400.
(b) Excluding ballast train-miles, 10,904.
(c) Decrease is due to abnormal increase in jute and rice traffic in the previous year.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	34,370	11,270 0 0	29,530 0	2,140 0 0	100 0 0	13,510 0 0	5,656	(a)1,200	6,856
Or per mile of railway	400	131 0 0	343 0	25 0 0	1 0 0	157 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	157,050	48,850 0 0	1,05,420 0	8,490 0 0	1,540 0 0	58,880 0 0	20,200	7,500	27,700
Total for 5 weeks	191,420	60,120 0 0	1,34,950 0	10,630 0 0	1,640 0 0	72,390 0 0	25,856	8,700	34,556
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	39,844	10,762 0 0	60,494 0	3,896 0 0	57 0 0	14,715 0 0	5,216	1,040	6,256
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	359	125 0 0	703 0	45 0	1 0 0	171 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	172,833	52,010 0 0	2,70,297 0	12,902 0 0	950 0 0	65,952 0 0	24,680	5,446	30,126

(a) Excludes ballast train-miles, 600.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1908, on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	3,140	1,250 0 0	15,830 0	1,430 0 0	10 0 0	2,690 0 0	427	(a)1,053	1,480
Or per mile of railway	93	37 0 0	471 0	43 0 0	.....	80 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	14,400	5,380 0 0	69,490 0	5,500 0 0	40 0 0	10,920 0 0	1,523	6,361	7,884
Total for 5 weeks ...	17,540	6,630 0 0	85,320 0	6,930 0 0	50 0 0	13,610 0 0	1,950	7,414	9,364
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,057	1,092 0 0	12,887 0	1,281 0 0	7 0 0	2,480 0 0	427	2,130	2,557
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	91	33 0 0	384 0	41 0 0	.....	74 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	16,225	5,607 0 0	84,608 0	7,448 0 0	55 0 0	13,110 0 0	2,137	10,779	12,916

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 960.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st August 1908, on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	13,790	4,160 0 0	24,870 0	1,450 0 0	40 0 0	5,630 0 0	2,114	(a)196	2,310
Or per mile of railway	255	77 0 0	461 0	26 0 0	1 0 0	104 0 0	..	...	..
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	41,650	13,930 0 0	68,440 0	4,260 0 0	80 0 0	17,370 0 0	7,642	1,508	9,150
Total for 5 weeks ...	55,440	17,190 0 0	93,310 0	5,690 0 0	120 0 0	23,000 0 0	9,756	1,704	11,460
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	10,735	3,480 0 0	31,984 0	1,911 0 0	194 0 0	5,585 0 0	1,918	392	2 310
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	212	68 0 0	631 0	38 0 0	4 0 0	110 0 0			..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	49,141	15,858 0 0	1,01,307 0	6,052 0 0	1,147 0 0	24,057 0 0	9,529	1,787	11,316

(a) Ballast train-miles *nil*.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 8th August 1908	...	Coaching ...	5,674 0 0	15,785 0 0
		Goods ...	9,898 0 0	
		Other earnings ...	213 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907	...	Coaching ...	5,138 0 0	13,972 0 0
		Goods ...	8,565 0 0	
		Other earnings ...	269 0 0	
		Increase ...		1,813 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 8th August 1908	...	...	...	309 8 2
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907	...	...	...	273 15 4
		Increase ...		35 8 10
Receipts from 1st July to 8th August 1908	...	...	...	80,984 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907	...	...	...	87,982 0 0
		Decrease ...		6,998 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 5676A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5516A.—The 20th August 1908.*—The order of the 10th July 1908, posting Babu Sharat Chandra Sen Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to the head-quarters station of the Champaran district, on relinquishing charge of his special Land Acquisition work in the district of Bhagalpur and Monghyr, is cancelled.

Bhagalpur. Monghyr. Champaran.

No. 5530A.—The 21st August 1908.—Babu Manohar Gupta, Probationary Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the Lalbagh subdivision of the Murshidabad district.

Murshidabad.

No. 5571A.—The 24th August 1908.—Babu Mahendra Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhum, is appointed to act as Deputy Commissioner of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. Coupland, or until further orders.

Manbhum.

No. 5573A.—The 24th August 1908.—Mr. Atul Krishna Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district.

Monghyr.

No. 5579A.—The 24th August 1908.—Babu Satyendra Nath Batabyal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Manbhum district.

Manbhum.

No. 5593A.—The 25th August 1908.—Mr. W. J. Stark, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Muzaffarpur, is appointed to have charge of the Sitamarhi subdivision of that district, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. E. H. Berthoud, or until further orders.

Muzaffarpur.

This cancels the order of the 4th August 1908, appointing Mr. J. M. Fletcher, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Muzaffarpur, to have temporary charge of the Sitamarhi subdivision.

No. 5597A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Hira Lal Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Jamtara subdivision of the Sonthal Parganas district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. H. Swindon, or until further orders.

Sonthal Parganas.

EDUCATION.—*No. 5654A.—The 25th August 1908.*—Mr. E. A. LeFeuvre, Additional Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division, *vice* Mr. H. A. Stark, on deputation.

Presy. Divn.
Chota Nagpur Divn.

No. 5657A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Phani Bhushan Basu, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, is appointed to act as Additional Inspector of Schools of that Division, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. E. A. LeFeuvre, or until further orders.

Presidency Divn.

No. 5659A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Nalini Mohan Sanyal, Officiating Head Master, Patna Collegiate School, is appointed to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Phani Bhushan Basu, or until further orders.

Patna.
Presy. Division.

No. 5661A.—The 25th August 1908.—Maulvi Amjad Ali, Head Master, Patna Training School, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Head Master of the Patna Collegiate School, *vice* Babu Nalini Mohan Sanyal, on deputation.

Patna.

No. 5663A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Durga Prasad Tewari, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur, is appointed to act as Head Master of the Patna Training School, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Amjad Ali, or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.
Patna.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 5646A.—The 25th August 1908.*—The Revd. John Reid, of the Baptist Mission at Jessore, is authorised, under sections 6 and 9 of Act XV of 1872, to solemnize marriages between persons one or both of whom is a Christian or are Christians, and to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians. The Revd. John Reid is also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be Registrar of Births and Deaths in the district of Jessore.

Jessore.

The Revd. Prasanna Kumar Biswas, of the Baptist Mission at Daulatpur, Jessore, is authorised, under section 9 of Act XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians. He is also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be Registrar of Births and Deaths in the district of Jessore.

Jessore.

CONFIRMATION.

EDUCATION.—*No. 5644A.—The 25th August 1908.*—Babu Priya Nath Ray, Additional Assistant Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, on probation, is confirmed in that appointment and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the 14th May 1907.

Burdwan.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 5484A.—The 19th August 1908.*—Mr. W. G. Kelly, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, is allowed leave for one month, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th August 1908.

Bankura.

No. 5549A.—The 22nd August 1908.—Mr. H. P. Duval, I.C.S., who is now employed on acquiring lands for the Port Commissioners, Calcutta, and who has also been appointed to acquire lands required for the Fringe Area Drainage Scheme of the Corporation of Calcutta, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 7th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, up to the 28th September 1908.

Calcutta.

No. 5568A.—The 24th August 1908.—Mr. H. Coupland, Deputy Commissioner, Manbhum, is allowed leave for sixteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th September 1908.

Manbhum.

No. 5582A.—The 24th August 1908.—Babu Dhirakshan Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhum, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Manbhum.

No. 5595A.—The 25th August 1908.—Mr. C. H. Swindon, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jamtara, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and ten days from the afternoon of the 22nd August 1908, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 5621A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Nagendra Nath Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

24-Parganas.

No. 5670A.—The 25th August 1908.—Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Is-hakk, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date of his reversion from Settlement duties up to the 28th September 1908.

POLICE.—*No. 5561A.—The 23rd August 1908.*—Mr. F. P. Walker, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Birbhum, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th September 1908.

Birbhum.

EXCISE.—*No. 5624A.—The 25th August 1908.*—Babu Chuni Lal Ray, Special Excise Deputy Collector, Monghyr, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 27th June 1908.

Monghyr.

POWERS.

No. 5520A.—The 20th August 1908.—Babu Sharat Chandra Sen Gupta, Deputy Collector, employed on Land Acquisition work in the district of Champaran, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Champaran.

No. 5590A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Makhan Lal Chatarji, Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Midnapore.

The following order is republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 19th August 1908 :—

No. 3230A.—The 17th August 1908.—Mr. Iradatullah, Munsif of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is allowed leave for three months, under articles 233 and 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Appointment Department Notification No. 2405A., dated the 23rd June 1908.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3318For.—The 25th August 1908.—Mr. O. A. Dodsworth, Forest Ranger, 4th grade, having passed the third-years' course at the Imperial Forest College, Dehra Dun, is appointed to be a Probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, with effect from the 1st July 1908.

No. 3336L.R.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Sashi Bhusan Bhattacharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Cuttack, is granted an extension of privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twelve days, in continuation of the privilege leave for one month and-a-half and twenty-one days granted to him in Government Notifications No. 1161T.R., dated the 15th June 1908, and No. 2939L.R., dated the 3rd August 1908, respectively.

Cuttack.

No. 3331-Agri.—The 24th August 1908.—The services of Mr. H. H. Corbin, Principal of the Bengal Agricultural College, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab for employment in the Agricultural Department of that Government.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3238L.A.—The 21st August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company, for a public purpose, viz., for assisted siding No. 3, Standard Coal Company, at Hurriladih and Jheriakhas, in the villages of Hurriladih and Jheriakhas, pargana Jheria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 39 bighas 14 cottahs 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

North—By waste land of village Jhariakhas,
East—By rice field and waste land and dry land of villages Jheriakhas and Hurriladih,
South—By Bengal-Nagpur Railway main line land,
West—By rice field and waste land and dry land of villages Jheriakhas and Hurriladih,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Hurriladih and Jheriakhas.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Adra.

F. W. DUKE.
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3241L.A.—The 21st August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a retired line of embankment in the 17th and 18th mile of the Chetua Circuit Embankment No. 22, in the village of Mahisghata, pargana Chetua, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 bighas 5 cottahs 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

North—Embankment,
East—Gosain Ghorui's land and the breach,
South—Embankment,
West—Mahes Bera, Dinu Maiti, Haru Maiti and Nilu Ghorui's land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Mahisghata.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Ghatal.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3243L.A.—The 21st August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that additional land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for improving sanitation in the village of Bankipore, pargana Azimabad, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Patna.

North—By the bungalow of Mr. Pirris,
East—By Government lands,
South—By the compound of the Bank of Bengal,
West—By Government lands,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bankipore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Patna.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3244L.A.—The 21st August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Garulia Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for surface drainage scheme in the villages of Garulia and Ichapur, pargana Habelishshahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, ten plots of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 1 cottah 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

24-Parganas.

PLOT A.

On the north and south by the land belonging to Munshi Amir, Uma Charan Mondal, Abdool Samad, Raghu Nandan Kalal, Dukhni Bewa, Khetra Patra and Jadu Bose, on the east by the side drain of Goalapara road, and on the west by Umarali's road;

PLOT B.

On the north by the land belonging to Uma Charan Mondal, Manmatha Ghose, Kedar Ghose and Jagu Singh and the Municipal drain, on the east and west by the Municipal drain and on the south by the land belonging to Munshi Amir, Saroda Poorkait, Uma Charan Mondal, Manmatha Ghose, Kedar Ghose, Jagu Singh and Abdul Samad;

PLOT C.

On the north and south by the land belonging to Uma Charan Mondal, and on the east and west by the Municipal drain;

PLOT D.

On the north by the land belonging to Jagu Singh, Uma Charan Mondal, Abdul Shaikh and Mehar Mistri, on the east and west by the public drain, and on the south by the land belonging to Jagu Singh, Manmatha Ghose and Uma Charan Mondal;

PLOT E.

On the north by the land belonging to Mehar Mistri, Uma Charan Mondal and Atab Mistri and by the Zamindary road, and on the east, south and west by the public drain;

PLOT F.

On the north, east and west by the public drain, and on the south by the land belonging to Jajneswar Ghose and Meher Mistri;

PLOT G.

On the north by the land belonging to Ambu Sheikh, and on the east, south and west by the public drain;

PLOT H.

On the north by the land belonging to Ambu Sheikh, Rajan Das, Uma Charan Sadhukhan and Seetal Mitra, on the east by the public drain, on the south by Dabootolah khal, and on the west by the south drain of Garulia road;

PLOT I.

On the north, east and west by Dabootolah khal, and on the south by the land belonging to Doorga Das Chatterjee;

PLOT J.

On the north by Dabootolah khal, on the east and south by the land belonging to Doorga Das Chatterjee, and on the west by the River Hooghly—

are required within the aforesaid villages of Garulia and Ichapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Garulia.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Howrah.

No. 3272L.A.—The 22nd August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for East Indian Railway Company's staff quarters at Howrah station, in the village of Howrah, pargana Boroe, zilla Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 13 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 1 acre 2 roods 7·31 poles) or 1·5457 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the Tindal Garden road,
East—By the new street,
South—By the Chandmaree road,
West—By the East Indian Railway Company's land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Howrah.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Howrah, Land Acquisition Department, and in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Howrah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Shahabad.

No. 3283L.A.—The 24th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Mednipur village channel to be converted into a sub-distributary, in the villages of Mednipur, Choranti, Kharanti, Kukurha and Amarhi, pargana Danwar, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 13 cottahs $0\frac{13}{20}$ chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Siri Maharani Beni Parshad Kuari and others in village Mednipur,
East—By Buxar Canal,
South—By the lands of Rai Bahadur Thakur Sitlabaksh Singh, special Manager, office Mirzapur, and others in villages Choranti and Kharanti,
West—By the lands of Siri Maharani Beni Parshad Kuari and others in villages Mednipur, Choranti, Kharanti, Kukurha and Amarhi,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Choranti, Kharanti, Kukurha, Amarhi and Mednipur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Collector, Sone Canals, Revenue Division, Arrah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3286L.A.—The 24th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a new branch line from Chapra to Masrakh, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a strip of land measuring, more or less, 2,430 bighas 6 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, and passing through the undermentioned villages of parganas Manjhi, Bal and Goa, is required—

Saran.

DISTRICT SARAN.

Name of pargana.	Name of village.	Name of pargana.	Name of village.
Manjhi ...	Husai Churra.	Goa—*concld.*	Israuli.
	Mauna.		Pair Purwa.
Bal ...	Sanda.		Tal Puraina.
	Dumaria.		Tajpurwa.
	Tandua.		Larua.
	Rajai Tola.		Selauri.
	Amar Chupra.		Awari.
	Itahia.		Pakaha.
	Nand Lal Chupra.		Asoia.
	Nempuri Tola.		Tola Takina.
	Loha Tola.		Tehra.
	Hari Ram Tola.		Agothar.
	Kureyan.		Mahuli.
	Khaira.		Goha.
	Rampur.		Kauria.
	Saidupur.		Amardeh.
	Aphaur.		Parsa.
	Banni.		Dhama.
	Mahman Patti.		Gunrajpur.
	Jagdispur.		Tola Jaithur.
Goa ...	Bahwara Dawan.		Galmapur.
	Rajgawan.		Masrakh.
	Paterhi.		

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Saran.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3299L.A.—The 24th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed bund at bridge No. 460 on the Moghalsarai-Gaya Railway, mile 371-$\frac{1}{8}$, in the village of Bauchar, tahsil Siris, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs 2·4 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north, east and west by the village land of Bauchar, and on the south by the land of the Moghalsarai-Gaya Railway line, is required within the aforesaid village of Bauchar.

Gaya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the East Indian Railway District Engineer at Gaya.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3302L.A.—The 24th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Bengal-Nagpur Railway for a public purpose, viz., for siding No. 3, Bhatdeeh Bengal Coal Company, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the villages of Mohuda, Teturia and Bhatdeeh, pargana Jheria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that

Manbhum.

for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 53 bighas 5 cottahs 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By rice field and dry land of villages Teturia and Mohuda,
East—By Bengal-Nagpur Railway land,
South—By rice field and dry land of villages Teturia and Mohuda,
West—By dry land of Behari Hazari,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Mahuda, Teturia and Bhatdeeh.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, sale or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Adra.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Purnea.

No. 3315L.A.—The 25th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Manihari Ghat Stone Siding of the Katihar-Godagari Railway in the village of Manihari, pargana Kankjole, zilla Purnea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 16 bighas 19 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by lands of Shaik Sanullah Miah, Gyan Chand Chowdhuri, and Babu Hari Mohon Misser, on the east and west by Eastern Bengal State Railway, and on the south by River Ganges, is required within the aforesaid village of Manihari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Purnea.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

REGISTRATION.

Jessore.

No. 3929.—The 21st August 1908.—Maulvi Ghulam Nabi, Sub-Registrar, Salkopa, in the district of Jessore, was allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eighteen days, with effect from the 14th July 1908, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 23rd June 1908.

Cuttack.

No. 3981.—The 25th August 1908.—Maulvi Shaikh Elahi Baksh, Head Clerk, Sadar Registration office, Cuttack, is appointed temporarily to be Joint Sub-Registrar of Jajpur in that district.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3990.—The 25th August 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Abdur Nayeem, B.A., Probationer, Monghyr, is appointed temporarily to act as Officiating Sub-Registrar of Pertabganj, in the district of Bhagalpur, with effect from 21st July 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

H. C. STREATFIELD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 668S.R.—The 24th August 1908.—Mr. Nabaratna Misra, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Khulna, *vice* Babu Hari Charan Bose, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Khulna.

No. 670S.R.—The 24th August 1908.—Babu Surendra Lal Mitra, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Balasore, *vice* Babu Prasanna Kumar Ghosal, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Balasore.

No. 681S.R.—The 22nd August 1908.—Babu Girish Chandra Sarkar, Special Excise Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Ranchi, *vice* Babu Manmatha Nath Sen, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Ranchi.

No. 646-O.—The 20th August 1908.—Mr. E. G. Browne, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, was appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Mainpuri Division, from the 19th June to 19th July 1908, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. O. D. Murray.

Mainpuri.

No. 660-O.—The 21st August 1908.—Mr. L. P. Hutchison, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for nineteen days, with effect from the 6th October 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Benares Agency.

No. 680-O.—The 24th August 1908.—Mr. G. S. V. Paterson, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 20th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Benares Agency.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1564Medl.—The 20th August 1908.—Captain F. A. F. Barnardo, I.M.S., Officiating Resident Surgeon, Eden Hospital, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for two months and twenty-one days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 8th August 1908.

Calcutta.

No. 1566Medl.—The 20th August 1908.—Captain D. Munro, I.M.S., Officiating Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal and Orissa Circle, is appointed to act as Resident Surgeon, Eden Hospital, Calcutta, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Captain A. C. MacGilchrist, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 1589Medl.—The 21st August 1908.—Babu Mithilesh Chandra Ghosh, a passed student of the Grant Medical College, Bombay, is admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon with effect from the 8th June 1908.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5677A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5600A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Hari Prasanna Mukharji, Munsif of Kushtia, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Midnapore, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. Jogendra Nath Mitra, or until further orders.

Nadia. Midnapore.

No. 5636A.—The 25th August 1908.—Mr. F. K. Dobbin, Registrar and Chief Ministerial Officer of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to be Fifth Judge of that Court, with effect from the 15th September 1908, *vice* Babu Hari Nath Ray, promoted.

Calcutta.

No. 5638A.—The 25th August 1908.—Mr. Jatindra Chandra Gupta, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to be Registrar and Chief Ministerial Officer of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, with effect from the 15th September 1908, *vice* Mr. F. K. Dobbin, appointed Fifth Judge of that Court.

Calcutta.

Mr. Jatindra Chandra Gupta is vested under section 14, Act XV of 1882 (the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act), with the powers of a Judge for the trial of suits in which the amount or value of the subject-matter does not exceed Rs. 20.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 5630A.—The 25th August 1908.—Nawab Abul Fazl Muhammad Abdur Rahman, Third Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to be Second Judge of that Court, with effect from the 15th September 1908, *vice* Mr. Abul Hasan, about to retire.

Calcutta.

No. 5632A.—The 25th August 1908.—Mr. C. D. Panioty, Fourth Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to be Third Judge of that Court, with effect from the 15th September 1908, *vice* Nawab Abul Fazl Muhammad Abdur Rahman, promoted.

Calcutta.

No. 5634A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Hari Nath Ray, Fifth Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to be Fourth Judge of that Court, with effect from the 15th September 1908, *vice* Mr. C. D. Panioty, promoted.

LEAVE.

No. 5673A.—The 20th August 1908.—Babu Thakur Dayal, Additional Munsif of Samastipur, in the district of Darbhanga, is allowed leave for nine days, under articles 232 and 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 10th July 1908.

Darbhanga.

The 20th August 1908.—Babu Jagat Narayan Sarkar, Munsif of Muzaffarpur, is allowed leave for four months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 16th July 1908.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 5674A.—The 24th August 1908.—Babu Amulya Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Hazaribagh, in Chota Nagpur, is allowed leave for three days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 28th July 1908.

Chota Nagpur.

POWERS.

No. 5516A.—The 20th August 1908.—The order of the 10th July 1908, vesting Babu Sharat Chandra Sen Gupta, Deputy Magistrate, who was, under the order of that date, posted to the head-quarters station of the Champaran district, on relinquishing charge of his special Land Acquisition work in the district of Bhagalpur and Monghyr, with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, is cancelled.

Champaran.

No. 5530A.—The 21st August 1908.—Babu Manohar Gupta, who has, under the order of this date, been appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistrates and posted to the Lalbagh subdivision of the Murshidabad district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Murshidabad.

No. 5538A.—The 22nd August 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Chaudhuri Muhammad Nazir Alam, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Shahabad, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Shahabad.

No. 5602A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Ambika Charan Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 2849J.—The 19th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Captain Alfred William Hocking to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 2853J.—The 20th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Hari Har Prasad Singh to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Dumraon Independent Bench, in the district of Shahabad.

Shahabad.

No. 2868J.—The 20th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Akhay Kumar Chatterjee to be a Magistrate of the second class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Dum-Dum Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Barrackpore subdivision of that district and is empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24 Parganas.

No. 2944J.—The 25th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Upendra Chandra Banarji to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sealdah Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas. He is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24-Parganas.

No 2946J.—The 25th August 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Rasik Lal Ray and Maulvi Badruddin Haidar, Khan Bahadur, to be Magistrates of the first class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Sealdah Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas. They are also authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to them within the jurisdiction of the Sealdah Police Court and empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Maulvi Badruddin Haidar, Khan Bahadur, is also vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

24-Parganas.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 2847J.—The 19th August 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. Edward Raymond Osgood of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 2870J.—The 20th August 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. James Langlands Reid of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Titagarh Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2950J.—The 25th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that the Subordinate Judge of Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau, in Chota Nagpur, will hold his sittings at Hazaribagh from the 1st September 1908, for the trial there of Original and Small Cause Court suits and Land Acquisition cases.

Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 2921P.—The 21st August 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Samant Bishwanath Mahapatra, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. IV—Bir-Balabhadrapur, in the Sadar police-station of the district of Puri, *vice* Babu Sadasib Misra, *removed*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Puri.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 4, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Samant Bishwanath Mahapatra for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 2922P.—The 21st August 1908.—The Notification No. 1284P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1359 to 1361, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Sadasib Misra, as President of the panchayat of Union No. IV—Bir-Balabhadrapur, in the Sadar police-station of the district of Puri, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Puri.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 21st August 1908.

No. 158.—Babu Jharkhandi Lal, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to exercise the powers of a Collector under Act III (B.C.) of 1876, except as regards sections 39, 76 (c), 87, 88 and 91 of the Act, in the districts of Shahabad, Patna and Gaya, during the period for which he holds charge of the Revenue Division, Sone Canals.

No. 159.—Babu Jharkhandi Lal, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to exercise the powers of a Collector under the rules in force for the Sone Canals, except Rules 1, 4, 25, 37, 38, 40, 41, 47 and 70, in the districts of Shahabad, Patna and Gaya, during the period for which he holds charge of the Revenue Division, Sone Canals.

The 22nd August 1908.

No. 160.—Mr. A. E. Silk, Superintending Engineer and Secretary to the Sanitary Board, Bengal, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for three months, combined with furlough for ten months, under articles 233 (1) and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

The 25th August 1908.

No. 161.—With reference to Municipal Department Notification No. 1295M., dated the 10th August 1908, Mr. Kusum Kumar Chatarji, Assistant Engineer, is posted to the Eastern Sone Division, which he joined on the forenoon of 14th August 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 24th August 1908.

No. 18R.—With reference to clause 19 of this Department Notification No. 111, dated 26th March 1895, published at pages 267-79, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, and clause 18 of this Department Notification No. 75R., dated 7th April 1902, published at pages 491-96, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th April 1902, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Bengal Tramways Act, No. III of 1883, the Government of Bengal is pleased to sanction an increase in the maximum speed of trains on the Howrah-Amta Light Railway from Kadamtala to Amta and Antpur within the limit of 13 miles an hour during daylight and 10 miles an hour at night. The latter is subject to the condition that the engine carries an efficient head light.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 21st August 1908.

No. 95Marine.—Mr. W. G. Mayston, Port Officer of the Cuttack and Balasore Ports, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 21st August 1908.

No. 96Marine.—Mr. S. H. Reaks, Junior Master Pilot, is appointed to act as Port Officer of the Cuttack and Balasore Ports, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Mr. W. G. Mayston, or until further orders.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 24th August 1908.

No. 97Marine.—In notification No. 93Marine, dated the 17th August 1908, *for* "Senior Master Pilot" *read* "Acting Branch Pilot."

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 25th August 1908.

No. 98Marine.—The following draft of amendments which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub-section (*1*), of the Indian Ports Act, 1889 (X of 1889), the Lieutenant-Governor proposes to make in the rules made under the said section for the Port of Calcutta and published with Notification No. 96Marine, dated the 5th October, 1894, is, as required by sub-section (*2*) of the said section, published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. Any objections or suggestions with regard to the draft which may be received by the undersigned on or before the 1st October 1908 will be duly considered.

Draft amendments.

For rules 57, 60, 62, 68, 73, 81, 82, 84, 88 to 95 and 99 substitute the following :—

57. No cargo boat or flat of any description shall ply, whether regularly or only occasionally in, or partly within and partly without, the limits of the Port unless licensed and registered by the Commissioners. No licensed and registered cargo boat or flat shall be allowed to ply except under the direction of a manjee, serang or other officer licensed and registered by the Commissioners.

60. No license shall be granted to any cargo boat or flat until such boat or flat has been surveyed by the Boat Surveyor of the Commissioners and he has granted a certificate stating—

(*a*) that the boat or flat is in good order and suited for the conveyance of cargo within the Port;

(*b*) the tonnage of such boat or flat, as ascertained by the following rules;

(*c*) the free board of the boat or flat when fully loaded;

(*d*) the number of crew required for the safe navigation of such boat or flat, according to the annexed scale; and

(*e*) the lights to be exhibited between dark and daybreak.

Rules for ascertaining tonnage of boats and flats.

Length.—Measure the length from the inside stem to inside stern post.

Breadth.—Measure the breadth from side to side inside ceiling plank, under the deck beams amidships.

Depth.—Measure the depth from underside of deck beam amidships to upperside or floor ceiling plank.

Then multiply the length, breadth and depth together, and the product—

in the case of boats and flats of Class I—

by ·009 for flush-decked, square-built and open cargo boats and flats ;
by ·008 for bazar boats when the brake forward and aft does not exceed 9 inches;
by ·007 for bazar boats when the brake forward and aft exceeds 9 inches;

and in the case of boats and flats of Class II—

by ·009 for open country boats known as jolly boats and powcoes ;
by ·0064 for open country boats such as pansways, bhurs, dinghees, and bhowleahs ;
by ·0083 for open country boats known as hollahs ;
by ·008 for bhurs whose length does not exceed three times the breadth ;
by ·0063 for open country boats known as chotes.

The result will be the tonnnage of the boat or flat.

The foregoing formula shall be used in measuring boats and flats of class I, up to a burden of 50 tons, but the measurement of boats or flats of that class exceeding 50 tons shall be made under the Merchant Shipping Act, provided that the Boat Surveyor of the Commissioners may measure boats or flats of class I of any size under the Merchant Shipping Act, when the owners show that the measurements made according to the above formula are inaccurate or oppressive.

Having ascertained the tonnage of a boat or flat by the foregoing formula, the Boat Surveyor of the Commissioners shall, by a conspicuous mark on the side of the boat or flat, indicate for every boat or flat exceeding 10 tons the freeboard or greatest depth to which she may be immersed when loaded.

Table of Freeboard for Cargo boats and Flats other than steamers.

Moulded depth of boat or flat	5′-6″	6′-0″	6′-6″	7′-0″	7′-6″	8′-0″	8′-6″	9′-0″	9′-6″	10′-0″	10′-6″	11′-0	11′-6″	12′-0″	12′-6″	13′-0″	13′-6″	14′-0″.
Length in feet of boat or flat	55′	60′	65′	70′	75′	80′	85′	90′	95′	100′	105′	110′	115′	120′	125′	130′	135′	140′.
Freeboard in inches for decked boats or flats of iron and steel	8½″	9½″	10½″	11½″	12½″	13½″	14½″	15½″	16½″	17½″	18½″	19½″	21″	22½″	23½″	25″	26½″	27½″.
For open boats or flats of iron and steel	11½″	12¾″	14″	15¼″	16¾″	18″	19¼″	20¾″	22″	23¼″	24¾″	26″	28″	30″	31½″	33¼″	35¼″	36½″.
Correction in inches for change of 10 ft. in length	⅜″	½″	⅝″	1″	1″	1″	1″	1″	1″.									

For all classes of wooden boats and flats, both square-built and country-built, also composite Boats and Flats, 3 inches for every foot depth of hold up to 10 feet.

NUMBER OF CREW TO BE CARRIED BY CARGO BOATS AND FLATS.

CLASS I.—*Square-built open or decked cargo-boats.*

Boats not more than				15 tons;	4	men, including manjhee.	
Above	15	and not above		20	„	5	„ „
„	20	„	„	30	„	6	„ „
„	30	„	„	40	„	7	„ „
„	40	„	„	50	„	8	„ „
			above	50	„	9	„ „

Flats and cargo boats in tow, half the above number.

CLASS II.—*Dinghi-built bhurs and open country boats.*

For boats not exceeding			20 tons;	4	men, including manjhee.	
„	„		30	„	5	„ „
„	„		40	„	6	„ „
„	„		50	„	7	„ „
		above	50	„	8	„ „

62. The owner or his agent, or the manjhee, serang or officer in charge, of any licensed boat or flat shall not permit such boat or flat to be loaded so as to submerge the mark indicating the load water line, and shall not permit such boat or flat to ply unless provided with the number of crew stated in the license. The boat or flat must be kept thoroughly clean, and shall always bear the numbers branded and painted on it under the provisions of the previous rule and be provided with a pump, lights, ground tackle, and fittings in working order as specified in the license.

68. Any vessel which has made fast to a mooring buoy shall cast off when required by an officer duly authorized by the Commissioners.

73. Every licensed cargo boat or flat, when plying, shall have its license on board, and it shall be produced when required, and shall be delivered up on the expiration or other determination of the license.

81. No passenger boat or flat shall ply, whether regularly or only occasionally in, or partly within and partly without, the limits of the Port, unless licensed and registered by the Commissioners. No such vessel shall be allowed to ply as aforesaid except under the direction of a person licensed by the Commissioners.

82. Every application for the licensing and the registration of a passenger boat or flat shall be made in writing to the Commissioners, and shall contain particulars of the owner's name and residence, or, in the event of the owner not residing in Calcutta, the name and residence of the agent duly authorized to act for him, a description of the vessel, and the number of passengers which it is intended to carry.

84. No license shall be granted to any passenger boat or flat until such vessel has been surveyed by the Boat Surveyor of the Commissioners and he has granted a certificate stating the following particulars:—

(*a*) that such vessel is in good order and suited for the accommodation of passengers,

(*b*) the number of passengers which may be carried;

(*c*) the number of crew required for the navigation of such vessel, and the number of such crew who should be required to remain on board at night or when the vessel is lying at anchor at other times, according to the following scales: and

(*d*) the lights to be exhibited between dark and daybreak.

Crew required for navigation.

Boat to carry not more than 10 passengers; 3 men, including manjhee.

,,	,,	20	,,	5	,,	,,
,,	,,	25	,,	6	,,	,,
,,	,,	30	,,	7	,,	,,
,,	,,	35	,,	8	,,	,,

Flats and passenger boats in tow, half the above number.

Crew required to remain on board at night or when lying at anchor at other times.

Boat licensed to carry	10	passengers	...	1 man.
,, ,,	15—20	,,	...	2 men.
,, ,,	25	,,	...	3 ,,
,, ,,	30—35	,,	...	4 ,,

Rules for ascertaining the number of passengers that passenger boats and flats are to carry.

Divide the superficial area in square feet of the floor space available for the accommodation of passengers by 6, and the result will be the number of passengers the vessels may be licensed to carry.

In the case of bhowleahs and other vessels belonging to private firms or companies and used exclusively for the conveyance of their own employés to and from their works, the divisor shall be 4 instead of 6.

A passenger license entitles a vessel to carry cargo without a cargo license having been taken out.

88. The license granted for any passenger boat or flat may be revoked by the Commissioners whenever such vessel is, in the opinion of the Commissioners, unfitted for the conveyance of passengers, or when any breach of the conditions of the license or the Port Rules has been committed by the owner or his agent, or the person in charge

89. No passenger boat or flat shall obstruct the free navigation of the Port or the approaches to wharves, jetties or landing-stages, or shall occupy the portions of the bank set aside for bathing ghats.

90. The Commissioners may, if they think fit, at any time order any passenger boat or flat to be re-surveyed without any charge to the owners; and they may also revoke at any time any license granted for any such vessel, or to the person in charge thereof; and it shall be competent to the Commissioners to refuse any application for the issue of a license.

91. Whenever any accident occurs to a registered passenger boat or flat, the person in charge or the owner shall at once proceed to the nearest Port police-station and report the circumstances connected with the accident to the officer in charge.

92. When any property belonging to passengers or others is left in a passenger boat or flat unclaimed, the property so left shall be at once sent by the person in charge to the Deputy Commissioner, Port Police, and a report of the circumstances connected with the property shall be entered in a book kept for that purpose by the Police.

93. No person in charge of a licensed passenger boat or flat plying for hire for passengers in the Port shall, without good reason, refuse to carry a passenger in such vessel.

94. Every licensed passenger boat or flat when plying shall have its license on board, which shall be produced when required by any passenger, the Port Police, or any Officer of the Commissioners.

95. Every person licensed under Rule 81 shall be provided with a metal license ticket, upon which shall be legibly painted the number of his license; and every such person when in charge of a licensed vessel shall wear his ticket exposed to view. No person without such ticket shall be in charge of any pasenger boat or flat.

99. No person in charge of any registered passenger boat or flat plying for hire for passenger traffic within the limits of the Port shall use, wear or have any ticket resembling the metal ticket granted under the authority of these rules.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 20th August 1908.

No. 157.—Babu Krishna Taran Mitra, Overseer, second grade, 1st Calcutta Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month, with effect from 13th July 1908.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5678A.

No. 5546A.—The 22nd August 1908.—Babu Jatindra Narayan Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is declared to have passed in Law by the higher standard at the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, held on the 27th April 1908 and the two following days.

No. 5558A.—The 22nd August 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Jahnabi Prasad Singh, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Palamau, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Palamau.

No. 5586A.—The 24th August 1908.—Babu Jatindra Kumar Ray, Sub-Depuy Collector, Orissa Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Cuttack district.

Cuttack.

No. 5588A.—The 24th August 1908.—Babu Labanya Mohan Sanyal, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Supaul, Bhagalpur, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Purnea district.

Bhagalpur.
Purnea.

No. 5618A.—The 25th August 1908.—Kumar Wangchuk Palden, who forfeited his appointment, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, by his absence when no leave was due to him, is re-appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, with effect from the forenoon of the 29th July 1908, the date of his rejoining his appointment, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Ranchi.

Kumar Wangchuk Palden is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 5650A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Nripendra Nath Maitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district.

Murshidabad.
Jessore.

No. 5652A.—The 25th August 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Tahir, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Sasaram, Shal
the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7056, dated Calcutta, the 24th August 1908.—Assistant Surgeon Benod Behari Ghosal made over charge of the Monghyr Jail to Captain C. A. Lane, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 16th July 1908. This cancels the Notification No. 6602, dated the 11th instant.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Campbell Medical School.

(A preliminary Notification No. 217Medl., dated the 2nd February 1907, embodying the amended rules, was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem.)

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated the 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 11 A.M. on Thursday and Friday, the 29th and 30th October 1908, at the Campbell Medical School.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School, at least one week before the 29th October 1908, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge. No certificate or fee will be received on *Sundays or public holidays.*

3. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to Rules 9 and 10, and of the persons granting the certificates to Rules 11 and 14 (3) and to the Certificate Forms C (3), D, E and F in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification, as circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Calcutta Hospitals, Medical Schools and Lunatic Asylums with his circular No. 74, dated the 14th November 1907.

J. C. S. VAUGHAN, M.B. (EDIN.), MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Campbell Medical School.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL CALCUTTA, *the 19th August 1908.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned Mukhtar having withdrawn the security deposited by him under the rules of the Court has ceased to be a Mukhtar of the High Court on its Appellate Side. His certificate has been cancelled and his name removed from the Roll :—

Name.	No. in the Register.
Romesh Chandra Roy.	5 of 1903.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN, *Registrar.*

HIGH COURT, ENGLISH DEPARTMENT, *the 24th August 1908.*

THE following rule having been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the powers vested in it by the Statute 24 and 25 Vic. Cap 104, section 15, and sanctioned by the Governor-General in Council, is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
CRIMINAL.
The 24th August 1908.

Cancel Rule 116, Chapter I, page 43, of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Criminal, and *substitute* therefor the following :—

116. In every case in which a sentence is modified on appeal, the Appellate Court shall forward a copy of its judgment or order on the appeal to the Lower Court which convicted the appellant. The Appellate Court shall at the same time prepare a fresh warrant[1] (in the form prescribed in Rule 120, pages 46, 47, *post*) in accordance with the terms of the order passed, and shall send the same direct

[1] For the language of such warrant officers will be guided by Rule 98, page 37, *ante.*

to the Officer in charge of the Jail in which the appellant is confined, and shall recall and cancel the original warrant of commitment, which shall be attached to the record of the original Court and returned to it therewith. When the fresh warrant is returned with an endorsement of execution under section 400, Criminal Procedure Code, the Appellate Court shall forward it to the Court, from the decision of which the appeal was preferred, to be attached to the original record.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 18th August 1908.—The following arrangements are sanctioned :—

(1) Babu Kali Pada Sarkar, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, and Officiating Head Master, Palamau Zilla School (substantively *pro tempore* in class II), is appointed to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum, *vice* Babu Ram Chandra Maitra, transferred.

(2) Babu Ram Chandra Maitra, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum (class V), is appointed to be Assistant Head Master, Purulia Zilla School, *vice* Babu Mati Lal Datta, transferred.

(3) Babu Mati Lal Datta, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Purulia Zilla School (class IV), is appointed to be Head Master of the Palamau Zilla School, *vice* Babu Kali Pada Sarkar, transferred.

(4) Babu Sri Lal Som, B.A., Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, and Officiating Assistant Head Master of that institution (class III), is confirmed in the latter appointment, *vice* Babu Kali Pada Sarkar.

(5) Babu Bindu Lal Banerjie, B.A., Head Master, Palamau Zilla School, and Officiating Assistant Master in the Hooghly Collegiate School, on leave (class III), is confirmed in the latter appointment, *vice* Babu Sri Lal Som.

The 19th August 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Husain, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Anglo-Persian Department of the Calcutta Madrasah and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service on an allowance of Rs. 50 a month, during the deputation of Maulvi Ali Akbar to the David Hare Training College.

Babu Kali Charan Mukerjie, B.A., is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the Taki Government School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service on an allowance of Rs 37-8 a month, during the deputation of Babu Benwari Lal Roy to the David Hare Training College.

The following arrangements are sanctioned :—

(1) Babu Nritya Goyal Bhattacherjia, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in he district of Khulna (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the Khulna Zilla School on the pay of his own grade, during the deputation of Babu Pyari Mohan Mukerjia to the David Hare Training College.

(2) Babu Akhil Chandra Maitra, B.A., is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Khulna and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, *vice* Babu Nritya Gopal Bhattacherjia.

Babu Sripati Mallick is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the Hazaribagh Zilla School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, during the deputation of Babu Bhananjoy Sahay to the David Hare Training College.

The 20th August 1908 —Babu Debendra Nath Banerjie is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Murshidabad and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 26th January 1908.

Babu Tulsidas Banerjie, B.A., is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Howrah and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 25th March 1908.

The 21st August 1908.—Babu Haran Chandra Gupta, an Assistant Master in the Balasore Zilla School, and now Officiating Assistant Master in the Hindu School (class VI), is allowed furlough, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six months, from the 6th August 1908.

Babu Hari Charan Mitra, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Hindu School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, with effect from the 7th August 1908, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Haran Chandra Gupta.

Babu Binod Behari Sen, an Assistant in the Office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (class III), is allowed leave of absence, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, from the 21st July 1908.

Babu Charu Chandra Bhattacherjia, M.A., Officiating Assistant in the Physical Laboratory of the Presidency College (substantively *pro tempore* in class V), is confirmed in his appointment.

The 22nd August 1908.—Babu Ram Nandan Sahai, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Shahabad, and now Officiating Assistant Head Master of the Patna Training School (officiating in class VIII), is allowed leave of absence, under article 275 (*i*) of the Civil Service Regulations, for thirty days, from the 20th July 1908.

Erratum.—In the orders of the 7th August 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, granting Babu Ram Chandra Maitra, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum, leave of absence, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for ten days, from the 29th July 1908, *read* "19th July" *for* "29th July."

The 24th August 1908.—Erratum.—In the orders of the 1st August 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem, appointing Babu Madhu Sudan Das, B.A., temporarily to act as an Assistant Master in the Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Nilmani Sadhukhan, *read* "Madan Mohan Das" *for* "Madhu Sudan Das."

The 25th August 1908.—Babu Mohini Mohan Neogi, substantively *pro tempore* Assistant Master, Bankura Zilla School (class IV of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the Midnapore district and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Sarat Chandra Datta, on deputation.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that for the ensuing half-yearly departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others to be held at 11 A.M. on the 21st October 1908 and the two following days, a Local Examination Committee will be convened in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at No. 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, for the conduct of the examination of officers employed in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

M. N. GHOSH, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 3910B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 1st September 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Total	...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 16th September 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th September 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 16th September 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 13th October 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Wednesday, 4th November ,, ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December ,, ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	5,850	5,850	11,700

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 28th July 1908.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of August 1908, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th August 1908.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH AUGUST 1908 INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	.....	73,380	2,47,202	3,20,482	64,598	3,85,080	72,348	2,53,799	20,386	64,432
Other European countries—										
Spanish salt	.....	6,41,566	71,356	7,12,922	.....	7,12,922	51,791	3,350	87,346	30,113
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	.....	3,67,587	4,400	3,61,987	59,128	4,21,115	62,131	62,814	30,150	39,215
Hamburg rock	.....	1,079	.....	1,079	.....	1,079	200	..	.....	600
Port Said salt	.....	90,192	.....	90,192	177	90,369	47,855	51,722	22,325	29,810
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	1,27,058	18,650	1,45,708	.....	1,45,708	30,604	3,768	7,850	28,634
Salif salt	.....	2,52,604	19,640	2,72,244	.....	2,72,244	39,703	4,722	.....	45,167
Do. rock salt	.....	4,605	.....	4,605	.....	4,605	1,400	.....	.....	1,000
Hawayah salt	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Haujam salt.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto ditto rock salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British India—										
Bombay salt	.....	1,69,032	1,057	1,70,089	.....	1,70,089	28,966*	.....	.....	30,166
Madras salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....
Coconada salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vizagapatam salt ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other places—										
Phœce salt	.. ...	47,402	.....	47,402	.....	47,402	1,400	.....	... ..	1,200
Total ..	.....	17,64,405	3,62,305	21,26,710	1,23,903	22,50,613	3,36,398	3,80,195	1,68,057	2,68,389

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	...
Ditto in Sulkea golas	2,066
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	1,528
Abandoned and destroyed	106

In transit—

	Mds.
Liverpool and other Panga salt	52,300
Hamburg and Bremen salt	2,220
Spanish salt	560

* This quantity includes 28,650 maunds Bombay salt on which the duty was paid in Bombay.

P. R. CADELL,

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 24th August 1908.* *Collector of Customs.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the fifth general election of the Commissioners will be held on Thursday, the 10th December 1908, in the several Wards of the Azimganj Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, as noted below, in order to select Commissioners in place of those who complete their term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, as amended :—

No. of Ward.		Name of Ward.		No. of Commissioners to be elected.
I	...	Baluchar	...	4
II	...	Manullabazar	...	2
III	...	Azimganj	...	4

M. N. GHOSH, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commr., on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 19th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election, held on Saturday, the 18th July 1908, in Ward No. III of the Kushtia Municipality, in the district of Nadia, Babu Behary Lal Sen has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Maulvi Lutfur Rahaman, resigned.

M. N. GHOSH, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commr.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, on Wednesday, the 23rd September 1908, in Ward No. II of the Midnapore Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, to fill up the vacancy caused by the death of Babu Raghunath Das, an elected Commissioner of the Municipality.

S. L. MADDOX, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen are appointed to be Additional Members of the Committee for the Management of the District Board Dispensary at Chandi, in the district of Patna :—

1. Maulvi Saiyid Anisul Hasnain. | 2. Maulvi Muhammad Wali-ul Huq.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Additional Commissioner of Patna.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 15th August 1908.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 22nd August 1908.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 17th August 1908.

No. 2143-G.—Mr. C. L. S. Russell, a Political Agent of the second class, is placed on special duty under the Government of India in the Foreign Department, with effect from the 12th August 1908, and until further orders.

The 21st August 1908.

No. 2194-G.B.—With reference to Notification No. 1438-G.B., dated the 26th May 1908, the provisional recognition of the appointment of Mr. J. R. Miller as Consul for Mexico at Calcutta has been confirmed by His Majesty's Government.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 21st August 1908.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 702.—The following promotions are made subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 23rd July 1908:—

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Francis James Daley to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain (*seconded*);

* * * * * *

First class Assistant Surgeons Richard Sharples, Michael Courtney, John Charles Gillmon (*seconded*), to be Senior Assistant Surgeons with the honorary rank of Lieutenant (*seconded*);

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vice Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain I. Newton, superannuated.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 708.—Captain Charles Prideaux Andrews resigns his commission. Dated 9th July 1908.

A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART I

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1345L.S.-G.—The 20th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Cuttack, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under sections 25 and 29 of the Act, to appoint Babu Mayadhar Das to be the Chairman of that Local Board, *vice* Babu Gokulanand Chaudhuri, resigned.

Cuttack.

No. 1353L.S.-G.—The 20th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 112 of the Bengal Cess Act, IX of 1880, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Kazi Azamali to be a member of the Terai Branch Road Committee, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Babu Shashi Bhushan Chakrabatti resigned.

Darjeeling.

No. 1363L.S.-G.—The 21st August 1908.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Alipore Local Board, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Mr. R. D Mehta, C I E., to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 1365L.S.-G.—The 21st August 1908.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Barrackpore Local Board, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Mr. J. C. French, I.C.S., to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 1367L.S.-G.—The 21st August 1908.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Basirhat Local Board, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Maulvi Ghulam Kasim, Khan Bahadur, to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 1369L.S.-G.—The 21st August 1908.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Barasat Local Board, in the district of the 24-Parganas, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Barasat to be the Chairman of that Local Board.

24-Parganas.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

IN compliance with provisions of section 137 (2) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, the following is published for information :—

Statement showing the account of the Reserve Fund of the Corporation of Calcutta for the year 1907-08.

Reserve Fund.	Amount invested during 1907-08.	Date of last investments prior to 1st April 1907.	Aggregate amount of securities in the hands of the Trustees.	Aggregate amount paid off in respect of Calcutta Municipal Debentures up to 31st March 1908.
	Rs.	1907.	Rs.	Rs.
1 per cent. Sinking Fund	4,93,200	18th March	32,63,100	25,48,300
2 per cent. ditto ...	54,300	Ditto ...	6,41,600	54,99,600
Plague Loan Reserve Fund	1,31,600	Ditto ...	8,64,600	Nil

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

C. A OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Financial Dept.
J. C. E. BRANSON,
Accountant-General, Bengal.

Trustees to the Reserve Funds of the Corporation.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 12th August 1908.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee having previously given notice of their intention, and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on each side of Police Hospital Road and Hatee Bagan Road, North, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 3rd January 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 22nd August 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

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PART IC

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY 1909.

1. The next Vernacular Mastership Examination for Bengal will be held on the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 11th, and 12th of January 1909.

2. The examination will be held at the Training Schools at Calcutta and Hooghly, and at the Church Missionary Society's Training School, Krishnagar.

3. *Bonâ-fide* teachers who have passed the necessary preliminary examinations, will be admitted to the examination on payment of a fee of Re. 1, which must be sent to the Head Master of the Training School at which the candidate desires to be examined on or before the 7th November 1908.

4. These candidates will be examined in all the subjects prescribed for students of Training Schools, information about which will be furnished by the Head Masters of those schools on application.

Teachers who passed the Vernacular Mastership Examinations in the old course, may be examined in any or all of the following newly-revised groups of subjects for the Vernacular Mastership Examination :—

Elementary Science.
Drawing and Practical Geometry.
Art of Teaching and Kindergarten.
Manual work and Drill.

Teachers who hold first-grade certificates awarded under the old course, must take the examination which is prescribed in these subjects for candidates for first-grade certificates ; similarly teachers who hold second-grade certificates under the old course, must take the examination which is prescribed in these subjects for candidates for second-grade certificates.

5. Lists of examinees, whether students of Training Schools or *bonâ-fide* teachers, must be submitted by Head Masters of Training Schools direct to the undersigned, so as to reach him on or before 9th November 1908. The fees received from *bonâ-fide* teachers must also be sent to the Treasury, and the *chalans* sent to this office along with the applications.

6. The current session of Training Schools will as a special case end on the 31st January 1909, and the new session will begin on the 1st February 1909. Students of the 2nd-year classes who get stipends, will accordingly get their stipends up to the 31st January 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 17th August 1908.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June. / To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters'; Blacksmiths';	Fitters'; Turners';	Machine, and Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 15th July 1907.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates have passed the B.E. Examination, 1908:—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

1.	Bandyopadhyay, Harendrakrishna	...	Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
2.	Mukhopadhyay, Angsujit ...	...	Ditto.
3.	Sinha, Ramanimohan ...	...	Ditto.
4.	Sen, Pannalal ...	...	Ditto.
5.	Bandyopadhyay, Bhupati ...	...	Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

1.	Bandyopadhyay, Praphullachandra	...	Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
	Ray, Sanatkumar ...	...	Ditto.
3.	Bandyopadhyay, Jaykali ..	...	Ditto.
4.	Majumdar, Krishnendrachandra	...	Ditto.
5.	Saha, Anangamohan ...	...	Ditto.
6.	Dasdas, Kshirodchandra ...	...	Ditto.
7.	De, Pramathanath ...	...	Ditto.
8.	Bandyopadhyay, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
9.	Das, Surendranath ...	...	Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 24th August 1908.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

THE following addition (*c*) and (*d*) is made to the second of the existing instructions for the appointment and proceedings of Committees of Management of aided Secondary Schools:—

2. Appointments to a Committee of Management should be made with the approval of—

* * * * * *

"(*c*) The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas, in consultation with the Inspector of Schools, in the case of a school in Calcutta aided by Government.

"(*d*) The Chairman of the Corporation, in consultation with the Inspector of Schools, in the case of a school in Calcutta aided by the Corporation."

[Approved in Government order No. 995T.—G.—Edn., dated the 18th June 1908.]

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd August 1908.

G. W. KUCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

AN examination in English Idiom and Pronunciation of the Teachers of High and Middle English Schools who have to teach English or other subjects through the medium of English will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, on Monday, the 28th September 1908. Only those candidates who have passed the Entrance or one of the higher examinations of an Indian University will be eligible to appear at it.

2. The intending candidates should apply to this office on or before the 20th September 1908, and state in their applications the following particulars:—

(*a*) Name.
(*b*) Father's name.
(*c*) Residence (village, thana and district).
(*d*) Academical qualifications.
(*e*) Name of school in which he at present serves.

3. The candidates should bring with them the certificates of having passed the University Examinations specified in their applications.

BHAGALPUR,
The 6th June 1908.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA will deliver his next two lectures on English Constitutional History on Thursday, the 27th, and Friday, the 28th August next, at the Senate House, College Square, at 3-30 P.M. on both days.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 22nd August 1908.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Birbhum, will be put up to sale at the Birbhum Collectorate, on Friday, the 4th September 1908, corresponding with 19th Bhadra 1315 B. S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force: and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by nooh of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs.	
349	Jalkar Hat Ikra, pargana Alinagore		3	
351	Jalkar Gonutia, pargana Ichhapukhuria	186 acres	10	

Birbhum Collector's Office, the 20th July 1908.

FAZL-EL-HUQ, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the brick-field near Adra-Midnapur-Jharia Extension, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Thursday, the 24th September 1908, corresponding with the 8th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Raghunathpur Dâk Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Banchas, mauza Digtila.	346 and 347	South of the railway line.	25 12 10	8 1 35·71	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Comnr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria. mauza Jharria.	174½ in sheet No. 4.	West of the Railway line.	8 5 10	2·74	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908

H. COUPLAND Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jheria Coal line, siding No. 1, Messrs. Khanga & Co., Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

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4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile in which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Barugarh.	130 to 131, sheet No. 5.	South and north side of the Railway line.	9 3 11·50	3 0 5·87	.....	.....	...	
2	Ditto ...	Jharria pargana, Gopalichak mauza.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7 12 13	2 2 4·13	.....	.....	...	
		Total ...	.....	.....	16 16 8·50	5 2 1·0				

Land Acquisition Office, Manbhum, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jealgora siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 22nd September 1908, corresponding with the 6th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Bhulambarri.	177½	South of the Railway line.	7 7 0	2·43	.....	.....	...	
		Total ...	.....	.....	7 7 0	2·43				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, village Paddogora.	Between miles 135-137.	On the north side of the Railway line.	12 15 5	4 1 1	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 8·77	3 1 27	A plot 100×100' required for pump-house, etc.	0 0 37	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Muchmarah.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...	.....	.....	24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Ladna.	176¾, sheet No. 6.	West of the Railway line.	16 16	0·28	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, mauza Paddiadih.	Ditto ...	East of the Railway line.	2 15 9	0·02	.....	.....	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	176¾, sheet No. 7.	Ditto ...	3 11 7	1·18	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...		.....	.....	2·38				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 7th September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue:—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
251	Tajpore, pargana Bal ...	1,024 14 4	.....	Ijarali Tajpore, 10as. 8p. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mussamat Tetara Kuer, mother and guardian of Radha Kishun Prasad and others.	683 4 3	.....	59 4 6
2131	Hasanpur Kutlupur Rampur or Hasanpur Kutlupur Rampur Sadawa, pargana Dangsi.	624 5 1	Entire ...	.....	Mussamat Rani Ram Kawal Kuer and others.	.....	59 10 1	.....
2170	Niyamatpur or Niyamatpur Bhatauli, pargana Dangsi.	2,000 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Babu Harihar Inder Sahi *alias* Hira Sahib and others.	.....	218 9 9	.....

Chapra, the 8th August 1908.

MOHAMMAD SADIQ, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
17	Kagas, pargana Mouresswar sabek.	17,182 13 0	.....	Residuary share:— 8 ganda 3 cora 5 canti share of mauza Amdahara chuk, Alalbandi, Ishalpur, Ishanpur *alias* Ichakpur, Uttarmath chuk, Ekuti, Kolyanpur, Kagas, Kartickgunge, Katipur, Kuchnighata, Kusumjatra kismat, Kusaipur, Krishnapur, Khatiepur, Khagra chuk, Khirja, Chandpur, Jamkola, Jalla, Jhikardaha chuk, Thakurgram chuk kismat, Tikardaha, ilpara chuk, Dari-baje-jami-baje-apti, Dhobagaon chuk, Dhabajol, Nawapara, Nanas chuk, Nirisha, Palkpara, Parganen, Pashala, Bahara chuk, Beha, Bipra-salgora, Baicha chuk, Bhagabatipur, Moydipur, Malhaty, Mahabatpur chuk, Mohidipur chuk, Mohespur, Mahigaon chuk, Metary, Rasulgunj, Rajballav chuk, Rupadihi, Salgoya, Sibpur, Solamath, Harikora, Harispur, Hazrapur and 3 ganda 3 cora 1 kranti share of mauzas Bansra and Bahadurgunj excepting separate account Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Asu Tosh Mukerjee and others.	719 15 2	.....	194 14 10

Birbhum Collectorate, the 10th August 1908.

R. A. N. SINGH, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Purnea will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
38 Rs	Pargana Kankjole, pargana Kankjole.	Rs. A. P. 19,913 7 0	No ...	9 annas. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rudra Nand Thakur, Tirtha Nand Thakur, Kobda Nand Thakur, Daya Nand Thakur, Pirthi Chand Lal, Janakkishori Thakurani, Janardon Prosad and Durga Prosad Thakurs.	Rs. A. P. 11,201 5 0	Rs. A. P. ...	Rs. A. P. 508 15 5
1284	Ashja, pargana Ashja	4,642 10 7	Yes, 16 annas.	.....	Giri Nand Thakur, Gaja Nand Thakur, B. Janardon Prosad Thakur, Mosst. Janakkishori Thakurani, Rudra Nandn Thakur, Kobda Nand Thakur and Daya Nand Thakur.	...	450 8 7	...
1298	Tira Khardah, pargana Tira Khardah.	2,413 12 0½	Ditto ...	.....	B. Kamla Nand Singh and B. Kalika Nand Singh.	...	255 15 8	...

Purnea Collectorate, the 11th August 1908.

S. K. MUKHARJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due
1	2							
		Rs. A. P.		*Permanently-settled estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
326	Bisthazari, pargana Bisthazari.	61,809 11 0	...	Ijmali	Bajnath Goenka and others.	1,513 1 0	...	3,290 [illegible]
33b	Ditto ...	61,809 11 0	...	S. A. 103 of Isa Khan, etc.	Jaisangal Singh and others.	0.5 1 6	..	78 5 6
336	Ditto ...	61,809 11 0	...	A. G. 1. Taksal arsa ... 8 5 2. Adhari ... 8 5 3. Khagwana ... 8 5 4. Khokana ... 8 5 5. Boria Bandh ... 8 5 6. Jameos ... 8 5 7. Amra h Nim- 7 14 Nawada. 8. Karaokbar Oran 3 12½ S. A. 155 of Beni Singh and others. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Gowardhari Lal and others.	1,239 11 0	...	3,170 17 0
351	Rajapur Bhatowni, pargana Phaikia.	910 15 0	...	12 annas ijmali share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mosst. Anupwati and others.	854 0 0	...	51 6 9
515	Sibanwan Qarari, pargana Malki.	1,120 7 0	...	Ijmali	Kali Prasad Singh and others.	587 15 0	...	73 5 6
4162	Taluqa Ram Nathpur Panzdah Nim Anna and Bishanpur Pernamanandpur Terah Nim anna, pargana Masjidpur.	2,790 8 0	...	3a. 2g. 1c. 2k1. 2d1. 16rn. 1p. ijmali share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosst. Bibi Sayida and Bibi Hakhi under the guardianship of Bibi Raisa and others.	514 6 0	...	107 13 3
				Temporarily-settled estate.				
4467	Rahatpur, Arazi Rahatpur, pargana Malki (Rahatpur Register D).	623 10 0	...	13a. 15g. 6c. 8b. as per S. A. re o.d. Ijmali. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ghanshyam Singh and others.	536 9 0	...	26 1 2

Monghyr, the 13th August 1908.

H. F. SAMMAN, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the siding No. 1, Ghoorkhuntee-Bhowrah Branch, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 26th October 1908, corresponding with the 10th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
1	Manbhum	Jharia pargana, Ghoorkhuntee village.	Miles 3 and 4 of the Bhowra Branch.	South of the railway line.	21 16 1·78	7 0 17·11	.....	.....		

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Hariharpur-Dhanbaid Section, Gaya-Barakar Project, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Thursday, the 29th October 1908, corresponding with the 13th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbaid Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres.	Land excluded from sale from each plot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
1	Manbhum	Jherria pargana, Dhanbaid village.	At mile 120 of the main line.	South of the main line.	23 0 0	7·67	..	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 17th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894. Manbhum

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
271	Taraf Bansi-Badanpur, pargana Laskarpur.	2,246 5 8	Whole estate.	.....	1. Rani Sarna Moyee Debya (proprietress) of Putiya, thana Vaikuntapur in Rajshahi. 2. Girish Naram Rai (proprietor) of Srimantapur, thana Dewansarai, and others.	.....	Revenue— 4 6 7 Cesses (Maldahi)— 35 1 2 39 7 9	.....
397	Rasulpur, pargana Sherpur.	2,516 4 6	.....	5a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. ejmali	Chowdhury Buzlur Rahim Atul Mustafa of Salar, thana Bharathpur. Chowdhury Ehsanul Huq of Margram, thana Rampurhat in Birbhum, and others.	851 13 9	.....	Revenue— 0 8 6
561	Char Kantalia, pargana Fatesing.	1,325 0 0	Whole estate.	.....	Dwijendra Narain Rai of Jemna, thana Kandi (proprietor and farmer). Manobendra Narain Ray and others of Bagdanga, thana Kandi, (proprietors and farmers).	.....	Revenue— 73 8 10 Cesses— 6 5 10 79 14 8	.....

Berhampur, the 12th August 1908.

M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
62	Ramjanagal, pargana Mandalghat.	19,642 4 9	.....	esidiary share consisting of as. share of the estate.	R. Belchambers, Esq., Administrator, *pendente lite* to the estate of late Babu Gopal Lall Seal of Calcutta.	8,407 4 9	.....	113 11 2
2685	Kalupukuria, pargana Jahanabad.	13,526 1 1	.....	Residuary share consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesua, Ghosepur, Deokhanda, Jagantanpur, Manandpore, kt. Joykristopore.	Behari Lall Rai and seven others.	2,253 9 5	.....	141 15 2
4852 — 5	Ditto	13,526 1 1	.....	Separate account marked "B" consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesua, Ghosepore, Deokhanda, Baruntarur, Manandpore, kt. Joykristopore.	Barodasundari Dassi and five others.	2,254 8 0	.....	296 4 5
4852	Sripatipur, pargana Mandalghat.	10,457 9 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 2as., 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of the estate.	Abinash Chandra Ghose.	1,735 2 8	.....	227 3 11
4880	Diara land of Damodar River, mauza Bar Gopalpur, pargana Arsha	522 0 0	16as. share	...	Suresh Chandra Mukherjee.	.....	522 0 0	.....
4882	Dangadari cultivated land, mauza Alipore, pargana Mandalghat.	5,021 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Manik Lall Seal and others of Calcutta.	.....	4,532 0 0	.....

Hooghly Collectorate, the 14th August 1908.

B. DE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1908 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2760	Bharondha, pargana Kutumba.	768 0 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Rampur ... 16 2. Bharondha ... 16 3. Kahuli dakhli Bharondha ... 16 4. Mirzapur ... 16 5. Banahi *alias* Jarahi 16 6. Ratanpura ... 16 7. Parsarmoin ... 16 8. Paras Khajuria ... 8 9. Kandhwa ... 16 10. Sareya ... 16	Raghubans Pratap Singh and others.	639 9 0	.....	3 7 6
4284	Sughri garandi Wagairah, pargana Pachrukhi.	2,934 6 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Bhadaur ... 16 2. Kariona ... 16 3. Tiali Khurd ... 16 4. Anbha ... 8	Musst. Ram Koer *alias* Lacho Koer and others.	943 7 0	.....	340 14 0
4370	Jaipur Dumrawan and Shahar Khas, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, consisting of— As. 1. Deoghar Khap ... 2 2. Basir Khap ... 2	Sayed Nooruddin Ahmad Balkhi.	827 0 0	.....	353 4 0
4379	Ditto ...	4,898 8 0	.....	Separate account No. I, consisting of— As. P. 1. Jaipur Dumrawn 5 4 2. Bagha Khap ... 5 4 3. Badar Khap ... 5 4 4. Zari Khap ... 5 4 5. Deoghar Khap ... 5 4 6. Ibrahimpur ... 5 4 7. Hardia ... 5 4 8. Kolhua ... 5 4 9. Makhdumpur ... 5 4 10. Sahdeo Khap ... 5 4 11. Basir Khap ... 5 4 12. Alahdadpur *alias* Punoul ... 5 4 13. Ambadih ... 5 4 14. Sugaris ... 5 4 15. Doudpur *alias* Pandoul ... 5 4	Sheikh Nazir Ali and others.	821 15 0	.....	371 3 0
4778	Tarwan taluqa, pargana Sherghatti.	2,303 5 0	Entire ...	.....	Musst. Bhawani Koer	.....	303 12 0	.....
6940	Adopur, pargana Kabar.	1,198 0 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares to the extent of 10 annas.	Parayag Singh and others.	748 12 0	.....	65 2 0

Gaya Collectorate, the 15th August 1908. T. S. MACPHERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Jessore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1908 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5075	Benapole, p. Mulghar.	.....	No ...	Share X1, 2a. 7k. 2c. ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mati Lal Nag and others.	581 6 7	.....	13 15 8

Jessore Collectorate, the 12th August 1908. D. DATTA, *for* Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share or shares are excluded from the sale.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	2 R. S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Kangonbaria and others.	2,828 3 0	.....	Excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 3½ct., remaining 4a. 5g. 2k. 5½dt. share in all the mauzas except mauzas Chetla and Alipore.	Romanath Burmon ...	738 9 4	.....	46 7 11
2	5-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Laskarpore and others.	8,289 3 0	.....	Excluding 10a. share remaining 6a. share.	Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhri.	3,108 6 11½	.....	258 11 10
	8-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpia.	3,480 1 0	.....	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,306 11 5½	.....	65 10 6
4	10	Pargana Magura, kismat Chetla and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry and others.	.....	26 13 10	.....
	36	Pargana Magura, mauza Dhapamanpore.	741 13 0	Ditto ...	.....	S. M. Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhry.	.....	167 1 4	.....
6	101	Pargana Magura, kismat Shahapore and others.	1,076 3 6	Ditto ...	.....	Kumar Monmotho Nath Mitter.	.....	63 3 9	.....
7	315-11	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Raghunathpore.	10,199 4 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 1 g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Kali Krishna Chakravarti	716 9 0	.....	134 11 11
8	323 R. S.	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Kantapukuria and others.	1,038 5 9	.....	Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k 2kt. share, remaining 10a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Roma Prosad Ray Chowdhry and others.	692 3 10	.....	26 1 9
9	326	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Bistoopore and others.	2,443 3 0	.....	Excluding 8a. share, remaining 8a. share.	Jotindra Nath Ray Chowdhry and others.	1,212 2 2½	.....	86 0 1
10	385-9	Pargana Azimabad and others Hudarash Khali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2s. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramuri.	Kali Krishna Chakravati ...	1,362 8 7½	.....	142 12 5
11	437	Pargana Panchakuli, Abad Simulberia and others.	560 3 6	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry.	.....	47 8 8	.....

Alipore, the 14th August 1908.

A. MOOKERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1908 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8930	Newri Chaturi Singh, pargana Tariani.	600 0 3	Entire ...	.....	Lalji Lall and others ...	.....	17 0 2	.....
				Temporarily-settled estate.				
11920 / R. S.	Sukwarpur, pargana Hajipur.	2,048 0 0	.....	Residuary share 14a. 19d. 1c. 5b. 13½ph. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	B. Nand Keswar Lall and others.	1,914 1 0	.....	9 6 1

Muzaffarpur, the 4th August 1908.

ROWLAND CHANDRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1908 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
						7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
330	Mehal Durgapore, 2a. 5g. share, ph. Bircool.	1,686 8 2	Entire		Sreemati Chowdhurani Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	367 0 2	.....
1101	M. Kia, ph. Kurulchore.	503 2 7	Do.		Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	54 13 0	.....
				Government Khas Mehal.				
2896	Aima Haristara, ph. Balarampore.	638 10 0	Entire		Kisori Mohan Mitra and three others	.....	49 8 9	.....

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859 [read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868], that the undermentioned tenures or shares of tenures in estate Kothdesh, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector that district on the 7th September 1908 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as rears of land revenue.

Name of tenure mahal, and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole tenure.		Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		REMARKS.
	Rent.	Cess.				Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	
10/19 Sarato Sason	Rs. 636	Rs. A. P. 37 9 3	Whole ...		Chowdhury Chandrasekhar Das and others.	.....		Rs. A. P. 223 9 3	Rs. A. P. 13 2 4			

Puri Collectorate, the 4th August 1908.

A. B. MAITRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th September 1908 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
12595	Baghaut, pargana Gopalpur.	589 8 3	Whole		Mussammat Manjhari Kuer.		139 10 9	

Laheriasarai, the 13th August 1908.

DURGA PRASAD, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bettiah-Bagaha Railway, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Saturday, the 17th October 1908, corresponding with the 8th Kartik 1316 Fusli at the Narkatiganj Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
	Champaran	Mauza Hardia, pargana Majhowa.		South ...	7 14 4	2 2 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land of Bettiah-Bagaha Extension. *East*— Ditto ditto. *South*—Rup Kaun, Pirthwi Nath Misra, Naresh Tewari and Sam Behari Misir. *West*—Sam Behari Misir.
	Ditto	Mauza Shikarpur, pargana Majhowa.	23	Do. ...	2 8 6	0 3 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *East*— Ditto. *South* Sathi Factory land. *West*—Railwayland.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Patahi Branch of the Dhaka Canal, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, corresponding with the 4th Kartik 1316 Fusli, at the Chainpur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1 | Champaran ..	Mauza Malconia, pargana Sonrown.			0 3 0	0 0 8	.....	.....	.....	*East*—Patahi Branch, Dhaka Canal. *North*—Motia Diversion. *West*—Mango tope of Chetharu Singh, Janki Singh, Rajkumar Singh and Sheo Nandan. *South*— Ditto ditto.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1908, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1908 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2577	Mahal Legua, ph. Shipore.	2,619 5 3	.....	S. A. No. XXII— Mauza—	Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	1,376 15 6	.....	150 9 8	Revenue— 150 9 8 Road Cess— 60 10 3 Embankment Cess— 30 2 0

	A.	G.	K.	KG.
Akharpore ...	10	0	3	0
Aulda	7	0	3	0
Barandia	10	0	3	0
Bohalia ... A.	10	0	3	0
Brindabanpore ...	7	0	3	0
Chaulda	6	1	3	0
Dubda	10	0	3	0
Dubda Katitaki ...	10	0	3	0
Dhusurda	7	0	3	0
Gobrachak ...	10	0	3	0
Godeichak	7	0	3	0
Gopalpore	6	1	3	0
Jagulia	10	0	3	0
Canongoshar ..	3	10	1	2
Kanuprojapati Kist	3	10	1	2
Kuarpore	10	0	3	0
Kristapore	10	0	3	0
Khazda	10	0	3	0
Khurutia	10	0	3	0
Khodercol ...	10	0	3	0
Madhab Chandra chak	10	0	3	0
Leguan	6	1	3	0
Panchrol	3	10	1	2
Satkhanda	10	0	3	0
Shiporebar	10	0	3	0
Takapore	10	0	3	0

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 17th August 1908.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs	a.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,62,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 97,51,678 11 9			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,24,46,365 10 8	2,21,98,044	6	5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ..	16,32,43,005	14	6
Bank Post Bills, &c.	6,56,584	7	3
Sundries	11,57,776	2	6
Rupees ...	22,35,05,410	14	8

ASSETS

	Rs	a.	P.
Government securities	3,29,65,474	0	0
Other authorised investments ...	32,37,289	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,04,68,968	12	9
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,07,23,849	5	0
Bills discounted and purchased ...	2,37,20,778	6	8
Balances with other Banks	12,60,730	5	4
Bullion	4,053	0	0
Dead Stock	16,31,069	1	10
Stamps	15,219	6	1
Sundries	3,00,944	0	10
	14,43,28,375	6	6
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs. 3,61,05,339 3 2			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches .. † „ 4,30,71,696 5 0	7,91,77,035	8	2
Rupees ...	22,35,05,410	14	8

* Includes 5000 s. & 1/2 5000s., value Rs. 15,315 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 2,52,742 8 0
„ 2,68,057 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL.
Calcutta, the 20th August 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 42·28.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR.
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

(1019-1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th August 1908.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—			GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1849-48.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.		Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1836-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.	Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 31st July 1908 ...	72,66,000	1,50,28,700	9,14,99,100	2,17,37,100	1,13,48,500	18,58,300	.....	14,15,01,700	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,900	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,88,57,933
ADD—																			
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 23rd July 1908 ...	.....	7,000	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	7,100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,100
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th August 1908 ...	15,800	.....	13,200	12,100	.....	.....	.....	25,300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40,800
	72,81,800	1,50,35,700	9,15,12,300	2,17,49,200	1,13,48,500	18,58,300	.....	14,15,34,100	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,900	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,89,05,833
DEDUCT—																			
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	10,000	7,86,000	1,2 ,200	15,000	7,000	.....	9,39,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,39,200
Balance on 15th August 1908	72,81,800	1,50,25,700	9,07,26,300	2,16,28,100	1,13,33,500	18,51,300	.....	14,05,94,900	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,900	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,79,66,633

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th June 1908—Enfaced from India, 11,709 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,562 lakhs.
" 16th " 1908 " 30th " " " " " 3 " " " " " 7 "
" 1st July " " 15th July " " " " " ... " " " " 10 "
" 16th " " " 31st " " " " " 3 lakhs " " " " 2 "
" 1st August " " 15th August " " " " " ... " " " " 9 "
11,715 lakhs. 11,590 "
11,590 "
Balance against India ... 125 "

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 19th August 1908.

(1021—1)

T. BRUCE,
Superintendent.

L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

Abstract Statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st October 1907, being the second quarter of the year 1907-08, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1906-07.

PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 31st October 1907.	For the quarter ending 31st October 1906.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,54,82,664 1 8	1,54,36,077 1 7	46,587 0 1	
ADD—INCOME—				
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October 1907 in the Widows' Fund	1,05,014 4 6	1,07,660 5 6		2,646 1 0
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October 1907 in the Children's Fund	50,611 9 0	53,962 12 0		3,351 3 0
Fees and stamps	1 0 0	3 0 0		2 0 0
Income and outlay on office buildings and grounds	1,813 15 0	1,369 5 6	444 9 6	
Total Income ...	1,57,440 12 6	1,62,995 7 0	444 9 6	5,999 4 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,56,40,104 14 2	1,55,99,072 8 7	A47,031 9 7	5,999 4 0
DEDUCT—EXPENDITURE—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	1,76,132 7 6	1,77,947 14 6		1,815 7 0
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund ...	94,932 1 1	93,482 4 4	1,449 12 9	
Establishment and contingencies	7,142 15 5	8,965 0 8		1,822 1 3
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	13,148 4 0	13,099 13 8	48 6 4	
Commission paid for money-orders, &c.	766 5 6	800 7 0		34 1 6
Total Expenditure ...	2,92,122 1 6	2,94,295 8 2	B1,498 3 1	3,671 9 9
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,53,47,982 12 8	1,53,04,777 0 5	C45,533 6 6	2,327 10 3
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,56,40,104 14 2	1,55,99,079 8 7	47,031 9 7	5,999 4 0
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	83,030 13 0	85,017 12 0		1,986 15 0

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widow Fund.	Children Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Child Fund
Number of subscribers (on 31st October) ...	1,073	649	1,110	688			37	39
Ditto of incumbents (on 31st October) ...	715	859	720	849		10	5	...
Ditto of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May)	1,076	604	1,113	635			37	31

	Rs. A. P.
A.—Net increase in grand total of Income ... — ...	41,032 5 7
B.—Net decrease in total Expenditure	2,173 6 8
C.—Net increase in Balance	43,205 12 3

B. PONTIFEX, *Chartered Accountant*
J. C. C. GRAY, } *Auditors.*

Published by order of the Directors,

J. M. MENDES, *Accountant.*
RIVERS HOWE, *Secretary.*

U. S. F. P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 29th July 1908.

(1018—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Godda.

PRESENT:

A. W. Stark, Esq., Subordinate Judge.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 3 OF 1908.

Babu Brij Mohan Dubey, of Bundlewar, tuppah Barkope, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Chandradyal Barmha and others, of Kasba Barkope, tuppah Barkope, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Subdivisional Office, Godda, at the Court premises on the 31st August 1908 for realization of Rs. 4,037-6-9:—

Annas 4 share belonging to the judgment-debtor of the estate tuppah Barkope, bearing tauzi No. 481 of the Dumka Collectorate, thana Godda, Government revenue of the estate payable Rs. 2,783-13, and that payable for the above share is Rs. 695-15-3.

A. W. STARK, Subordinate Judge.

Godda, the 11th August 1908. (994—2)

In the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge of 24-Parganas.

M. EXECUTION CASE No. 74 OF 1908.

Surendro Nath Dutt, decree-holder, *versus* Soshi Bhusan Das, judgment-debtor.

THE following properties of the judgment-debtor will be sold by the Nazir, Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, on the 14th September 1908, at 12 A.M., for realization of Rs. 9,393-2:—

Lot No. 1.—Out of six bighas of basti land in Coshipur, dehi 55 grams, Collectorate of 24-Parganas, Division I, Subdivision 3, Holdings Nos. 87, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, and 95, bounded north by the boundary wall of Ramgopal Ghose's garden house, south Gupi Mondal's land, east the bank of Soshi Bhusan Das' tank and Ramgopal Ghose's raiyati land, west by Coshipur road, in judgment-debtor's moiety share three bighas.

Lot No. 2.—In Coshipur out of 15 cottahs and 12½ chitaks of rent-free land with the buildings standing on it within the same Division and Subdivision as in Lot No. 1, Holding No. 92, subject to mortgage to one Binode Behari Das and others by the judgment-debtor and others, bounded north by Gupi Mondal's Lane, east by Holding No. 89, south by Holding No. 90 and a lane, west by public road, judgment-debtor's one moiety share.

MOHIM CHANDRA SIRKAR,

Subordinate Judge, 2nd Court, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 21st August 1908. (1024—1)

In the First Court of the Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas.

PRESENT:

Rai Raj Krishna Banarjee, M.A., B.L., Bahadur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 88 OF 1908.

Brajendranath Mitra, decree-holder, *versus* Brajendranath Mandal, judgment-debtor.

THE undermentioned properties will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at Alipore, in his Court premises at 12 o'clock of the 14th September 1908 for the realization of Rs. 4,677-3-9 and subsequent costs:—

Lot No. 1.—A plot of lakhiraj land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 1 cottah 15 chitaks 10¾ square feet in Uriyapara near Garbari Lane in mauza Kidderpore, thana Watgunge, pargana Magura, district 24-Parganas.

It is bounded on the east by Garbari Lane and the land purchased by Anath Nath Mukherji, on the north by the land newly purchased by Anath Nath Mukherji from the late Dina Nath Banerji, on the south by the land of Upendra Krishna Mandal, and on the west by a tank. All the interest of the judgment-debtor's 8 annas share.

Approximate value Rs. 2,000.

Lot No. 2.—Tauzi No. 353, Estate Nandanpur, taluk of 24 Parganas Collectorate, thana Budge Budge, pargana Balia, district 24 Parganas. Revenue Rs. 3,477-9-8 is payable to the said Collectorate. 8 annas share of the judgment-debtor which is numbered with a separate account and bearing tauzi No. 353-1 of the said Collectorate.

Approximate value Rs. 2,000.

RAI KRISHNA BANERJEE,

Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 21st August 1908. (1032—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of HUGH CLAUDE HOLT, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1003—2)

In the matter of JOHURRYMUL DAGA, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. C. Basu, Attorney. (1004—2)

In the matter of ARTHUR CECIL TATAM, an insolvent.

On the 26th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1005—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH O'MOORE FARRELL, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made by the said insolvent on the 17th instant, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the first day of September next, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Insolvent in person (1033—1)

In the matter of MOHIM CHUNDER PAL and SURENDRA LALL PAL, insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvents, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the first day of September next, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvents desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1034—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 58 OF 1908.

Abraham David Jacob, son of David Jacob, deceased, of No. 9, Panbagan Lane, thana Entally, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

ON the 10th instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on the 14th September 1908, and that the said insolvent do attend to be examined by this Court on that date

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 17th August 1908. (1023—1—916)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907 to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Khetra Mohan De, son of Dinanath De, of Anarbati, thana Krishnagar, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 32 of 1908, and that the 15th September next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 21st August 1908. (1025—1—918)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Naba Jana, son of Rahash Jana, of Rishra, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 33 of 1908, and that the 16th September next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 21st August 1908. (1026—1—917)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bhagalpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 12 OF 1908.

Tankor Tanti, applicant, *versus* Jhooma Tanti, opponent.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to all concerned that the insolvency petition of Tankur Tanti, of mahalla Sadipur, in the town of Monghyr, has been admitted by this Court, and that the 7th September 1908 has been fixed for hearing.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Bhagalpur Judge's Office, the 20th July 1908. (897—1—'14)

BABU KUNJO BEHARI SEN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (1022—4—913)

BABU SRIS CHANDRA BOSE, B.L., wishes to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (987—4—905)

KHAJA M. ISMAIL, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (1001—4—909)

PROBODH CHANDRA MUKHERJEE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (981—4—889)

SYED ZAINUDDIN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (1002—4—908)

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Ramani Mohan Roy, late of village Polong, in the district of Faridpur, who died there on 16th December 1907 intestate, has been granted to Babu Tarit Mohan Dass, a Vakeel of High Court, Calcutta, at present residing at No. 6, Kamrangatollah Lane, Bhowanipore, Calcutta, as the constituted Attorney of Srimati Kiron Bala Roy, widow of the deceased, to enable him to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said Babu Tarit Mohan Das.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

3, Council House Street, Calcutta, the 20th August 1908. (1020—1)

Notice under section 12 of Bengal Survey Act, V of 1875.

WHEREAS as required by the abovequoted section of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the following Government Estate has been duly notified on the dates as shown below, and as no objection has been preferred, the boundaries of all holdings situated therein are hereby confirmed under section 12 of Bengal Survey Act:—

Daripin Estate on 12th December 1906.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey,
In charge Calcutta Sub-Survey.

L. BIRLEY,
Collector and Superintendent of Survey under Act V of 1875.

5, Alipore Road, the 7th August 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908:—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add 880	
3.	Balia	...	,, 889	
4.	Bhimpore	...	,, 1992	
5.	Munair	...	,, 2458	
6.	Masandha	...	,, 4368	
7.	Phulwari	...	,, 5058	
8.	Sunda	...	,, 5859	
9.	Shahjohanpore		,, 7305	
10.	Ghyaspur	...	,, 7692	
11.	Beswak		9898	To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.
12.	Bihar		10516	
13.	Maldah		11771	
14	Narhat		11772	
15.	Pillich		11823	
16.	Raggir		12561	
17.	Samai		12585	
18.	Sanaut		12605	
19.	Telhara		12606	
20.	Ukri		13570	

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—.

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W 100 of 08 09	Ra 39 30472	50	Syed Mohamad Shafi Heltam Khan, Rajshahi.
	,, 30473	50	
	,, 30474	50	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,
Assistant Comptroller-General,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 5th August 1908.

WANTED a competent Estimator for this office capable of taking out quantities from drawings of masonry works (Irrigation and Buildings), checking ordinary calculations and drafting usual reports and specification.

2. Post permanent. Pay Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 70 by annual increment of Rs. 5.

3. The selected candidate will be on probation for six months before being confirmed.

4. Preference will be given to passed Upper Subordinate with practical experience on works.

5. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 10th September 1908.

E. BLADEN,
Executive Engineer, Champaran Division.

Motihari, the 23rd August 1908.

WANTED two Estimators for three months on Rs. 75 to Rs. 80 according to qualifications. None need apply who has not a good experience of estimating. Candidates passed out of the Apprentice Department of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, will be preferred. The selected candidates will have to join at once. Applications must reach the undersigned on or before the 31st August.

SAILENDRA NATH BANERJEE, B.A., B.E.,
Offg. Executive Engineer, Pusa Division.

Pusa, the 18th August 1908.

WANTED for the North Bihar Famine Surveys Surveyors on a salary of Rs. 80 per month and downwards according to qualifications and one Draftsman on a salary of Rs. 50 per month.

Applications will be received up to 30th September 1908 by the undersigned.

G. W. DISNEY,
Superintendent, Famine Surveys.

Kurseong, the 15th August 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Tahsildar for the Tahsil Office at Hevsamabad in lot No. 14, Diamond Harbour Subdivision, on a salary of Rs. 25 per month. Security to be deposited in cash Rs. 100 and a security bond is to be executed with two sureties for the same amount. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 31st August 1908.

C. C. CHATTERJI, Subdivisional Officer.

Diamond Harbour, the 20th August 1908.

WANTED an additional teacher on Rs. 50 a month for the Bayley Gobinda Lall Technical Institute, Rangpur, on probation for six months with prospect of being made permanent.

Preference will be given to a graduate or to a passed F.A. who has completed the course of study of the Overseer class either of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, or of the Dacca School of Engineering.

The applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 7th September 1908. The selected candidate must join at once.

RAMESH CHANDRA DAS,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Rangpur.

Rangpur, the 21st August 1908. (1027—2)

WANTED a qualified Mechanical Engineer to be in sole charge of the Raj Rajeswari Water-works at Mymensingh on a salary of Rs. 125 a month rising to Rs. 150 by an annual increment of Rs. 5 with free quarters. The candidate selected shall have to furnish a cash security of Rs. 300, or it may be made up by an instalment of Rs. 25 a month deducted from his pay. None need apply who has not got a certificate of competency from some recognized institution and under the Boiler Act. Preference will be given to one who has experience in the management of water-works.

Applications will be received till the 10th September 1908

SHAMA CHURN ROY, Chairman.

Mymensingh Municipal Office, the 14th August 1908. (999—2)

WANTED an experienced Draftsman and Estimator for the Public Works Department office, Sikkim, on a salary of Rs. 40 per month. The appointment, though temporary, is expected to continue from year to year for approved service.

Apply with testimonials to the State Engineer, Sikkim. (993—4)

WANTED Sub-Overseers on Rs. 50 and Rs. 45 *plus* fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15 per month. None need apply who is not qualified to draw pay as above under Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901. Also a Draftsman and Estimator on Rs. 45 per month.

A. C. BANERJEE,
District Engineer, Palamau.

Daltonganj, the 22nd August 1908. (1030—3)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 7428, dated 5th August 1908, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
075048	3½ per cent., 1854-55.	1,000	Ganesh Jononi Debi.

Name of the Proprietress—Ganesh Jononi Debi.

Residence—150, Punchanantolah Road, Bantra, Howrah. (1028—1—919)

In the Matter of the Indian Companies Act of 1882 and in the Matter of the Commercial Bank of India, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the abovenamed Company held on the 22nd day of August 1908 at the office of the said Company No. 5-1 Fairlie Place, Calcutta, the following extraordinary resolutions were passed, namely :—

1. That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. That Messrs. E E. Meugens, G. P. Neison and H. W. Hailes (the members of the firm of Messrs. Meugens, King and Simson, Chartered Accountants), be and they hereby are appointed jointly and severally Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up.

OBE DIGNAM & Co.,
Standard Buildings, Dalhousie Square,
Solicitors for the said Company.

The 25th August 1908. (1037—1—920)

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

Mails for	Date of closing.	Latest hour of posting. General Post Office. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.	Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi Dharamtola, Fort William Outram and Wellesley Street Post Offices. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa and East Africa, and also South Africa if superscribed on the cover *viâ* United Kingdom or Aden.	August. 27	8 P.M.	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	5 P.M.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	26	.....	Parcels 5 P.M. M. O. 4 P.M.	.....	5 ,, 4 ,,
Australasian Colonies.	31	5-45 P.M.	4-30 ,,	4-45 P.M.	2-45 ,,
*Straits Settlements, China and Japan, per S.S. *C. Apcar*.	31	8-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
Burma ...	27, 31	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	29	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	28	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
Port Blair *viâ* Rangoon.	29	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
South Africa (letters) *S.S. Umhloti*.	31	5-45 ,,	4-30 ,,	4-45 ,,	2-45 ,,
South Africa (parcels) *S.S. Umhloti*.	31	4 ,,	.....	.....	2-45 ,,
South Africa (letters) supplemental *S.S. Umhloti*.	Sept. 1	5-45 ,,	4-30 P.M.	4-45 P.M.	2-45 ,,
South Africa (parcels) supplemental *S.S. Umhloti*.	1	4 ,,	.....	.....	2-45 ,,

* On other days correspondence for China, Japan and Australasian Colonies is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

Late Fee.

1. Late letters bearing a late fee are received at the General Post Office at the following hours on the days on which direct mails are closed :—

For Burma and Port Blair from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. with a late fee of ½ anna.

For Homeward English mail on Thursday from 8 P.M. to 8-45 P.M with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails by Sea from 8-30 P.M. to 9 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails *vid* Madras or Tuticorin from 5-45 P.M. to 6-15 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

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The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 1908.

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THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

CALCUTTA, *the 21st August 1908.*

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Mindoro island—Shoal southward of—.

Panay island—Shoals north-eastward of—.

No. 344 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1136 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal has been found to exist to the southward of Mindoro island, and several shoals exist off the north-eastern point of Panay island, as undermentioned.

1. Southward of Mindoro island.

Position.—North extreme of Semirara island bearing N. 59° E., distant 12¾ miles, and the S.E. entrance of Ilin island N. 13° W.

Lat. 12° 0¼′ N., long. 121° 9′ E.

Depth.—3½ fathoms.

Remarks.—This shoal, which was reported by the lighthouse tender *Corregidor*, has been placed on the chart in the above position and marked "Corregidor 1908."

2. North-eastward of Panay island.

Position.—Gigantes island lighthouse, lat. 11° 39¼′ N., long. 123° 22′ E.

Depth.	Bearing and distance from Gigantes Lighthouse.
4½ fathoms	N. 27° W. $4\frac{8}{10}$ miles.
4 „	N. 48° E. 11½ „
4 „	N. 62° E. $13\frac{8}{10}$ „
3½ „	N 65° E. $10\frac{4}{10}$ „
3½ „	N. 68° E. $5\frac{7}{10}$ „

Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No. 971, Semirara, Ilin, and Ambolon islands.
„ 2577, Philippine islands.
„ 943, Moluoca passage to Manila.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, pages 234, 263.
Authority.—Manila Notices, Nos. 39 and 42 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST—Victoria.

Port Phillip entrance—Occasional use of search light.

No. 345 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1139 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—In connection with defence operations at Port Phillip heads, and in the South channel, an electric search light is occasionally used.

Caution.—Should the light be so powerful as to dazzle any person in charge of a vessel, and thus to render navigation of the entrance or South channel hazardous, he should exhibit a *blue* light, when the use of the search light will be discontinued until the vessel is beyond its influence.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 424, 439.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice, No. 16 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST—Victoria.

Geelong outer harbour—Beacons erected

No. 346 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1152 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned beacons have been erected on the shores of Geelong outer harbour.

Position.—Point Wilson, lat. 38° 5½′ S., long. 144° 30½′ E.

1. On southern shore of harbour, with Point Wilson bearing N. 1° W., distant $4\frac{8}{10}$ miles, and Point Henry pier head N. 62° W.

2. Leading beacons.

(*a*) Front beacon, on southern shore of harbour, with the abovementioned beacon (1) bearing S. 80° W., distant 10 cables, and Point Wilson N. 14° W.

(*b*) Rear beacon, on southern shore of harbour, at a distance of 2½ cables, S. 53° E., from the front beacon.

These beacons in line, bearing S. 53° E., lead through the fairway between the buoys southward of Wilson spit in about 25 feet at low water.

3. On Point Henry, with No. 4 beacon, Hopetoun channel, bearing N. 20° E., distant $3\frac{9}{10}$ cables, and No. 6 beacon N. 72° W.

Remarks.—The beacons are painted white.
Variation.—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.
„ 1171*b*, Port Phillip.
Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 465 and 484.
Authority.—H.M.S. *Psyche*, Hydrographic Note, No. 1 of 1908.

COAST OF CHINA.

Typhoon Warning Code—Additional signals.

No. 347 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1156 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned signals have been added to the Typhoon Warning Code in use at Zi-ka-wei Observatory and the storm signal stations on the coast of China.

Signals:—

PART I.

THREE SYMBOLS.

(Representing approximate position of centre.)

SERIES I.

No.	Meaning.
111.	Yap.—Pelew Group. Centre between S. and W. (any distance).
112.	Guam (from Guam to Yap): „ S. „ W. within 240 miles.
113.	Bonin Group „ „ S. „ E. (any distance).
121.	Yap: Centre between S. and E. beyond 240 miles.
131.	„ „ „ S. „ E. within „ „
132.	„ „ „ N. „ E. within „ „
141.	„ „ „ N. „ W. beyond „ „
142.	„ „ „ N. „ W. within „ „
143.	Guam „ „ S. „ E. beyond „ „
151.	„ „ „ S. „ E. within „ „
152.	„ „ „ N. „ E. (any distance).
153.	„ „ „ N. „ W. within 240 miles.
154.	„ „ „ N. „ W. beyond „ „
161.	Pacific about lat. 15° to 20° N., long. 135° to 140° E.
162.	„ „ „ 15° „ 20° N., „ 130° „ 135° E.
163.	Bonin. Centre between N. and E. (any distance).
164.	„ „ „ N. „ W. „
165.	„ „ „ S. „ W. beyond 240 miles.
166.	„ „ „ S. „ W. within 240 „

Publications affected.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 26 to 29; and Supplement, 1907.

Notices to Mariners Nos. 1060 of 1905 and 399 of 1908. (*This office Nos. 444 of 13th November 1905 and 149 of 16th April 1908.*)

Authority.—Publication issued by the Zi-ka-wei Observatory.

CHINA SEA—PALAWAN ISLAND, EAST COAST.

Deep bay—Shoal eastward of—.

No. 348 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1162 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal is reported by the Master of the S.S. *Garcia Pitogo* to exist to the eastward of Deep bay, Palawan island.

Position.—From the south-west extremity of shoal, Reef island bears N. 66° W., distant 8¾ miles, and Bold (Acantilada) point, N. 38° E.

Lat. 9° 51′ N., long. 119° 0½′ E.

Depth, &c.—From the position given above, the S.S. *Garcia Pitogo* steered over the shoal in a N.E. by E. direction for a distance of 1¼ miles, obtaining soundings of from 5½ to 11½ fathoms.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.

„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern position.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 284.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 40 of 1908.

CHINA, SOUTH COAST—Canton river.

Taimei point—Amendment to depths shown on charts.

No. 349 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1171 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The undermentioned depths shown on the chart to the south-eastward of Taimei point, Canton river, require amendment.

Position.—Taimei point ▲, lat. 23° 3¼′ N., long. 113° 17½′ E.

Amendment.—The three soundings of 4 feet, situated at distances of $1\frac{8}{10}$ cables, S. 65° E, $1\frac{8}{10}$ cables, S. 48° E., and $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables, S. 29° E, respectively from Taimei point ▲, should be expunged, and replaced by depths of 9 feet.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 3647, Whampoa to Canton.

„ 1739, Canton river, sheet V.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 100.

Authority.—Coast Inspector, 12th June 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Victoria point, Mergui archipelago—Intended exhibition of light.

No. 333 (second publication).—

Particulars.—On or about the 1st November 1908 a light of the undermentioned description will be exhibited from Victoria point at the entrance of the Pakchan river.

Position (approximate).—Lat. 9° 59′ N., long. 98° 33′ E.

Description.—*White fixed*, dioptric.

Order.—6th order.

Visibility.—6 miles.

Charts affected (Admiralty).—No. 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang, &c.

„ 216*b*, Sayer islands to Lord Loughborough island.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1907, page 67.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, pages 420, 421.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, 28th July 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Bassein river—Furian bank buoy disappeared.

No. 334 (second publication).—In continuation of this Office Notice to Mariners No. 312, dated 31st July 1908, the following additional particulars, etc., relative to the above are published :—

Particulars.—The red conical buoy marking the edge of the shoal water that extends from the shore northward of Purian Point has disappeared.

Former position.—In 4¾ fathoms N. 41° W., 7 miles from Purian Point.

Variation.—1° E.

Remarks.—The above buoy will be replaced by another when the weather permits.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 834, Bassein River and Approaches.

Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, page 341.

Authority.—Port Officer, Bassein.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam.

Samit point—Shoal westward of—.

No. 335 (second publication) —The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1113 of 1908). are republished : —

Subject.—A shoal or obstruction, on which the S.S. *Donai* touched, is reported to exist in the undermentioned position.

Position.—Lat. 10° 51′ N., long. 102° 50¼′ E.

Depth.—Not ascertained. A sounding of 18 fathoms was obtained immediately after touching.

Remarks.—This shoal has been placed on the charts and marked "Donai 1908. (Position approximate.)"

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2722, Koh Kut to Bay island.

„ 2414, Gulf of Siam.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages 368, 377.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 1098 of 1908.

JAPAN—Kiusiu, south coast.

Bono Misaki (Me saki)—Light established.

No. 336 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1114 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A lantern light of the undermentioned character has been established on Bono Misaki (Me saki), south coast of Kiusiu.

Position.—Lat. 31° 15′ 3″ N., long. 13° 12′ 37″ E. on chart No 372.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Elevation.—70 feet.

Visibility.—8 miles.

Light power.—45 candles.

Structure.—Wooden staff, painted white.

Charts affected.—No. 372, Kagosima kaiwan.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Nipon.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
„ 1263, China sea.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 205.
Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 522.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1183 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Kwang Tung Peninsula.

Ryojun Ko (Port Arthur) approach—Buoy established.

No. 337 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 1116 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A buoy of the undermentioned character has been established in the approach to Ryojun Ko (Port Arthur).
Position.—Situated at a distance of 4¾ miles N. 61° E. from Encounter rock.
Lat. 38° 37′ N., long. 121° 43½′ E.
Description.—Red cylindrical iron buoy.
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1256, Gulfs of Pe Chili and Liau Tung.
„ 1262, Hong Kong to Gulf of Liau Tung.
Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 585.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1184 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—South Island.

Bluff harbour—Night signal established.

No. 338 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1123 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A signal of the undermentioned character has been established at Bluff harbour to warn vessels waiting to enter at night that an outward-bound vessel is in the channel.
Position.—At Stirling point lighthouse.
Lat. 46° 37′ S., long. 168° 23′ E.
Signal.—A *white fixed* light exhibited seaward, through the South channel, at about 7 feet below the *red fixed* light.
Visibility.—About 4 miles.
Remarks.—The day signal, a square flag shown from the flagstaff on Stirling point, is unaltered.
Chart affected.—No. 3484, Awarua or Bluff harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1689.
New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 312.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 35 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—South Island, West Coast.

Greymouth harbour—Amended night tidal signals.

No. 339 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1124 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The night signals for crossing the bar at Greymouth have been altered and are now as follows :—
Position.—Lat. 42° 26½′ S., long. 171° 13′ E.

Signal.	Indication.
Signals.—*White* harbour light ...	Wait.
Red light under *white* harbour light	Bar unsafe.
Green light over *white* harbour light	Bar safe for vessels drawing 9 feet.
Green light under *white* harbour light	„ „ „ 11½ „
White light over *white* harbour light	„ „ „ 14 „
White light over, and *green* light under, *white* harbour light	„ „ „ 16 „

Remarks.—No vessel should enter the harbour until the signal lights are shown.
Chart affected.—No. 2591, River Waiau to cape Foulwind, with plan.
Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 371, 472; and Revised Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 34 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Circular head—Light established.

No. 340 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1125 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character is exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected near Circular head, north coast of Tasmania
Position.—Situated on a rocky point at a distance of about 1½ miles, N. 25° W., from the summit of Circular head.

Lat. 40° 44¼′ S., long. 145° 17½′ E.

Character — White and red fixed (unwatched).
Elevation.—49 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Sectors.—*Red* from S. 67° E. to S. 25° E., over the reef off North point.
White from S. 25° E., through south and west, to N. 65° W.
Structure.—White wooden hut.
Order.—6th (dioptric).
Remarks.—The exact position of this light is not stated. It has been marked on the chart "Position approximate."
Variation—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross island to Circular head.
„ 1695*b*, Bass strait.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 319.
Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 619.
Authority.—Hobart Notice, dated 27th May 1908.

CHINA SEA—PESCADORES (HOKO) ISLANDS, PONGHAU ISLAND.

Makung harbour (Bako Ko)—Wreck in entrance.

No. 341 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1130 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A wreck of the undermentioned description is situated in the entrance to Makung harbour (Bako Ko), Ponghau island.
Position.—Triumphant point bearing N. 59° W., distant 5 cables, and west extreme of North Fort point North.

Lat. 23° 32¼′ N., long. 119° 33′ E., on chart No. 1338.

Description.—The wreck of H.I.J.M.S. *Matsushima*, showing a mast and funnel above water.
Variation.—1° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1338, Pescadores islands, inner anchorages.
„ 1961, Pescadores islands.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 213.
Authority—Tokyo Notice, No. 1187 of 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—GULF OF ADEN.

Aden outer harbour—Temporary light-vessel removed and replaced by light boat.

No. 342 (second publication).—With reference to this office Notice to Mariners No. 131, dated 3rd April 1908, the following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 79 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On and after the 1st September 1908, the temporary Light-vessel moored 7½ cables west from the Residency flagstaff on Ras Tarshein (exhibiting two white fixed lights placed horizontally) will be removed, and will be replaced by a light boat of the undermentioned description, showing lights of the character given below.
Position.—7½ cables west from the Residency flagstaff on Ras Tarshein. Latitude 12° 46¾′ N.; Longitude 44° 57¾′ E.

Character of Lights.—Two red fixed, vertically placed 8 feet apart.
Description of Vessel.—Painted red, exhibiting by day a red ball at the masthead.
Variation.—1½° W.
Remarks.—The blue lights at present exhibited every half hour will be discontinued.
Charts affected.—No. 3660, Aden Harbour;
„ 7, Aden Harbour and Approaches.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 25.
Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 350; and Supplement, 1904.
Authority.—Port Officer, Aden.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Gulf of Aden.

Aden harbour—Intended light.

No. 343 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 80 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On and after the 1st September 1908, a light of the undermentioned character will be established on the summit of the headland which forms the western boundary of Conquest Bay.
Position.—Latitude 12° 45′ 50″ N.; Longitude 44° 59′ 20″ E.
Character.—White, revolving every 30 seconds.
Elevation.—180 feet.
Visibility.—15 miles from N. 62½ E. through North to N. 36½ W.
Order.—Catoptric 2nd order.
Description of light-house.—Wooden structure seven feet by six feet, painted in diagonal black and white stripes, and besides the structure stand two poles each thirty feet in height painted black and white in alternate bands.
Variation.—1½° W.
Charts affected.—No. 6B, Gulf of Aden, Sheet II.
„ 2523, Red Sea (General Chart).
„ 8E, Red Sea, Sheet V.
„ 7, Aden Harbour and Approaches.
„ 1012, Arabian Sea
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 25.
Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 5th edition, 1900, page 349.
Authority.—Port Officer, Aden.

BAY OF BENGAL—Orissa coast.

New Puri port light exhibited.

No. 321 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 191, dated 1st May 1908, issued by this office, it is further notified that the new light at Puri port was exhibited from the 1st August 1908. The intensity of the beam is about 350 candles.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast

Jaigarh Outer Light—Temporary alteration of character.

No. 322 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 243, dated 13th June 1908, issued by this office, the following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 77 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars	...	The Jaigarh Outer Light will show the character given below until further notice.
Position	...	Latitude 17° 18′ N, Longitude 73° 11′ E.
Character	...	White fixed.
Charts temporarily affected	...	No. 826, Karachi to Vengurla. „ 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug. „ 739, Boria Pagoda to Achra River. „ 247, Jaigarh and entrance to Shastri.
Publications	...	List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 250. West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898 page 181.
Authority	...	Commissioner of Customs, Bombay

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Gulf of St. Vincent.

Caution—Semaphore anchorage—Telephone cable laid.

No. 323 (third publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 15 of 1908) that a telephone cable has been laid from the light-house on Wonga shoal to the Semaphore jetty.

Masters of vessels, etc., are prohibited from anchoring in the vicinity of the cable.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1752 and 2389, A and B.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—Chatham island.

Port Hutt—Rock in approach.

No. 324 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1053 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock exists in the approach to port Hutt, Petre bay, Chatham island.

Position.—Western entrance point of Ocean bay bearing N. 34° E, distant $1\frac{3}{10}$ miles, and Matakitaki hill N. 35° W.

Lat. 43° 51¼′ S., long. 176° 46¼′ W.

Description.—Breaks with a westerly swell.

Depth.—Not stated.

Remarks.—The above position is very approximate, there being no opportunity to fix the rock accurately.

Variation.—16° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1417, Chatham islands.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 387.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pegasus*, Hydrographic Note, No. 1 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Banka strait, Banka island.

Tobo Ali—Light established.

No. 325 (third publication)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1055 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at Tobo Ali, Banka strait.

Position.—On head of mole, at about 275 yards westward from the fort flagstaff.

Lat. 3° 0¾′ S., long. 106° 27⅛′ E., on chart No. 2808.

Character.—*Red fixed.*

Elevation.—22 feet.

Visibility.—8 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 2808, Banka strait; south entrance.
„ 2597, Banka strait.
„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 107.

China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 469.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1116 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam.

Koh Phra islet—Light established.

No. 326 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1059 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been erected on Koh Phra islet, Gulf of Siam.

Position.—On north-west point of islet.

Lat. 12° 38′ 25″ N., long. 100° 50′ 50″ E.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—55 feet.
Visibility.—8 miles.
Order.—6th order.
Structure.—Iron column, 10 feet in height.
Charts affected.—No. 2720, Koh Ta Kut to cape Liant.
„ 2414. Gulf of Siam.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 145.

China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 385.

Authority.—Bangkok Notice, 13th May 1908.

CHINA SEA—Gaspar strait, Macclesfield channel.

Pulo Lepar—Rock eastward of—.

No. 327 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1068 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock is reported to exist off Pulo Lepar.
Position.—Within the 3-fathoms contour, eastern side of the island.

Lat. 2° 59′ S., long. 106° 55′ E.

Depth.—Dries at low water.
Remarks.—The above position is approximate only, and the rock is probably that charted half-a-mile southward.
Charts affected.—No. 2137, Gaspar strait.
„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 501.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Malacca strait—Sumatra, east coast.

Langsar river entrance—Buoys established.

No. 328 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1069 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys have been established to mark the eastern entrance to Langsar river, Sumatra.

Position.—Langsar river, eastern entrance.

Lat. 4° 33¼′ N., long. 92° 3¼′ E.

Buoy.	Position.
No. 1, white conical ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 8° E., distant $2\frac{6}{10}$ miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju S. 74° W.
„ 2, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 18° E. distant 2 miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju N. 84 W.
„ 3, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 40° E., distant 2 miles; east point of Pulo Rawan S. 40° W.
„ 1, black can ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 8° E., distant 2¼ miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju S. 77° W.
„ 2, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 16° E., distant $1\frac{9}{10}$ miles; north point of Pulo Telaga Tuju N. 81° W.
„ 3, „ ...	Clump at entrance to Sungi Raja Tua S. 41° E., distant $1\frac{9}{10}$ miles; east point of Pulo Rawan S. 45° W.

Remarks.—The white buoys should be left on the starboard hand and the black buoys on the port hand on entering.
Variation.—1° E.
Chart affected.—No. 3574, Langsar bay, etc.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol, I, 1906, page 88.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1114 of 1908..

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST—CHALANG BAY.

Chalang reef—Buoy established.

No. 329 (third publication) —The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1070 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A buoy has been established to mark Chalang reef, Chalang bay.
Position.—On north point of Chalang reef, at a distance of $6\frac{3}{4}$ cables S. 75° W. from conspicuous house on eastern shore of bay.

Lat. 4° 38′ N., long. 95° 35′ E., on chart No. 1701.

Description.—White conical buoy.
Variation.—Nil.
Chart affected —No. 1701, Plan of Rigas and Chalang bays.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 284.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1101 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago harbour—Eastern channel closed; Buoys withdrawn.

No. 330 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1071 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The channel between Harrington point and Black head, eastward of Middle Bank, Otago harbour, is closed for navigation, and the buoys marking its eastern side have been withdrawn.
Position.—Harrington point beacon, lat. 45° 47½′ S., long. 170° 44½′ E.
Position of Buoys.—Situated at distances of $4\frac{3}{10}$ cables, S. 15° E., and $5\frac{1}{10}$ cables, S. 10° E., respectively from Harrington point beacon.
Description.—Red conical buoys.
Remarks.—Vessels must use the dredged channel through Middle bank, which has a depth of 21 feet at low water.
Variation.—16° E.
Chart affected.—No. 2411, Otago harbour with plan of entrance.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 294, 295; Revised Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—New Zealand Notice, No. 33 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide entrance—Colour of light altered.

No. 331 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1083 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The colour of the undermentioned temporary leading light at Port Adelaide entrance has been altered.

Position.—On outer end of training wall, south side of river entrance.

Lat. 34° 48′ S., long. 138° 28′ E.

Alteration.—Altered from white fixed to *red fixed.*
Chart affected —No. 1750, Port Adelaide.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 1242.

Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 337.

Authority.—Adelaide Notice No. 7 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Spencer gulf.

Harvey bay—Buoy established.

Woods point—Beacon established.

No. 332 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1084 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoy and beacon have been established in Spencer gulf.

1. Harvey bay.

Position.—In a depth of 3½ fathoms on eastern extremity of Tunby island reef.

Lat. 31° 24′ 50″ S., long. 136° 9′ 30″ E.

Description.—A black can buoy with staff and diamond topmark.

Remarks.—It may be assumed that this buoy is in place of the buoy charted close north-east of the reef.

2. Woods point.

Position.—On Woods point spit, in a depth of 5 feet, with Woods point bearing S. 74° E., distant 4 $\frac{2}{10}$ miles, and Jarrold point N. 4° E.

Lat. 33° 22′ 5″ S., long 137° 47′ 30″ E.

Description.—Red pillar beacon with spherical topmark.
Charts affected.—No. 403, Wood point to Lowly point.
„ 2389*b*, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs.
Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 214, 256.
Authority.— Adelaide Notice, No. 9 of 1908.

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5	Maithili	1	...	1
6	Musalmani-Bengali	3	...	3
7	Nagpuria	1	...	1
8	Nepalese	3	1	4
9	Persian	...	2	2
10	Sanskrit	9	5	14
11	Santali	1	...	1
12	Urdu	8	4	12
13	Uriya	68	7	75
	Total Uni-linguals ...	382	137	519
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7	Bengali and Uriya	1	3	4
8	English and Mundari	1	...	1
9	English and Nepalese	1	...	1
10	English and Sanskrit	6	3	9
11	English and Uriya	...	1	1
12	Hindi and Sanskrit	2	...	2
13	Hindi and Urdu	1	...	1
14	Persian and Urdu	...	2	2
15	Sanskrit and Uriya	6	1	7
	Total Bi-linguals ...	88	33	121
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6	Sanskrit Periodicals	1	...	1
7	Urdu Periodicals	4	...	4
	Total Uni-lingual Periodicals ...	254	...	254
	Carried over	727	172	899

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	Brought forward ...	727	172	899
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PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF THE SUGARCANE CROP OF BENGAL, 1908.

THE following note is published for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 19th August 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

(Preliminary Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of Bengal, 1908.)

(On an average of the five years ending 1906-07, the area under sugarcane in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 18·8 per cent. of the total area under this crop in British India.)

Character of the Season.—Planting of the crop was late in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions owing to short rainfall in the beginning of the season. In the rest of the Province it was normal. Deficient rain affected the growth of the crop in several districts in the early part of the

season, but recent rain has improved prospects somewhat. The present condition of the crop is fair except in parts of the Presidency Division and of the Burdwan, Bankura, Saran, Purnea, Manbhum and Singhbhum districts.

Area planted.—The area under sugarcane this year is returned as 382,800 acres, against 436,200 acres returned last year. The normal acreage is estimated at 439,300 acres. The decrease in cultivation this year is due to deficient rain at the time of planting.

Outturn.—From District reports annexed to this note, it will be seen that only three districts, viz., Balasore, Ranchi and Palamau expect a normal crop. Two districts, viz., Shahabad and Darbhanga give estimates of 90 and 91 per cent. crops respectively. Ten districts report crops between 80 and 89 per cent., 8 districts between 70 and 79 per cent., and six districts between 60 and 69 per cent. The estimates for the remaining four districts, viz., Jessore and Saran (each 55 per cent.), Singhbum (56 per cent.) and Murshidabad (48 per cent.) are poor. According to these estimates, the total outturn of the crop for the Province amounts to 78 per cent. of the normal, against 85 per cent. estimated for last year. But as the recent rains have improved prospects in several districts, it is anticipated that the outturn of the crop of this season will not fall below that estimated by this Department last year.

Other sources of Gur.—The manufacture of raw sugar from the date palm is confined to the Presidency Division. The quantity of this product likely to be obtained this year is estimated at 1,597,149 cwts. and the output of sugar from the palmyra-palm is estimated at 22,962 cwts.

N. N. BANERJEI,

CALCUTTA, } for *Offg. Director of Agriculture,*
The 10th August 1908. } *Bengal, on tour.*

Preliminary Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of 1908.

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Burdwan	Burdwan ...	1,721,290	1,284,200	25,800	24,500	22,000	77	62	58,749	1883 to 1892 and 1903-04 to 1906-07.	602	Middle of March to Middle of May.	The decrease in the acreage is due to want of moisture at the time of planting, which was late in some parts of the district. The general condition of the crop is not very good and hence a low outturn is expected.	
	Birbhum ...	1,121,280	776,300	9,000	8,900	6,900	60	75	45,571	1889 to 1891 and 1906.	184	Last week of May and 1st week of June.	The date of sowing was very late this year owing to want of rain and to the general water scarcity in the district. The present condition of the crop appears to be fair, but as the date of sowing was very late, the out turn is expected to be 75 per cent. only.	
	Bankura ...	1,677,440	642,800	15,000	13,000	12,000	50	60	14,979	1889 to 1902 and 1906.	...	11th May	The decrease in area is due to the cessation of rain during the planting season. The general condition of the crop is not good, as the heavy rain in June has considerably damaged the growth of the plants. Hence a low outturn is expected. The date of planting was late this year.	

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Burdwan—*contd.*	Midnapore ..	3,319,040	2,190,600	20,300	17,200	16,900	57	70	33,342	1893 to 1898.	372	Last week of March to latter part of April.	There was very little rain at the proper time for planting which was late in Contai and Ghatal. The recent rain has improved conditions to a certain extent.	
	Hooghly ...	761,210	448,900	7,300	7,000	6,700	80	85	Not cadastrally surveyed.			Middle of February.	Just after the planting of the crop there was no rain, so the young plants did not thrive well. Hence a normal crop is not expected.	
	Howrah ...	328,400	250,600	8,500	8,300	8,000	97	73	..	..	...	March	The decrease in the area planted was due to want of rain in the beginning. The condition of the crop is fair. The recent rain has improved the prospects of the crop. The date of planting was late this year for want of rain	
	24-Parganas...	3,109,333	1,079,700	5,100	4,000	3,300	73	68	...	..	...	Between December and April.	The decrease in the area as well as in the outturn is ascribed to the want of favourable weather and rain at the time of sowing and the total absence of the rainfall thereafter. The weather and general condition of the crop are not good. The date of planting was late everywhere in the district except in Basirhat, where it was normal. The normal area has been revised.	

Presidency ...	Nadia ...	1,787,520	1,043,800	11,400	7,900	6,300	54	64	Not cadastrally surveyed			February ...	The decrease in the area sown and in the estimated outturn is due to want of seasonable rain. The date of planting was late in most places.
	Murshidabad	1,371,520	985,500	14,700	11,300	3,000	50	48	...	...	...	October 1907 to June 1908.	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crop is poor for want of timely rain. The recent copious showers may yet do some good and improve prospects. The date of planting was late.
	Jessore ...	1,672,185	1,191,000	15,000	9,300	8,100	57	55	...	...	...	February to March.	The decrease in the area and outturn is attributed to want of rain at the time of planting. The date of planting was late.
	Khulna ...	3,049,016	870,000	1,500	1,200	1,200	100	75	85,522	1893 to 1905.	...	15th Feb.	The weather being unfavourable, the general condition of the crop is not good. The planting was late this year. For want of timely rain, the outturn is estimated to be 75 per cent. only.
Patna ...	Patna ...	1,328,000	1,082,100	20,300	19,900	18,700	74	83	73,164	1900 to 1901.	296	From middle of January.	The weather has been favourable and the general condition of the crop has been fair. The planting this year was done at the normal time.
	Gaya ...	3,015,680	2,118,100	36,100	36,400	36,400	85	85	514,592	1893 to 1895 and 1900 to 1902.	6,530	First week of January.	Insufficient rain in May and June slightly affected the prospects of the crop, otherwise the weather was favourable. The general condition of the crop is good. The date of planting was normal. The estimate of some thana officers in the Sadar subdivision as regards the area under the crop this year is low, but there appears to be no reason to account for the decrease in the area and the normal figures have therefore been adopted.

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Patna—*concld.*	Shahabad ...	2,800,843	1,843,600	45,000	45,000	40,000	62	90	...	...	...	15th March	Owing to drought at the beginning of the season there has been a decrease in the area planted, but the crop is doing fairly well up to date. The date of planting was normal.	
	Saran ...	1,711,286	1,357,200	36,900	44,700	36,900	68	55	1,711,286	1893 to 1901.	36,500	October 1907 to Middle of January 1908.	The date of planting was normal. In the beginning, want of moisture damaged the crop. The general condition of the crop is not promising.	
	Champaran ...	2,259,840	1,447,600	10,300	15,200	13,000	81	63	2,079,815	1892 and 1893 and 1895 to 1896.	11,155	Beginning of February.	The decrease in the area and outturn is due to want of rain and to want of moisture in the soil. Sugar is not produced from the date palm or from other sources in this district. The date of sowing was normal.	
	Muzaffarpur...	1,942,400	1,627,000	8,800	11,800	11,000	78	85	1,941,254	1891 and 1892 and 1899 and 1900.	8,765	November 1907 onward.	The weather was favourable and the general condition of the crop is good at present. The date of planting was normal.	
	Darbhanga ...	2,142,690	1,678,000	17,000	20,000	19,600	98	91	2,142,690	1896 to 1903.	17,000	December, January and February.	The weather was favourable and the general condition of the crop is good. The date of planting was normal.	

Bhagalpur ...	Monghyr ...	2,510,080	502,800		7,000	7,000	70	75	...	...	...	February	The crops suffered owing to want of timely rain.
	Bhagalpur ...	2,704,640	1,073,300		29,000	29,000	81	89	1,214,080	1902 to 1904.	3,700	Middle of February	The weather has hitherto been favourable and the general condition of the crop is satisfactory. The planting was normal on the whole.
	Purnea ...	3,196,153	1,094,400		1,400	11,900	65	67	2,506,346	1901-1902 and 1905-1906.	217	March	The weather is at present unfavourable on account of drought. The date of planting was normal.
	Darjeeling ...	744,960	160,500	1,200	1,300	1,100	75	60	260,519	1897-1898 and 1901-1902.	...	March	No sugar is produced from the date palm or any other sources.
	Sonthal Parganas.	3,500,860	1,545,300	13,400	3,900	13,800	98	80	2,756,180	1889 to 1903.	11,327	Middle of January	The outturn is expected to be below the normal owing to want of timely rain. Recent rains have however improved prospects to some extent. The date of planting was normal.
Orissa ...	Cuttack ...	2,338,560	1,223,500	3,300	2,400	2,200	81	86	2,088,437	1888 to 1895 and 1901.	1,999	Between 5th February and 18th April.	The weather is favourable. The general condition of the crop is good.
	Balasore ...	1,334,368	932,200	2,000	2,100	2,100	100	100	1,095,779	1891-1892 to 1894-1895.	471	March to April.	The date of planting was normal. The decrease in the area sown is due to the absence of rain at the time of planting. The weather was favourable and the condition of the crop is good. The date of planting was normal.
	Angul ...	1,075,840	260,000	2,300	2,300	2,300	75	77	The Sadar subdivision of Angul was cadastrally surveyed in 1888-1889. The area under each crop was not separately shown.			End of February.	The crop suffered for want of rain in March, April and May. The planting was normal this year.
	Puri ...	1,599,360	750,200	3,100	2,700	2,400	81	87	1,274,790	1888-1889, 1894 to 1897 and 1901 to 1907.	612	April	The general condition of the crop is good.
	Sambalpur ...	2,433,280	845,360	3,700	6,000	3,700	82	75	2,433,280		6,460	1st March	The area in Column 6 was only an estimate last year, but now the actual area has been given after due checking. The date of planting this year was normal. The decrease in area is due to want of water in the tanks and *bodas*, the water having been used up in irrigating rice fields last October. The condition of the crop is fair. The weather was favourable in the beginning, but the crop suffered from drought and from the hot weather.

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Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh ...	4,433,440	1,708,000	35,000	34,200	24,900	80	89	...	...	...	From January onward.	The weather and general condition of the crop are good. The date of planting was normal. The decrease in the estimated area under cultivation this year against that of last year is due to the want of rain at the time of sowing.	
	Ranchi ..	4,561,920	1,500,000	300	300	300	40	100	The district is being cadastrally surveyed.			1st April ...	The weather is favourable to the crop. The date of planting was normal.	
	Palamau ...	3,144,960	627,600	4,200	3,900	3,000	60	100	197,520	1896-1897.	387	20th January	The weather has been favourable and a good outturn is expected. The date of planting of the crop was normal.	
	Manbhum ...	3,654,080	1,419,200	12,500	12,900	12,200	75	75	Not cadastrally surveyed			1st week of April.	The condition of the crop is not very good on account of want of rain. The date of planting was somewhat late.	
	Singhbhum ...	2,490,240	840,700	1,000	1,000	1,000	52	50	1,761,984	1895 to 1897 and 1900 to 1902.	90	15th March	The weather was not beneficial to the crop and for want of rain the plants suffered. The date of planting was normal.	
	Total ...	74,091,522	39,073,000	439,300	436,200	382,800	85*	78	...	...	...	.....	.....	* As estimated by this Department.

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(PART I OF SPECIAL REPORT.)

CHAPTER I.

SUMMARY OF THE DISCUSSIONS AND PROPOSALS OF THE PAST TWENTY YEARS.

SECTION I.—THE GENESIS AND RESULTS OF MR. COLLIN'S REPORT OF 1890.

Explanation of terms used.

IN opening the Finsbury Technical College in 1883, Sir Philip Magnus said that in all discussions about technical education it was customary to commence with a definition. He called that education, training or instruction "technical" which had a direct reference to the career of the person who received it; but explained how in practice the term had the narrow signification, which applied to the training of the engineer or chemist rather than to that of the surgeon or lawyer. In England by 1897, technical education became practically any course of study prescribed by the Science and Art Department, while in Germany it has been described as the study of the principles underlying every kind of human craftsmanship. In India Lord Curzon in 1901 explained that he interpreted technical education as meaning that practical instruction which would qualify a person for the practice of some handicraft, industry or profession. He excluded research, the commercial revival of industries and manual training as a part of general education. The Simla Educational Conference held in 1901 defined technical education as (*a*) the study of the scientific methods and principles underlying the practice of any handicraft, industry or profession; (*b*) the application of those methods and principles to the practice of the handicraft, industry or profession. Mr. Nathan in his Review of the Progress of Education in India, 1898-1902, discussed the subject under the title, "Professional and Technical Education"; and this distinction is continued by Mr. Hornell in his Review of Education in Bengal from 1902 to 1907. The Simla Conference used the word 'technical' in its broadest sense: Mr. Nathan clearly gave to it the restricted significance which is ordinarily assigned to the word. Mr. Collin in his report of 1890 on the Arts and Industries of Bengal pointed out the vagueness attached to the term. In the present review, technical instruction must be taken to mean that special training for imparting skill, through the knowledge of principles, in any of the careers mentioned. Industrial education again is a branch of Technical Education, as exhaustively described by the Simla Conference; but is to be taken as concerned with the imparting of skill from practice in some handicraft. In other words technical instruction is the instruction necessary for the foreman or the manager, the employer or the director; while industrial education is that which is necessary for the artisan. Expressed in this form, the term technical education should not leave its meaning open to misconception. The Commissioner of Labour to the American Government in his Report of 1902 on Trade Education and Technical Education in various countries assigned to the term "technical education," a meaning, restricted both as to the career involved and as to the nature of the training: it was to give to the workman an understanding of the scientific principles involved in his work. By "trade education," the American report meant the instruction, mainly in the workshop, which consists in perfecting the pupil in the practice of the manipulations and operations of skilled workmen in particular trades. This is synonymous with industrial education as accepted in official correspondence in India.

The pronouncement of 1888 on Technical Education.

In 1886 the Government of India pointed out that little progress of a substantial character had been made in promoting technical education. It was in that year that Mr. (later Sir Antony, now Lord) MacDonnell prepared a memorandum on Technical Education in India. From that we learn that the only promising institution in Bengal beyond the Survey schools was an Industrial School in Midnapore district; that Industrial schools in Bengal were merely excrescences on the educational system with neither plan nor object; and that from isolated schools no general good was likely to come. Hence it was laid down that all such schools should be subordinate to a Central Institution. The difficulty about teachers was indicated. In 1888 an important pronouncement on the subject of technical education was made by the Government of India. The Resolution which was issued in that year recommended the institution of schools at places where industries were centralized, and in large towns where there would be a demand for superior skill. For each province an industrial survey was suggested; also the appointment of a standing committee of educational experts and professional men; and the possibility of the erection of Technological Institutes and of the enlargement of Provincial Schools of Art was foreshadowed. In Bengal we shall find that an industrial survey was made; that the scope of the Sibpur College and of the Government School of Art has been considerably enlarged, and that practical steps have been taken towards the institution of a Technological Institute; but that the increase in the number and quality of the industrial schools has been slight. This is no more than was anticipated in 1888.

The Bengal Industrial Survey of 1890.

To Mr. Collin, I.C.S., was entrusted the preparation of an industrial survey; and his Report on the existing Arts and Industries in Bengal was prepared at the end of 1890. The second portion of the Report dealt with the subject of Technical Education. He emphasized the point that there cannot be uniformity; that each locality should adopt a system specially suited to its wants; and that it is useless to imitate European systems except at a distance. The chief proposals made in connection with technical and industrial training, as distinguished from the improvement of industries, were summed up as follows:—

(1) The institution of a school for mining students in connection with the coal mining industry.

(2) The training of mechanical engineers by the introduction of apprentices into the workshops connected with State Railways.

(3) The provision of special training for apprentices and intelligent workmen in the Railway and Canal workshops in Calcutta and the suburbs.

(4) The institution of improved industrial schools and the encouragement of industrial classes.

(5) The appointment of an Inspector to supervise industrial education.

(6) Private firms and Municipalities and District Boards should be encouraged to open technical schools.

Its results as regards Technical Education.

It will be found that the Government have done a full share in promoting mining instruction; that there is now a system of apprenticeships in all the large Railway workshops (Kanchrapara, Jamalpur, Kharagpur); that full use has however not been made of the large workshops belonging to the State for the training of artisans; that the opening of technical and industrial schools has been encouraged, but that more might be done, though one of the obstacles has been the attitude of the middle classes themselves to manual labour, and another has been the difficulty of obtaining efficient teachers; and finally that while the appointment of an Inspector of Industrial Schools has not yet been made, it is now even more necessary than it was before, but that the Bengal Government have not yet been able to obtain sanction for the appointment, though such an appointment exists in the Bombay and Madras Presidencies.

It is unfortunate that the Report of Mr. Collin was not formally published. The circle of consultants was an official one, and the result is that the very existence of such a report of which practically all the recommendations still hold good is in danger of being forgotten. Five years after its preparation I was informed, when I asked for a copy, that it was confidential. When a question was asked in the Bengal Council in August 1906, regarding an industrial survey of the province, the existence of Mr. Collin's Report of 1890 was formally brought to notice.

In due course the proposals of Mr. Collin were considered in detail. As regards his proposal to utilise the municipal workshops in Calcutta for a technical school, it was found not conveniently practicable. Sir Alfred Croft, the Director of Public Instruction, considered that the District Boards would devote themselves to the establishment of industrial schools as soon as the demand declared itself. Sir Alfred Croft, as will appear from the context, was thinking primarily of the improvement of the artisan, by teaching him improved manual skill and the use of machine tools and by developing his intelligence. The District Boards have however taken up the training of the youths of the middle class who wish to become sub-overseers rather than the training of the artisans. Colonel McNeill, R.E., Secretary to the Government in the Public Works Department, pressed home the point that in order to train youths as mechanics it is essential that they should be where real work has to be done on a commercial basis; and that such youths will never learn in workshops established simply for educational purposes. This is why the existing Industrial School of the East Indian Railway colliery estate at Beniadih is more sound than the Government Industrial School at Ranchi; and why the youths trained in Sibpur have hitherto not won a reputation as mechanical engineers. It is also a strong argument why more use should be made of existing State workshops. Mr. Fouracres who was in charge in 1873 of the Canal Workshops recognised this, and at Dehri-on-Sone created a living industrial school for the children of his workmen which, it is to be regretted, was not kept up on the original lines. Another criticism of Mr. Collin's report, as regards the proposals for training in mining engineering, was that mining engineering was a new thing with a strong element of uncertainty about it. But it is precisely in this direction that Mr. Collin's proposals have borne most fruit. The course of instruction in mining which is now being given both at Sibpur and in the coal districts is much appreciated: expert instructors have been recruited: a Mining Advisory Board has been constituted: certificates of competency in mining engineering are being granted; and for three years the State Technical Scholarships in Bengal have been given in the subject of mining, while the Bengal Chamber of Commerce have recommended in 1908 that this selection should continue in preference to any other industry. Under this head of Technical Instruction it may be said with justification that Government have anticipated the requirements of the industry. During the last twenty years the annual output of the collieries in Bengal has risen from under two million tons to over ten million tons. At the end of 1907 there were over eighty companies with an ordinary capital of over four crores of rupees.

Views of the Bengal Government of 1891.

The report of Mr. Collin was itself reviewed by the Bengal Government of Sir Charles Elliott in 1891. It was determined to push on the training of mining assistants; to establish a boarding-house for the training of apprentices in Mechanical Engineering at Kanchrapara; and to establish a school for cotton-weaving at Berhampore. But it was laid down that the advancement of technical education was not a matter which could be pressed regardless of the demand or of economy. It was expected that when Sibpur College had attained its true position as the centre of industrial education in Bengal, it would be of the greatest service to local technical schools, by supplying them with trained teachers, and by receiving the most promising pupils of such schools; and it was to the maintenance of the Sibpur College, together with the Calcutta School of Art, in the highest scale of efficiency and to development on various, if then unforeseen, lines that the Lieutenant-Governor looked for the promotion of technical education. This then has been the policy of the Bengal Government and the history of the Sibpur College will show that it was kept in view. With reference to these orders of 1891, it may be stated here in anticipation of the exact sequence of narration that as regards Sibpur College provision was made in 1896 for a course in electrical engineering, and in 1906 for instruction in mining engineering, as mentioned above, and that, as regards the School of Art, it was reorganized in 1896, and in 1904 steps were taken to revive Eastern ideals in the teaching at the School; that drawing has been introduced into both primary and secondary schools and in training schools, while it has been made a compulsory subject in the latter, and that the provision of teaching in drawing is an essential condition for any grant-in-aid to the other schools including primary schools since 1901; that in 1904 a committee appointed by the Bengal Government recommended the

The policy prescribed for Bengal.

institution of a central weaving Institute at Serampore (instead of at Berhampore), the appointments for which have been sanctioned by the Secretary of State in 1907; and that in 1908 an apprentice home is being built for the accommodation of the European and Eurasian apprentices at the Kanchrapara State Railway workshops.

The necessity for instruction in drawing.

The position in 1892 was reviewed in Chapter VIII of the Quinquennial Review, 1888-1892, of the Progress of Education in India, prepared by Mr. A. M. Nash. It was considered at that time that it would take half a century to supply from the Calcutta School of Art sufficient teachers for the existing high schools in order to carry out the orders of 1891 regarding the teaching of drawing. But this forecast has been fortunately falsified in the event, as the teachers have been obtained from the training schools. Drawing was made by the Calcutta University an optional subject for the Entrance Examination in 1890; the results however were most discouraging. It had been one of the chief recommendations of Mr. A. P. MacDonnell that instruction in drawing, as a preparation for technical education, should be made compulsory in all schools the teachers of which were competent to instruct in drawing. As regards technical education proper, Mr. Nash wrote that no general scheme had been drawn up for Bengal, and recapitulated the heads of Mr. Collin's proposals.

Affiliation of minor institutions to Sibpur.

After 1892, the first step of importance which was taken was the affiliation in 1894-95 to Sibpur College of the Survey Schools of Dacca, Cuttack and Patna, which had been established in 1876. This act of affiliation was in accordance with the principle laid down in the Memorandum of 1886. The chief obstacle to the advance of technical education had been the want of a governing principle; all progress had been fragmentary and isolated. This was the complaint of Mr. Tawney, who was then the Director of Public Instruction in Bengal. It was laid down that the lower course in a comprehensive system should not only serve its own purpose, but lead to a more complete course elsewhere. Of the affiliated schools the Survey School at Patna was raised in 1896 to the status of a School of Engineering by amalgamation with the Industrial School for Bihar started in Patna in 1892. Under the title of the "Bihar School of Engineering," it teaches now up to the Overseer course. The Survey School in Cuttack still trains only for the survey examination; but at the present time (1908) it is proposed to raise it also to the level of the others under the name of the "Orissa School of Engineering."

Sibpur Artisan Department.

In 1893 the artisan department was reopened at Sibpur; but this has never been a successful department. It is self-evident, and the remark frequently occurs in the literature on the subject, that the practical instruction of the artisan can only be carried on in a commercial atmosphere; and though many improvements in the Sibpur workshops have since been made, they can never take the place of a workshop run on commercial lines, even if the difficulties of residence for artisans at Sibpur were overcome. The attendance of artisans was 35 in 1902, 27 in 1906 and 15 in 1907.

The Review of 1897.

The progress of technical education in Bengal up to 1896 is summarised in paragraph 195 of Mr. J. S. Cotton's Quinquennial Review of the Progress of Education in India, 1893–1897, published in 1898. By that date, Mr. Cotton wrote, no appearance of a system of Technical Education was to be found anywhere in India; the scheme which existed in Madras was rather a scheme of technical examinations, not of technical instruction. It is unnecessary in this review to consider in detail the direction on more practical lines of the general course of study in ordinary schools: only the training in special institutions will be considered. At Sibpur in Bengal considerable improvements had been made in providing instruction in photography and in electrical engineering. The students however found great difficulties in meeting the Calcutta University tests in engineering. The Calcutta School of Art was brought to its present site in Chowringhee in 1893 and was thoroughly re-organised in 1896. The study of design which had been ignored was taken up in a systematic course for draftsmen, drawing masters, industrial art workmen and designers, and the defect was brought to light that oriental art was more or less ignored, whereby Indian Art students were being led in the wrong direction. The prospects of the students of the Survey schools were improved by giving them openings in Government service: it was

found that in private service they found abundant employment at remunerative rates. In the matter of Industrial schools, Government contributed Rs. 6,325 and Local Funds Rs. 13,229 out of a total expenditure of nearly half a lakh spread over 23 schools with 623 pupils,—a small enough total for a province with a population of 75 millions. Steps were taken to prepare for the affiliation of suitable schools to the Central College at Sibpur. The Burdwan School was linked up in 1895. The local pupils could thus study for the first two years at the local school, and then proceed to Sibpur to compete for the sub-overseership test on the same terms as those who had read at Sibpur. The only Government Industrial School was at Ranchi, where carpentry, blacksmiths' work, cane work, carriage building, besides a little reading, arithmetic, writing and free-hand drawing were taught. The difficulty of persuading ex-pupils to be teachers in the Primary Fund Industrial Schools in Chota Nagpur was the subject of remark, and this difficulty still exists. As regards Industrial Schools throughout the Province, it must not be forgotten that the most of them and some of the most successful are those under the charge of missionary agencies.

The attempt through a bifurcation of studies to prepare for a technical education.

In 1898 Mr. Hill, Inspector of Schools, proposed that technical classes should be opened at the Government district schools; and in 1899 a scheme was prepared by Mr. Slater, who was then Principal of the Civil Engineering College at Sibpur. This led to a consideration of what, in view of the poor results obtained in Bengal, is rather grandiloquently styled the Bifurcation of Studies in accordance with the recommendation of the Education Commission of 1883. In 1900 it was determined that classes be opened at Ranchi, Bankipore and Midnapore and also at Comilla, Mymensingh, Rangpur, Barisal and Pabna of the present Eastern Province for instruction in such technical subjects as are required in the training of sub-overseers. Pupils who were ready to enter the second class of High Schools might decide whether they would continue their studies for the University Entrance Examination, or in the "modern side" classes. Two years' local training was to be equivalent to one year at Sibpur, and was to entitle the pupils to join either the Sub-overseer classes of the Technical Schools or the second-year apprentice class at Sibpur. The subjects were English, Mathematics, Drawing and Practical Geometry, Mensuration, Elementary Engineering, Surveying and Manual training. These B classes, as they were called, were started in 1901 with great hopes: other classes styled C classes with a syllabus for Commercial and Industrial training were to be opened in 1903. It was anticipated that there would be a great future for this scheme; but it is no exaggeration to say that in both cases the result has been a failure, and that in the former the parents and guardians of pupils have played at cross purposes with the views of Government. My own observation agrees with what I have found on record. It was hoped that public opinion was awakening to the recognition of the fact that a literary education was not the best training for the battle of life, and that industrial and commercial activity was necessary. Whatever other factors have come into play, as regards the B classes, there is no real "election" to join the modern side. A dull boy who cannot hope to pass the Entrance examination is placed in these classes in the hope that he may squeeze into Sibpur without the full general education which Sibpur demands from direct entrants. The result is good neither for the boy nor for Sibpur. The only hopeful feature is, as stated by Mr. Heaton, the successor to Mr. Slater, in a review written in 1906, that modern classes in other countries have had the same history, and it is a mere question of waiting for the breaking down of the natural apathy.

The Review of 1902.

The position of technical and industrial education in Bengal was again reviewed in Chapter VIII of Mr. Nathan's Quinquennial Review of the Progress of Education in India up to 1902, published in 1904. By this time it could be said that Sibpur College had well equipped laboratories and workshops and a large staff of European professors. The beginning of practical instruction in mining engineering had been made by sending B. E. students with scholarships for two years to a selected mine. The Calcutta School of Art after its reorganization in 1896 had special classes for engineering and mechanical drawing, wood engraving, lithography and modelling. In its second division, which corresponds to the syllabus of a School of Art in

England, it had classes for those who wished to become painters or sculptors. Paragraphs 861 to 868 of Mr. Nathan's Review are of interest with reference to Industrial schools proper. The difficulties encountered by industrial schools are thus explained:—"It may be admitted at the outset that the endeavours made up to the end of the quinquennium under review to provide through State agency or under State control a system of technical education better than routine training of the bazar have met with little success. The subject which has taxed the ingenuity of the educationalists of all countries, presents a specially difficult problem in India. For the organized industries the conditions are not dissimilar from those which prevail in Europe; but for the industries which are prosecuted on a small scale by the majority of the industrial population they are much more complex and difficult." Mr. Nathan pointed out that there was one class of school which aimed at raising the intelligence and increasing the manual skill of the artisan, and another class which simply trained up boys to earn a livelihood. In Bengal, besides the artisan classes at Sibpur College and the Government school at Ranchi, there were artisan classes at the technical schools at Burdwan and Midnapore: also sixteen aided and three unaided schools. The subjects of instruction were almost entirely carpentry or blacksmiths' work or both; and the teaching in most instances was little better than that of the bazar. Most important of all, he pointed out that Bengal in common with the rest of India had little co-ordination between the instruction in the industrial schools and the local industries of the province.

SECTION II.—THE PROPOSALS IN BENGAL SUBSEQUENT TO THE SIMLA CONFERENCE OF 1901.

The Appointment of a Committee on Industrial Education.

From this stage in 1901 starts a cycle of enquiry, discussion, detailed investigation, and resolution by the Government of India on the subject of technical education; and it is useful to summarise the principles evolved for application to Bengal. The general enquiry by Sir Edward Buck in practical and technical education, the resolutions on technical education at the Simla Educational Conference, the instructions of the Government of India, the enquiries and recommendations of the committee on industrial schools in India, and the resolution of the Imperial Government on the committee's report all follow each other in close succession from 1901 to 1904. These State papers should be examined in original by those who are interested in the subject; but it is useful to place on record what bed-rock principles for application to the Bengal province can be evolved from this voluminous, suggestive, but comparatively infructuous literature. Sir Edward Buck's report of 1901 shows that technical education as applied to industries should be under a separate executive department in each province; and what is required is a special trade school for a particular industry in the locality where a trade is carried on, and only those should be taught who are likely to follow the trade. Part II, chapter III of the report is full of immaculate common sense. The Simla conference of 1901 pointed out that technical instruction should have a definite object and should be specialized. The letter of the Government of India of the 20th November 1901 considered that, while much had been done and was being done and should continue to be done for higher technical education, yet the development of industrial schools was a matter of supreme importance and instruction in such schools should be dissociated from ordinary literary education. The Committee on Industrial Schools strongly maintained in their report of 1903 that a system of apprenticeship in workshops be relied on for training artisans in preference to a system of class instruction in schools. From the point of view of the Bengal province, it is unfortunate that the committee did not make any local enquiries in the Bengal province except in Calcutta itself. The recommendations of the committee were condemned by the Government of India in their resolution of 14th January 1904 on the report of the committee, because it was believed that the central recommendation of the committee,—industrial instruction on the model of the Casanova Boy Artisan School at Naples,—would have as its end the abolition of industrial schools and the substitution of supervision in workshops. It should, however, be remembered that at

any rate as far as Bengal is concerned, the most effective improvement of the artisans in mechanical engineering has been by a system of apprenticeship either expressed or implied in large workshops. The Government of India, while admitting the great difficulty of building up rapidly an enormous fabric of technical education in India, lay down two broad principles. One is that at great industrial centres it should be possible to have whole-time schools for instruction in both workshop practice and theory; and that the active co-operation of employers of labour should be enlisted. The other is that for local handicrafts half-time industrial schools should be started,—for teaching on the one hand through the agency of an approved artisan accuracy of workmanship so as to develop a boy's inherited skill, and on the other hand, for teaching in a primary school such general education as will enlarge his prospects as a craftsman while preventing him from falling into a clerical groove. It may here be stated in anticipation that, as far as Bengal is concerned, a type of the former institution is to be found in the Bengal Technical Institute, which was started in Calcutta in the first outburst of enthusiasm for the *swadeshi* movement as an answer to the partition of Bengal, but which has been kept on proper lines by the level-headedness of its principal engineering adviser; and a type of the latter in the more successful of the village artisan schools started in Hazaribagh district by the Deputy Commissioner Mr. Radice, who was one of the members of the Industrial Committee. The great difficulty in both cases is the supply of competent teachers.

The views of the Imperial Government on the Committee's Report.

One other dictum of the Imperial Government remains to be recorded, especially as it is quoted in later papers in rather a loose fashion. It is frequently broadly laid down that Government should not enter into any industry on a commercial scale. In the first place, Government in India is in fact a manufacturer on a commercial scale of tents and harness, of great coats and blankets, of steam-launches and railway carriages; the justification is the economy which benefits the general tax-payer. In the second place as regards the prohibition in question, the dictum is qualified. While maintaining that industrial schools should be primarily educational and agreeing that the industrial schools as at present conducted frequently fail to train their pupils up to the standard of manual skill required for the market and pursue impractical methods, the resolution proceeds as follows:—

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"It is most wholesome therefore that they (the schools) should be brought to the test of producing saleable articles. But this is a very different thing from requiring progressive and methodical industrial training to be sacrificed to the necessity of showing a profit on the work done by the boys and in so far as the two objects are incompatible with one another, the Government of India desire to give precedence to the former."

This qualification should not be overlooked. We may now return to the discussions in Bengal itself from the year 1901 onwards.

On receipt of the letter of 20th November 1901 from the Government of India Mr. (now Sir Alexander) Pedler, the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, was asked to prepare a scheme of industrial education in Bengal. Mr. Pedler, writing in January 1902 advocated cautious and tentative steps; and suggested in the first instance the establishment of craft schools at Serampore for weaving and at ten other places in Bengal for other selected crafts. For these schools the most competent local workman, foreman or master was to be selected as an instructor, and instruction in drawing and designing was to be imparted to the artisan pupils. In the second place, Mr. Pedler advocated the importation from Europe of experts for research and enquiry. Nearly two years later at the end of 1903, Mr. Pedler, on the receipt of the views of the Government of India concerning the report of the committee on industrial education, gave his views on the proposed policy for Bengal. They were as follows:—(1) class instruction should be continued; (2) geometrical drawing and designing should be taught; (3) industrial education should be on caste lines; (4) Government, local bodies and the public should help in providing scholarships; (5) in Bengal, a beginning should be made with one of the industries recommended in the letter of 1902, preferably weaving, and preferably weaving in silk, and preferably weaving in silk at Rampur Boalia in Rajshahi district;

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(6) the apprentice system should be also encouraged; and (7) if a beginning be made at Rampur Boalia, other weaving schools might be established at Berhampore and in Serampore.

The scheme for a Weaving School at Serampore.

It is convenient to continue the narrative under this head, namely, the proposed establishment of a weaving school under the guidance of an imported expert. Early in 1904 the Government of Bengal reviewed the discussion from the time of the Simla conference of 1901; and appointed a representative committee to consider Mr. Pedler's proposals, which were estimated to cost annually Rs. 20,000, and also the proposals of the Government of India for whole-time schools at large industrial centres, as well as for half-time schools for handicrafts in small private establishments. The committee duly met in February 1904. The non-official representatives were nominees of the Chamber of Commerce and of the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce. The committee were in favour of cotton-weaving as the primary subject for instruction, in place of silk-weaving, with the suggestion that instruction in weaving in silk and wool should also be imparted. As regards the site for the school of instruction, the committee were in favour of Serampore instead of Rampur Boalia. Other more ambitious proposals for teaching the manufacture of soap, matches, glassware, cutlery and brass were considered but not accepted. The recommendations of the committee were adopted as the basis for the proposals submitted in June 1904 to the Government of India. The more important of these proposals were:—

(1) that a school for the teaching of improved methods of hand-weaving in silk, cotton and wool should be opened at Serampore under an expert inspector to be recruited from some big manufacturing centre in England, a head-master and a master of drawing and design;

(2) that a higher class should be opened there for the instruction of men of the Sibpur apprentice type, who would in turn become teachers, assistants to manufacturers and manufacturers; and

(3) that a lower class should be opened there for the instruction of weavers and their sons, that similar instructions be given at other selected centres and that all pupils at the school be supported by scholarships.

Provision was made for a hostel, and the question of advances for the purchase of appliances was considered. It was mentioned, that further enquiries would be made in the leather and brass trades.

The Government of India considered that their proposals were conceived in the right lines and were well adapted to the local conditions and requirements. It was intimated therefore in October 1905, that the proposed establishment would be recommended to the Secretary of State, who would be asked to select the best man who could be found qualified to organize such an institution. By January 1907 the Government of India forwarded a despatch to the Secretary of State regarding the development of technical and industrial education in four provinces including Bengal, and as regards Bengal supported the proposals of the Bengal Government made in June 1904. In April 1907 the Secretary of State sanctioned the appointments of a principal and an assistant for the Central Weaving School at Serampore, but up till April 1908 the officers required for the charge of the school have not arrived from England, as the appointments have not yet been made. In the meantime every preparation for the opening of the school has been made in the purchase of land and the selection of temporary buildings.

It should not be overlooked that Mr. Collin had in 1890 recommended the institution of a weaving school for silk at Berhampore. The policy now adopted is to make a beginning by the establishment of an institution for the improvement of that cottage industry which, judged by numbers is the most important in the province, namely, weaving. The experience of the Madras Government in their experimental and instructional weaving station at Salem has been fortunate; and the Serampur institute should be similarly successful.

The improvements, however, in mechanical appliances for hand-loom weaving and in the organization of the trade are a separate matter and are dealt with in the separate report on industrial development.

Proposed appointment of Inspector of Technical and Industrial Schools.

We may now revert to the subject of the inspection of industrial schools. It has been stated above that Mr. Collin had recommended that an inspector be appointed to supervise industrial education. The subject lay fallow till 1902, when Mr. Slater of Sibpur gave illuminating suggestions for its cultivation. After describing the schools then in existence, he desired that European and Eurasian experts be appointed in the various industries which it was proposed to foster; that these experts should be inspectors of local industries; and that the principal of the central technical college should be *ex-officio* director of technical and industrial schools. The Government of India in their letter of 30th September 1903 suggested towards the end that there should be an inspector of such half-time industrial schools as might be created; and in reply the Bengal Government in their letter of the 8th June 1904 proposed in connection with the weaving scheme described above, that there should be one expert inspector of weaving in Bengal, who should also be the principal of the Central Weaving School at Serampore This proposal, however, did not touch the matter of the inspection and control of technical and industrial schools in the province. The opinion of all observers had been that these schools were found wanting in methods, objects and in teachers. The rather heterogeneous collection of existing industrial schools was reviewed again in 1904, this time by Mr. Heaton, the Principal of Sibpur College and by Mr. Fedler, the Director of Public Instruction. Mr. Heaton's review was practically an indictment of the existing system. In November 1905, the Bengal Government considered that the industrial education which was under the Education Department should be placed under the Director of Agriculture, with the object of making enquiries, visiting industrial schools, collecting information and submitting proposals on the lines upon which industrial education should be developed. Much information was collated by Mr. Oldham, who was the Director of Agriculture at the time, in the course of his tours; but the advantage of this was lost when he left the department on transfer. This is another argument in favour of a whole-time officer in order to ensure continuity. At the end of 1906 the Bengal Government considered that in view of the increasing interest in the subject and the potential results of a sound system, a more effective agency should be created for the direction and supervision of technical and industrial education. It was held that a special officer was required for the province on the analogy of the appointments of an Inspector of Technical Schools in the Bombay Presidency and of a Director of Industrial and Technical Enquiries, who was also to be Inspector of Technical Schools in the Madras Presidency. The views of Mr. Heaton of Sibpur, who was consulted, were:—the maintenance of the paramountcy of Sibpur College; the appointment of the Principal of Sibpur as Superintendent of Industrial and Technical Education for the modern Bengal province, and the appointment of an inspecting officer under him, to be styled the Inspector of Industrial and Technical Education. In the opinion, however, of the Director of Public Instruction, Mr. Earle, what was required was a recruitment from England, preferably from one of the provincial technical colleges, of an officer who would be responsible for inspecting all technical and industrial institutions in the province, and who at the same time would promote the industrial development of the country by making investigations regarding the larger industries, especially the leather, glass and brass industries. Such an officer was to be styled Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical and Industrial Institutions, and was to be attached for the present to the office of the Director of Public Instruction. This view was accepted by the Bengal Government, and the appointment was recommended to Government of India in August 1907. Two portions of the letter of the Bengal Government may be quoted here. "All branches of professional training should finally, in Mr. Earle's opinion, be under the guidance of a co-ordinating authority or department not connected in any way with education, but concerned with the industrial development of the country." The other was—"The present time is particularly favourable for the development of local industries. His Honour is convinced that only by means of the whole-time service of an expert officer

can the present interest in the question be turned to practical and profitable account." In November 1907 the Government of India stated in reply that there were objections to the recruitment of such an officer from England, and suggested that certain conditions should be fulfilled before the proposal could be submitted to the Secretary of State. The matter is still (April 1908) under correspondence. I may place on record here that my enquiries have shown that in this province what the capitalists, who are anxious to embark on industrial enterprise, most desire is disinterested advice, and this can best be obtained from a Government officer who possesses scientific training, direct experience of the country, enthusiasm and business capacity and the primary object of whose appointment is to advise and assist such capitalists in industrial enterprise. If it be said that it is difficult to obtain an officer with the qualifications named, then the emoluments should be made sufficiently attractive. I hold strongly that one practical enthusiast who would inspire confidence is more required at this present juncture than any departmental scheme, in order to break down the dead wall of want of enterprise, absence of mutual trust and lack of business capacity, which are the real obstacles to indigenous industrial development in the province.

Proposed classes in industrial chemistry at Sibpur College.

Besides proposals under the heads of Weaving and Industrial Schools, the Bengal Government have considered within recent years the proposal for the teaching of chemistry as applied to manufactures. In 1905-1906, the Association for the Advancement of Scientific and Industrial Education of Indians submitted proposals for the establishment of a technical college in Bengal. The model held up for imitation was the Victoria Jubilee Institute in Bombay. This, it should be remembered, is not a Government but an aided institution. A conference under the presidentship of Mr. Oldham, C.S., who was then Director of Agriculture, was held to consider how far the existing College of Civil Engineering at Sibpur might be developed so as to include the departments which it was proposed should be opened. It was recognized that the college already dealt with subjects outside the scope of the title of the college, such as sanitary science, agricultural science, and mining. The subjects proposed for the new technical college were nine in number—mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, spinning and weaving, sheet metal and enamel work, industrial chemistry, dyeing and paints, ceramics, silk, mining and metallurgy. The first, second and ninth subjects were found to be already in the Sibpur curriculum. The third was to be taken up at the proposed weaving institute at Serampore, and the seventh was left to private enterprise. The proposals which Mr. Oldham submitted were:—

(1) that classes be opened, when the Engineering College is transferred from the site at Sibpur to Ranchi, in sheet metal, enamel and tinsmith's work and in industrial and technological chemistry in connection with dyeing, paint manufacture, leather work and assaying;

(2) that research work in lac be undertaken;

(3) that Government grants be offered to persons engaged in the glass industry, to proceed abroad for study, and that assistance be given to them in finding a market for their goods; and

(4) that the Bengal Silk Committee be consulted regarding the opening of a technical school in connection with the silk industry.

Now the college at Sibpur has not yet been removed to Ranchi, although it has been decided that this be done. In the meantime proposals for the tentative opening at Sibpur of classes in technological chemistry, and in dyeing and the chemistry of dyeing, coupled with the plan that instruction should be given in the scientific principles underlying the chief industries of the country, and that facilities be given in research work, were submitted to the Government of India in November 1906. This scheme has also been returned by the Government of India in December 1907, in this instance on the basis of the criticism of the Secretary of State that there was an absence of any information regarding the demand in India for men with the training which the proposed classes would afford. The subject is also still under discussion, but the

following points, which have been suggested to me by competent observers, may be noted in connection with that criticism:—

(1) The whole trend at present is to indigenous industrial development; and it is of importance that those concerns should be started which are capable of being worked in small factories on a small capital.

(2) This scheme was the outcome of an appeal from representative Indian gentlemen.

(3) Similar classes have been started by private enterprise at the Bengal Technical Institute in Calcutta.

(4) Four batches of Indians have been sent abroad under the auspices of the association which submitted the appeal named above, and seventeen of them have taken up chemistry as applied to manufactures.

(5) Applications have been made to Sibpur College for chemists, who are required for manufacturing concerns.

The policy of the Bengal Government.

On the whole then the principle which underlies the action of the Bengal Government within the last twenty years is that technical education is to be improved by the increased scope and efficiency of central institutions,—a principle which the Bombay Government formally recognized in 1906 and which the Bengal Government announced in 1891. The Madras Government have formally adopted the policy, in Sir Arthur Lawley's words, "that Government should rather develop industries in the first instance precedent to the introduction of schools." Mr. Heaton of Sibpur pointed out in 1904 that the history of industrial schools in other countries shows that they follow the establishment of an industry, but they do not precede it. This too has been kept in view in the proposal which the Bengal Government have made in applying for wholetime expert officers to encourage industries. The Government of the Central Provinces have recently put in a plea for caution and circumspection. The Chief Commissioner, Mr. Craddock, has stated that the real requirement for the development of industries is not a system of teaching existing methods, but a system of teaching improved methods, after it has been ascertained what industries seem to be capable of improvement, to those who are likely to carry on these industries. This, I submit, is the principle underlying the proposal for the Central Weaving Institute at Serampore which, as has been stated above, has been accepted. The policy of the Government of the United Provinces is an advanced policy—the establishment of large central institutions officered by the best teaching talent which can be obtained. Sir John Hewett has stated that his personal inclination is in favour of the training of foremen in theory in the first instance, and afterwards in practical work in the factory and mill. This, it should be noted, is the principle of the organization at Sibpur.

Circumstances of the Bengal Province.

The circumstances of the provinces are not the same. The United Provinces have a natural protective barrier of seven to eight hundred miles of railway freight charges from the seaboard, which gives a bias in favour of manufacture as opposed to commerce. Madras again has very few indigenous manufactures of its own; and the action of its Government in pioneering industries is really not in competition with any existing local enterprise. And finally as regards Bengal, manufactures have generally to compete with imports. The principle accepted at the Simla conference applies especially here, namely, that the supply or development of the existing Indian markets, so far as this is likely to result from technical instruction, is of superior importance to the creation of new export trades.

CHAPTER II.

INSTITUTIONS FOR TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.

Section I—Sibpur College and its Scheme of Affiliated Schools.

Standards of instruction.

An engineering college was established in Calcutta in the year 1856 by the Public Works Department with the object of training engineers and subordinates for

their service. In 1864 it was placed under the charge of the Education Department and transferred to the Presidency College of which it became an important department. In 1880 the college was removed to the site of the old Bishop's College at Sibpur in Howrah district, where the Public Works Department were building large workshops, and it was there established as a civil engineering college.

There are two standards of education at the college:—

(1) Engineering standard for the training of engineers for the Public Works Department and other Government bodies.

(2) The lower or apprentice standard for training men to fill subordinate ranks of the Public Works Department and to carry out similar duties under public or private bodies.

Reason for the development.

It must be remembered that the manner in which the Sibpur College and its connected institutions were organised is due to the fact that it gave an opportunity to students of finding employment in the Public Works Department. The upper subordinate establishment of the Public Works Department contains overseers, supervisors and sub-engineers. These appointments range from Rs. 60 a month to Rs. 500 a month. The lower subordinate establishment are generally called sub-overseers. The pay does not exceed Rs. 40 a month. The overseer and sub-overseer standards may thus be understood with reference to the appointments bearing these names in the Public Works Department. The improvements in the subjects of instruction have already been detailed in the first chapter. The course of instruction for the engineering standard has always been maintained at a high level. Great prominence has been given to practical training in the workshops and in the science laboratories. The course extends over five years, in the last year of which the work is entirely practical. The standard of admission has been since 1892 that of the First Arts, and since 1895 many graduates have joined. The great attraction is the comparative certainty of subsequent official employment. Eight out of every ten students of the Engineer Department find employment under Government, and only one out of ten finds private employment. Mr. Heaton, the Principal, has remarked that this discloses in a startling manner the state of arrested industrial development in Bengal. It is proposed under the new regulations of the Calcutta University that the examination in engineering will take place at the end of the second instead of the third year of the course; and that thereafter the students will have a choice in three branches, namely, civil engineering, mechanical and electrical engineering, and mining.

The higher course.

Mr. Heaton has proposed to enlarge the scope of the Engineering Department by admitting special persons who have no desire for Government posts, but who desire a superior training in engineering. He thinks that on receiving first class instruction such students of the college will contribute largely to the commercial development of the province. During the fifth year of the course students are placed for their practical training, as far as possible, according to their choice, under the Public Works Department, under the Sanitary Engineer, on a selected railway or on a selected mine or at the college itself. The chief prize of the college is the appointment of an assistant engineer in the Public Works Department which is open for competition amongst those who were being sent under that department for training. There is also a demand by municipalities for those who have been trained under the sanitary engineer. The demand for qualified electricians is increasing, and coal mining requires men who combine practical with theoretical training.

The lower course.

The lower standard or apprentice standard consists of three stages:—the sub-overseer course for two years, the overseer course for one year and a half, and a course of practical training extending over another year and a half. An examination is held at the end of the sub-overseer course, and the successful candidate receives a certificate showing that he possesses the qualifications required for a sub-overseer in the Public Works Department. Success at the examination held at the end of the second stage entitles the student to a third grade overseer's certificate. After the completion of the course of practical training, an apprentice would be entitled to a certificate of foreman

mechanic and sub-engineer or of a simple foreman mechanic according to the percentage of marks which he may obtain. The practical training throughout the course is considered by foreign critics to be the best that can be devised; and it is solely owing to the equipment of the Sibpur workshops that the practical instruction can be imparted. For the first year the student attends the carpentry shop; in the second, the smith-shop; in the third, the pattern-making and foundry shop; in the fourth year, the fitting shop. The fifth year is devoted to all-round practical training. During 1907 the numbers under training in these two departments were 94 in the Engineering Department and 233 in the Apprentice Department. It is a comment on the backwardness of the Muhammadan community that there were only five Muhammadans in these two departments.

Affiliated schools.

The affiliation of certain technical schools with Sibpur College has already been mentioned in the previous chapter. The following schools are at present affiliated:— Bihar School of Engineering, Victoria School, Kurseong, Ranchi Industrial School, all under Government; and the Burdwan and Midnapur Technical Schools under their respective District Boards. It is proposed to include also in the scheme the Orissa School of Engineering which is to be formed out of the Cuttack Survey School; and finally St. Andrews Colonial Homes, Kalimpong. It is intended by Mr. Heaton to re-organize the Apprentice Department also. There will be a junior apprentice class for the first two years, and thereafter a senior apprentice class, to whom he would offer a choice of taking specialised courses, namely, a civil engineering course, a mechanical and electrical engineering course, or a mining engineering course. The first course would be for the training of overseers for the Public Works Department, District Boards and municipalities. As has already been explained, it is open for students of the affiliated schools to appear for the sub-overseership examination at Sibpur, and if successful to proceed to the overseer class there. Pupils who would pass what is known as the B Final examination at certain district schools may enter the second-year class of the sub-overseer course at Sibpur. This scheme applies to the Patna Collegiate School in conjunction with the Bihar School of Engineering; the Ranchi Zilla School working with the Ranchi Industrial School; and the Midnapur Zilla School working with the Midnapur Technical School. Mr. Hornell in his quinquennial review of the progress of education in Bengal to 1907, states that the aim of these B classes is general in so far as their inauguration represents an attempt to give a more practical turn to school education; and that it is specialised in so far as these classes were deliberately intended to impart a preliminary training suitable for a specific profession; but that at any rate the B class experiment has hitherto proved a failure. Since the system was inaugurated, only one-third of the candidates has qualified in the final examination. The door was to be open here for the youth of the country who desire to prepare themselves for an industrial career. The misfortune is that at the present time both in the district schools and in the technical schools those enter who do not desire primarily a mechanical training but who wish a short cut (not being themselves sufficiently quick-witted for a literary career) to a qualification which will give them dignified service under some public body. It should be added that B classes were started at the Bhagalpur Zilla School in 1906, but there the mechanical appliances are of the most meagre description, and, although the applications for admission have become numerous, yet it is a curious fact that many pupils are coming from other districts where there are already opportunities for better technical instruction.

Sub-overseer classes.

B classes.

Joint examination board for the two Bengals.

It is not out of place to add here that it is practically settled that in future in order to maintain a uniform standard for sub-overseers and overseers and to take away every suspicion of unfairness, examinations will be held for the two provinces by a board representative of the Public Works Department in both provinces, of the Sibpur College and of the Engineering Schools of Dacca and Bihar. The Principal of Sibpur will be a permanent member and the secretary of this board.

Electrical training.

A special course for electrical training was started at Sibpur in 1906, and the development of this branch of instruction was due to an electric installation for motive

power. About ten of the best apprentices who had passed the overseer course were placed for their special course of practical instruction at the college, where they were entrusted with the charge of the workshops and the electric light installation. It is stated that this training is prized because it leads to well-paid appointments.

Mining Engineering.

In 1904 the Government of India requested the Bengal Government to prepare a scheme for instruction in mining engineering. It was decided not to create a separate school of mining in the mining districts, but to make use of the existing facilities for giving the major part of the instruction at the Civil Engineering College. A mining class has now been formed. A student who has passed the sub-overseer standard may join the class for a specialised course of two years. Six weeks of each year are also to be spent in a mining district, in the study of mining surveying and in practical training. Diplomas are awarded. Under the Indian Mining Act of 1901 certificates of competency are required. The possession of the diploma in mining engineering can exempt the possessor with the permission of the Board of Examiners from a term of two years out of the period of five years' practical experience which is required for a first class certificate. In addition, under the auspices of the college, a scheme has been inaugurated for providing instruction in mining for assistants and others employed in the Bengal colliery districts; and a special Mining Advisory Board has been attached to the college. Since November 1906 there has been a regular course of instruction at the centres, Sanctoria and Charanpur in the Raniganj coal district, and Jherria and Sijua in the Jherria district. Both from the reports and from my personal enquiries I gather that the scheme has been most successful, and that local committees have been of great assistance in arranging sites and accommodation for the lectures.

This instruction in mining has required the addition of two expert Europeans to the staff, one for the professorship at Sibpur and the other for the instructorship in mining for the district lectures.

Motor driving.

An extension of the scheme is desirable. Continuation schools for teaching arithmetic, physics, chemistry and mechanics are recommended by the instructor, Mr. Griffiths, for Dhanbaid and Asansol, and also evening classes at Ekra, Raniganj, Kalipahari, Barakur and Jamuni.

A further development has been in the establishment of the training of motor-driver mechanics. The course of instruction includes both maintenance and driving. There is a great and increasing demand for competent mechanics who can drive. The beginning was made by taking over from the Public Works Department a second-hand car which had to be practically reconstructed.

It can therefore be maintained with justification that the Sibpur College curriculum has kept abreast of the requirements of the time, and that the principle laid down in the Government resolution of 1891 on Mr. Collin's report has been consistently followed, though not always consciously.

Section II.—Bihar School of Engineering and the Cuttack Survey School.

Origin and progress of the school for Bihar artisans.

The Bihar School of Engineering is a handsome building on semi-oriental lines, and with its hostels and workshops forms a striking block on the bank of the Ganges at Bankipore. In 1890 the Patna Survey School was transferred from the Patna College buildings to new premises made over to it by the committee of the Bihar Industrial School Fund, a fund which originated from the balance of the fund raised in Bihar in 1877 for the reception of the Prince of Wales, the present King. In 1893 the Principal obtained particulars of the occupation of more than half of the *ex*-students: they were found to be employed as overseers, sub-overseers, draftsmen, surveyors and survey teachers both in public and private employment. By 1894 the school was being gradually transformed into one in which all the instruction was given in English. In 1896 the Survey School was amalgamated with the Bihar Industrial School and the new institution at Bankipore was entitled the "Bihar School of Engineering." The course provided complete instruction for sub-overseers. The

next improvements were the appointment of an European foreman mechanic for the workshops in 1899, and the appointment of a European head-master under the sanction of the Secretary of State in 1890. In the latter year the foundation for instruction up to the overseer standard was made. In 1904 a hostel was erected; and in the following year it was found that this had developed in a marked degree the corporate and social life amongst the students,—setting an example which many colleges in Bengal might follow with great advantage. The curriculum now follows the same ground as that covered by the four years' course of the Apprentice Department of the Sibpur College; and though it has not yet any formal arrangements for conducting the practical training which completes the Apprentice course at Sibpur, nevertheless Mr. Walford, the present Head-master, has been able to arrange for practical training under Executive and District Engineers in Bihar. There is also a one-year class for the training of Amins. The electric light plant has made it possible to give a practical training in electricians' work. Mr. Walford has informed me that the school has acquired a reputation in all Hindi-speaking districts and that enquiries come to him from some Native States and from the Central Provinces.

There has been on more than one occasion a request from the leading residents of Patna that the school be raised to the status of a college. I am not, however, sure that it is on their part quite understood or known what the establishment of a college would entail. The reply of the Bengal Government has been that for the present it is not possible to have more than one civil engineering college thoroughly equipped both in plant and establishment. The number of possible Bihari candidates for Sibpur is still too small to justify the extra staff and expenditure. The history of the school shows, however, a steady advancement, and it is natural that Biharis should desire the prestige which would attach to the establishment of a college. It is an undoubted fact that Biharis at present are unwilling to proceed to the central college at Sibpur situated as it is in a Bengali district. When the Sibpur College has been transferred to Ranchi, a district which has more in common with the Bihari districts, the unwillingness of the Biharis may possibly disappear. But at the same time it is quite feasible that a system of practical training for one year and a half may be formally organised, similar to that of Sibpur; and this is the first natural step in the future progress of the institution. In this way the institution would be able to give a certificate up to the foreman mechanic and sub-engineer standard. If it is possible to generalise, it would appear that the Biharis have a natural aptitude for practical engineering. Professor D. N. Mallik of the Patna College, who has recently visited technical institutions in England informs me that the Brighton Technical School in its technical branches furnishes an ideal to which the Bihar school should work up in time.

While we can record nothing but success and progress in the scheme for technical instruction at Bankipore, yet it must be admitted that the arrangements for training artisans have been an entire failure, just as at Sibpur, and that the B classes are nothing but a farce. I doubt very much whether it is sound to arrange at the same institution for the instruction of overseers who come from the middle class and for the instruction of artisans. I shall deal with this more fully in connection with the chapter on industrial schools.

School for the Orissa districts.

The Cuttack Survey School is the only school of its kind in the province. The curriculum includes surveying, road-making and smithwork, but not carpentry or science. Mr. Hornell has explained in his Quinquennial Review of the Progress of Education in Bengal, 1902-1907, that the school teaches up to the sub-overseer standard in the sense that students who pass the final examination are eligible for sub-overseerships in the Public Works Department, but that the school does not yet teach the full sub-overseer course. There is also a class for Amins. The proportion of Uriyas continue to be two out of three students. Practically no change has been made since 1890. The obvious form of advancement is to make use of the existing Canal workshops of the Public Works Department at Cuttack and to raise the instruction to the sub-overseer standard. It has been settled that this be done. The school will then be called the Orissa School

of Engineering, and in all probability the supply will not be in excess of the demand for qualified subordinates in the Uriya-speaking tracts.

Section III.—Technical Schools.

Burdwan Technical School.

Burdwan. The Burdwan Technical School is administered by the District Board. The subjects taught are carpentry and smithery. The average attendance is 47; more than half are Brahmans and Kayasths, and more than half are boys from districts other than Burdwan district. The course is a sub-overseer course leading up to the overseer standard at Sibpur. During the last three years 25 pupils have been sent up, of whom 17 passed the sub-overseership examination. The workshops I found to be cramped. A local committee takes considerable interest in the school. While this school does not turn out men who are likely to be mechanical engineers, but men who desire to be sub-overseers or possibly overseers, it should nevertheless be continued in its present form as a feeder to Sibpur College, for the demand for well-trained sub-overseers and overseers is not likely to diminish. I advise the committee, however, to refrain from slackening the strictness of the standard of general education required from would-be students.

Midnapore-Maisadal Technical School.

Midnapore. This school teaches up to the sub-overseer standard. It is named after a well-known landed proprietor in Midnapore, who was a generous contributor to the fund by which the school was started about twenty years ago. In the first year of the sub-overseership course the work is carpentry, and the second, smithery. The head-master is a passed foreman mechanic from Sibpur. As at Burdwan practically all the pupils desire to go in for service. As at Burdwan the accommodation is scanty.

The pupils live in a hostel about quarter of a mile away from the school. What is required is more money and more organized management. In 1905 the condition of affairs was so bad that the Principal at Sibpur recommended that the privilege of affiliation should be withdrawn. A strong committee has, however, been since appointed in which are included the District Engineer, the Executive Engineer of the Public Works Department and the Chief Mechanical Engineer of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, the headquarters of which are at Kharagpur close to Midnapore. The school does not, and is not likely to, turn out men who will become practical mechanics. I recommend that on no account should a mistaken kindness be exercised in admitting students who have not passed the Entrance Examination. The system of apprenticeships for the Kharagpur Railway workshops gives an opening to any passed pupil who wishes to obtain practical and remunerative employment, but every applicant must remember that there is far more drudgery to be undergone in a commercial workshop than in the workshop attached to an academical institution. Government has made a grant of Rs. 5,000 for the erection of a new school building.

Bengal Technical Institute.

Calcutta. This institute was founded by a society called "The Society for the Promotion of Technical Education in Bengal" which was registered under Act XXI of 1860. It was started in August 1906 at 92 Upper Circular Road, where large workshops have been erected—mechanical workshops, smithery, electrical engineering shed, and a carpentry shed. There are also arrangements for teaching drawing, chemistry and dyeing. There are moderately well equipped physical laboratories. The institute was started under the revulsion which followed the partition of Bengal, but the system of instruction has fortunately been directed on sound lines. For funds the committee are principally indebted to Mr. Palit, Barrister-at-law, and have the advantage of the assistance of two master minds in the mechanical and educational world of Calcutta. All the courses have not yet been started. The secondary course, as it is called, is for three years, though, it is hoped, it will be extended to four years.

It is proposed to have courses in mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, sheet metalling, technological chemistry, commercial course and economic geology. This is an ambitious syllabus, but for the present complete arrangements have only been made in the mechanical engineering course. The governing body propose that the technological chemistry course will deal with the following subjects:—geology, ceramics, tanning, paint and varnish-making, dyeing and bleaching, soap, candle, oil and perfume-making, and the preparation of matches. On the engineering side the instruction will be similar to that given at Sibpur. But there is here an excellent opportunity for young men to become foreman mechanics in reality as well as in name, and to take advantage of the demand which the anticipated industrial activity will promote. The course for industrial chemistry is still in its infancy, but it has anticipated the proposals for the establishment of similar classes in Sibpur, which classes, I hope, may be the nucleus of a Government technical institute in Calcutta, after the engineering branches of Sibpur College have been removed to Ranchi. I advise the governing body of the Bengal technical institute to place it on a sound financial footing, and to insist that only those youths who have received a sound general education, should be allowed to join its classes. It is quite a mistake to think that only the dullards, who have no chance of success in the usual literary careers, should take up a specialised branch of technical study. John Stuart Mill said in 1866:—"Special knowledge is sought after only by a certain number of young men, and it is only when they have completed their education, properly so called, that they should be permitted to enter upon it. The good or bad use which they will make of each knowledge will depend chiefly on their mental character, and character can be formed only by general education."

Technical Department of the Bengal National College.

The Bengal National College has been inaugurated under the auspices of the National Council of Education, Bengal. It has been established at 166, Bowbazar Street since July 1907. It has a secondary technical course extending over three years. A workshop has been erected with machine plant to the value of Rs. 11,000. The syllabus includes a general course of instruction in physics, chemistry, mathematics, drawing, and a special course in machine drawing, mechanics, machinery tools, pattern making, brass modelling, smithery, turning and fitting. The proposed college course on the technical side, which is to follow, is proposed to be subdivided into (*a*) agriculture including forestry; (*b*) manufacture, including mining; and (*c*) commerce. The scheme of education has been thought out with a view to help the students in "finding new and independent careers in life in the departments of arts and industry." The instruction imparted is to be theoretical, experimental and manufactural. In January 1908 there was an exhibition of the articles turned out in the workshops and laboratories during the year 1907, and Professor Brühl from Sibpur was able to say that the articles were not only of solid construction, but that they showed in general that finish which is proper to all first class work, and that some of the models indicated the exercise of great care and patience. This institution like the Bengal Technical Institute was founded in a spirit of independence, and if that spirit will train up youths to aspire, not to seek dignified and somewhat leisurely careers, but to become capable foremen and masters in the indigenous industrial activity which may yet come in this province, the institution will serve a useful purpose. At the present moment, apart from the advice of Indian publicists, the better class youths have been forced, in spite of their traditional prejudices against manual labour, into industrial lines on account of the competition which has closed up the avenues hitherto open to them in literary careers. This institution is also making manual instruction in some form or other a part of a general liberal education, not necessarily with the intention that all the pupils should take to mechanical employment.

Calcutta Technical School.

In 1900 Mr. Finlay, the Chief Engineer of the East Indian Railway, with the assistance of some of the leading engineering firms, started a night school with

continuation classes for giving instruction to apprentices who are working in large workshops in Howrah. As it was found that a large number of the apprentices lived in Calcutta, the site was changed to the Doveton College, Calcutta, where classes are held twice a week. The staff consists of three highly qualified European lecturers. The school is fulfilling a useful purpose, that is, supplementing daily practice by theoretical instruction. The accommodation is not suitable and the school is ill equipped with apparatus. If the institution were improved in these respects, for which improvement I have separately submitted recommendations, there should be no reason why a larger number of Indian apprentices should not take advantage of the school.

Railway Technical Institution.

This was started in 1908 at 83 Dhurrumtola, Calcutta, to provide a means for acquiring some practical training in the various methods employed in the actual working of railways. Practical training is to be given in telegraphy, signalling, goods and coaching. There is no other such private institution in Bengal. The school is well equipped for teaching practical signalling and practical telegraphy. It has already over twenty students—all natives of Bengal—in the telegraph class. A student can become adept in two months, working for six hours a day, at a fee of Rs. 10 a month. The school deserves encouragement, if it can show that its students are obtaining employment. It has been started on sound lines.

Victoria School, Kurseong.

Darjeeling District. A sub-overseer class for Europeans and Eurasians was opened in 1904 in connexion with the Victoria School, Kurseong, and is affiliated with the Sibpur College. Of the eleven students since sent up for the sub-overseership examination, seven have been successful.

St. Andrews' Colonial Homes, Kalimpong.

At the annual meeting in March 1903, it was announced that the affiliation with the Sibpur College had been sanctioned, and that the first batch of boys was now being prepared for the engineering curriculum.

Section IV.—Schools attached to Railway Workshops.

This may be considered as part of a system of continuation schools. In Chapter VIII of "Continuation Schools in England and elsewhere" edited by Professor Sadler of the University of Manchester and published at the University Press, 1907, there is a summary of the replies received from 16 railway companies and 56 other employers of labour in England regarding the facilities granted to their employees for the study of subjects dealing with their daily work. The system of requiring apprentices to attend technical schools is extending in England, and facilities in varying degrees are being given to that end. In 1890 Mr. Collin said that the apprentices at the Jamalpur workshops of the East Indian Railway were obliged to attend evening classes, not for technical instruction, but as a continuation of their general education. At that time there were no other railway night schools in the province. In 1908 we find that the technical night school at Jamalpur is giving instruction in technical subjects, such as steam-engine and machine construction, applied mechanics, algebra and mensuration. The average nightly attendance is 50. At the Kharagpur workshops of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, attendance for apprentices at the technical night school is compulsory. The subjects are geometry, applied mechanics, algebra, mensuration, geometrical drawing and arithmetic. At the Carriage and Wagon Workshops of the East Indian Railway at Lillooah, the technical school for apprentices gives instruction within working hours, one hour in the morning for two days a week. The subjects are arithmetic, algebra, mensuration, applied mechanics, linear drawing, projection and mechanical drawing. There is an attendance of 33 youths, of whom no fewer than 17 are Indian lads.

At the Kanchrapara workshops on the Eastern Bengal State Railway, there is no technical school or evening class, but it is proposed that on the completion of a hostel for apprentices, which is now under construction, a night school will be held for the apprentices. At Samastipur on the Bengal and North-Western Railway, there is no night school or other means of studying machine drawing or technical subjects. There is also no drawing office here, and so a machine foreman cannot obtain any training in drawing. While on the one hand it is too much to expect that commercial undertakings will supply an education in advance of their requirements, yet on the other hand it would appear to be in the interest of the employers themselves to give to their apprentices a knowledge of the theoretical principles which underly their practical work. This should be encouraged. The system at Lillooah is best, I think, namely, that instruction should be given within working hours, and not at night. These schools should teach theoretical work directly connected with practical work, and the minimum qualification in general education should be the Entrance Examination or its equivalent.

Section V.—Calcutta Government School of Art and other Art Schools.

Calcutta School of Art.

The School of Art was started in 1864 and until 1893, when the school was removed to the new building in the Chowringhee Road, it had been held in various houses in Bow Bazar which were in every way ill adapted for the purposes of a school of art. In 1890 it was recorded by Mr. Collin that the Calcutta School of Art had been established partly to develop the native industries, but that it had not accomplished much for industrial art. In 1891 the Bengal Government said that it was not too much to hope that, if duly supported and encouraged, the School of Art might do for Bengal all that South Kensington had done and was doing for industries, both manufacturing and artistic, in England. This ideal has not yet been reached. In 1894 Sir Alfred Croft, who was then the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, pointed to the popularity of the school and to the fact that there was a remunerative demand for the special skill which was then being developed in the subjects of drawing, designing, wood-engraving and modelling (Papers relating to Maintenance of Schools of Art in India as State Institutions, Home Department serial No. 23, 1898, page 81). Mr. A. N. Tagore, Officiating Principal of the Calcutta School of Art, in describing the progress from 1902 to 1907 considered that the School of Art had neither fulfilled the conditions of a truly industrial establishment, nor had it done much towards the improvement of the fine arts of the country. The disposal of all European pictures and the purchase of Indian art ware in 1904 marked a step towards the one ideal of forming a truly Indian art gallery; and the present intention to bring the Industrial Art section of the Indian Museum under the control of the Principal of the School of Art and the recommendation of the Conference of the Principals of Schools of Art in India held in 1905-06, to issue for the use of artisans pattern books containing typical and pure examples of traditional art are an advance towards the other ideal. At present the School of Art in Calcutta does nothing to affect indigenous industrial art outside of Calcutta: a closer touch with the best workmen in the province is required. I also think that the diploma in mechanical and architectural drawing should have a higher value than it now has with a view to remunerative employment.

The course of instruction is in two divisions:—one affording a systematic instruction in drawing and design for drawing and technical art teachers, draughtsmen, artisans, art workmen and designers for art industries; and the other for those who wish to study drawing, painting and modelling with a view to become painters or sculptors. The summary on pages 88 to 90 of Mr. Hornell's Progress of Education in Bengal, 1902-1907, gives as full a summary as is necessary to understand the present position of the school. The fault of indigenous art is the slavish imitation of conventional European patterns. The remedy is not altogether in the hands of Government.

Mr. Tagore assures me that he fully agrees as to the necessity of circulating good Indian examples in art designs—the view eloquently expressed by Lord Curzon at the opening of the Art Exhibition of Delhi in 1903: "Indian art will never be revived by borrowing from foreign ideals, but only by fidelity to its own."

Private Schools.

There are three private art schools in Calcutta—the Albert Temple of Science started in 1875, the Indian Art School in 1895, and Jubilee Art Academy in 1897. The details will be found in appendix II. None of these is aided by Government. They teach drawing, painting, engraving and modelling and kindred subjects, but they turn out principally artists in painting. At the first named school I found European casts, European drawing books and European designs for painting. The managers of this school are strongly representative of the *swadeshi* movement. I have pointed out this inconsistency to the Principal of the school.

CHAPTER III.

INSTITUTIONS FOR INDUSTRIAL INSTRUCTION.

Existing defects and lines of improvement.

Details regarding all the technical and industrial institutions in the province will be found in appendix II. I deal below with various types of industrial schools—in the sense of schools for the instruction of would-be artisans, most of which I have visited. Mr. Hornell has given a short account of these schools at page 109 of the Bengal Quinquennial Review, but this is based principally on departmental reports In 1890-91 there were in the two Bengals 15 industrial institutions with 580 pupils and after ten years in 1900-01 there were 27 such institutions, with 887 pupils. In 1906-07 there were in the Western Bengal Province 1,275 pupils in 52 institutions of which more than half are in the Chota Nagpur Division; many of them have practically no effect on industrial development, and the people themselves do very little without assistance. So industrial education is yet in its infancy. The arguments in favour of a whole-time officer for the promotion of industries and industrial education cannot be better expressed than in the words of Mr. Hornell, at page 111 of his Review, which I reproduce in full.

"There is still apparent that lack of definiteness, both of methods and objects, that want of co-ordination with local industries or trades, and that uncertainty of initiative and support which will always prevail so long as the schools have to depend upon the volition of local bodies rather than upon any sustained policy of Government. Moreover, in the face of the great preponderance of classes teaching carpentry and smithy work it is difficult to resist the conclusion arrived at by Sir Edward Buck as regards technical and industrial schools in India, viz., that their object appears to be to teach these subjects to boys who have no intention to become carpenters or to engage in any manual occupation whatever. It is not maintained that there are no industrial schools at which sound work is being done. It must, however, be admitted that the effect of the existing schools on the industrial development of the province is practically negligible.

"The reason for this want of progress is not far to seek. A system of industrial schools co-ordinated to the trades and industries of the province can never be created except on the initiative of a department or at least an officer whose business it is to study those industries. If any real and steady progress is to be made, there must be at least one officer possessed of the required capacity who, while it will be his business to be generally acquainted with the larger industries of the province, will be available to conduct special investigations into the conditions of any particular industry which either he or others may think it desirable to develop by some such scheme as that proposed at Serampore. Such an appointment has recently been proposed to Government, and it has been suggested that the officer to be recruited should be styled "Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical and Industrial Institutions." It is recognized that industrial development,

even in that aspect of it which is called industrial education, lies outside the proper scope of the Education Department, and even though it is proposed that the officer whose recruitment has been suggested should, to start with, work in connection with the Education Department, it is not considered that this is desirable as a permanent arrangement. On the contrary it is hoped that this appointment will lead in time to the creation of a Department of Industry to the control of which all technical and industrial institutions will be transferred."

Section I.—Managed by Government.

Mr. Collin on page 21 of the 1890 report made suggestions for industrial schools. He made suggestions for Ranchi, Burdwan and Midnapore; and for Rajshahi and Chittagong, now in the Eastern Province. At Ranchi there was a private Missionary school started in 1870. It was reorganized in 1890-91, and taken over by Government in 1894. Had the school not arisen in this way, Ranchi would have been the most unpromising centre for Government to institute an industrial school; for until lately it was remote from all industrial centres. This school has a certain amount of antique machine plant, sent from Sibpur in 1901; it has also a carpenter's shop; and the course includes cane-work and carriage painting. The instruction given here is for sub-overseers, the B classes and for artisans. The sub-overseer class should disappear when the Engineering College is removed from Sibpur to Ranchi. The B classes for the same reason should disappear: for the object of the B class is to provide an easy up gradient to the Sibpur curriculum. Strangers came to Ranchi attracted by easy conditions and a good climate. The artisan classes are for blacksmithery, carpentry, cane-work and carriage painting. Instruction is also given in reading, writing and arithmetic. The Munda boys who fill the school are, I am informed, relaxing their traditional repugnance to metal work. There are now practical engineers on the committee, representing the District, the Public Works Department and the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, and I trust that the artisan classes, which represent 60 out of 82 pupils, will be strongly developed. In fact, the school should be primarily an industrial school. A good fitter on Rs. 70 is required for the blacksmith's shop. More room for the teaching of carpentry is required. Mensuration and mechanical drawing should be taught to all boys. Every endeavour should be made to link up the industrial school with the Bengal-Nagpur Railway workshops at Kharagpur and Adra, and to give the boys opportunities for remunerative employment. The school must also act as a Normal training school for supplying teachers to the local industrial schools in the Chota Nagpur Division In 1906-07 six from the carpenter's department, and one from the blacksmith's department passed the qualifying test, and are now earning a livelihood in Ranchi district. There is a further opening in the training of the boys as motor-car *mistris*. There is, and will be a local demand for youths who, while not fully trained mechanics, have the qualification of a "cleaner" in a locomotive running shed. This is the principle followed by Mr. Chatterton in Madras in training youths for the maintenance of the oil-engines which he is distributing throughout that Presidency.

The artisan classes at Bankipore and Sibpur come under this head. They are a failure at Bankipore, and declining at Sibpur.

Section II.—Industrial Schools connected with Commercial Workshops.

The best school in the province is that of Beniadih attached to the workshops of the East Indian Railway Company's collieries at Giridih. Formerly the lower primary standard was the qualification for admission, but this is being raised to the upper primary standard. The Company are primarily concerned with recruiting youngsters who will in time become competent journeymen on the railway staff. The boys from the beginning receive a wage of some kind. A Government grant was allotted; but it was not enough to obtain the stamp of teacher required. A teacher has now been obtained from the Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute in Bombay. He teaches

drawing and mensuration. Since 1904-05, no English has been taught. For three-fourths of the working hours of the day, the boys have practical training in the workshop under European supervision. In school hours they receive instruction in simple mechanics from one of the Assistant Managers. The school is visited by educational officers: the remarks of Mr. Stark, the Inspector of Schools, are encouraging and friendly, but the Sub-Inspector and Deputy Inspector do not appear to realize that the class for instruction is an appanage of the workshop; and thus they misapprehend the object in view.

At Samastipur an artisan primary school has been started by the District Board of Darbhanga in conjunction with the Locomotive workshops of the Bengal and North-Western Railway. Here the case is different. The pupils are outside boys of artisan castes who attend a primary school, and who receive practical instruction for half the day in the workshop. It is an approximation to the kind of school suggested in the Government of India letter of 30th September 1903:—(1) "Keeping up and developing a boy's inherited manual skill; (2) giving him a general education which will enlarge his prospects as a craftsman, while preventing him from falling in a clerical groove"; but the practical work was proposed to be "working for half the day; as registered and supervised apprentices under approved artisans." This school is not, however, quite satisfactory; and will not be satisfactory as long as the primary education is considered the more important. A competent teacher is required.

More than thirty years ago at the Dehri-on-Sone Canal workshops, a class for instruction for the young employees was started by the Superintendent; but in time the original idea that it was to be subordinate to the workshop was overlooked. There is a village school now, but it is a regular school under the Educational Department.

I hold strongly that as far as possible industrial education should be given in a commercial atmosphere: that where the school is in commercial surroundings, competent teachers are usually available and a future livelihood for the artisan is open; and that in Bengal more practical effect should be given to the counsels in the Government of India letter of 1903, paragraph 10, which affirms that where there are organization and capital, there must also be the intelligence to appreciate the value of properly trained workers. But this, as will appear from the context, was intended rather for the training of the foreman than for the training of the journeyman.

The State Railway and Canal workshops provide an opportunity for the training of the would-be journeyman. I shall enlarge on this later.

Section III.—Industrial Schools in connection with Missions.

Much good industrial work is being done in the Missionary industrial schools. They have the advantage of European control, usually enthusiastic and frequently practical. Yet even in these schools the fact is not kept sufficiently in view that the teaching which is given is meant to enable the pupils to earn a livelihood, and that the test of their efficiency is whether old pupils are actually earning their livelihood at the craft which has been taught to them. I give short notes on some of the schools.

London Mission Society at Kaurapukkur, 24-Parganas District.—Carpentry and carpet making are taught; but rather as a training for hand and eye than as a form of industrial education. There is, moreover, no local demand for either craft. The teacher in carpentry is a skilled artisan from a Calcutta shop.

Oxford Mission at Ballyganj, Calcutta.—The system is to give manual instruction to all boys up to twelve years of age. Above that age the less clever boys stick to the industrial classes. It is unfortunate that only one in five continues in industrial work after leaving the school; half of the boys who leave go back to cultivation. Still the fault is not with the teaching which is good. Carpentry, carving and viceman's work are taught. There is a good demand for the carpentry.

Church Missionary Society at Hatchapra, Nadia District.—This was started under a mechanical genius, Mr. Blackburn, and continued under Mr. Kamcke. The school has now an engine and some sawing and planing plant. The teaching is good and sound, the intention being that the boys shall earn their living in industrial lines. The school has the local advantage that it is linked up with the Eastern Bengal State Railway workshops at Kanchrapara, and the Nadia District Board helps with scholarships some pupils who go there.

Wesleyan Mission at Bankura, Bankura District.—An attempt is made to attract some of the clever boys away from the literary side. Carpentry, cane-work and boot-making are taught. The carpentry is good. Seven boys have obtained employment in the Adra work-shops of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway. I have suggested that there should be a hostel for the boys either at the Kharagpur or the Adra workshops.

American Free Baptist Mission at Balasore and at Santipur, Balasore District.—The work at Balasore is sound: the boys are taught to be artisans, in carpentry, book-binding and shoe-making and the like. The school deserves some Government assistance.

The school at Santipur is doing good work in weaving, carpentry, mat-making and rope-making: it is subsidised by Government.

Society for the Propagation of the Gospel Mission School at Chaibassa, Singhbhum District.—The Mission has put considerable stress on industrial teaching; and much good work in carpentry has been turned out. Instruction is also given in carving, in stone-work and in weaving.

SECTION IV.—INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS CONNECTED WITH AND AIDED BY DISTRICT BOARDS.

Khulna District.—The Coronation Technical School is the result of a compromise between the views of those who wished instruction to be given in survey to youths of the middle class, and those who wished instruction to be given to the sons of artisans. There is an Amin class for the former, and instruction in carpentry for the latter. This is a good type of an artisan school, but the boys should be taught to understand and make simple sketches, and work from plans. B classes have lately been started here; but I see no good in them.

Saran District.—There are three Dome schools, but these are not very efficient. They are special schools started for the purpose of keeping Dome boys out of mischief, rather than with the hope of teaching them remunerative employment. If it were possible, better teachers should be obtained.

Hazaribagh District.—Through the efforts of Mr. Radice, the Deputy Commissioner, 18 half-primary, half-industrial schools have been started on the lines of the Indian Government proposals of 1903. The scheme is to start a class of practical instruction under a competent artisan in conjunction with a primary school, the teacher in which is expected to teach geometrical drawing in addition to the three R's. The subjects of practical instruction are smithery, carpentry, weaving and pottery. A beginning has been made, but much has still to be done. Mr. Radice would be the first to admit that all the schools are not equally successful. Everything depends on the teachers. If he is above the average, and boys will attend both the primary school and his practical school, the boys will improve as craftsmen. But as the schools are subsidised by the District Board, there is every temptation for pupils to join who desire only the general education; and I found at one school well-dressed sons of Baniyas who had no industrial ambitions at all. On the other hand at Palawal, I saw that the teacher was teaching practical work. It should be borne in mind that the conditions laid down by Government in 1903 were:—(1) only artisans should be admitted; (2) the education should not fit the pupil for clerical employment; (3) scholarships for pupils should be given, and (4) an efficient Inspector should be appointed. In Hazaribagh there is a Special Sub-Inspector, but he has not sufficient technical knowledge. A praise-worthy attempt, however, has been made to start the half-time industrial school. But if this is to be continued, there must be

better teachers. The Ranchi Government School should be able to provide some. And there must be a more capable Sub-Inspector. And only artisans' sons should be admitted. There is an increased demand in the Chota Nagpur area for skilled craftsmen, and each of these schools which is successful, helps a little in the rural tracts.

Ranchi District.—There were schools at Bandu, Patuahata and Basounda. The teaching at the last two was inferior, and the District Board proposed to close them. The school at Bandu had an intelligent and qualified artisan. The monthly grant for Bandu was Rs. 19-8; so it depends on the teacher.

Manbhum District.—At Jhalda I saw probably one of the best of these half-time industrial schools. The teacher was competent: the boys were all artisans; one who had left had started for himself as a blacksmith. But only six out of the sixteen were attending also the primary school. The weaving institution at Raghunathpur near Adra had become a farce, and I have endeavoured with the help of Mr. Watson, the Deputy Commissioner, to have it placed on a commercial basis.

Burdwan District.—There is nominally an artisan class at the Burdwan Technical School; but there are no pupils.

Midnapore District.—The artisan class at the Midnapore Technical School could boast of only one pupil.

Section V.—Private schools, aided and unaided.

The Muhammadan Orphanage Industrial School in Calcutta is a type which deserves encouragement. The boys really learn and the teachers are competent: the subjects are tailoring, embroidery, carpet-making, press work and lithography. I would ask that more trouble be taken to keep an exact record of all the boys after they leave the school. On the other hand the Anjumani-Rafiq-ul-Islam Industrial School in Calcutta is not working on sound lines. It is rather a denominational school, with a little sewing and watch-repairing thrown in. I have appealed to those responsible to remember that the boys have to earn their livelihood by what they learn there and that the instruction should be real, not make-believe.

The Lab Chand Matichand Jain Literary and Technical School is the result of a pious foundation, the object of which is to give both a literary education and a training in "practical arts relating to the manufacture of jewellery as well as industrial and technical arts". This has now 80 boys, although it started only in August 1907. I have advised the management to give two-thirds of the instruction to practical training and one-third to literary training, instead of one hour of practical instruction out of five and a half hour's attendance—a proportion which can hardly entitle the school to be called an industrial one: to use standard drawing books, and to insist on the accuracy of the mechanical drawing.

The Fakharpur Carpentry School in Gaya District and the Alalpur Industrial School in Balasore District are two instances of spontaneous industrial training. The former has a competent teacher, but he does not teach properly. In the latter case, the founder is an Uriya gentleman with a practical turn of mind, who has raised the standard of craftsmanship in his neighbourhood. Such schools need guidance, and deserve pecuniary encouragement.

Section VI.—Industrial Schools for Women.

There is a school called the Mahila Shilpasram in Calcutta; and there are the schools under Missionary guidance for lace work at Ranchi, Khunti, Chaibassa and Kalimpong. These are considered under the heading of this industry in Part II of the Special Report. These lace schools appear to be likely to provide remunerative employment, and are capable of much development under the lace experts, who have been imported by the Missions, provided the disposal of the product is effected on commercial lines.

Section VII.—Reformatory Schools.

The Reformatory Schools at Hazaribagh and Ranchi have been treated since 1900 as educational institutions, and crafts are taught which the boys may follow up when they reach the statutory age for their detention. The following table gives the numbers under instruction at the two schools.

	Alipore.	Hazaribagh.
Blacksmithy	13	7
Bookbinding	18	...
Cane-work	13	...
Carpentry	50	15
Painting	9	...
Printing	22	...
Shoe-making	3	7
Tailoring	16	5
Tin-work	9	...
Weaving		13

It is interesting to know what becomes of the boys after they leave the Reformatories. From the figures which have been collected for the past three years, we learn that of the boys who received instruction in trades, 22 per cent. from Alipore and 25 per cent. from Hazaribagh adhere to these trades for their livelihood after their release.

CHAPTER IV.

SYSTEMS OF APPRENTICESHIP.

Apprenticeships in railway and other workshops.

Mr. Collin pointed out in paragraph 58 of his Report that whereas a number of handicraftsmen of all sorts was being trained in railway workshops, mills and private firms in Calcutta, yet this training did not reach the educated classes in India, who are required as supervisors and foremen; and that the latter were in most cases imported. In paragraph 61 he further pointed out that proprietors were alive to the advantages of having a local supply of trained youths ready to take the place of foremen, but that they preferred the imported Europeans. I gather that the opinions of employers are now not so rigid, and that the educated youths are now showing a willingness to join as apprentices if they had the opportunities. A youth of good family and good education has informed me that he was willing to indenture himself with Messrs. Burn & Co, but that his guardians disallowed his request. On the other hand I recommended another youth of similar qualifications who seemed to have an aptitude for mechanics to join the motor workshops of Messrs. Kilburn & Co., and he is now earning as a mechanic in private employment five times as much as he would have earned in the clerical line in which I found him. The Superintendent of the East Indian Railway Locomotive Workshop at Jamalpore, Mr. Tomyns Browne, informs me that he is in favour of indentured apprentices and that he would like to see that Government should insist, wherever it was able to do so, that workshops should entertain at least a certain fixed percentage of indentured apprentices to their entire mechanical staff. In the Carriage and Wagon Department of the East Indian Railway at Lillooah I found that out of the 33 apprentices in the workshops, 17 were young Bengalis, nearly all of whom were Brahmins, and some of whom were sons of professional men. The Superintendent, Mr. Danby, is taking a great interest in them, by periodical examinations to test progress and otherwise. His rules of 24th September 1907 should be studied by parents and guardians. The Entrance Examination is the minimum qualification. The Chief Mechanical Engineer

of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Mr. A. S. Bailey informs me that the Company is ready to engage Indian apprentices. Under the Bengal-Nagpur Railway system the legal guardian of the apprentice is expected to execute an agreement of indemnity in case the apprentice in any way misconducts himself or leaves its service without permission. The Eastern Bengal State Railway issued in 1907 rules for the appointments of literate Indian apprentices. The minimum qualification is the second class of a higher English school, but preference, it was stated, would be given to those who possess higher educational qualifications. The Superintendent of the Samastipur Workshop of the Bengal and North-Western Railway informs me that he is unable to recruit Indians as apprentices, although he has frequently tried to persuade the youths of the middle class to take up mechanical engineering as a profession. Mr. Collin also proposed that each of the Railway workshops should take in a number of apprentices, and I repeat this recommendation for all the workshops over which Government has any control. At present the Calcutta Technical School gives theoretical instruction to a number of apprentices working with Messrs. Burn & Co., Jessop & Co., and others. And attendance at this night school is one of the conditions of apprenticeship in the case of certain Calcutta firms. The Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company and the East Indian Railway Company also insist on attendance at their night schools as one of the conditions of apprenticeship. Mr. Collin stated in his paragraph 59 that private firms did not hold a favourable opinion of the passed students of the Sibpur Engineering College as mechanical engineers. The same unfavourable opinion I find still exists, but the training in mechanical engineering at the college has advanced considerably within the last 18 years, and it is possible that the attitude of the students themselves to mechanical engineering as a profession is altering. But even so the practical training which can be given in a commercial workshop must be superior to that given in an academical institution in the case of those who desire to be master mechanics. I can only urge that guardians or others should allow and encourage young men of the country to make use of the opportunities which even now exist for apprenticeship in mechanical engineering.

CHAPTER V.

TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIPS.

SECTION I.—STATE SCHOLARSHIPS.

Proposals of 1901.

PROPOSALS for the institution of State technical scholarships was one of the results of the Simla Educational Conference of 1901. It was proposed that selected candidates should be sent abroad to undertake definite courses of studies in subjects connected with industrial science and research, and that an allowance of one hundred pounds a year in addition to travelling expenses and fees should be granted for two years on an average. The Government of India proposed that two such scholarships should be allotted to Bengal. Local Governments were to be asked to consider what industries were of importance and which should be best encouraged by scholarships, particularly such industries in which native capital and native enterprise were likely to be engaged. It was added that it should be borne in mind that men who have received an expensive European training could be employed only upon such industries as were susceptible of being organized upon a considerable scale. The principles of the scheme met with the approval of the Secretary of State, and the proposed amount of the scholarship was subsequently fixed at one hundred and fifty pounds a year. It was suggested to the Government of Bengal that the mining industry would find a favourable field for the initiation of the experiment. The scheme was put in force in 1904, and eleven State scholars in mining engineering were selected in that year and in the three subsequent years,

and sent to Birmingham in England. Of these three have returned: Mr. H. C. Read is Manager of the Bhaskajari Colliery; Mr. S. C. De is unemployed as, for an apparent technical reason, he has not yet obtained an Indian certificate of competency; and Mr. P. K. Mazumdar joined the bar and gave up mining engineering, whereby the object of his selection by Government was nullified. At the end of 1907 it was determined to offer from 1908 and onwards one scholarship annually to each province. In calling for applications the principles summarised below were enunciated:—

Rules for future selection.

(*a*) That the students must have a competent knowledge of English or of the language of the country to which they may be sent.

(*b*) That Government will also be guided by considerations of the capacity and intelligence of applicants and of the practical interest shown by them in the industries selected, as also of the assurance which they may afford that they will continue to devote themselves to the industries selected on their return in India.

(*c*) That a scholar before being nominated should have received the best technical education available in the province in the particular industry which he proposes to study.

(*d*) That no age-limit would be fixed for the present.

The representatives of the mercantile and industrial communities were consulted as to the industry which should be primarily encouraged. The Government of Bengal decided in accordance with the opinion of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce that for the present at any rate the coal mining industry should be encouraged and after that the manufacture of leather. The 1908 scholarship has been allotted for the former, and an extra scholarship has been given for the latter industry. The opinions of those consulted varied considerably and included suggestions for the encouragement of power-loom weaving, sheet metal work, mechanical engineering, glass manufacture, chemical industries, paper and match manufacture. The letter of the Government of India of the 9th October 1902, presents a full consideration of the principles to be followed in the grant of such State technical scholarships and should be perused by those who think that Government is not doing enough in this direction.

The difficulty which Government have had in selecting candidates may be judged from the criticism of Mr. Chatterton, the Director of Technical Enquiries in Madras who stated that he had to reject all the applicants in 1905, because they were not in the least fitted to receive technical education. Most, he said, were carried away with the impression that they could spend a period of two years in an English country at the expense of Government on a stipend of a hundred and fifty pounds a year.

It is interesting in this connection to see what has been done in other provinces; for the current year 1908, the subjects selected have been:—

Madras	...	...	...	Textile chemistry.
Punjab	...	...	...	Textiles.
Bombay	...	...	...	(1) Chemistry of bleaching, dyeing and printing. (2) Mechanical and electrical engineering.

Section II.—Private Scholarships.

Schemes in Madras, Bombay and Bihar.

Within the last three years there has been a movement in all the provinces to enable students to proceed abroad to receive practical training in various industries. The National Fund and Industrial Association of Madras sent students to Japan for training in soap-making, match-making and other industries. In Bombay in the present year an Association called the Indian Industrial Development Scheme has been registered under Act XXI of 1860, for the purpose amongst others of sending Indian youths of promise abroad to complete their industrial training. In Bihar an

association for the educational and industrial advancement of the Biharis is in process of formation, one of the objects of which, it is understood, will be the provision of increased facilities to the youths of Bihar for receiving technical education in foreign countries, as well as in India; but nothing tangible has been done yet.

Scheme of the Scientific Association in Bengal.

The most ambitious scheme has, however, been launched in the province of Bengal. In 1904 the association entitled the Association for the Advancement of Scientific and Industrial Education of Indians was established. It receives pecuniary support from a large number of the leading men in Bengal, and is not without European subscribers. Under the articles of constitution one of the primary objects was to raise funds for the purpose of enabling properly qualified students to visit Europe, America, Japan and other countries for studying arts and industries. The association have sent abroad 16 students in 1905, and 40 in 1906. In 1907, 96 were selected and 79 in 1908. Scholarships were not given in all cases; in some cases the passage money and fees only. The following is an analysis of the subjects of study in the case of 82 who have proceeded abroad:—

Electrical engineering	6
Applied chemistry	5
Mechanical engineering	12
Pharmacy	2
Dyeing	4
Leather tanning	7
Agriculture	12
Ceramics	2
Cotton weaving	4
Hosiery	1
Sericulture	5
Match making	2
Pencil making	6
Soap manufacture	2
Printing ink manufacture	1
Button manufacture	2
Tobacco manufacture	1
Rubber manufacture	2
Dentistry	1
Enamelling	1
Watch making	1
Horticulture	1
Umbrella making	2

This variety of selection is interesting, as it shows the industries which Indian opinion thinks can be capable of local development.

Present employment of former stipend-holders.

It is also interesting to study the subsequent histories of the fifteen stipend-holders who have returned to India:—

Mr. K. C. Nandi, B.A., B.E., studied electrical engineering under Messrs. Telford, Grier and Mackay in England. It is unfortunate that he has not been able to put his special training to any account as he is now the District Engineer of Bogra.

Mr. G. C. Sen, M.A., B.L., F.C.S., returned after a training in dyeing in Leeds and in Germany. He proposed to work with a new joint-stock firm called the Bengal Dye Works, Limited, with a capital of one lakh. It was proposed to use up-to-date methods, employing indigenous materials. But the negotiations fell through, as some members of the syndicate wished to work the dye works as a branch of the Bengal Lakshmi Cotton Mills. This is unfortunate, as the commercial prospects of indigenous manufacture of dyed materials seem to be very hopeful. Mr. G. C. Sen is still without employment.

Mr. B. A. Taher, B.A., studied leather tanning and manufacturing in America. He has been appointed under the Boot and Equipment Company at Agra in the United Provinces. This took over the old Steuart Factory at Agra. Most of the Directors are connected with Bengal.

Mr. I. B. D. Mazumdar, B.A., M.SC., after studying agriculture at Cornell University has been appointed Agricultural Director of the Cooch Behar State.

Mr. M. C. Roy studied sericulture in Japan and is seeking for employment.

Mr. M. M. Chuckerbutty also studied sericulture in Japan and is seeking for employment.

Mr. A. P Ghose and Mr. P. C. Roy studied the manufacture of matches in Japan and are at present employed in the Bande Mataram Match Factory, of 38 Russa Road, Calcutta, which is financed chiefly by Dr. Rash Behari Ghosh

Kumar Amindra Narayan studied pencil making in Japan, and is now employed at Bimlipatam near Vizagapatam in the Madras Presidency.

Mr. J. P. Bose studied the manufacture of printing ink in Japan, and is now employed in Calcutta.

Mr. N. Mazumdar studied candle manufacture in Japan, and is now managing a candle factory in Dinajpur.

Mr. M. C. Sen studied button manufacture in Japan, but is no yet employed.

Mr. A. Mitter studied pencil manufacture in Japan, and proposes to start for himself.

Mr. J. K. Das Gupta, B.SC., M. I. C. E., studied mechanical engineering in Scotland, but is not yet employed.

Mr. S. Deb studied ceramics at Tokyo in Japan, and is now working as Works Manager of the Calcutta Porcelain Works, 45 Tangra Road, Calcutta.

The Association has on the whole reason to congratulate itself on these results. The *Pioneer* in reference to it has said that when *sradeshi*, divorced from recrimination and violence, spells sympathy and cooperation, it is one of the fairest flowers of Indian growth. It is essential, however, that stipend-holders should obtain genuine industrial employment on their return, each in his own special subject. The criticism has been made to me by competent observers that, as most of the stipend-holders have no large private means of their own, the scholarships should be larger and the funds available distributed amongst a smaller number. It is to be noted that of the 79 candidates selected for the present year, no fewer than 44 come from the Eastern Province. I think that the Association would be well advised in demanding that those who proceed to specialise should have a sound general education and that their knowledge of English should be more than passable.

Advantages and dangers.

The Association may well hope that the experience of the great Indian chemist, Dr. P. C. Roy, during a visit to Europe may not be repeated. He has stated that out of 250 Indians whom he met in England not a single one was devoting himself to the sciences or the technical arts. There is one incidental advantage which students who study abroad derive, and that is that the self-reliance and business habits which they are likely to acquire by their sojourn will stand them in good stead when they have to enter commercial life on their return to India. On the other hand, there is disquieting information regarding the pernicious influences to which Indian students are subjected, both in England and in America.

Scheme of the Guruprasanna Ghose scholarships.

The other important private scholarships in Bengal are those to be maintained out of the Guruprasanna Ghose's legacy of two and-a-half lakhs which was announced at the Convocation of the Calcutta University in March 1908. The scheme that has been approved is that each scholarship should be tenable for three years, that one selection should be made annually, and that the annual value be two thousand rupees

in Europe or America and one thousand rupees in Japan. Preference is to be given to Hindus. No particular industry has been prescribed, but each candidate is to set forth in detail the institution in which he proposes to study as also the particular branch of agriculture or the arts, science and industry of Europe, America or the East in which he desires to specialise.

District Board scholarships.

The total annual expenditure in the whole province by District Boards and Municipalities on scholarships in technical and industrial schools is less than Rs. 5,000—Rs. 177 from Municipalities and Rs. 4,794 from District Boards. The Nadia District Board assist some pupils of Hât Chapra School at the Kanchrapara workshops. The Jessore District Board gives scholarships tenable at the Apprentice Department, Sibpur, and at the Technical School, Khulna. The Burdwan Raj gives stipends tenable at the Burdwan Technical School. At the Bihar School of Engineering are scholarships granted by the Bihar District Boards—Patna, seven of Rs. 5; Gaya, two of Rs. 7; Shahabad, four of Rs. 5; Saran, eight of Rs. 7; Champaran and Muzaffarpur, two of Rs. 5; and Darbhanga, two of Rs. 10. Patna Municipality gives also two of Rs. 5. The District Board of Ranchi gives scholarships at the Ranchi Industrial School, at the Sibpur College and at the Kalimpong Lace School. The District Board of Cuttack gives a scholarship of Rs. 30 at Sibpur College, and one of Rs. 10 at the Calcutta School of Art.

CHAPTER VI.

CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS.

Progressive expenditure.

INDIVIDUAL institutions have been considered; it now remains to sum up for the province. The distinction between technical and industrial institutions though possibly considered one of convention, should be retained. I first show statistics of the annual expenditure at different periods from which it will appear that the outlay on specialised education has been greater than is generally supposed.

INSTITUTIONS.	Years.	CONTRIBUTIONS FROM			
		Government.	District Boards.	Municipalities.	Private sources, including fees.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Sibpur Civil Engineering College.	1890-91	60,888	...	...	11,499
	1900-01	126,509	...	...	26,255
	1905-06	129,249	...	...	28,667
	1906-07	182,521	...	...	29,198
Government School of Art ...	1890-91	26,292	...	...	4,081
	1900-01	34,707	...	...	10,625
	1905-06	59,508	...	...	19,139
	1906-07	35,710	...	100	19,207
Engineering and Survey schools	1890-91	6,259	...	...	4,081
	1900-01	39,066	...	...	8,832
	1905-06	33,066*	...	...	6,286*
	1906-07	36,327*	...	...	8,580*
Industrial schools ...	1890-91	2,971	2,814	476	7,218
	1900-01	5,415	18,265	384	30,144
	1905-06	7,954*	9,745*	814*	21,480*
	1906-07	12,231*	9,655*	364*	33,947*

* Excluding expenditure in the Eastern Bengal Province.

Changes in general education.

Now Government can, in the words of the Government of India resolution of the 28th June 1888, support technical education as an extension of general education

it can also promote and countenance technical education of a special character. For the former object, the compulsory teaching of drawing was introduced in Bengal in 1891 and 1901; and besides the University of Calcutta will have from 1909 for science students an Intermediate Science Examination corresponding to the First Examination in Arts, which has been divided into an Intermediate Examination in Arts and an Intermediate Examination in Science. Chapter XXVII of the Regulations of the University and section 21 of the Indian Universities Act show what measures have been taken to promote the improvement of the opportunities for practical study in chemistry and physics. As for education of a special character, it has been shown that the policy from 1891 has chiefly been to maintain the efficiency of the central institutions; the Engineering College and the School of Art. Let us see first what are the requirements of the province.

The requirements of Bengal.

Men are required: (1) as managers, engineers, subordinates, draftsmen, surveyors, mechanics, estimators in the various forms of engineering—civil, mechanical, electrical and mining engineering—in Government and private employment. Men are also required: (2) as foreman overseers and managers in organized industries in Bengal, such as matches, soap, leather, etc, financed by the small capitalist. Now from the large literature—English, American and European—on the subject, I find that the leading principle is that each place must make arrangements to suit its own needs. The following are, I think, the requirements of Bengal:—

Engineering college.

(1) An engineering college proper, to teach civil, mechanical, electrical, mining and sanitary engineering. This should be Sibpur College in its present form, with the improvements which its enthusiastic Principal has suggested, though not on its present site. It has, I understand, been settled that the college will be removed to Ranchi.

Technological institute.

(2) A technological institute, the nucleus of which should be the industrial and chemistry classes, which it has been proposed will be started at Sibpur. This institute should be in Calcutta itself and should be affiliated with the classes in chemistry and physics at the Presidency College, and with the textile instruction at the new Serampur Weaving Institute. The syllabus should be the same as that provided at the Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute at Bombay, or at the University of Leeds, in what is known as technical chemistry and should embrace the chemistry of leather and tanning, of the manufacture of commercial chemicals, and the chemistry of the processes required in the dyeing and printing of textiles, and in the manufacture of dyes, perfumes, soap, ceramics, varnishes and paints. The subject, however, has not yet been fully worked out in Bengal. The duplication of departments has to be avoided, and it has to be considered whether an institute for technology should be developed apart from, or in conjunction with, the Presidency College, where pure science as opposed to applied science is taught.

School of Art.

(3) So far for engineering and industrial chemistry; there is also required a central school of design. Mr. Collin proposed a school of drawing and design, for industrial purposes and the circulation of designs amongst native workmen. I do not propose a separate school of design, but recommend that the School of Art be brought more in touch with the industrial art of the province (its influence at present on indigenous art is imponderable), by the influence of the Principal, by the transfer of the Industrial Art Section of the Indian Museum to the School of Art, and by carrying out the proposals of the 1905 conference of the Principals of Schools of Art in preparing and circulating design books for workmen. On account of the fact that Calcutta must maintain an Imperial Museum for all India, the establishment of a separate Bengal provincial museum of industrial art, similar to those in Lahore, Lucknow and Madras, has been vetoed; but there is no reason why the Bengal School of Art should not fulfil the same function.

As for the technical institutions, including classes affiliated to Sibpur, I advocate the following:—

Affiliated technical institutions.

(1) The Cuttack Survey School should be made into a school of engineering up to the sub-overseer standard; the amin's certificate given after one year's training should be abolished and only a surveyor's certificate given after the final survey

standard examination at the end of a two years' course. There is no reason why at Cuttack an inefficient type of Bengali sub-overseers should be turned out as is done at present.

(2) The Bihar School of Engineering which at present teaches to the overseer standard, should be allowed to give practical instruction, so that the certificate of the qualification of upper subordinate could be granted; moreover, the amin's certificate should be abolished, and only a surveyor's certificate should be given after a two years' course in surveying.

(3) The Technical Schools at Midnapore and Burdwan should leave artisans alone, and should train youths up to the sub-overseer standard of Sibpur, on the condition that the passing of the Entrance Examination be the minimum qualification in general education.

(4) My own feeling is that the system of bifurcation known as B classes should be dropped entirely. It is stated in Mr. Hornell's report (page 102) to be a failure in Bengal. The object of Government in giving a "taste for an industrial career" is frustrated by the parents or guardians. All that happens at present is that boys join them for the same object as others join the sub-overseer classes, hoping to obtain the same qualification ultimately with a smaller stock of brains. This affects the classes at Patna, Bhagalpur, Ranchi, Midnapore, Burdwan and Khulna.

(5) On the other hand, I propose that the B class of Bhagalpur, the arrangements for which are almost a farce in connection with the zillah school, be changed into a proper technical school, teaching to the sub-overseer standard, and be financed and managed by Government instead of by the District Board. It should be a model school.

(6) Among the unaffiliated technical schools are those managed by the railway companies, and the Calcutta Technical School. The latter has a niche of its own in the framework of technical education. As a night school for those who are apprentices in factories in or near Calcutta, it should be assisted. Among railways the theoretical training of apprentices, who are to be the future foremen and heads of departments, is recognized. The State Railway Workshop at Kanchrapara was specifically mentioned in 1890 by Mr. Collin; but no system similar to that at Kharagpur, Lillooah or Jamalpur is yet in existence there. The best scheme, in my opinion, is that at Lillooah: it recognizes that the theoretical training should not be given at night after recognized working hours, but should be given within the Railway Company's hours. Two hours, twice a week in the mornings, do not interfere much with workshop practice. The syllabus at these three railway centres is fairly uniform and gives what is wanted.

(7) The other important private technical institutions are the Bengal Technical Institute and the technical department of the Bengal National College. The former at present does not desire affiliation, and independence is part of the creed of the latter. There is quite enough room for the Bengal Technical Institute; it should be placed by its supporters on a sound financial foundation. It is at present a composite institution for instruction in engineering and chemistry, and does not furnish the same temptation to the Bengali youth to aspire to service as sub-overseers or overseers under Government or *quasi*-Government departments, as the Government college does, and therefore it opens out a direct avenue to industrial employment.

Industrial schools.

The future of industrial schools is a difficult problem. As has been indicated in the first chapter, an industrial school is one dealing with the improvement of the artisan. There is: (1) the school for centralized industries growing in importance, and (2) the school in large stations and municipal towns, where there is a demand, which will repay those who acquire in local industrial schools superior skill (Government of India Resolution of 1888); there is also, (3) the school proposed for local handicrafts, half-time primary and half-time industrial, with apprenticeship under approved artisans (Government of India Resolution of 1903). It has been shown in the Summary in Chapter I that the proceedings of the Bengal Government of 1904 ended in the scheme for the improvement of weaving in Bengal. The committee of 1904 resolved to take no action

regarding large manufacturing centres and did not press the system of half-time schools. In only two divisions has any attempt been made to put that system into practice: in Chota Nagpur, principally in the Hazaribagh district by Mr. Radice, who was a member of the Industrial Education Committee and is now the Deputy Commissioner; and in Patna division, where the only outcome of a prolonged discussion was the subsidizing of an existing school attached to a railway workshop. It seems to me that there is room for each kind of school in different localities; and that it is inexpedient to dogmatise about the comparative merits of the "class" system or the "apprentice" system.

Misconceptions concerning Industrial Education.

Let me first clear away some misconceptions. One is that manual instruction is industrial education. I am afraid that many in Bengal, both pupils and teachers entertain this belief. Manual education is now-a-days held in Europe to be part of a liberal education; it is the training of the hand and eye. One of the objects of the free use of manual instruction through the curriculum of the Bengal National College is to overcome the traditional prejudice amongst certain classes against manual labour. Manual instruction is used in certain Missionary schools in the hope, not always realized, that the boys, who do not belong to the artisan castes, will earn a living afterwards in a handicraft. But in neither case is it really industrial education. Another misconception exists as to the principles and objects of the half-time system; notwithstanding the fact that the Government of India in 1901 said that they attached great value to the dissociation of technical from ordinary literary education. Another misconception is that it is assumed that the employers of subordinate Indian labour are satisfied with manual dexterity in their journeymen. It is a fact, I find, that many employers have not given special attention to the improvement of the intelligence of their journeymen, but many have stated to me that a journeyman who could work the first four rules of arithmetic in English figures and who could make and understand simple drawings would be a more useful workman than one who has not this knowledge. Paragraph 66 of Mr. Collin's report shows that in 1890 employers, while admitting the benefits of a course of theoretical training, did not appear to have felt the absence of it, that they looked for practical training only, and were satisfied if they obtained that. But since 1890 a change has come across the attitude of employers in Europe.

Schools for centralised industries.

(1) As for the school attached to a centralised industry, the best example in the province is the Beniadih School of the East Indian Railway Colliery Workshops which have been described in section II of Chapter III. Literary education is kept apart, as the upper primary standard is the qualification for admission. It realises what the Indian Government said in 1888:—"To the Government railway workshops and factories may undoubtedly with great advantage be attached schools of drawing and design and of practical instruction in the scientific principles of the handicrafts there carried on." Now at Beniadih mechanical drawing is taught, and also simple mechanics and mensuration. It has just received the unqualified approval of the newly-appointed Chief Inspector of Mines, Mr. J. Wilson.

The advantages are—

(i) a commercial atmosphere;

(ii) teaching and discipline under European control; and

(iii) an assured livelihood.

I have asked the superintendents of the large workshops of the Bengal Iron and Steel Works at Barakar, of the East Indian Railway Carriage and Wagon Works at Lillooah, and of the Canal Workshops of the Public Works Department at Dehri-on-Sone and at Midnapore to consider this. The young artisan gets a small money-wage in proportion to his skill. In the words of paragraph 10 of the Resolution of 1904, it is necessary to enlist the active co-operation of employers of labour: the principle applies to the training of journeymen, as well as to the training of apprentices of the foreman type. My proposal for this co-operation is that, if a large employer of labour will maintain a school attached to his workshop, on the lines of the Beniadih school,

Government should assist by paying for the teacher up to Rs. 60 a month. The principle that under certain conditions Government would pay for a teacher was enunciated in Government Order No. 2584 of the 30th July 1904 in connection with the Khulna school. If we had a provincial inspector of industrial schools, he would, I am sure, have several such schools in working order. At present the Beniadih school suffers from unnecessary inspection by subordinate eductional officers, who do not understand its object. I think that no industrial school should be inspected by an officer under the status of an Inspector of Schools, and possibly in time such schools may cease altogether to be under the Education Department.

Schools in large towns.

(2) The next kind of school is an industrial school in large stations and municipal towns, where there is a demand which will repay those who acquire superior skill. In Bengal such schools have sprung up under no system. Apart from Missionary schools, for example, those at Hutchapra, Chaibassa and Ballygaunj, which supply a demand for good material, but unfortunately not a demand from the Indian community, there is no genuine school of this kind in the province, except that at Khulna. The Khulna school is miscalled a technical school. It gives an improved knowledge of carpentry to boys of the artisan castes, and its chief defect is that the boys leave to earn their livelihood before they have learnt enough, partly owing to proverty, partly owing to short-sighted policy on the part of their parents. Outside the metropolitan area and away from the vicinity of large workshops, it is not possible to have the commercial atmosphere. But the next best thing is that the work to be taught should be that kind for which there is a remunerative local demand, if it be done well. Some officers desire a graduated syllabus for this form of instruction. It is acknowledged that a training of three or four years is required, and something definite for each year is demanded by the non-expert inspecting officer. In my opinion a too elaborate syllabus defeats its own object. Mr. Ward, the Superintendent of the East Indian Collieries says that to ask a boy to attend to fires in a blacksmith shop for a whole year is to damp any spark of enthusiasm the boy may have, while Mr. Heaton, the Principal of Sibpur, says that the best training is to make the boys proceed from simple articles to more difficult articles, and that it is impracticable to ask a boy to spend a whole year on one operation such as planing. In this connection I note that it is impossible to give practical training of any value, unless articles are made which are meant to be sold, otherwise boys will leave with knowledge neither of the cost of materials nor of market rates. I have not yet come across any institution in which progressive and methodical training was sacrified to the necessity of showing a profit, as the Government Resolution of 1903 foretodel. In fact either from want of business methods, or from the fear of the above imputation, the work is all the other way; as commercial undertakings, the schools are carried on at a loss. The theory that industrial schools should be primarily educational and not commercial enterprises is accepted without cavil; and has no objectors; but it was never intended to mean that nothing must be produced for sale. In fact the Resolution of 1903 has recorded that it is wholesome that schools should be brought to the test of producing saleable articles.

In this class of school, the pupils cannot afford to pay fees: they have to be supported either by a Mission or some local body. I think the industrial section of the Khulna school under the Khulna District Board is a good example for imitation. The conditions should be: (*a*) the pupil should be of the artisan caste; (*b*) no literary education should be given: the pupils should have reached the lower primary standard, and in the more advanced districts the upper primary standard, but simple mensuration and drawing should be taught; (*c*) Government should provide the salary of a teacher-superintendant, or preferably a passed foreman mechanic, up to Rs. 60; (*d*) the pupil should be maintained by progressive stipends at Rs. 1, 2, 3, and 4, per month respectively in each of the four years; (*e*) to prevent pupils leaving too soon, they should receive at the end of the period, but not before, a certificate of competency, and in cash the total of the credits which should be placed opposite their names, month by month, in accordance with their work; and (*f*) in all cases the District Engineer should be a member of the board of management.

I think that if Government paid for the teacher, as proposed above, other District Boards would start similar schools for carpentry and blacksmithy work. The Government School at Ranchi should be worked on the conditions above mentioned. A similar Government school at Muzaffarpore should be started; and the District Boards of Cuttack, Gaya and Champaran should start similar schools for carpentry alone at Cuttack, Gaya and Bettiah, and the District Board of Birbhum at Suri for blacksmithy.

Half-time industrial primary schools.

(3) The half-time industrial primary school was suggested as a type for the whole of India, in the hope that a "practical beginning" might be made. Although I think that some little good has been done in the attempts made in the Chota Nagpur areas, yet it must be admitted that Bengal is one province, at least, in which the attempt to add literary to a practical education will fail. To add practical to a literary education is another matter; this is being done. The proposal is "that the boys should spend half the day at the primary school, and the other half on working as registered apprentices under approved artisans, who would receive a monetary reward for each apprentice on the conditions: (*i*) that they taught them the trade thoroughly, and not merely the elementary processes; (*ii*) that they accepted supervision from a Government expert", while at the same time "scholarships for all the pupils would be provided." The crux is to find the approved artisan The artisan selected in many places is no better than the bazar *mistri*, and officers complain that money is being uselessly spent in pretending to teach just as much as would be learnt without any Government or District Board scheme. If a good local artisan teacher can be obtained, if some of the ex-pupils of the Ranchi school can be tempted to be teachers in those local schools and make the teaching a reality, then some good may be effected; but I should like to see the money of the local District Boards granted for scholarships only in places where these conditions prevail. Elsewhere, as so many have said, the large workshops of Bengal are the real industrial schools, and in this province the dissociation of technical from literary training mentioned in Sir John Hewett's letter of 1901, should be recognised. The chief advance which should be made should be in making all reasonably possible use of such workshops and in obtaining the co-operation of the employers. And this can be effectively done rather by one officer, such as the proposed Superintendent of Industries, who can act personally, than by a department through correspondence.

Subsidies to private schools.

As will be seen in Appendix II, there are several private schools, either philanthropic or Missionary, which provide a training in a handicraft. My advice to them has been that the chief test of their efficiency is whether the ex-pupils keep up as a means of livelihood the crafts which they have learnt. Applications come from these schools for assistance; and the schools are treated as special schools under rule 17 of the Grant-in-aid Rules. The criterion of these schools is not a literary one; and in the past the Director has frequently had to apply to the Principal of Sibpur College for his expert opinion. There is also in the Department no separate grant for the aid of industrial schools; all grants are debited to the Grant-in-aid Fund, on which there are already heavy claims. It would be more satisfactory in order to avoid delay and circumlocution, if the new Inspector of Industrial Schools received a lump grant, similar to that given to the Inspector of European Schools, and distributed it in accordance with the results of his personal inspections. It is in accordance with the declared policy of Government to assist such institutions when they further or develop a local industry when it appears to be capable of expansion by the application of superior methods and implements.

It must be recollected that the advance movement in England dates from 1884, only twenty-four years ago; and that much of the expenditure in that country has not come from the public exchequer, but from local bodies (Report on Technical Education in Great Britain, Chapter VIII of Report of the United States Commissioner of Labour, 1902); that in America the advance was due, in a great measure, to private benefactions, with "a great variety of organization and practice and a marked impression of the personal element" (Address of Sir William Preece on Technical Education in America, *Journal of the Society of Arts*, 10th April 1908); and

that in Germany the advance was due in some measure to the education and opportunities for research study provided by the Universities (Industrial Education, by Sir Philip Magnus, 1888, page 215). But in India generally, and in Bengal particularly, the circumstances are different. It is Government from whom the initiative is expected, and the Government purse from which funds are provided. That being so, it is sound that expenditure by Government should primarily be on the central institutions; and secondarily in co-operation with the large industrial concerns in the improvement of apprentices and journeymen. On the other hand, I doubt very much whether a complete system of village industrial schools is either practicable or desirable throughout all the divisions of Bengal, but any industrial schools which are under private management should be encouraged, if they pass the test of producing intelligent artisans, who will follow the trades which are taught to them.

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APPENDIX I.

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APPENDIX II.

Technical and Industrial Institutions in Bengal, arranged Geographically.

Name.	Date of foundation.	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.						Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary teaching, if any.	Details of expenditure.	Amount contributed by—				Remarks.
				Engineer.	Overseer grade.	Sub-Overseer grade.	Amin.	Artisan.	Total.				Private source.	District Board.	Government.	Total.	
Provincial Engineering College.													Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
il Engineering College, ibpur.	1856	Sibpur, Howrah district.	Civil, Mechanical, Electrical, Mining and Sanitary Engineering.	100	90	38+92=130	...	22	342	Yes	.....	... ..	20,208	.....	1,82,521	2,11,729	Excluding Agricultural Departments.
Schools of Art in Calcutta.																	
ernment School of Art	1864	29, Chowringhee Road.	1. Drawing ... ... 2. Modelling. 3. Lithography. 4. Engraving.	...	...	.....	...	...	229	Elementary, architectural and mechanical drawing.	Nil	.....	5,969	.....	17,222	23,191	
an Art School ...	1896	13, Wellington Street.	1. Music. 2. Painting. 3. Photography. 4. Engraving. 5. Lithography. 6. Printing. 7. Drawing.	...	...	.....	...	...	97	Free-hand drawing, etc.	Nil	.....	3,390	... ..	...	3,690	Includes grant from the Calcutta Municipality, Rs. 100.
lee Art Academy ...	1897	92, Bowbazar Street.	1. Printing. 2. Modelling. 3. Sculpture. 4. Photography. 5. Electro-plating.	...	...	.....	...	...	125	Free-hand and model drawing.	Nil	... .	6,360	.....	...	6,360	
t Temple of Science	1875	337, Upper Chitpore Road.	1. Engraving. 2. Lithography. 3. Modelling. 4. Painting.	...	...	.....	...	...	41	Model drawing... ...	Nil	.....	2,112	.....	...	2,112	

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

istrict.	Name.	Date of foundation.	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.			Total.	Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary teaching, if any.	Details o expenditure.	Amount contributed by—				Remarks.
					Sub-Overseer grade	Amins.	Artisans.					Private source.	District Board.	Govern-ment.	Total.	
											Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
rganas ...	Kaurapukur London Missionary Society Industrial School.	1896	Kaurapukur, Tollyganj.	Carpentry and duri-weaving.	...	...	13	13	.....	Lower Primary Course (Night School).	(1) Pay of Establishment ... 116 (2) Head Mistri 21 (3) Other Mistris and sewers ... 110 (4) Materials ... 224 (5) Tools 9 480	460	.....	40	500	Director of Public Instruction's No. 13594, dated the 15th July 1907.
	Church of England Widows' Industrial Home.	1891	Baranagar ...	Setting of loom, washing and dyeing wool and embroidery, yarn making, chutney and curry powder making.	...	...	...	35	No	Simple reading and writing is taught for an hour.	Head Mistress ... 55 2nd ,, ... 15 3rd ,, ... 15 4th ,, ... 10 Head Mate teacher 16 Second ditto 15 Cost of maintaining pupils in boarding ... 234 Monthly ... 360	3,940	.....	480	4,320	Director of Public Instruction's No. 13071, dated the 20th July 1907.
	Church of England Orphan Boys' Industrial School.	1903	Ditto	Brass moulding, Turning, fitting, Engineering and lock work.	...	..	...	20	Yes	English, Bengali, Arithmetic (Lower Primary Course).	Rs. A. Head Master ... 20 0 2nd ,, ... 10 0 3rd ,, ... 9 0 Turner ... 8 0 Coolie ,, ... 10 0 Head Pandit (Night School). 10 0 2nd Pandit (Night School) ... 3 0 3rd Pandit (Night School) ... ... 4 0 Rent ... ... 4 0 Dhobi and Cook 16 8 Boys' Boarding 66 0 Monthly ... 162 8	1,590	.....	360	1,950	Director of Public Instruction's No. 11578, dated the 29th June 1906.
itta ...	Alipore Reformatory	1878	Alipore	Carpentry, tin-work, Printing, cane-work, sewing.	...	...	..	203	Yes	Lower Primary Course	.....	2,755	.....	31,663	34,418	
	Calcutta Orphanage Technical School.	... ...	12-1, Balaram Ghose's Street, Shambazar.	(1) Carpentry... ... (2) Tailoring.	...	...	...	26	Free-hand drawing.	Lower Primary Course, Bengali.	Rs. Masters' salary ... 310 Miscellaneous ... 42 Students' boarding charges 125 486	126	.....	360	486	Government order No. 971, dated the 20th February 1905.
	Oxford Mission Industrial School.	1886	1, Ballygunge, Calcutta.	(1) Carpentry... ... (2) Smithery. (3) Weaving.	...	...	...	59	Free-hand model and mechanical.	Up to 3rd class standard of a High School.	Salary of Master and assistant ... 2,400 Tools, etc., ... 180 2,580	2,220	.....	360	2,580	Director of Public Instruction's No. 5841, dated the 30th April 1906.
	Muhammadan Orphanage Industrial School.	1892	8, Syed Saleh Lane.	(1) Tailoring ... ... (2) Printing and Lithography. (3) Embroidery and Wool-work. (4) Sewing (girls).	...	...	...	80	.....	Urdu, Persian, Elementery English and Arithmetic.	.....	6,300	....	600	7,500	Includes grant from the Calcutta Municipality, Rs. 600. Director of Public Instruction's No. 20651, dated the 12th November 1907.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION—(*continued*).

District.	Name.	Date of foundation.	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.				Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary teaching, if any.	Details of expenditure.	Amount contributed by—				Remarks.
					Sub-Overseer grade.	Amins	Artisans.	Total.				Private source.	District Board.	Government.	Total.	
...cutta ...	Anjuman-i-Rafiq-ul-Islam Industrial School.	1903	87, Jhowtala Road, Ballygunge.	(1) Tailoring ... ... (2) Watch-repairing.	...	...	30	30	.....	Urdu, English, Bengali and Arithmetic.	.....	Rs. 310	Rs.	Rs. 360	Rs. 720	Calcutta Municipali Rs. 50. Government or No. 273, dated 21st February 190
	Mahila Shilpasram for Females.	1906	9, Sibnaran Dass' Lane.	(1) Weaving ... ... (2) Tailoring. (3) Painting. (4) Engraving. (5) Music. (6) House-hold management.	...	...	70	70	Model and free-hand drawing.	Bengali, English and Arithmetic.	.....	3,648	.....	3,648	7,346	Calcutta Municipali Rs. 50. Director of Public struction's No. 47 dated the 12th Ma 1908.
	Industrial Home for the Blind.	1897	58, Elliot Road, Calcutta.	(1) Bamboo and cane work. (2) Chik-making, etc.	...	...	15	15	.....	Bengali, English and Arithmetic.	.....	2,400	.....	900	3,610	Calcutta Municipali Rs. 250. Director of Public struction's No. 163 dated the 30th M 1907.
	Bengal Technical Institute.	1900	92, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta.	Carpentry, Smithery, Moulding and Chemistry.	...	...	...	200	Yes	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	
	Bengal National College, Technical Department.	1906	164, Bow Bazar, Street.	Mechanical Engineering.	...	...	...	...	Yes	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	
	Labchand Motichand Jain Literary and Technical School.	1907	41, Dhurumtollah Street.	Jewellery	...	...	80	80	Free-hand drawing.	Bengali, Hindi, Sanskrit and English.	.....	...	.....	...	...	
	Calcutta Technical Night School.	1906	Doveton College	Mathematics, Drawing and Mechanics.	...	...	...	42	Yes	Nil	Rs. Establishment ... 2,150	2,050	.....	430	2,480	Director of Public struction's No. 185 dated the 4th Octo 1907.
	Railway Technical Institution.	1908	83, Dhurumtollah Street.	Electricity and Railway working.	...	...	...	..	No	Nil	.....	.....	.....	...	...	

District.	Name.	Date of foundation	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.				Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary teaching, if any.	Details of expenditure.	Amount contributed by—				
					Sub-overseer grade.	Amins.	Artisans.	Total.				Private source.	District Board.	Government.	Total.	
Nadia	Gangapur Technical Institute.	1907 ...	Gangapur	Knitting socks and stockings, and weaving of frocks and banians.	.....	.....	.....	13	No ...	English and Mathematics.	Rs. Head Master 20 Assistant ... 10 House-rent ... 1 Materials and contingencies. 15 Monthly Total ... 46	Rs. 552	Rs.	Rs. ...	Rs. 552	
	Hatchapra Church Missionary Society Industrial School.	1907 ...	Hatchapra, post-office Bengalhi.	(1) Cabinet making. (2) Carpentry. (3) Smithery and fitting.	.....	.....	..	34*	No ...	All boys attend the local upper primary night school: the older boys attend an English class daily.	The total monthly wages of the cabinet makers, mechanics, etc., amount to Rs. 350.	600	588 (Rs. 49 for scholarships per month).	...	1,188	* [31 learn cabinet making 2 smithery and 1 fitting.]
Murshidabad..	Ram Krishna Orphanage Middle English Industrial School.	1899 ...	Sargachi	(1) Carpentry ... (2) Weaving ...	.....	.....	.....	20	Yes ..	Middle English standard.	Rs. Head carpenter teacher. 22 Second teacher 15 1 Weaver ... 15 Materials and instruments. 16 Contingencies 2 Monthly Total ... 70	840	.....	...	840	
Jessore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	
Khulna ...	Coronation Technical School.	1905 ...	Khulna	Surveying and Carpentry.	.....	12	13	25	Yes ...	.....	Per annum. Rs. Contingencies ... 642 Cost of raw materials. 1,200 Stipends to pupils 336 Establishment— 1 Superintendent on Rs. 80. 960 1 Carpenter and boat builder on Rs. 30. 360 1 Assistant Carpenter on Rs. 15. 180 3 Extra carpenters 252 5 Coolies ... ... 360 Total ... 4,330	.....	3,376	960	4,336	Government order No. 2209T.—G., dated the 25th October 1904.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

District.	Name.	Date of foundation.	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.				Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary teaching, if any.	Details of Expenditure.		Amount contributed by—				Remarks.
					Sub-Overseer grade.	Amins.	Artisans.	Total.					Private source.	District Boards.	Government.	Total.	
												Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Burdwan ...	Burdwan Technical School.	1893	Burdwan ...	Carpentry and Smithery work.	47	...	2	42	Yes ...	Sub-Overseer Standard	Establishment ... 2,593 Contingencies .. 611 3,204		1,188	1,416	360	3,204	Burdwan Municipality Rs. 240. Director of Public Instruction's No. 5260, dated the 5th December 1895, and No. 5263, dated the 10th December 1895, and Government order No. 2513T.—G., dated the 24th September 1907.
	Raniganj Industrial School.	1897	Karsoli, Raniganj.	Carpentry	...	..	...	12	No	Lower Primary Standard.	Head Master ... 180 Second ,, ... 140 Teacher of Carpentry 168 Materials, etc. ... 900 1,428		1,188	...	240	1,428	Director of Public Instruction's No. 14827, dated 30th October 1906.
Bankura ...	Wesleyan Mission Middle Vernacular Technical School.	1901	Bankura ...	Carpentry, shoe-making, weaving, cane and bamboo work.	...		19	...	Yes ...	Middle Vernacular Standard.	Establishment ... 117 Contingencies ... 15 Monthly Total ... 132		...	...	600	1,584	Director of Public Instruction's No. 17550, dated the 13th December 1905.
	Koalpara Weaving School.	1907	Koalpara ...	Weaving	...	...	14	...	No ...	Nil	Establishment ... 10 Contingency 15 25		300	...	...	300	
Midnapur ...	Mairadal Raja's Technical School, Midnapur.	1885	Midnapur ...	Carpentry and smithery work.	41	...	1	42	Yes ...	Sub-Overseer Standard	Establishment ... 192 Contingent ... ... 50 Stipends .. ... 20 Extras ... ... 5 Monthly Total ... 267		1,080	1,098	600	2,778	Director of Public Instruction's No. 10824, dated the 30th May 1907.
	Kharagpur Railway Night School.	1906	Kharagpur ...	Arithmetic, Algebra, Drawing, Geometry, and Applied Mechanics.	...		...	...	Yes ...	..	.....		...	...	...	...	
Howrah ...	Lillooah Railway Technical School.	1903	Lillooa ...	Arithmetic, Algebra, Mensuration, Applied Mechanics, Linear Drawing, Projection and Mechanical Drawing.	...	...	...	38	Yes ...	... ...	Head Master ... ... 60 2nd do. 70		1,650	...	...	1,650	

PATNA DIVISION.

District.	Name.	Date of foundation.	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.					Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary training, if any.	Details of expenditure.	Amount contributed by—				Remarks.
					Overseer grade.	Sub-Overseer Grade.	Amins.	Artisans.	Total.				Private source.	District Board.	Government.	Total.	
													Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Patna	Bihar School of Engineering.	1896	Mafendra, Barkipur, Patna district.	Mathematics, Surveying, Engineering, Science, Smithery, Fitting, and Carpentry.	8	36	38	...	145	Yes	.....	.....	7,393	3,432	42,700	52,525	Patna Municipality, Rs. 128.
Gaya ...	Fakharpur Industrial School.	April 1906 ...	Fakharpur, Thana Arwal, Sub-Division Jahanabad.	Carpenter's trade	.....	...	...	...	10	... ...	Elementary Hindi	Cost of wood, tools, etc., and remuneration to mistris, and stipends to pupils at Rs. 2.	468	...	...	468	
Shahabad ...	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	... ...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	
												Rs.					
Saran ...	Dome Technical School.	1903	Mirzapur ...	Bamboo work ...	.....	...	...	...	14	Elementary Free hand Drawing.	The three R's ...	On masters ... 85 Sattu to boys ... 75 160	...	160	...	160	
Do. ...	Ditto	1903	Manjhi ...	Ditto	.....	...	...	...	15	Ditto ...	Ditto	On masters ... 180 Sattu to boys ... 85 Cost of raw materials ... 33 298	...	298	...	298	
Do. ...	Ditto	1903	Nasrakh ...	Bamboo work and carpet weaving.	.....	...	...	...	10	Ditto ...	Ditto	On masters ... 126 Sattu to boys ... 89 Cost of raw materials ... 10 255	...	255	...	255	
Champaran ...	.....	.....	.....	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	.....	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	
Muzaffarpore	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	.....	...	...	...	...	
Durbhanga ...	Artisan Primary School.	1905	Samastipur ...	Carpentry, Smithery and Painting.	.....	...	...	...	16	Free-hand Drawing.	Up to Lower Primary Standard.	Fifteen stipends to students at Rs. 3 45 One Literary master ... ... 10 Contingencies ... 10 Monthly Total ... 65	...	780	...	780	

BHAGALPUR DIVISION.

District.	Name.	Date of foundation.	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.				Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary teaching, if any.	Details of expenditure.	Amount contributed by—				Remarks.
					Sub-Overseer grade.	Amins.	Artisans.	Total.				Private source.	District Board.	Government.	Total.	
												Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs.	
Darjeeling ...	Lace School for women ...	1905	Kalimpong ...	Lace-making	...	...	190	190	Nil	Teaching one hour in the morning.	.....	...	...	2,000 0	2,000	T. A. and Scholarships.
	Embroidery School for women.	1905	,, ...	Embroidery ...	...	.	41	41	,,	Ditto.	.....	30 0	...	50 0	80	
	Weaving School for women.	1907	,, ...	Weaving, crocheting ...	...	...	2	2	,,	Ditto... ...	.....	87 8	...	87 8	175	
	General Industries for women.	1898	,, .	Sewing, knitting	...	...	207	207	, -	Ditto... ...	.. ...	...	...	...	...	
	Carpentry and Carving School for boys.	1905	,, ...	Carpentry	...	..	19	19	,,	Night school ...	.....	134 0	...	...	134	
Monghyr ...	Jamalpur Railway Night School.	.. ...	.. ...	Mechanical drawing, Science, Applied Mechanics, Mensuration, Steam Engine and Algebra.	...	...	...	...	,,	.....	....	...	....	...	...	
Bhagalpur ...	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	...	,,	.. ...	... ..	...	...	...	...	
Purnea ...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	...	...	...	...	,,	... ..	... .	...	...	...	...	
Santhal-Parganas.	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	,,	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	

District.	Name.	Date of foundation.	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.					Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary teaching, if any.	Details of expenditure.	Amount contributed by—				Remarks.
					Overseer grade.	Sub-Overseer grade.	Amins.	Artisans.	Total.				Private source.	District Board.	Government.	Total.	
													Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Cuttack ...	Survey School	1876	Cuttack ...	Surveying	...	50*	55	...	105	Yes	English composition.	Practical Surveying and repairs to Surveying instruments 350 0 Purchase of books ... 30 0 School scholarship ... 359 0 Establishment, general ... ... 4,633 0 Scholarships ... ... 90 0 Private sources ... 111 0 Rs. A. 5,778 0	1,289	Nil	4,489	5,778	*Survey final.
Balasore ...	Alalpur Industrial School	1891	Alalpur ...	Carpentry, Weaving, Blacksmith's work and Cane work.	...	...	...	21	...	No	Up to standard IV of Vernacular course.	Carpenter... ... ... 13 0 1st Weaver ... ... 11 0 Literary teacher ... 9 0 2nd Weaver ... ... 8 0 Blacksmith ... ... 8 0 Cane worker ... ... 7 8 Servant ... ... 1 0 Contingencies ... ... 1 0 Prize ... ... 1 8 Monthly ... 60 0	540	...	180	720	Director of Public Instruction's No. 15457, dated 19th December 1904.
	Santipur American Free Baptist Mission Industrial School.	1887	Hatigarh ...	Weaving, carpentry, sewing, mat-making, rope-making, rattan work, wood-carving and gardening.	...	...	...	70	...	No	No	Superintendent ... ... 24 0 Head Weaver ... ... 10 0 2nd ,, ... 6 0 3rd ,, ... 5 0 Head carpenter... ... 11 0 2nd ,, ... 5 0 Time-keeper ... ... 5 0 Tailor ... ... 9 0 Stipends to students ... 5 0 Monthly ... 80 0	450	...	480	960	Director of Public Instruction's No. 6598, dated 22nd April 1905.
	Balasore American Free Baptist Mission.	1900	Balasore ...	Carpentry, cabinet-making, rattan work, shoe-making, book-binding and tailoring.	...	...	...	33	...	No	Evening school, four nights in the week.	For teaching ... ... 67 0 ,, overnight ... ... 18 0 ,, book-keeping ... 8 0 Monthly ... 93 0	...	1,200	...	1,200	Sanctioned in District Board's letter dated 13th February 1907.
ri ...	....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	Nil	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	
gul ..	Angul Survey School ...	November 189[illegible]	Head-quarters at Angul.	Nil	Nil	...	25	...	...	Both Theoretical and Practical (Printing scales, Geometrical and Mapdrawing).	Nil	Per year. Rs. Teacher's pay ... ... 300 Contingency 120 420	420	Nil	Primary grant.	420	
nbalpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	

CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.

District.	Name.	Date of foundation.	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.				Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary teaching, if any.	Details of expenditure.	Amount contributed by—				Remarks.
					Sub-Overseer grade.	Amins.	Artisans.	Total.				Private source.	District Board.	Government.	Total.	
												Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Hazaribagh...	East Indian Railway Collieries Industrial School.	1905	Beniadih	Smithery and carpentry	...	...	28	28	Geometrical, isometrical and mechanical drawings.	.....	One teacher on Rs. 50 a month.	1,123	120	120	1,363	Director of Public Instruction's No. 16166, dated 14th November 1906.
	Bhandra	1903	Bhandra	Smithery	...	...	27	27	Geometrical drawing.	Lower Primary course	Rs. Stipend ... 48 Special class ... 21 Total ... 69	.....	69	.....	69	
	Baddambazar ...	1905	Baddambazar ...	Do.	...	...	15	15	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Stipend ... 48 Special class ... 60 Total ... 108	.....	.....	108	108	
	Pursoni	1905	Pursoni	Do.	...	...	12	12	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Stipend ... 48 Capitation allowance ... 26 Total ... 74	.....	74	.....	74	
	Palawal	1906	Palawal	Do.	...	...	14	14	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Stipend ... 48 Special class ... 68 Total ... 116	.....	116	.....	116	
	Bugda	1906	Bugda	Do.	...	...	13	13	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Stipend ... 3 Capitation fee... 12 Total ... 44	.....	44	.....	44	
	Chitarpur	1906	Chitarpur ...	Do.	...	...	15	15	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Stipend ... 12	.....	12	.....	12	
	Bagodar	1906	Bagodar	Do.	...	...	9	9	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Stipend ... 48 Capitation fee... 16 Total ... 64	.....	64	.....	64	
	Bishungarh I	1906	Bishungarh ...	Do.	...	...	10	10	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Stipend ... 28 Capitation fee... 8 Total ... 36	.....	36	.....	36	
	Bishungarh II ...	1906	Bishungarh ...	Carpentry	...	...	10	10	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Stipend ... 48 Capitation fee... 14 Total ... 62	.....	62	.....	62	
	Damodardih	1906	Damodardih ...	Do.	...	...	15	15	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Stipend ... 48 Capitation fee .. 8 Total ... 56	.....	56	.....	56	
	Chitarpur	1906	Chitarpur	Weaving	...	...	6	6	Ditto ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	
	Gurry	1905	Gurry	Pottery	...	...	18	18	Freehand drawing.	Lower Primary course	Stipend ... 48 Capitation fee... 40 Total ... 88	.....	88	.....	88	

	Bugda	1906	Bugda	Pottery	.....	...	21	21	Freehand drawing.	Lower Primary course	Stipend ... 49 Capitation fee... 18 Total ... 67	.....	67 0	.....	67 0
Hazaribagh—*continued.*	Harloong	1907	Harloong	Smithery	... ...	.....	16	16	Geometrical drawing.	Ditto ...	(Unaided)	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Achaljamoo	1907	Achaljamoo ...	Do.	.....	.....	13	13	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Petarbar	1907	Petarbar	Do.	.....	.....	8	8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Hazaribagh Reformatory.	1882	Hazaribagh ...	Weaving and agriculture.	.....	.....	188	188	No	Primary course ...	.....	.....	.....	36,144 0	36,144 0
Ranchi ...	Ranchi Government Industrial School.	1891	Ranchi	Carpentry in all its branches. Fitter's work, including motor and cycle repairing. Blacksmith's work. Carriage repairing and painting. Cane work in connection with furniture.	23 (B class boys.)	...	70	93	Drawing is compulsory in the Sub-Overseer Department of the school; it is also taught to the artisan boys, though in an elementary form.	In the Sub-Overseer Department, boys are taught up to the Sub-Overseer standard of Sibpur. Artisan students are taught reading and writing in Hindi, elementary calculations; also free-hand and geometrical drawing.	Rs. Establishment ... 7,464 Stipends to artisans ... ... 1,128 Contract contingency ... ... 60 Library allowance ... ... 12 Coal expenditure for the engine ... 900 Raw materials ... 1,000 Municipal rates and taxes ... 72 Total ... 10,636	120	.....	10,516 0	10,636 0
	Patrahatu Industrial School.	1904	Patrahatu ...	Blacksmith's work ...	...	...	14	14	No	Nil	Rs. A. Establishment ... 6 0	.....	72 0	.....	72 0
	Barenda Industrial School.	1890	Barenda	Ditto ...	...	...	21	21	No	Nil	Ditto ... 6 0	.....	72 0	.....	72 0
	Bandu Industrial School.	1895	Bandu	Smithery and carpentry.	...	...	24	24	.....	.....	Ditto ... 19 8	.....	234 0	.....	234 0
	German Mission Lace School.	1907	Ranchi	Lace work	...	...	44	44	.....	.....	Rs. Establishment and material ... 1,014	536	.....	924 0	1,460 0
	Roman Catholic Women's Lace School.	1905	Do.	Ditto	...	...	100	100	.....	.....	Establishment and material ... 3,646	2,434	.....	60 0	3,094 0
	Khunti Convent Lace School.	1905	Khunti	Ditto	...	...	95	95	.....	.....	Cost of establishment 2,688	2,688	.....	.....	2,688 0
	Khunti Weaving School.	1905	Do.	Weaving	...	...	13	13	.....	.....	Cost of establishment 1,920	1,920	.....	.....	1,920 0
Manbhum ...	Jhalda Industrial No. I.	1903	Jhalda	Smithery	...	...	15	15	No	Course of the 2nd and 1st year infant class.	Establishment ... 6	.....	...	72 0	72 0
	Jhalda Industrial No. II.	1903	Do....	Ditto	...	...	16	16	No	Ditto	Ditto 6	.....	24	48 0	72 0
	Tanasi Industrial ...	1905	Tanasi	Ditto	...	...	13	13	No	...tto	Ditto 4	.....	48 0	Nil	48 0
	Raghunathpur Weaving Institution.	1904	Raghunathpur ...	Weaving	...	...	15	15	No	Lower Primary course in part.	Ditto 13	36	120 0	Nil	156 0

CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION—*continued.*

District.	Name.	Date of foundation.	Place.	Subjects taught.	Number of students being trained.				Whether any drawing is taught.	What literary teaching, if any,	Details of expenditure.	Amount contributed by—			
					Sub-Overseer grade.	Amins.	Artisans.	Total.				Private source.	District Board.	Government.	Total.
Singhbhum ...	R. C. Mission Industrial School.	1905	Chaibassa	Weaving ... ... Needlework ... ... Gardening	...	...	...	45	No	No	Rs. Raw materials ... 117 Maintenance of children (boarding) 33 Two teachers ... 80 Stipends ... ... 3 Monthly Total ... 239	Rs. 2,868 4	Rs. A. Nil	Rs. A. Nil	Rs. A. 2,868
	S. P. G. Mission Industrial School.	1900	Ditto	Carpentry, stone-carving and Weaving ...	...	...	...	27	Yes	No	Superintendent ... 20 2nd teacher ... ... 15 3rd ,, ... 8 4th ,, ... 8 Stipends to apprentices ... ... 68 Tools ... ... 5 Prizes ... ... 2 Library ... ... 2 Monthly Total ... 128	1,536 0	.....	.....	1,536
	Ghatsila Industrial School.	1894	Ghatsila	Carpentry and Smithery	...	...	...	14	No	Lower Primary Standard in Night School.	Teacher's salary ... 528 Stipend ... ... 276 Contingency ... 24 Other expenditure 146 Balance in hand ... 55 Total ... 1,029	554 0	.....	480	1,034 0
	Chaibassa A. M. Industrial School.	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	540	.....
	Blind Industrial School.	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	180	.....

REVIEW OF THE INDUSTRIAL POSITION AND PROSPECTS IN BENGAL IN 1908 WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THE INDUSTRIAL SURVEY OF 1890.

(PART II OF SPECIAL REPORT.)

CHAPTER I.

INTRODUCTORY.

Classification of industries.

THE subject of technical education is discussed in a separate review. It is difficult to arrange the industries of the province of Bengal in groups which will not overlap; but the following division, adopted by a distinguished expert in industrial training, is fairly logical:—(1) those involving the use of extensive machinery; (2) those mainly requiring the use of hand tools; (3) those dependent on artistic skill; and (4) agriculture in all its branches. To this list may be added the mining industries. Another expert in Indian manufactures makes the division of—(1) manufactures proper; (2) manipulation or preparation of agricultural, forest or animal produce; and (3) utilisation of minerals. We can have the following groups:—(1) factory industries, (2) mining industries, (3) handicrafts, (4) industrial arts, and (5) industries dealing with economic products. These will be considered in turn; and it is proposed to treat in detail the indigenous manufacturing industries and the indigenous industrial arts. Manufacturing industries cover both factory industries and cottage handicrafts. It is desired to indicate the nature of existing obstacles to development, the possibility of development, and the measures which Government may legitimately take to remove obstacles, or facilitate development. Special investigation has been made in the case of weaving, leather work, brass work and glass making. It is intended also in this review to bring up to date the report on the arts and industries of Bengal, prepared by Mr. E. W. Collin, I.C.S. in 1890, under the instructions of the Government of India issued for all the provinces in 1888.

Continuous development.

Twenty years have elapsed since 1888, and now in the newspapers, in magazine articles and in the addresses of Indian publicists it is stated that the country is on the eve of an extensive industrial development. Although fresh factors have been brought into operation within the last two years, yet it will be found that there has been a continuous development. The material condition of the people was reviewed in 1892 and again in 1902. In the former year it was found that, while silk manufactures and hand-loom weaving were decaying, there had been a "redistribution rather than destruction of wealth," and that the manufactures of Bengal were "more valuable than they were in days when her silks and muslins held every market in Europe." By 1902 it was stated that there had been an outburst of manufacturing and mining activity, which was converting the metropolitan districts into a vast industrial tract; and even at that time Mr. Shirres, who prepared the memorandum, was able to point to the growth of an industrial middle class. The following figures are sufficiently striking. Within twenty years jute mills have increased from 12 to 42: cotton mills from 6 to 13: the coal output from under two million tons to over ten million tons: the mica output from under 100 tons to over 1,000 tons. The greater part of this development has been due to European capital and enterprise, while the trend of the present movement is for the outlay of Indian capital and the exercise of Indian management. The outlay of capital implies the power of combination and the risking of reserve funds for industrial purposes, and management implies technical skill and business capacity. There is and has been for the last six years a desire amongst the educated classes to take to industrial enterprises—a desire not unconnected with the blocking by competition of the traditional avenues of livelihood on literary lines. The history of the Indian Industrial Association of Calcutta shows that its promoters were in advance of public opinion in 1893. Those therefore who now earnestly desire this industrial development must continue to call upon their countrymen to use their latent capital, either individually or collectively; and to acquire skill in technique and business management.

Present requirements.

One of the chief requisites in Bengal for the development of indigenous industrial enterprise—or "honest *swadeshi*"—is the appointment of a whole-time expert officer of Government, one possessing primarily engineering and scientific qualifications, and secondarily a knowledge of local conditions, sympathy and acquaintance with business methods. The Bengal Government have taken steps to obtain such an officer. He would be able to give disinterested advice to those who wish to take up industrial enterprises and to exert continuous personal pressure to put into effect the recommendations of Mr. Collin, almost all of which still hold good, and any other recommendations which Government may accept. The next requisite is patience. There is an impatience to achieve in a single year results for which decades would not be too short.

CHAPTER II.

FACTORY INDUSTRIES AND HANDICRAFTS.

SECTION (1)—GENERAL REVIEW OF FACTORY INDUSTRIES.

Government factories.

THE factories requiring extensive machinery, most of which are worked by European capital and under European supervision, are principally those in the vicinity of Calcutta on both sides of the Hooghly. Government is itself in Bengal a large employer of labour and a manufacturer on a large scale: of arms at Ichapore, of ammunition at Dum-Dum, of shells at Cossipore and Ichapore, of railway plant at Kanchrapara, Balliaghata, Sealdah and Chitpur, of steamers at Kidderpore, of clothing at Alipur, of telegraph stores at Bhawanipore, of opium and opium boxes at Patna, and of canal stores at Dehri-on-Sone, Midnapore, Cuttack and Calcutta.

Private factories.

It is not realised what an enormous variety of industrial activity exists at present in Bengal, with part of which Indian capital might be more associated than it is. The Department of Commercial Intelligence takes as a standard for statistical purposes any factory which employs 50 workmen or more. Even on this standard we find the totals for Bengal in 1905 as tabulated in the Financial and Commercial Statistics of British India for 1907, under many diverse heads.

I.—*Textiles.*

Ginning mills	2
Cotton mills	10
Jute mills	57
Jute presses	22
Rope works	3
Silk filatures	42

II.—*Minerals.*

Coal mines	246
Iron ore mines	6
Mica mines	205
Mica splitting factories	3
Saltpetre refineries	2
Iron and brass foundries	35

III.—*Transport.*

Dockyards	6
Railway workshops	22
Tramway works	1

IV.—*Miscellaneous.*

Bone crushing	2
Cement works	1
Chemical works	2

IV.—*Miscellaneous (continued.)*

Brewery	1
Dairy Farm	1
Flour mills	4
Ice and aerated water factories	4
Sugar factories	7
Gas works	1
Indigo factories	106
Kerosene tin works	4
Lac factories	34
Oil mills	9
Paper works	3
Pottery works	1
Printing presses	22
Soap factory	1
Tanneries	2
Tile factories ...	2
Miscellaneous private factories	
Government factories	18

Factories within the metropolitan area.

On the east of the Hooghly is the 24-Parganas district and Calcutta, on the west the Hooghly and Howrah districts. These constitute the metropolitan area. I give below the distribution of private factories within that area in 1906-1907, taking the same standard. There are, of course, many others which employ less than fifty work people.

In 24-Parganas such factories are :— Lac 2, paper 2, ice 3, soap 1, sugar 1, silk 1, saltpetre 1, stone 1, gas 1, rope 2, flour 1, dairy farm 1, coach-building 1, tannery 1, tramway workshops 3, dockyards 2, iron and brass foundries 13, oil mills 2, oil depôts 3, jute 33, cotton 6, jute presses 11, municipal workshop 1, electric supply 1, chemicals 1.

In Calcutta itself, there are :—Municipal workshops 2, Port Commissioners' workshops 2, ice 1, foundries 5, jute press 2, lac 1, printing presses 21, coach-building 2, electric supply 1, cabinetmaking 1, wood works 1.

In Howrah district there are the following :—Jute 9, rope 3, jute presses 7, engineering works and foundries 9, docks 4, flour 4, cotton 6, railway workshops 3, printing 1, salt 1, lime 1, bone 1, paint 1, oil 1.

And in Hooghly district there are :—Brick-making 11, jute 6, cotton 1, chemicals 1, bone 1, surki 31.

Factories beyond the metropolitan area.

Outside Calcutta and its neighbourhood we find comparatively little industrial enterprise which is not connected with agriculture. I give an analysis on the same standard of fifty work-people per factory.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

Murshidabad District.—Silk 30.
Jessore District.—Sugar 1.
Nadia District.—Silk 1.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

Burdwan District.—Oil 1, brass 1, weaving 3, pottery 1, paper 1, iron 1, tanning extracts 1, railway workshop 1.
Birbhum District.—Railway workshops 2, silk 3.
Bankura District.—Brass 1.
Midnapur District.—Silk 2, railway workshop 1.

ORISSA DIVISION.

Cuttack District.—Tannery 1, printing presses 2.

CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.

Ranchi District.—Lac 7.
Manbhum District.—Lac 44.
Hazaribagh District.—Railway workshop 1, Lac 2.

BHAGALPUR DIVISION.

Monghyr District.—Railway workshop 1, brick-making 1.
Darjeeling District.—Railway workshop 1.
Sonthal Parganas.—Lac 2, brick-making 1.

PATNA DIVISION.

Patna District.—Oil and flour 5, darris 1, hides 1.
Gaya District.—Railway workshop 1, lac 3.
Shahabad District.—Sugar mill 1, tiles and bobbins 1.
Saran District.—Saltpetre 1, sugar 2, railway workshop 1.
Champaran District.—Sugar 3.
Muzaffarpur District.—Engineering 2, sugar 2.
Darbhanga District.—Railway workshop 1, sugar 1.

This distribution gives, however, no idea of the extent of the lac industry, for instance. Only seven large factories are shown above in the whole of the Chota Nagpur Division, whereas there are no fewer than 82 small factories in Manbhum district alone. Nor does it give a fair idea of the brass industry in North Midnapore, where some capitalists employ 150 to 300 men. The tendency of the district staff, who prepare the returns of important industries, is, I find, to assume that an "important industry" must use mechanical power.

European enterprise.

Many of the factories in and around Calcutta are those described in Mr. Collin's report as European industries. It is not realised what an enormous amount of European capital is invested in industrial enterprises in Bengal. Take the case of jute; the capital invested in buildings and plant on the banks of the Hooghly is £12,000,000 sterling; and employment is given to 200,000 native operatives, whose wages amount to £3,000,000 or four and a half crores of rupees a year. In the districts too, European capital has within recent years started large factories such as the sugar factory of India Development Limited, at Otter in Muzaffarpur district, and the new factory of the Peninsular Tobacco Co., which is under erection at Monghyr. If, however, there is to be any really indigenous industrial development in the province, Indian capital must come forward, whether in joint-stock enterprise or through the small capitalist. A commendable beginning has been made, but an examination of the registration of joint-stock companies will show that Bengal is far behind Bombay in the inauguration of purely indigenous industrial concerns. Bombay provided 49 per cent. of the total nominal capital in 1906-07, and Bengal 24 per cent. In Bengal in 1907-08 there were 80 companies registered with a paid up capital of 13⅔ lakhs, but coal companies accounted for more than half of the number and 12½ lakhs of the capital. Indigenous joint-stock enterprise is still in its infancy in Bengal; and the transactions are characterised by an almost excessive, though prudent, amount of caution and shyness. For instance, the Bengal Laxmi Cotton Mills, Limited, took over a working mill, the Laxmi Tulsi Cotton Mills, at Serampore; and the Bengal Hosiery Company, Limited, are taking over the works of the old Kidderpore Hosiery Factory. There have been some interesting developments of joint-stock enterprise for banks and insurance companies, which are so far hopeful signs. But the capital for these new enterprises is not coming from the large capitalists, but from the savings of the middle class. It is the opinion of a leading native merchant that it is much easier to make money by an agency in imported goods, than by investment in industrial enterprise. The large capitalist has still to be persuaded that he can get a good return for his money in manufacture rather than in zamindari or agency, or money lending. There are two good examples in Calcutta of successful indigenous enterprise: the Calcutta Pottery Works, and the Bengal Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works. These are financed by

Indian capital, and managed by Indian brains, which have had a scientific training. These are only nominally companies; they are really private syndicates. These works are commended as good examples of what is required. The essentials are a sufficiently large capital, scientific management, sufficient supply of raw materials, and a remunerative market which is capable of expansion. It is, therefore, by the small capitalist or by small syndicates that progress may be made in the immediate future, either in new lines of business or by improved methods adapted to strictly indigenous work, as for example brass manufacture. The joint-stock company is essential, but its growth will be slow. The Hon'ble Mr. (now Sir Vithaldas Damodar) Thackersey in his presidential address at the Calcutta Industrial Conference of 1906, quoted with approval the words of Mr., (now Sir Thomas) Holland, the Director of the Geological Survey of India, who said that Indians will continue to pay an unnecessary and undesirable tax as long as those in the country who possess money will not risk their reserve fund for industrial purposes.

Essentials for promotion of Indian enterprise.

Apart from the investment of capital, another essential for industrial developments is that the young men who study engineering at Sibpur and elsewhere should acquire more than a superficial knowledge of mechanical engineering. This is dealt with in my other report. In all factories where machine plant is used some knowledge of mechanical engineering is essential; and there is a splendid opening for the middle class youth as foremen if they will only take advantage of it. It is a common complaint of large employers that the Sibpur youth quickly forgets all that he has learned in the workshop. One leading engineering firm says that there is no employee available between a native tindal and a European foreman mechanic. As I have recorded elsewhere, the firms which are financed by European capital and organised under European management prefer to employ European foremen, inasmuch as force of character in managing factory hands is considered an essential as much as technical skill, but still the training at Sibpur contributes not a little to strengthen the character of the students, and it is to be hoped that they may yet wear down the prejudice that the Sibpur youth is afraid of hard work and not suitable for a responsible position, even though his workshop experience and theoretical training may have been of the best. I am glad to find that the East Indian Railway at the Lillooah workshops and the Eastern Bengal State Railway at Kanchrapara are giving every reasonable opportunity for advancement to the literate Indian apprentice.

Mechanical engineering.

Section (2)—General Review of Handicrafts.

While agriculture occupies over 72 per cent. of the population, the whole of those engaged in the "preparation and supply of material substances," according to the census of 1901, comes up only to 10 per cent; and amongst these, handloom cotton weavers, though the most important workers in indigenous industries, make up only 1·2 per cent; workers in precious metals, 0·4 per cent; potters and iron workers each 0·3 per cent. Hence we see what a small proportion of the population is included under the head of artisans. In 1881, the proportion of those engaged inindustrial pursuits was only 8·7 per cent. Mr. Coilin stated in 1890 that except in wood work, brassware, mat work and common pottery, the Bengal manufactures had been almost entirely superseded by imports from Europe. In 1894 Mr. Trailokya Nath Mukharji stated in his monograph on brassware that this was perhaps the only important industry which had not suffered from competition. In the memorandum on the material condition of the people of Bengal, Mr. Shirres in 1902 confirmed this view. In Chapter XII on Occupations in the Census of 1901, Mr. Gait pointed out that detailed information as to the industrial organization of a country cannot be obtained by the machinery of the general census. In fact, the elaborate and costly occupation tables tended, he thought, to obscure the main facts which a less elaborate method would have brought out. At the same time it was remarked that there had been a decline in the number of workers in wool and cotton and that machine-made goods were gradually replacing those made by hand in the villages. The *swadeshi* movement of the past two years

Indigenous handicrafts.

Recent developments.

(1906 and 1907) is a new factor stimulating production and creating a demand. I find that this has led to the improvement of the weavers in parts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions: that is to say, many weavers who had given up their caste occupation have returned to it. The weavers, however, in the Orissa Division were on the one hand not so affected by the previous competition of imported cloth, and on the other hand not so affected by the revival in favour of country-made cloths. In Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions, there is a strong element in the population which prefers the coarse country-made cloth, apart from, and previous to, any *sradeshi* movement. As for the brass industry, there are signs of a double movement—in the districts near Calcutta, the poor people buy the enamelled goods because they are cheap, while better class people are becoming a little ashamed of their previous election of the cheaper ware on the ground of cheapness, and there is a feeling that every Hindu who can afford it should purchase brass and bell-metal ware. The motive for the latter attitude is something more than a desire to encourage indigenous industrialism, and should be respected.

The comparative importance according to the census of 1901 in the leading handicrafts was as follows:—(1) weaving, (2) pottery, (3) carpentry, (4) mat-making, (5) leather manufacture, (6) iron manufacture. These same handicrafts were stated by Mr. Collin to be the principal indigenous industries in 1890. The report of the Industrial Committee, 1903 (Vol. I, p. 87) recommends that all the above should be encouraged in Bengal. The committee appointed by the Bengal Government in 1904 recommended in particular that weaving should be developed. This will be discussed in the next chapter.

Improvement in indigenous handicrafts.

After six months special investigation, during which I have examined industries in twenty-six districts, it appears to me that what is now required is not the teaching of the existing methods in cottage industries, but the teaching of improved methods, and also the assistance of the educated upper-middle classes in a more organized system of production and distribution. Mechanical power, or in some cases, an improved adaptation of human power is required. An acute observer, representing the United States Government, has recently reported to Washington that the *sradeshi* movement must recognize that this is the age of machinery all over the world. The artisan must not be left to himself to obtain his raw materials, to produce an article, and then sell the completed product. Also I hold that industrial schools outside of a commercial atmosphere and without highly qualified teachers are futile, and that enthusiasm without money and business-like methods is vain.

CHAPTER III.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.

TEXTILE INDUSTRIES.

Cotton Spinning and Weaving.

Spinning mills.

The factory industry has increased considerably since 1890. There are now 14 mills, in nine of which spinning is done. More then half of these fourteen are backed by Indian capital. Mr. Collin said in 1890 that cotton spinning, except as a cottage industry, did not exist.

Bengal produces now only seven per cent. of the total production of spinning mills in India. The Bengal climate appears to favour spinning, and spinning mills appear to have a chance in Bengal, because they can obtain cotton at a nominal freight by steamer from Bombay. The great difficulty is the want of skilled labour. The most recent figures show a falling off in yarns spun in Bengal:—April 1905 to March 1906, 51·2 million pounds; 1906-1907, 46·5 million pounds; 1907-1908, 41·8 million pounds. During 1907, the average dividend in one hundred selected Lancashire

companies was 15⅞ per cent., but for 1908 the outlook is not reassuring. In Bengal only two of the mills spin any yarn above 25s. As for factory weaving, it has received an impetus from the *svadeshi* movement. The Bengal Laxmi Cotton Mills started in 1906, and has a paid-up capital of 11⅔ lakhs. It declared a dividend for the last half of 1907 at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum; but it was admitted that the profit was comparatively less because the goods had to be sold at a much cheaper rate in order to encourage the industrial movement of the country. This is the only mill which weaves *dhoties*. It has passed through four sets of proprietors within ten years, and has over 26,000 ring spindles and 200 looms. There has been an increased local manufacture of T cloths, and there is a probability of further increased local manufacture. The woven goods produced in Bengal mills during the last three years have been as follows:—2·5 million yards in 1905-06, 5·8 million yards in 1906-07, and 7·9 million yards in 1907-08. The first figure is for *greys* alone, the latter two are for all woven goods. On the other hand, the imports of all cotton piece-goods into Calcutta were 1,171 million yards as the average of 1900-1905, 1,336 million yards in 1905-1906, and 1,160 million yards in 1906-1907. The decrease in 1906-1907 was greatest in *greys*. The imports of all cotton piece-goods have mounted up again in 1907-08 to 1,330 million yards, with a record value of 21⅔ crores of rupees. The position in Bengal shows that there is an opening for the extension of the textile industry more in the Indian market and less in the China and foreign markets, and for the weaving of fine goods.

Mill weaving.

Hand weaving.

The hand-loom weaving industry has existed, as Mr. Collin said in 1890, more or less in every district. The yearly accounts from 1892 were rather dispiriting. In the monograph for 1898, it was stated "that large numbers of weavers have abandoned their looms and have taken to other pursuits," or that the cotton weaving industry was in a decaying condition. In 1899 the industry was stated to be on the decline, but there was no change in the fine muslin of Golnagar and in the coarse cotton cloth in Orissa. By 1901 it was stated that the competition of European piece-goods was lowering the indigenous industry in the Burdwan, Presidency and Patna Divisions, but that the fly-shuttle loom was coming into use in the two former areas. In 1905 it was stated that the coarse country-made cloths were preferred in the Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divisions and in the Sonthal-Parganas. By 1906-1907, the industry had recovered. In Burdwan district there was an increase in outturn of one-half over that of the previous year. From Bankura there was an export trade. At Bolpur in Birbhum there was considerable manufacture. In Hooghly district the manufactures in Arambagh subdivision rose from 11 lakhs to 14 lakhs. In Howrah the mill outturn decreased; and the hand outturn increased. In Midnapore, Ghatal was the centre of weaving. In the 24-Parganas, the mill market was dull; the hand outturn smartened in Basirhat subdivion. In Jessore there was a considerable manufacture in both coarse and fine cloth; so also in Khulna. In Nadia coarse cloths, bed-sheets and towels were made at Kushtia, Meherpur and Shikarpur. Fine cloths with silk borders were made at Santipur for export. In Patna, both cotton and mixed fabrics were manufactured in Bihar. In Saran district, the *jolahas* wove a coarse cloth for winter use. There was some spinning in the Gopalganj subdivision. In Gaya, there was coarse cloth manufactured. In Darbhanga district there was the special *kokti* cloth woven near Madhubani, and *kanti* cloth at Bharwara and Pandaul. In Shahabad coarse cloth was woven all over the district. In Bhagalpur, coarse cloth was made, but an improvement in texture was made, so also in Monghyr. In the Sonthal Parganas, both *jolahas*, *tantis* and aboriginals did coarse weaving. At Kishanganj in Purnea district, *lungis* and *patanis* were made. Throughout Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divisions coarse cloths were woven, principally for local consumption. A comparison between this account and the earlier accounts shows what a revolution for the time being has been made in the industry by the new factor of an increased local demand. How far this factor will be permanent, it is impossible to say. The contrast is shortly as follows:—Country cloth will last over a year, and

imported cloth seven or eight months. The cost of the latter is Re. 0-11 to Re. 1-3, of the former Rs. 1-12 to Rs. 3-0.

Extensions of the Serampore pattern hand loom.

The subject of hand-loom weaving has given rise to much discussion since 1890. There is quite a literature on the subject; some of the leading pamphlets are quoted in the Appendix. In Bengal, as has been seen, from 1892 to 1902 there was nothing but decadence to record. From 1902 to 1905, the steps taken towards the improvement of the handloom weaving were made in the direction of introducing the Serampore pattern throughout Bengal. Mr. Collin had said in 1890 that the Serampore weavers used an improved hand-loom, and owed the vitality of their trade to that fact. Mr. Banerjei in his monograph of 1898 again called attention to this pattern, saying that it was a distinct improvement on the ordinary loom, in so far that it led to a great deal of economy of labour. This was the old English fly-shuttle loom invented by John Kay and introduced more than fifty years in Serampore from Farasdanga (Chandernagore). No attempt had been previously made to introduce this loom outside Serampore.

Mr. Havell, the Principal of the School of Art, Calcutta, took up the matter in 1901. From that time, by lectures, letters and advertisements, Mr. Havell did a great public service in his efforts to extend the use of the Serampore fly-shuttle loom. Government circulated instructions and sketches; District Boards were importuned to send weavers for training at Serampore; a factory for the manufacture of Serampore looms was started at Chinsura, first under Ghosh, Chauduri & Co., then Ghosh, Palit & Co., then under Mr. P. N. De. The progress from year to year was summarised in the District Board reports, and Mr. Havell at one time was persuaded that 10,000 new looms were working; and in February 1908 was of the same opinion. An examination of the correspondence in many of the District Board offices discloses that there was too much amateur work; and recent enquiries show that the new form of loom, notwithstanding the impetus of the *swadeshi* movement, has not been sufficiently attractive to the working weaver. The reasons for the failure are many. The present attitude in the districts is not to worry any further about the fly-shuttle loom, on the ground that the attempts to popularize it have failed. Some who have been corresponding about the loom for years do not even know what a fly-shuttle is. The National Weaving School, which worked at No. 209, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta, is now closed. I was sorry to see lying idle in many places a number of frame looms of the Serampore pattern, which had been introduced by well-to-do people in several districts. I think a fresh start must be made in Bengal

Objections to the Serampore loom.

The fly-shuttle loom contains a string and lever mechanism for pushing the shuttle backwards and forwards across alternate sheddings of the warp threads, along the shuttle run; in the country loom the shuttle is passed by the hands of the weaver between the threads of the warp. I checked the picking in many places and found that it averaged 65 against 22 per minute in the country loom. The complaints were in different places (1) that the whole new frame loom was too expensive; (2) that the weaver had to sit on a bench instead of on the ground; (3) that the threads snapped; (4) that the wheels of the shuttle could not be repaired locally; (5) that the shuttle jumped out off the shuttle run; and (6) that sufficient work could not be prepared to keep up with the rate of weaving. I have given to this matter much personal enquiry and studied all the literature on the subject, and I think that some of the difficulties are due to avoidable causes, principally want of mechanical knowledge. What is wanted for the improvement of the individual weaver in Bengal is a cheap adaptation of the flying-shuttle mechanism to the country loom. The improved sley with the string-picking apparatus is the only essential part of the improved loom. The wooden frame-work and the raised seat are only copies of the original English loom. It is not necessary to give the ordinary weaver a stout wooden frame for his loom, or to ask him not to sit on the floor. The line of least resistence is required for dealing with the most conservative of Indian artisans. Mr. Havell did, it is true, propose the adaptation of the fly-shuttle sley to the country loom at a cost of Rs. 7; but I do not think that the people in the districts realised its advantages

or that the suggested contrivance was mechanically perfect. A good adaptation is that proposed by Mr. Greenway, Supervisor of the Darbhanga District Board, at a cost of Rs. 6-11 (Government Circular No. 15T.M. of the 20th September 1906). The best adaptation which has come to my notice so far, is not the Bengal pattern, but the pit loom pattern of Mr. P. Theagaraya Chettiar in Madras, which costs complete Rs. 10. The Bengal pattern with some little devices could be made to swing more evenly, and could be made less costly. The shuttle box of the Bengal pattern is likely to jam the picker when it is first used. In fact the extension of such a pattern in Bengal was as much a mechanical problem as anything else. Moreover the Serampore men were accustomed to their English frame loom; they could teach "picking" on a duplicate loom, but they had no experience to teach the use of the adapted form of loom. Within recent years many patterns of hand looms have been publicly tried at Calcutta in 1906, and at Madras in 1908. The last word on the subject is Mr. Chatterton's memorandum on the Madras weaving competition of 1908, in which he shows the advantages of Mr. D. C. Churchill's model of a pedal loom, th Sayaji Baroda loom, and of Mr. Maxwell's "Triumph" Salvation Army loom. It is necessary to indicate precisely what the problems are. First, the problem of assisting the weaver in his old individualistic ways is one thing; for that, the cheapest form of mechanism which will give an increased outturn is required. This will give an increased power of production. Secondly, the problem of applying generally human labour to work looms is another This depends upon whether there is a market for the hand product, and whether it can compete successfully with the machine product. But even if these conditions are satisfied, this is not enough. Organised capital is required. The capitalist can either finance the weavers in their own homes in an existing weaver colony, and distribute their goods for them; or he can in a similar colony economise by bringing the weavers and their wives and children to work under one roof, in the manner in which the new Madras handloom factories are working. A factory does not necessarily connote mechanical power, or unhygienic surroundings. The Madras handloom factories were a revelation to me. Hence in Bengal, the capitalist can either go in for power factories or for simple financing, or for organized hand-power factories. For the last two, he should work at known weaving centres, like Serampur, Bishnupur, Santipur, Bhagalpur, Bihar, Madhubani, and so on. The capitalist should get the most efficient form of human-power loom possible even though it be expensive. Care should be taken to avoid one error: it is of no avail to teach weaving to those outside the weaver castes in a place where there is no demand for the goods.

Problems in handloom weaving.

What has happened in Bengal is that in parts of Jessore district and most of Howrah district, in the Sadar and Serampur subdivisions, but not in the Arambagh subdivision of the Hooghly district, and in the Raniganj side of the Burdwan district, the Serampur pattern of hand loom has extended. But I believe that it was due more to intercommunication among the people themselves than to official efforts to popularize the Serampur fly-shuttle loom. On the other hand, the ordinary weaver throughout the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions has, whether a fly-shuttle worker or not, received a special demand for his wares on account of the movement in favour of local manufactures. And yet I found Serampur weavers themselves wearing by preference and for the sake of cheapness imported cloths, although they are the most prosperous among the weaving population, earning up to Rs. 25 and 30 a month. Improvements are also required in the preliminary warping and sizing. The Serampur weavers have adopted, in the formation of the warp, a simple labour-saving appliance by which 100 threads can be laid simultaneously instead of one or two. An Arrah zamindar has a machine for the same object, though unnecessarily complicated. I do not think that the efficiency of the Bengal method of sizing could be improved upon; but it is time-consuming. The proceedings of the All-India Weaving Conference of Madras showed that there is much to learn under these heads, and the improved methods adopted at the Madras hand-weaving factories could be followed in Bengal. There is room for a complete division of labour

Development of hand loom weaving.

between warpers and weavers. The Patent List of 1907 show five applications or specifications filed by Bengali inventors for improvements in hand looms or hand spinning wheels.

Proposed Government weaving institute.

The proposals for the Government Central Weaving Institute at Serampur have been detailed in page 8 of my other report. At present we await the arrival of the two experts whose appointments have been sanctioned. I think that their course of action should be, first to study the literature on the subject, then to study the actual indigenous looms in the districts, and then to consider the problem of how to improve the mechanical efficiency of the native looms in Bengal by small improvements, or the desirability of adopting any of the patterns used in other parts, and also the possibility of saving the labour in the preliminary processes. In other words the objects to be kept in view should be the same as those announced by Mr. Chatterton for the Government factory at Salem in the Madras Presidency—experiment as well as instruction. For the present I am arranging to test the Madras pit loom pattern in three districts, Sambulpur, Bankura, and Darbhanga, and the Inspector-General of Prisons has kindly agreed to replace some of his old looms by the Salvation Army loom and the Churchill loom, and to test their suitability in Bengal. The efficiency of the Serampur looms is greatly increased by the addition of an automatic take-up motion which conduces to evenness of weaving. This has been successfully done by Suresh Chandra Sarkar of Raipur in Birbhum district. The proposed weaving institute and capitalist organization would in time achieve the reforms proposed in the Bengal Monograph on Cotton. Dr. Forbes Watson, the great textile expert, once said that the weaver had no regular system or method of doing business. Mr. Banerjei suggested in his monograph that weavers in the backward district should visit the large weaving centres, and learn to improve the quality and design of their fabrics. He advocated also exhibitions; and the introduction of cheap hand machinery, especially the introduction of the improved hand looms of Serampore.

Requirements in Bengal.

The memorandum issued by the Government of India on hand loom weaving in India in 1907, was circulated throughout Bengal. Opinions were collected from all districts, and they confirm my views that:—(1) a central experimental station is required; (2) the assistance of capitalists is wanted; (3) improvements on preliminary processes are necessary; (4) subdivision of labour must come; (5) exhibition are helpful; and (6) a simple really inexpensive adaptation of the fly-shuttle to the existing looms would be acceptable to the ordinary weaver, if he were convinced that it were remunerative. I do not propose co-operative credit societies for weavers, or industrial advances. Either the weaver should be tempted to improve his outturn by a simple device, or the work should be done on a big scale by capitalists, whereby weavers would be paid at piece-work rate for their outturn. Two separate solutions were proposed at the Madras conference; there is room I hold for each in Bengal. One was to make a good loom even though it be expensive and put it in the market where its own merits would tell; the other was to overcome the first objection of weavers to expense and intricacy and introduce a cheap and simple article.

Reeling and Weaving of Mulberry Silk.

Healthy cocoons.

This is the subject of an elaborate monograph by the well-known expert, the late Mr. N. G. Mukerji, who studied the subject for twenty years in the course of which he visited France and Italy. The industry covers the culture of the worm and the reeling of the silk; and also silk weaving. The former subject has been taken up by the Agricultural Department. The report of the committee appointed by Government in 1906 to enquire into the condition of the silk industry in Bengal should be read along with the monograph published in 1903. These papers are of such a recent date that direct reference to them should be made by those interested in the subject. I give here only the conclusions. It is accepted that the present unsatisfactory conditions are due primarily to disease amongst the worms, and not to defects in reeling or manufacture, or to competition. Definite recomendations for the establishment of nurseries and for other remedial measures have been made, and

the Bengal Silk Committee have already taken steps for the propagation and distribution of good seed. The filatures are principally in the Murshidabad, Midnapore and Birbhum districts, and in the district of Malda and Rajshahi of the Eastern province, and are owned chiefly by the Bengal Silk Company, Ld., the Berhampore Silk Concern, the Rose Silk Filatures, and Messrs. Louis Payen and Co. The exports of raw silk were 47·4 lakhs average from 1901 to 1906, 55·1 lakhs in 1906-1907, and 46·9 lakhs in 1907-1908. The upward tendency has been noticeable since 1889. I was informed in Berhampore that what was required was an improved spinning machine in place of the native *ghāi*.

Vicissitudes of silk weaving.

As regards silk weaving, I deal with mulberry silk weaving separately from *tussar* weaving and mixed silk weaving. Silk weaving still continues, as Mr. Collin noted, in Murshidabad, Birbhum and Midnapore districts. Mr. Mukerji pointed out in his monograph that while there has been a decline in the foreign export of woven silk, the manufacture of silk fabrics for country use continues as vigorously as ever; for, he said, "the whole rank and file of the Hindu population of Bengal have to use indigenous silks on certain occasions." This is a great advantage. Silk weavers, he also said, are "as a class far more prosperous than cotton weavers." I noticed also myself that the silk weavers seem to have more influential headmen; in fact Mr. Mukerji points out that the leading silk weavers have had the enterprise and influence to introduce improvements to their fellow craftsmen and to supervise colonies of weavers. On the other hand, the financiers of the cotton weavers are as a rule not master weavers; and have not improved the craft in the slightest.

Up till 1901 silk weaving had been declining in Murshidabad; from that date it improved. In Bankura district, there is export from Birsinghpur, Bankura and Bishnupur. At Bishnupur there is a weaver of great merit—Babu Lal Kit—whose weaving took one day for a cubit, and whose 12-foot *sari* sold at Rs. 32. There is a great demand from East Bengal for *vel* silk from Bishnupur. In Birbhum district there is silk weaving at Boswa and Palsa. In the Arambagh subdivision in Hooghly district, there are several centres of silk weaving. At Ballydewanganj in this subdivision, special cloths called "*urna*" and "*pagris*" have been made and exported to the United Provinces and the Panjab since the days of the Moghuls. There is little manufacture in Howrah and the 24-Parganas. In North Midnapore as much as 20,000 lbs. of silk is yearly manufactured. In Murshidabad district there are several well-known names, but they are rather silk merchants than manufacturers. They advertise extensively, and have a business-like connection with Calcutta firms, who put their goods in the market. In other districts principally *tussar* is woven.

The Bengal Silk Mills Company, Limited, at 11, Dhur's Bagan Lane, in Ultadanga, Calcutta is owned and managed by a Bombay Muhammadan gentleman, Mr. Ariff. He has a European works manager from Macclesfield. This firm is able to manufacture very fine silks for export all over India and Burma and is successful in producing an almost black dye. It is an object lesson to Bengali capitalists of what can be done by skill and capital. Mr. Ariff informs me that he worked himself in his youth as a journeyman at every part of the processes. As Mr. Mukerji has said in the hand-book on sericulture: "skilled Indian labour guided by English enterprise can produce silks of European excellence and finish." I may mention that the Ecole Superieur de Commerce de Lyons receives pupils from foreign countries and teaches the entire silk business from the raising of the worm to designing, weaving and commercial methods.

As regards the hand loom weaving industry, the districts give pessimistic reports, but Mr. Mukerji gives reasons at page 63 of his monograph for thinking that the indigenous weaving industry is flourishing at present. My observation confirms this view. In Ghatal the cost of manufacture has increased on account of the increased price of the silk thread; it used to be Rs. 12 a seer; it had risen in 1908 to Rs. 22 a seer.

Present position of silk weaving industry.

The present position is that there is a full demand for local manufacture of the silk thread which is not exported and the silk producers have an increasing demand for export of the raw silk. I do not think that Government help is required in

mulberry silk weaving. At Berhampore an intelligent observer told me that the demand of silk was from people who could pay, and that the *swadeshi* movement did not therefore affect the weaving industry. At the same time the inroads of the Japanese imports should be watched. At a time when so much is said and written about the support of local industries, Bengali ladies of the better class are purchasing *saris* of Chinese silk manufactured in Japan and sold in Calcutta in preference to the Calcutta or the Benarés product. The imports of Japanese silk into Calcutta was as follows in thousands of rupees:—

1902-03	1903-1904	1904-05	1905-06	1906-07
18	29	52	40	42

Tussar Silk Weaving.

Changes in the industry.

In Mr. Collin's account, this is described as prosperous. The details of distribution and of the methods of this industry is given in pages 103-138 of Mr. Mukerji's monograph. In 1898 it was recorded that the manufacture was decaying in the Burdwan Division; in 1900 that it was affected by the increased popularity of machine made goods; in 1903 that there was a decrease owing to the introduction of cheaper and finer cloths from Bombay, Japan and Assam; in 1905 there was a slight improvement in Burdwan, Manbhum and Bhagalpur districts, owing to the *swadeshi* movement. *Tussar* is worked also in the Hooghly, Midnapore, Birbhum, Bankura and the Sonthal Parganas districts; on the other hand, *tussar* cocoons are reared in the Singhbhum, Ranchi, Hazaribagh and Palamau districts; and in these no weaving is done, except perhaps a little in Singbhum district. For instance at Singbazar near Purulia I found that the weavers had to travel by rail and road to Chaibassa to get their cocoons.

Position of workers.

Like practically all the cotton weavers, the *tussar* silk weavers are in the hands of their *mahajans*; but they are probably a little better off, midway between cotton weavers and silk weavers. Mr. Mukerji after his special enquiry of 1904 said that the *tussar* silk industry was declining everywhere owing to *grasserie*, although the demand of *tussar* cloths was on the increase. The district officers did not agree with this conclusion. Mr. Mukerji states that the industry must under any circumstances be a precarious one and urges proposals for the improvement of the seed. This is for the Agricultural Department.

Requirement of the industry.

What the *tussar* weaving industry requires is a fly-shuttle mechanism for working *tussar*. I have tried several dodges myself, but have not been successful. Infructuous efforts to introduce fly-shuttle loom were made at Bhagalpur. One weaver of the Mourbhanj State, Bamdeb Uriya, is asserted to have succeeded; but I could not get this verified. The weavers of Kalipur Kodiya in Birbhum district succeeded only with a cotton warp and *tussar* weft. The complaint is that the reeds of the sley fray the threads of the warp. The remedy may be in a device in the loom, or in improved spinning. This is a problem for the new Government weaving institute to solve.

Mixed cotton and silk.

Under the head of *tussar*, can be considered *bafta* or mixed cloths. This is associated with Bhagalpur. A cotton *chadar* costs Re. 0-10 to Rs. 5 and lasts for two years; a *bafta chadar* costs Rs. 3-8 to Rs. 15, and lasts five to six years. In Champanagar I found that the *mahajans* were sweating the local craftsman; about eight annas was the labour return for four days work. In Bhagalpur itself the Bihar Trading Company under Kabir Ahmad Khan of Mujahidpur is doing good work in advertising and circulating samples, issuing new designs to the weavers, and in financing them without extortion. This is a method which the middle class capitalist might follow with advantage where there is any colony of weavers who are at present following individualistic methods of purchase of yarn and sale of material The Bihar Trading Company have customers in Bombay and Burma, in Bengal and the Deccan; and they have received orders from Europe. I sent several large samples to a leading, wholesale piece-goods merchant in London; but there was no demand there. From enquiries I believe that there may be a demand in Spain for this class of goods.

Woollen Goods and Blanket Making.

Origin of blanket weavers.

The position is the same as in 1890. The blanket weavers are principally to be found in the Bihar districts. The *gareri* colonies in Bengal have migrated from Bihar and the United Provinces. For instance those near Bankura came from Gaya district, those in Midnapore came from the Upper Provinces, those in Jessore came from Arrah. The centres from which most of the good exports are sent to Calcutta are Aurangabad in Gaya districts, and Jangipur sub-division of the Murshidabad district, where the blankets cost from seven to eight rupees each. In the Aurangabad sub-division of the Gaya district the industry is in a flourishing condition. The country-made blanket loses about one-third of its size during the wetting and rubbing process. The best blankets are those made from pure Punjab wool by up-to-date machinery under European supervision in Bhagalpur jail. The bullock transport during the South African war obtained some of these warm coverings from Bhagalpur jail. In Bankura I found that a single worker could turn out a blanket costing one rupee eight annas in a day and-a-half. His labour would be represented by five annas. The weavers usually own their own herds of sheep and do the shearing, scutching, rolling, spinning and weaving themselves. In the monograph of woollen fabrics in Bengal prepared by Mr. N. N. Banerjei (1899), detailed information is given regarding the processes of manufacture and in an appendix the distribution is given, thana by thana, of the industry throughout the province. The first suggestion for improvement is obviously that there should be improved breeding of the sheep which produce the wool, but the Bihar districts still wait any improvement in this direction. As regards the improvement in weaving itself, Mr. Banerjei stated that the country blanket was cheap, warm and durable and produced at a minimum expense and that, as the trade had no prospect of suffering from outside competition, it might well be allowed to remain untouched. I think, however, that in the production of the superior qualities, such as the 6′×7′ blanket costing from ten or twelve rupees and prepared in the Jangipur and Aurangabad sub-divisions, there is room for the small capitalists who might extend the market for finer qualities and introduce further variety of designs. I learnt that at Nabinagar in Gaya district the *gareri* can only dye red, yellow and brown, and for black they have to depend upon the naturally dark wool of the black sheep. Then again they have to depend for soft wool on the *phagun* cutting. They say that they would like to learn how to make soft blankets. If there were a superintendent of industries, he could arrange to have some men sent to Cawnpur for training. The ordinary *gareri* colonies, whom I found settled in Bengal, were happy, self-reliant and self-contained.

Possible improvements.

Carpet Weaving.

Industry in the Bihar districts.

In Mr. Collin's report it was stated (paragraph 40) that carpets were made in Patna City, in Obra and Daudnagar in Gaya district, at Sasaram in Shahabad district and in Muzaffarpur district. No recommendations were made under this head. This industry was the subject of the monograph for 1905-06, to which, as it is a recent production, reference should be made by those interested in the subject. The industry does not flourish in Bengal proper, as the climate is not suitable for sheep rearing. The work is still carried on in the Patna Division in Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur and Champaran districts.

Mr. N. G. Mukerji, the compiler of the monograph, has pointed out that it is very doubtful whether the industry would have lived at all in its higher branches, but for the encouragement given in jails. I find that in the following jails there is some work:—Arrah, Chapra, Motihari, Chaibassa, Purulia, Hazaribagh, Patna, Bhagalpur. The jails employ new thread, well-made forks, English shears and upright looms in nearly all cases.

The *kalins* and *galichas* are made by knotting in the warp, tuft by tuft, the material of the pattern: in *durris* and *shatrangis*, the pattern is woven in the loom. At Obra, in Gaya district, I found that the good workers were 20 men in four

families. The weavers make, as pot-boilers, cheap and nasty *durris*, called *asans*, which they sell at from one anna upwards. In these they earn as profit about 3½ annas per rupee. But they can make beautiful carpets, with delicate design, heavy pile, and indigenous colouring, at Rs. 8 or Rs. 8-8 per square yard. Very few except Europeans in South Bihar give them orders or pay them at this high rate. In their second-rate work they use aniline dyes because such dyes are cheap. What they require is publicity, both in Bihar and in Calcutta. In Calcutta they are judged by the fifth rate articles which they export. As they have no capital, they work on advances and are dilatory. Their daily earnings are two to four annas. If private speculators were to run the whole business, and placed their good workmanship in the market, there would be room for a good profit. In Sasaram, in Shahabad district, the *durri* weaver can earn Rs. 7 and the *kalin* weaver Rs. 12 a month. They are not very prosperous. In Champaran the cotton work is partly done from locally grown cotton. In Muzaffarpur the workers earn about Rs. 3 to Rs. 4 a month. At Sultanganj in Patna City, one Sain Mia, about twenty years ago, conceived the idea of using the ordinary country loom for the manufacture of *durris*. The *karga durri*, as it is called is now manufactured in large quantities. This is a rare instance of improvement in an industry owing to the ingenuity or enterprise of a worker. The weavers in Patna earn from Rs. 7 to Rs. 12 a month; but they have not been able to raise the selling price of their goods with the general rise of prices. The large *shatrangi* is dying out at that place.

Publicity required.

The invention of the *karga durri*.

Mr. Mukerji has several suggestions; but to my mind nothing much can be done, unless a capitalist works, for example, the whole of the Obra industry. At present the Gaya District Board and the local exhibitions give some assistance: much is due to the patronage of Europeans. The suggestions are as follows:—

(1) There should be show rooms at central places; (2) only the best materials should be used; (3) scholarships at the expense of wealthy zamindars should be given for the study of the superior methods at Bikanir, Mirzapur, Bhawalpur and Warangol; (4) only indigenous dyes should be used; (5) local enterprise should start factories, utilising men trained in jails; (6) the best jail methods should be employed; (7) advertisements and encouragement should be given at the local fairs. Mr. Jvala Pershad, who wrote the monograph for the United Provinces in 1907, pointed out the importance of fairs and exhibitions to take the place of the art of advertisement.

Mr. Mukerji's recommendation.

Pottery and Earthenware.

The potter is proverbially not particularly intelligent: he is parsimonious and self-centred. Hence much improvement cannot be expected from his class. The village manufacture of earthen utensils is much the same as it was in 1890. The works of Messrs. Burn & Co, at Raniganj, in Burdwan district, though employing over 1,100 workmen, have not had any appreciable affect on the work of the potter outside: the boys who are trained in modelling there work on as journeymen. The chief work of the firm is still the manufacture of bricks, tiles and drain-pipe of the annual value of about seven lakhs. Brick burning up to 800 million bricks, in the year, is a leading industry in the Serampore subdivision of Hooghly district. The pottery works at Kaliganj in Khulna, continue to enjoy popularity. A superior quality of water pots is made at Kanthalia, in Murshidabad district. There is a large export of pottery from the Ghatal subdivision in Midnapore district. In the Bihar districts, pottery is of importance in Sewan, Samastipur and Sasaram subdivisions. The pottery of Sasaram is flourishing; that of Sewan requires a more extensive market. In the south of Sasaram subdivision at Banjari is an up-to-date manufactory, run by electric power, where Messrs. Octavius, Steel & Co. manufacture earthen tiles and wooden bobbins. The industry is prosperous and capable of development. The manufacture of earthen vessels as ordinary household articles, is, of course, carried on everywhere. There is a special development in the manufacture of flower pots in the south of Calcutta. I have never seen finer firing than that of B. C. Pal & Sons, at 20, Diamond Harbour Road.

No change in country pottery.

Manufacture of articles from china clay.

The chief development since Mr. Collin's report, is the manufacture of white porcelain from kaolin. Mr. Collin said the difficulty was to find the proper clay. Deposits of decomposed felspar or kaolin have been found at Mangalhat, between the Taljhari and Rajmahal railway stations in the Sonthal Parganas. This was worked privately in 1902-03, but not successfully. It has been taken up again with much success by the Calcutta Pottery Works, 45, Tangra Road, Calcutta, which are the result of the enterprise of Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandi of Kasimbazar, and Babu Baikantha Nath Sen of Berhampore. This firm is a good example of what is required in Bengal for indigenous development. It has sufficient working capital; it has its own coal and its own raw material; it has a ceramic expert in Mr. S. Deb, who studied at the Higher Institute of Technology in Tokyó, Japan; it has up-to-date German and English machinery, and up-to-date furnaces with the best of Stourbridge fireclay bricks; it has found a local market, as well as an export market, in ink-pots, gallipots, insulators, cups, saucers and plates, and even dolls. It is a curious development to find in Calcutta, as the product of Indian labour, such a western product as a chinaware doll dressed in European clothes. I have shown the firm what are the white porcelain articles which are required by the Medical Store Department at Calcutta and the Pasteur Institute at Kasauli, and have placed the firm in touch with these departments. The firm might be able to manufacture according to these specifications. The Government departments named are willing to purchase locally if the quality and price do not compare unfavourably with the imported articles.

Others have taken up the manufacture of kaolin. The works of the Bengal Pottery Works, Limited, are at Baranagar and the show-room is at 20, Cornwallis Street. This company has only Rs. 5,000 paid up out of Rs. 20,000 advanced capital, and suffers accordingly. A factory which has only six workman cannot be expected to do very much. Cups, saucers and small china ornaments are made, but I regret to have to say that the workmanship is extremely bad. This firm gets its supply of clay material from the Calcutta Pottery Works and its glazing material from abroad. The work was started by Babu Satya Charan Bose, who is now the managing agent. Another small attempt is the Eureka Porcelain Works, started at Giridih by Mr. M. N. Dutt, under the patronage of Mr. Justice Sharfuddin. Mr. Dutt had first-hand knowledge of such work in South-East China. The material is obtained from Garanji, 36 miles from Giridih, discovered in 1903. Both these enterprises, however require further outlay of capital, and a defined market for their goods.

Glazing now possible in Bengal.

Kaolin has also been found in the Orissa Garjats, and in Belaur in Gaya district. It is also called china clay. Sir Thomas Holland, F.R.S., the Director of the Geological Survey, was good enough at my request to depute Mr. Murray Stuart of the Geological Survey to examine locally these kaolin deposits. The experience of the Calcutta Pottery Works is very hopeful for the future of this real *swadeshi* industry. The chief thing is that Mr. Deb has succeeded in producing a glaze. Bengal has previously not had the skill or the appliances for the special form of vitrification required. Sir William O'Shaughnessy as long ago as 1839 investigated the question of the production in India of glazed pottery, sufficient for use in Indian hospitals. He used lime-borate. It would be useful and probably economical if the felspar glazing in the up-to-date kilns of the Calcutta Pottery Works could produce locally an article, which at present has to be imported by scientific departments Mr. Collin in 1890 wrote that the potters of Bengal did not understand the art of glazing. The difficulty in Bengal is to find clay which will be sufficiently free from iron. Mr. T. N. Mukharji in his Monograph on Pottery in Bengal in 1895 wrote that glazing was all but unknown. In fact, in Bengal, pottery is almost entirely terra cotta, that is, plain unglazed ware.

The kind of articles manufactured and the methods of manufacture are described at pages 5 to 9 of the above monograph. The best potters are those on the banks of the Bhagirathi in the Burdwan district, where the clay is specially suited. The only suggestion I have for indigenous manufacture is the extension in the Bihar districts of the form of potter's wheel used in parts of Bengal. The Bihar wheel, the ancient "rota," is solid; the

improved Bengali wheel has a heavy periphery attached by spokes to the central hub. The latter is mechanically more efficient.

The import trade.

The imports of earthenware and porcelain have risen in the last five years from 9½ lakhs to 14½ lakhs, and the feature of the trade is the increase from Germany and Austro-Hungary and the decrease from Belgium. The United Kingdom supplies over a third of the total.

CARPENTRY.

Decline of the Hindu carpenter in Bengal.

Carpenters are found scattered all over the province, and, except in the case of cabinet and furniture making, carpentry is not a centralized industry. There has not been much change in the disposition of the workmen throughout the province since 1890. There has, however, been a change in the character of the work and in the class of workmen. In Calcutta, Hindu carpenters formerly were in the ascendency; but, owing to the fact that youths of the younger generation are frequently not apprenticed to the trade, but encouraged to be clerks, the Hindu carpenters are giving place to Muhammadan and Chinese carpenters. I find the same complaint from a large private employer like Messrs. Lazarus and Company, as well as from a large Government workshop like the Kidderpore Dock-yard. Mr. John Wallace, the editor of *Indian Textile Journal* in a recent article in *Cassier's Magazine* on the industrial regeneration of India has mentioned that the chief faults of the Indian carpenter are his neglect of accurate measurement, his carelessness with regard to the efficiency of his tools, and his lack of perception of the value of time as a factor in the execution of work. This fault of unpunctuality, I may note, is attributed specially to the carpenter in the people's proverbs. The carpenter's saw, Mr. Wallace adds, is in such a bad order that he cuts tenons as a rule with a mallet and chisel, and his ignorance of gauges renders him unable to make even twenty articles exactly alike; also the carpenter rarely knows what size of nail or screw is required on a given job, whilst his screw is always too small. The carpenter has to be taught to measure accurately, to use sharp tools, and to cut to the mark. In Calcutta under European supervision the workmen of Messrs. Lazarus and Company conform to these axioms and the firm of the Chatterjee Furnishing Company, 52-7, Bowbazar, have an equally high standard, but much of the ordinary bazar work is scamped. There is apparently no inducement for the ordinary worker to follow a high standard. A good carpenter can earn in Calcutta from ten annas to one rupee a day, and on piece-work a good man might earn even as much as Rs. 40 a month. As regards the quality of the work, it is, of course, a question of cost; it depends upon how much people are willing to pay for good articles. At Dinapore the quality of the furniture mentioned by Mr. Collin is still good and the prices are reasonable, but not cheap. At Ghatal I found plain rough carpentry, which was just what was desired and what the people were willing to purchase. Mr. Collin pointed out that the supply of improved tools and the supply of designs were two essentials for improvement. I find that the workmen appreciate good tools when they can afford to pay for them. And the country-made rope bit is as efficient for ordinary work as the more expensive English bit turned by means of a bitstock. The native lathe with its double rope ends should, however, be supplanted by a rope pulley which would work continuously when driven by a large wooden wheel. This kind is to be found outside Bengal, in Cawnpore and in Madras. As for design, much improvement has been made by Europeans in the Bihar districts; they have retained carpenters whom they cause to copy designs and turn out articles with high finish. In Madhupur near the town of Monghyr I found a carpenter who worked from an old catalogue of Messrs. Lazarus and Company, and a catalogue of an English wholesale furniture manufacturer. His work was apparently appreciated by well-to-do Indians. He is bringing up his boy in his business. In a decentralised industry it is difficult to introduce the leaven which will leaven the whole lump. I have, however, suggested in my report on industrial education that there should be good schools of carpentry at Cuttack, Gaya and Bettiah, but the difficulty is to obtain instructors who will be superior to the bazar *mistri*. But I have found that there are carpenters with a high

degree of skill in Cuttack and in the Bihar districts, and such could be recruited if the pay were sufficiently attractive. It must be remembered, however, that it is the work-shops under European control which are the real centres of technical instruction. But the men trained in such workshops remain as a rule with their employers, and consequently do not extend their training to their countrymen. Carpentry is the most common form of industrial employment taught by the Missionary agencies. The best results are those obtained by the Oxford Mission Industrial School at Ballyganj in Calcutta and the Hatchapra Church Missionary Society Industrial School at Hatchapra in the Nadia district. The youths trained at these schools are encouraged to earn their livelihood at the craft. Much good can be done by the insistence on the teaching of drawing to scale in all industrial schools. As Mr. Nathan has remarked in his review of the progress of education in India (1898-1902), it is a poor testimony to the efficiency of industrial schools in Bengal that, although carpentry is the principal object of instruction, the native carpenter of Calcutta does not hold his own against his Chinese rival. The Hon'ble Mr. F. A. Larmour in the Bengal Council on the 4th April 1908, stated that the Bengali carpenter gets small wages, but that he earns for his employer even less than he gets, that he takes little or no interest in his work, and if not carefully watched will scamp his job. So the Hon'ble Member emphasized the necessity for some system of training that will improve the status of the Indian mechanic.

Real centres instruction.

This trade furnishes a good opening for middle class capitalists outside Calcutta. They should have some machine plant driven by mechanical power, such as a band saw planing and morticing machines; they should make use of the services of existing carpenter *mistris* in places like Burdwan, Cuttack, Gaya, Monghyr, Bettiah, Muzaffarpur; they should insist on good quality and should advertise, as the successful shops in Bowbazar, Calcutta, have done. But a master-carpenter should also have skill and knowledge, which is best acquired by the unpalatable drudgery of a regular apprenticeship I have tried without success to get middle class youths apprenticed to the carpentry trade.

Suitable sites and methods for development.

Mat-making and Basket Ware.

The details given in paragraph 22 of Mr. Collin's report still hold good. If there has been any change, it is in the improved exports in the Kishanganj sub-division of the Purnea district, by the opening of the Barsoi Extension. Mats and palm-leaf braids are manufactured at Falta and Diamond Harbour in the 24-Parganas district and are exported to Calcutta for sale. There is some centralised mat-making in Jessore district, Nuddea district, Sitamarhi sub-division and throughout Orissa. The industry in the Sabang and Panskura thanas of Midnapore district gives employment to about a thousand workers; as much as one thousand to two thousand rupees is paid on each *hát* day at each of the four recognised local markets. There have been increased exports, but the profits have not correspondingly increased on account of the increase in the prices of jute string and of the *mandari* reeds. The industry is a flourishing one. The workers have a steady cash market close to their own homes. There are four leading dealers who export goods to Postabazar in Calcutta. The workers told me that they were quite ready to adopt new designs, but they asked what pecuniary benefit this would be to them. Mr. Collin suggested in paragraph 78 that this was one of the special home industries which might be assisted by the establishment of classes, and he specially suggested the above mentioned localities in South Midnapore. He said, however, that the subject was one perhaps for private enterprise. I agree with Mr. Collin that there is no reason why India should not export a large quantity of fancy and useful basket ware. But I do not think that we can do more than call the attention of private enterprise to the possibility in this direction.

An opening for private enterprise.

Curing, Tanning and Leather Work.

In 1890, Mr. Collin drew attention to the curing of leather in a few factories in Calcutta, and to the small manufacturing work done in Calcutta, Patna and Darbhanga.

Changes since 1890.

Since then, there have been phenomenal exports of hides and skins from Bengal. There was till 1907 an extraordinary world demand for leather, and so the Indian market was exploited to the full. Motor cars, change of taste in boot leather, and the boom in the cotton industry, all contributed as causes. In December 1906, an expert called attention to the scarcity of hides. In 1907 there has been a strong reaction.

Exports.

The exports from Calcutta are instructive:—

	1900-1905. Average.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.
Raw hides	311	448	554	380
Raw skins	192	327	255	176
	503	775	809	556 lakhs.

The prohibitive rates against tanned goods on the Continent and America prevent any export. England is the only country to which there is an export of tanned goods.

Imports.

The imports of boots and shoes from abroad into Calcutta were as follows:—

1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.
9·01	9·56	12·86	10·93	6·41	9·40 lakhs.

The "boycott" movement contributed to the fall in 1906-07. The imports of leather other than boots and shoes consist of unwrought leather, saddlery and harness, and other sorts. There was a decrease in imported saddlery also:—

Imports (in lakhs) of—	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.
Unwrought leather ...	2·66	2·08	2·29	2·21	2·42
Saddlery	2·13	2·35	2·19	1·94	1·67
Other Sorts	2·94	3·36	3·23	3·24	3·34

The present moment is propitious in Bengal for the increased local manufacture of leather goods for local consumption, not for export; and this consumption includes both country shoes and shoes of European pattern.

Special enquiry directed by Government in 1907.

The committee appointed by the Government of Bengal in 1904 to consider industrial education in Bengal, resolved that the fact that there was a large export of uncured hides should be brought to the notice of Government, so that enquiries might be instituted. In consequence of this Mr. E. R. Watson, M.A., F. C. S., Indian Educational Service, has recently prepared two valuable reports in connection with the leather industry, one concerning the curing, the other concerning the tanning of hides. These reports have been circulated to many associations and individuals who are likely to be interested in the industry. These reports are full and suggestive. I give below my own views.

Curing of hides.

As regards curing, Mr. Watson's proposals are two-fold, to give publicity to the artificial state of the Calcutta hide trade, in which the advantage to the seller is almost in favour of badly cured hides, and to set a good example by starting a demonstration curing department under Government auspices. For the first object the Calcutta hide merchants are to be asked through the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to form an association of hide buyers. This I think should be done; such an association would be analogous to the associations recognised by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce (see page 95, Report of 1906, Vol. I), such as the Jute Fabrics Shippers' Association and so on. Still the

proposal has been mooted before without success, and all the hide buyers are not enthusiastic. And next, the principal associations of tanners in Europe and America, it is proposed, should be addressed in order that the requirements of the tanning trade might be more carefully attended to by the collecting and distributing trade. On this I would suggest that the Bengal Chamber of Commerce might be requested to make this reference, rather than that Government should do so itself.

As regards a demonstration department at Tangra on the east of Calcutta, which would be the means of the second object—to show the correct method of curing—I think that this is feasible; but I suggest that it would be better if the actual work of buying, curing and selling were done by a private firm with the help and under the advice of the expert appointed by Government. I have sounded the firm who have the lease of the *bhagar* under the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality. Sheikh Nabi Buksh was a sorter for Messrs. Thomson, Lehzen & Co., and Munshi Ramzan Ali, his brother, was a buyer for Messrs. Cohn Brothers and Fuchs. These are practical men. I suggest, as Mr. Watson does, that Government should acquire a site, and erect sheds, and appoint and pay a supérintendent; but that an agreement should be made with this firm, that they should try and sell, but that the flaying and curing should be done under the advice of a Government superintendent. The methods proposed by Mr. Watson could be adopted; to flay without scoring, and to cure with Madras sea salt. The firm have told me that they would work under these conditions. Mr. Watson thinks no butcher or *chamar* would allow a Government instructor to interfere in the curing of hides, which were the butcher's or *chamar's* own property. Perhaps not in the case of small men; but these men are not small men. The advantage is, if the scheme could be worked, that the proof of commercial success is at once apparent, whereas if Government financed the buying and selling, it might be not so practical a demonstration. If Tangra be not considered a suitable site, it might be possible to start such a demonstration curing department at a local centre of the hide trade, such as Patna.

After further personal enquiries in Darbhanga district, I do not favour the proposal of Mr. Watson to start a hide collecting agency in the north of Darbhanga district directly under Government control. The improvement in curing, I consider, must be made by the insistence on a better cure by the large firms acting through their mufassal agencies. Messrs. Schröder, Smidt and Company have improved curing in this way, and Messrs. Ralli Brothers, who have recently taken up Muzaffarpur district, might do the same. It is a matter which concerns the self-interest of the exporters. The Collector of Customs has reported that during 1907-08 there were complaints on the part of German and Austro-Hungarian tanners regarding the systematic manner in which some Calcutta trade shippers have been lowering the standard of their assortments.

Tanning of hides.

Turning now to the tanning of hides, I find that Mr. Watson's recommendation completely tally with the results of my own enquiries. There has always been some tanning done in Calcutta and the suburbs—perhaps up to five lakhs a year. The oldest firm is Messrs. J. Teil and Co., of Kidderpore. There are four places outside of Calcutta where tanning has been taken up in recent years. Mr. Madhu Sudan Das, C.I.E., has the Utkal Tannery at Cuttack, which has a retail depôt in College Street, Calcutta. He gets the hides principally from the Orissa Tributary States, has a German tanning expert, and a English practical boot-maker from Messrs. Cooper, Allen & Co., Cawnpore, and lately was turning out about 400 or 500 pairs a month. Mr. Bipra Das Pal Chaudhuri, who has in other things shown enterprise in advance of his countrymen, has a small factory at Maheshgunj, Nadia district, with a local agency at 7, Mirzapur Street, Calcutta; has as manager, Babu Sisir Bose, who studied for a time under Mr. Chatterton in Madras; and makes a speciality of chrome-tanning. Dr. Nil Ratna Sircar has the National Tannery,—a small chrome-tanning business, near No. 4 Bridge, in Beliaghatta, with a retail shop at 66-2, Harrison Road. This place is to be used as a training ground for students of the Bengal Technical Institute. All these three gentlemen are directors of a new Boot and Equipment Factory Company, Limited, which has been started at Agra in the United Provinces by amalgamation with the Steuart Factory Company of Pandit Mohan Krishna

Dhar. It was at first proposed that the new company should acquire the factories at Cuttack and Maheshganj, but this idea has been since dropped. This company have engaged Mr. P. A. Taher, B.A., a young Muhammadan of Hooghly district, who has had a specialised training on tanning and leather work in America. It would therefore appear that the advice of Mr. Watson, namely, to make known the desirability of establishing tanneries in Bengal, would be taken if it were published. At Bankura, Ranchi and Muzaffarpur I have suggested to local people that there is a hopeful future for tanneries and factories if they be started where there are (1) a hide market, (2) a supply of the raw material for tanning, (3) good water, (4) a cheap supply of labour and (5) local colony of *chamars* or *muchis*. At the same time I fully recognise the prejudices which must necessarily exist amongst the Hindu community against this industry. And my efforts to bring capitalist and expert together, for instance, at Bankura, have not been so far successful. But I fully approve Mr. Watson's recommendations that the Government of India should be asked to establish a branch Army Supply Harness and Saddlery Factory in Bengal, that the establishment of local tanneries be encouraged, that the patronage of the Bengal Government, say for example, in foot-wear for constables and warders, should be given to local factories, and that scholarships be given by Government to youths desirous of studying at Madras or at Cawnpore, or, I would add, of going abroad under the auspices of the Association for the Advancement of Scientific and Industrial Education of Indians. For such scholarships I would suggest Rs. 50 a month, for two years at Cawnpore, or for one year at Madras; and Rs. 50 a month for two years in Europe or America.

Requisite for tanning in Bengal.

Tanning materials.

The difficulty about curing may right itself with the help of a little practical instruction from Government. But the chief difficulty about tanning is in the supply of a cheap and plentiful tanning material. The chief material used in Bengal and Upper India is the *babul* bark (*acacia arabica*). The Cawnpore manufacturers complain that they have to go further afield for their bark: the President of the Upper India Chamber of Commerce has suggested that the bark used in Madras known as the tanner's cassia (*cassia auriculata*) should be cultivated in Upper India. The myrobalan plant (*terminalia chebula*) is found in Chota Nagpur districts. An extract from the fruits is prepared by the Bengal Tanners and Dyers Extract Co. of Raniganj and exported. The Nadia Tannery at Maheshganj uses myrobalan fruits and Madras bark, as well as chrome salts. The Cuttack tannery uses vegetable bark, and so do all the Calcutta tanners. Mr. Hooper, F.I.C., F.C.S., of the Indian Museum, suggests that in Bengal the Australian wattle bark (*acacia decurrens*) should be cultivated. *Babul* bark gives only 16 per cent. of tannin, while the *cassia auriculata* gives 23 per cent., *terminalia chebula* 28 per cent. and *acacia decurrens* 33 per cent. The present problem is, however, not the cultivation of tannin for export; the English and Continental tanners will not change their tanning agents readily. The problem is the tanning of some of the hides for local leather manufacture, and the simplest course is to increase the quantity of the tanning materials which are locally procurable. The *babul* tree unfortunately is destroyed after use, whereas the South Indian agent, the *cassia auriculata*, gives a perennial crop. Doctor McCann's Monograph on the Dyes and Tans of Bengal was prepared as long ago as 1883; neither that work nor Mr. Hooper's monograph of 1902 on tanning materials, nor the Bengal Monograph of 1904, Chapter VI on tanning materials, furnish the information which a practical tanner in Bengal wants, namely, a full and accurate account of the habitat of the *babul* and other local tanning agents. It is desirable that the Bengal Agricultural Department should make this enquiry, and should experiment in growing the trees which have been suggested. The Agricultural Ledger No. 9 of 1896 tells us that the *babul* is not a forest tree in Bengal, but a roadside and village tree.

Chrome-tanning.

As regards chrome-tanning, it is more independent of local conditions. The potassium chrome alum can be prepared by chemical manufactories in Bengal by the addition of sulphuric acid to a solution of potassium dechromate and by passing sulphur dioxide through the liquid. I visited the Government chrome-tannery in Madras. It has quite recently been enlarged, and those who wish to take up the industry,

should study there. Chrome-tanning is successful at the new Agra factory. Some good chrome-tanning was recently done in Musaffarpur, and exhibited at the Bankipore Exhibition in January 1908. From all I can gather, there appears to be a good future for chrome-tanning in Bengal.

At Bankura I came across a colony of leather workers, who supplied work to A. C. Roy, of Faujdari Balakhana, Tiretta Bazar, Calcutta, under the name of the Bankura Boot and Shoe Factory. The leather they received from the Bengal Tannery, Chowson Tannery and other firms in Calcutta. This business might be better organised, and they could do better work if they possessed wooden or metal lasts on which to work. I suggested to them an inexpensive expedient to take the place of a metal last. There is also a good opening for a leather factory at Dumka, where the craftsmen have some enterprise.

Mr. Rowland Chandra, who wrote the Bengal Monograph in 1904 has several recommendations. His remarks at page 24-26 should be studied by capitalists and others interested in the subject. I am sorry to find that the existence of this monograph was not even known to one who was in charge of a Bengal tannery. Mr. Chandra suggested amongst other things that young men should study abroad. Six have been sent by the Scientific Association in Calcutta, and the industry was the second selection of the Bengal Government for the State technical scholarship in 1908.

Iron and Steel Work.

Insignificance of indigenous work.

Iron and steel work is a subject of the Provincial Monograph prescribed for 1907. It was prepared by Mr. E. R Watson, M.A., F.C.S., of the Indian Educational Service, and is still under issue. Mr. Watson has stated that the art of working in iron and steel in Bengal has from very remote times been indebted to the outside world for assistance, not only by ideas but by actual supervision and control of the workers by foreign experts, so that it becomes almost a question whether any part of the industry can be called indigenous. Machinery and engineering workshops are concentrated in Howrah and Calcutta. Iron foundries are in the same neighbourhood and in the Burdwan district. Practically all indigenous workers are Hindus, while the Mussalman workers in iron and steel are almost all confined to factories conducted on European lines. Mr. Watson's report is very full and interesting; and as it is quite up-to-date, those who desire detailed information, especially regarding statistics, should refer to it. As regards the outturn of indigenous work the country blacksmith is not capable of much improvement. He supplies cheap plain articles for which there is a local demand. A small beginning in improvement has been made by the extension of village schools in the Chota Nagpur districts, specially in Hazaribagh. At Jhalda in Manbhum district I found that the workers were capable of doing much better work than they were doing. They require an extended market for their manufactures. A small capitalist might do a good business there. I tried to interest a local capitalist in this work. They should be induced to take up the manufacture of knives and scissors, instead of sword-sticks, the export of which has been stopped.

Cutlery.

There has been, I think, an extension of the manufacture of cutlery since 1890. I found Prem Chand Mistri whom Mr. Collin visited, still working at Kanchannagar near Burdwan. He has shown his enterprise by obtaining a small size oil engine for working his lathes. He is bringing up his son to follow him, and some of his workmen have been able to start for themselves. There is also good cutlery made at Shaspur, thirty miles from Bishnupur in Bankura district. One Makhan Kamar has taken to the use of an iron pedal lathe on the model of the sewing machine. A good workman can earn up to one rupee a day. I found that the best cutlery was made from old cast-off English files. Babu N. M. Bose, an educated young man in Muzaffarpur, has taken up the manufacture of surgical cutlery. Bechu Mistri and his son of Jagadispur in Shahabad district turn out work of the highest quality. I find cutlery taken up specially in Birbhum, Bankura, 24-Parganas, Khulna and Nadia. Superior nut-crackers (*jantis*) are made in Jangipur subdivision in Murshidabad, and in Satkhira subdivision in Khulna. Messrs. Khan and Co., of Sookea's Street, Calcutta, have a high reputation.

This cutlery trade furnishes an opening for the small capitalist. Improved mechanical appliances for filing and polishing are required, and a system of distribution of the completed product at a central place is essential.

Rice bowls.

The figures regarding the import of rice bowls from the United Kingdom into Calcutta should afford reflection.

1902-03	1903-04	1904-05	1905-06	1906-07
7	7·9	8·6	8	8 lakhs.

These cast-iron rice bowls are universally used, yet not one is made in Bengal. The people prefer them to the old wrought iron *karahis*, which are also more expensive. Only one private attempt has to my knowledge been made in Bengal to manufacture these thin globular castings. The Principal of the Sibpur College, Mr. B. Heaton, suggests that the problem of making these thin castings in this country should be attempted to be solved by experiment in the workshop of the Sibpur College.

Steel trunks.

The manufacture of steel trunks has become very popular within the last three or four years. It owed its birth in Patna six years ago to Muhammadans from Allahabad. Mansudan Brothers started the Bihar Trunk Works in 1904 at Bhagalpur; and a man who learnt the art in a Calcutta shop has started in Khagra, at Berhampore. Murshidabad district has four factories altogether. These small factories are doing well and the prices are cheaper than those of English-made goods. The Berhampore man has agencies both in Rampur Boalia and in Calcutta. Although the sheet metal has to be imported, yet this is an industry which might be taken up by small capitalists in the same way as has been done by the Berhampore man. He has good material, good workmanship and good distribution. The Arya Factory of 107, Machua Bazar Road, Calcutta, turns out good articles. Importers such as Messrs. Alexander Young and Company are now putting in the market ready-made corner pieces. This is a convenience as the machinery for stamping dies locally would be rather expensive. Manufacturers can obtain the plant for ridging the steel sheets from Messrs. T. Rhodes and Son of Wakefield, England. I found that neither the Patna nor the Bhagalpur manufacturers were reaching the market which exists at their own doors. A dealer at Madhubani in Darbhanga district was obtaining his goods from Allahabad. The reason was that the Patna goods were not sufficiently well finished. I advised the Bhagalpur firm to make their hinges and locks stronger. Another word of warning is that these manufacturers should resist the temptation to produce inferior articles. Since the industry started, some manufacturers have been using sheets of a 102-lbs to the bundle instead of 112.

Iron-safes.

Another form of iron industry is open to the small capitalist, viz., the manufacture of iron-safes. There is one enterprising blacksmith in village Lohani, thana Kushtia, who since 1905 has been manufacturing iron-safes at a cost of fifty rupees to one hundred rupees. Messrs. Das and Company, Chitpur, have had for some time a reputation in this class of work.

Guns.

Mr. Collin gave a full account of the manufacture of guns at Monghyr. The industry still thrives in Cossimbazar, Monghyr, so called after the Nawab who brought a carpenter from Delhi for making gun stocks, from which small beginning this gun industry arose. There used to be 22 shops, but there are now only 13. The annual outturn of guns and pistols rose from two thousand in 1890 to three thousand in 1897. At present the number manufactured annually is about eight hundred. It is really wonderful what fine results can be obtained by means of the crudest of methods and the simplest of appliances. The gunsmiths complained of loss of custom; but they appear to be sweated by the wholesale Indian firms in Calcutta, about six in number, who buy their guns at eight to ten rupees for a

single-barrel and fifteen to twenty rupees for a double-barrel gun. The guns made to order fetch higher values according to their quality. A single-barrel breech-loader costs locally thirty rupees, a double-barrel breech-loader fifty rupees. A good workman can earn as much as thirty rupees a month. Sudarsan Mistry has sometimes as many as 20 workmen. Mr. Collin suggested that the gun barrels should be tested before they were sold and pointed out that there could have been no difficulty in testing them in the same way as the water tubes of boilers are tested. This suggestion, however, was not accepted by the then Commissioner of Bhagalpur on the ground that it would be a needless interference with the industry. But I may be permitted to point out that the workmen themselves asked that an inspector be appointed. However, it has not been brought into notice in recent years that the bursting of Monghyr barrels has been so marked as to necessitate Government interference. Similar guns, but inferior in quality, are made at Jhalda in Manbhum district. The Government rifle factory at Ichapur is silently effecting a revolution in the teaching of Indian workmen. The most callow of labour material is being induced under skilled supervision and guidance to turn out the highest class of work in which accuracy is required.

Future progress in the manufacture of steel.

But the real future of the iron industry in Bengal depends upon the local manufacture of steel, and in Mr. Watson's words "the only pleasing side of the industry in this province is what we may call the 'modern industry,' namely, iron and steel work carried on in large works according to European methods" Mr. Watson proceeds to state:—"This industry is, of course, quite small, but it has developed very greatly within recent years, and its condition and future prospects appear very hopeful. And although there are only a few such, this province can boast of engineering works which in size and equipment compare very favourably with all but the largest works in England; and the Bengal Iron and Steel Works produce pig-iron in blast furnaces of the most up-to-date pattern." In fact it is the only province in which pig-iron is produced. As regards the manufacture of steel it is a melancholy sight to see plant to the value of a hundred thousand pounds sterling lying idle at Barakar. In the case of the Bengal Iron and Steel Works a subsidy to the extent of Rs. 45,000 a year, was granted by the Secretary of State in 1903, coupled with the provision that the material sold to Government should be three per cent. under normal prices. But no definite standing order for material was given. Government, however, is prepared to subsidise the Tata Iron and Steel Co., which has arranged to start operations in Bengal at Kalimati on the Bengal Nagpur Railway, to the extent of a standing order of twenty thousand tons of steel per year for ten years. The latter firm selected its site in Bengal after making the most detailed scientific preliminary enquiries. The Bengal Iron and Steel Co. in 1903-1904 laid down plant for the outturn of twenty thousand tons of steel per year; but in two years the total amount of orders from Government was only for six hundred tons altogether, requiring no fewer than seventy rolling sections and representing less than three tons per order. It is a matter for regret that in the case of the local firm the good will of Goverment was not converted into a tangible standing order. As Mr. Watson has stated, the production of steel from country pig appears to be the advance which above all others is now required in the local industry. In the manufacture of pig-iron there is surely something wrong when Indian requirements are met by orders from England, while the Bengal Iron and Steel Company have to seek a market outside of India in Australia. In 1906-07, 1,996 tons were sent abroad from Bengal, principally to Australia. The total production of pig at the works in that year was 39,246 tons. The proposed new works of the Tata Iron and Steel Company, at Kalimati are not noticed by Mr. Watson in his monograph. The works will have far reaching influences in Bengal. Coal in the Jherria field, iron in Gurumaishini in Mourbhanj, manganese and lime stone quarries in the Central Provinces have all been acquired. It is anticipated that at Kalimati will be prepared not only iron but steel joists and structural shapes, and all sizes and shapes of steel bars; and that within five years work will be available for 20,000 people. The meaning of this is apparent when it is stated that all the existing iron and steel and

engineering works in Bengal are estimated to give employment at present to only 40,000 men.

Work in Brass, Bell Metal and Other Alloys.

Stability of the industry.

This industry I have examined in considerable detail, and am able to say that there has been no decline; in fact it has, if anything, improved within the last ten years. Yet, although the industry is flourishing, I think much could be done in cheapening the cost of production. The monograph on brass was written by Mr. T. N. Mukharji in 1894. He gives an exhaustive list of places, showing the distribution of the industry throughout the province, and its concentration in the Burdwan Division. Mr. Mukharji, who has retired for several years, and who was the main spring of the Indian Industrial Association, tells me that he had not time for much local enquiry, and compiled most of his monograph from district reports. He has, however, kept in touch with industrial matters, and his present views are therefore, of interest. These are:—(1) The industry is not on the decline. (2) The enamelled ware has not been an altogether successful competitor, owing to the defects of the ware, the *swadesh* movement, and the views of orthodox Hindus about the use of iron as well as to the fact that old brass ware has always a market value. (3) But the industry might have been developed further; the high price of copper was one of the obstacles. The following figures are instructive:—

	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.
Imports of enamelled ironware into Calcutta in lakhs.	1·38	4·15	3·59	3·26	3·10
Imports of wrought brass into Calcutta in lakhs.	2·00	1·60	1·53	2·05	2·03

I find that the district reports of 1894 reported a decline owing to the import and use of enamelled ware and other ware made of zinc and tin. In 1898, the rise in the cost of living had affected the outturn. There was a strong fillip to the manufacture in 1905, but early in 1907 the price of the raw materials, especially copper, led either to dull trade or to an increase in the prices of the local products.

The industry is of importance in the following places:—

Centres of manufacture.

Calcutta.—Kansaripara, Chitpur, Bhawanipur.
Burdwan.—Kamarpara (Bonpas), Dainhat, Purbasthali, Matiari.
Bankura.—Bankura, Bishnupur, Patrasayer.
Birbhum.—Dubrajpur, Nalhati.
Hooghly.—Bansberia, Khamarpara.
Midnapore.—Chandrakona, Kharar, Ghatal, Ramjibanpur.
Nadia.—Ranaghat, Santipur.
Murshidabad.—Khagra, Jangipur.
Patna.—Patna.
Gaya.—Nabinagar, Daudnagar, Manpur.
Saran.—Sewan.
Darbhanga.—Jhanjharpur.
Monghyr.—Gidhaur.
Purnea.—Kishenganj.
Cuttack.—Cuttack.
Puri.—Balkati, Rathijima.
Balasore.—Balasore, Ramna.

Wages and organization in Bengal.

A perusal of the Provincial Monographs in brassware (written by Mr. Dampier for the United Provinces, Mr. Johnstone for the Panjab, and by Mr. Mahon for the Central Provinces) reveals a similarity to the conditions in Bengal, and specially the fact that the industry is not confined to *kansaris* or *thatheras*. All castes appear to

work at it. I found a *kayestha* fashioning a copper dish in North Calcutta; a *teli* manufacturing the well known Chandrakona horn; and in Berhampur I found *baydis* and *kaivarttas* handling bell-metal. The workmen are paid in most places at piece-rates per seer and per maund, and can earn from Rs. 15 to Rs. 19 a month in Bengal, and Rs. 10 to Rs. 15 in Bihar; and one hard worker in Bhawanipur, Calcutta, was getting up to Rs. 30. Labour rates vary from 1½ to 5 annas for beaten brass per seer, and 7 to 9 annas for cast metal. From some old figures of 1876, I find the master's return on his outlay for material and labour was 15 per cent. The figures given to me in 1907 in respect of plain beaten brass work showed a return of 20 per cent, but rent had to be paid out of that. This industry is better organized than any other in the province; and it is most highly organized at Ghatal and Kharar in Midnapore district. The masters there are enterprising and wealthy; they obtain the material in economically large quantities, tin from Straits Settlements and copper from Japan and so on; they distribute the labour; they pay by piece-work, and they have a steady demand from Bara Bazar in Calcutta. Krishnamani Paramanik and some others have more than 100 men in their factories. They told me that 4,000 at Kharar out of a population of 9,000 were metal-workers; the whole village resounds with the beat of the hammer on the bell metal. In Mr. Collin's report, paragraph 13, are mentioned the specialities of various places. To that list may be added Kharar for bell metal *thalis*; Ghatal for *garhus*; and Kansaripara, Calcutta, for large brass vessels.

Mr. Collin in the Industrial Survey, 1890, recommended: (1) the use of dies for stamping out the metal, (2) better hand lathes, and (3) plate moulding. His view then was, and it is mine:—"Existing processes are costly, and a great saving of hand labour might be effected by machinery." Mr. Bipra Das Pal Chaudhuri of Moheshganj and Calcutta, who studied mechanical engineering at Middlesborough, England, and has had practical experience of brass manufacture, has assured me that there is an opening in brass manufacture for the educated capitalist; for, on the one hand, the cost of raw material is falling, and on the other hand, there is an increased demand for good ware from those who can afford to pay for it. It should be remembered however, that the copper trade is subject to fluctuations; at present, the American mines have outstripped the demand, and Europe has became "gorged" with copper.

Moulding.

It seems to me that there is room for improvement in the (1) moulding, (2) hammering and (3) lathe work In moulding, there are three methods for the manufacture of the ordinary *lota*. In Balasore, a layer of wax is placed over an inner core, and an earthen mould over the wax. The wax is melted out and leaves a hollow space. In Bengal proper and at Mirzapur, United Provinces, the outer mould is made first in earth upon any old metal vessel; this mould is divided vertically in two halves, and the imprisoned pattern is then released and the parts joined again. Then the inner core is made by ramming earth inside the earthen outer mould. This core is taken out, scraped and dried, so that there is a space left for the casting. (Compare page 24, Brass Founder's Manual, Weale's Scientific Series.) In Bihar, a reverse method is followed: first, the inner core is laboriously made by additions of earth, and the core turned on an improvised lathe so as to take the shape required: next, the outer mould is made by plastering earth round the core, and the core is thinned again. The Bihar method has the merit that the artificer can make any shape he likes; but that is unnecessary, if articles of standard form are being turned out commercially. When I visited Madras, I found that method which is at present followed in Bihar was formerly followed there, but that it is now considered antiquated. The Orissa method is scientific, but expensive. The wax method is used also in making little models in Sambalpur and Gaya. In Bihar district the inner and outer mould are kept apart by little nail heads, except at Jamui and Gaya. There is also the method of making models, by making two matrices from a solid pattern, and placing the two together again. This is done at Gaya and Sambalpur.

Now I found only one man in the whole province who was making moulds from a special pattern, and even his next door neighbour was unaware of its merits. This man in Midnapore town had a very thin copper pattern made up of four pieces

which fitted into one another. This he had been using for twenty years, making both the core and the outer mould from the same pattern. This ensured accuracy and saved much time. In Madras I found that aluminium vessels were being cast from a pattern vessel, made in two vertical pieces. From this suggestion I had a pattern *lota* experimentally made for me at Alipur Central Jail. It consists of an ordinary *lota* cut into two vertical halves, the pieces being kept together by four small friction clutches. The Patna braziers admitted to me that this method would be better for them, and I am endeavouring to circulate this pattern.

Stamping from dies.

The next improvement is in the stamping from dies instead of hammering. A hydraulic press worked by hand power, costing about Rs. 300, can give a pressure of 10 tons per square inches and press plates, *thalis* or *rekabis*, up to 9 inches in breadth. I have asked an agent of a firm importing these articles, to show them to the leading manufacturers in Kharar and North Midnapore. The bottom portion of the large *gagras* in Kansaripara, Calcutta, could also perhaps be stamped out by this method. Mr. Bipra Das Pal Chaudhuri and Babu Tarakali Chatterjee started the use of dies many years ago, but gave them up. Dies should be tried again. There will not now be the same prejudice against them.

Lathe work.

In lathe work, it is not necessary that an improvement should necessarily mean steam power. In fact what can be tried first is an improvement on the hand lathe. At present one coolie, pulling a double-ended rope, gives a reciprocating movement to the axle, and there is thus waste of power at every reverse pull. What is used in Madras, might be copied in Bengal as a beginning. A large wooden wheel about the size of a cart wheel is propelled by a coolie holding a crank handle, and by means of a rope passing round the shaft of the lathe, communicates a continuous rotary motion. There is not only saving of time from the omission of the reverse pull, but by this device one coolie can work two lathes. This might be adopted at once in all the places where polishing is done on a factory system such as Khagra, Ghatal and Bankura. There is a further development, on which I am experimenting, in the use of a Romayne punkah machine for working this wheel.

If I had had more opportunity, I would have introduced these myself; I have circulated the ideas amongst many who are actually at work. The officer who may become Superintendent of Industries might very well push these methods by practical example. This will be more satisfactory than any system of teaching. I recommend that the big factories in Kharar, Kamarpara, Dainhat, and at Khagra should adopt power machinery, and that the smaller works should adopt improved hand methods.

Alloys.

In the making of alloys, we have nothing to teach the people, and they are themselves capable of adopting new ideas. For instance, about eight years ago at Bankura, they started making a nickel ware (1 part nickel, ½- or ⅓- zinc) which has a very fine polish; it is circulated in the neighbouring districts. But there is a want of enterprise in pushing wares in Bengal. Inferior Benares ware was being hawked about on the platform of Asansol station, in a district in which first class ware is produced. Where the work is organised, as at Kharar, the master workers should be induced to take up mechanical power; and at Sewan, at Patna and at Gaya, where the work is not organized, there is an opportunity for educated capitalists to organize the industry. It is not creditable to Bihar districts that there should be so large imports of Mirzapur ware.

Brass locks and telescopes.

Under the head of brass, I should like to notice the exceedingly good workmanship on brass locks turned out by the few families still left at Nataghar, near Sodepur, 24-Parganas, and in the manufacture of Newtonian telescopes carried out by Messrs. S. K. Dhar and Brothers, Hooghly. The present manager is Babu Gokul Nath Dhar. The first are artisans of the blacksmith class, who have once learnt in a European shop accuracy and neat finish and have never forgotten their training, and the other is a member of the educated middle class, who combines scientific knowledge with mechanical skill.

Glass Making.

No real progress in glass manufacture.

The constituents of glass are silica and alkali; both of these are obtainable in India, and the fire-clays for the furnaces and fuel are obtainable in this province, yet in spite of these advantages the manufacture of glass has not advanced beyond the rudest stages. The imports from the United Kingdom have remained almost stationary, whereas the imports from foreign countries, especially from Austria-Hungary, have steadily been increasing, until in 1906-07 the imports of glassware from that country into Calcutta were valued at Rs. 11·8 lakhs out of total glass imports of Rs. 38·2 lakhs.

In 1890 it was recorded that glass ware was made in Patna, Bhagalpur and in Calcutta. Simple vessels were made in the former place, and glass bangles at Bhagalpur and Patna. The material was river sand and impure carbonate of soda. In 1908 there is practically no manufacture of glass in the province. A few Muhammadans in Harrison Road, Calcutta, and in Lodikatra in Patna City, fashion simple articles by melting down broken glass. In Calcutta coarse pressed ware in the shape of ink bottles, medicine phials and small lamps are turned out by the thousand. The methods and patterns are of the simplest character.

Attempts in Upper India.

In Upper India, the manufacture of glass on a commercial scale has been attempted with some success at Rajpur, near Dehra Dun; at Ambala City; at Sekendra, Aligarh district; at Ahmedabad; and at Firozabad in Agra district. The Upper India Glass Works of Ambala City have a sample room in Harrison Road, Calcutta, and the factories of Rajpur, Sekendra and Ambala, as well as the Patna workmen sent exhibits to the Calcutta Exhibition of 1906. Now in Bengal proper there have been the Pioneer Glass Manufacturing Company, Limited, of Titagarh which worked from 1890 to 1899, and the works of the Indian Glass Company and later of the Bengal Glass Company at Sodepur from 1898 to 1902, both in the 24-Parganas district. I have visited the buildings of these two factories, now shut down, and have enquired regarding the cause of their failures, whereby several lakhs of rupees have apparently been spent to no purpose. The installation at Sodepur was found to have been most elaborate, while that at Titagarh was plainer but extensive. There were many minor causes; but the difficulty common to both was the supply of skilled labour for glass blowing in the climate of Bengal in the vicinity of Calcutta. For instance, it seems unfortunate that it should have been at the beginning of the hot weather in the valley of the Hooghly that the freshly imported European craftsmen should have started in a tropical country the trying occupation of glass blowing. It will be seen later that the Bombay expert, Mr. Wagle, has given his views regarding the difficulties and failures in Bengal and Upper India, and has held that many of the failures were preventable. The same has been said in Mr. Dobb's Monograph for the United Provinces (1895) as regards the experiments made at Jhelum (1877), Alipur (1879) and Bhagalpur (1882), all in Upper India.

Attempts in Bengal.

Mr. Wagle's enquiries in Bengal in 1904.

In 1900 the Bengal Government sent round samples of sand from the south of France and enquired whether similar sand for glass manufacture was available in Bengal. The Rajmahal sand mixed with potter's clay was found similar. Then in 1901 Sir Cecil Stevens suggested that the question of glass-making in Bengal might be investigated. Mr. N. B. Wagle, B.A. of Bombay, who had spent four years in Europe in practical glass-making, having worked as a journeyman in Blackfriars Glass Works in London and having studied at the University College, and at Newcastle, was appointed to prepare a report and to submit proposals for starting glass manufacture in Bengal. He had asked for Government assistance to tide over the interval of experience and research. His deputation extended from January to May 1904; but he did not submit his report until Government took strong measures. It was received two years afterwards, in February 1906. In the meantime Mr. Wagle had taken to other industries in the Gwalior State. I made an attempt to communicate with Mr. Wagle, but was informed from Gwalior that he had left India; and so his proposals for floating a joint-stock company could not be discussed with him. Nothing definite has yet been done on the basis of Mr. Wagle's report, but the

subject came before a conference which was held in March 1906 to consider a proposal for a technical college in Bengal. Raja Pyari Mohan Mukharji thought that there should be a class for glass-making, preferably at Barakar. The conference recommended that the industry should be encouraged and that Government grants be offered to persons already engaged in it to enable them to proceed to Europe or America to improve their knowledge and skill and that assistance be given to them for finding a market for the sale of their manufactures. [Mr. Oldham's letter dated 2nd April 1906, paragraphs 10 and 16 (iii).] These are my own independent recommendations, as will appear below.

Mr. Wagle's report.

Mr. Wagle's report is full and interesting; but, as far as Bengal is concerned, the prospects of glass manufacture do not seem hopeful. The report should be read by itself, but for the present purpose it may be summarised as follows:—raw material,—available in Bengal; labour,—difficult to procure; previous attempts,—unsuccessful, but failures due to preventable causes; market,—local productions should be only plain and simple, as they would have to compete with the cost-price dumpings of the Belgium and Austrian manufactures. My own enquiries confirm these conclusions.

Raw materials.

Quartz sand is available at Rajmahal with over 90 per cent of silicic acid, and at Barakar, at Giridih and at Titagarh with over 80 per cent of silicic acid. The Titagarh factory used Hooghly river sand, but it has over 3 per cent of oxide of iron. The Sodepur factory imported Belgium sand with 98 per cent of silicic acid and obtained quartz from near Sini with 97 per cent of silicic acid The perfect sand must be fine, uniform, angular and white. Alkalis have to be purchased in Bengal proper. In the United Provinces the existence of *reh* in the soil is more convenient, but the enquiry made by the Government of India about 1880 disclosed the fact that *reh* could not give pure glass, yet that in a good furnace it could give superior bottle glass. (See Agricultural Ledger No. 5 of 1902 regarding Alkali Compounds).

Labour.

The supply of labour is really the most important item; a sufficient number of skilled hands and foremen from the old factories could be collected for a new factory; but experience has shown that the climate of the plains of Bengal handicaps the workmen. The up-country men are stronger than Bengali workmen, but not so good.

Items of manufacture.

As for manufacture, the Sodepur firm selected soda-water bottles: the Titagarh firm undertook tumblers and bottles, at one time making in a day 10,000 bottles of all sorts. As Mr. Wagle has explained, the pressed ware is the kind which requires least skilled labour and this should be taken up by any new factory, though it has to meet the competition of the articles of third quality which are exported at nearly cost price from Austria and Belgium. This is the real difficulty to which Mr. Wagle alludes in pages 23-24 of his report. Government in the Medical Store Department import a considerable quantity of plain glass ware, which could be made in India, and, if the Indian article be, quality for quality, the more favourable in price, the Director would prefer to buy, and has authority to buy, the locally made articles. New American machines can, however, turn out twelve bottles a minute; and can press glass with great economy in portable hinged moulds.

Proposals in Bengal.

Babu Bihari Lal Pain of 71, Phear Lane Calcutta, who was one of the Directors of the Pioneer Glass Company at Titagarh, says he would be prepared to start again if Government would assist him to obtain an expert, and if Government give him patronage in the demand of Government stores. Messrs. F. W. Heilgers & Co., Calcutta, have no present intention of making a fresh start with the Sodepur factory. Mr. Saligram Singh, of Ghaighat, Benares City, who has studied glassware in Tokyo, Japan, is trying to float a company to start a glass manufactory near Barakar to prepare block glass for bangle-making and to prepare bottles and phials. This Barakar was the site which Mr. Wagle had proposed when considering the opening of a glass factory in Bengal. From the monographs on the subject we can glean some items of information for comparison's sake. Mr. T. N. Mukharji (1895) said that glass ware in Bengal was made only from English imported glass. In the Panjab, Mr. C. J. Hallifax (1892) wrote that only *churis* and bottles and chimneys

Suggestions from various reports.

were made from glass which was locally manufactured, but that only broken glass was used; and that it was an unimportant industry which could only be effectively and economically improved by manufacture on a large and permanent scale, but that it would continue as long as there was a demand for native-made *churis*. The story is the same in the Central Provinces (1905): only *churis* are made, and made from material obtained from the United Provinces. Mr. Dobb's monograph for the United Provinces (1895) suggested that what is wanted is that two practical glass blowers should proceed to a glass factory in England and in Wurtemberg, should return with a complete set of tools and appliances, and should be set up by Government as instructors. These views may be considered along with the recommendations of Mr. Wagle, which were: (1) imposition of a protective duty on glass imports; and (2) the buying over of one of the old concerns and its management under State guidance until it could be handed over to a private company. He also proposed: (*a*) certain concessions in railway freight; (*b*) Government patronage of products; and (*c*) free use of Government land.

Recommendations.

In India people are accustomed to get much done for them by Government; there is a fair cleavage of opinion as to whether Government should pioneer at all. But if Government is to pioneer at all, on full consideration I do not think that Government is justified in selecting this subject of glass. Compared with leather, for instance, it is less important. India cannot hope to make plate glass: and the market for articles for domestic ware is not so wide as in Europe, as brass and earthen vessels are the vessels for which the people generally have an affection. Mr. Wagle's expectation that glass ware will supplant metal ware (page 25) is, I am afraid, not likely to be realized. But though Government should not pioneer, and admittedly the previous failures in private enterprise are discouraging, yet the private capitalist even in Bengal has an opening. It is possible to make glass in Bengal, and there is a market for a certain quality; but the real difficulty is in the acquisition of skilled labour. If an arrangement could be made with the syndicate who control the use of the Owen's bottle-blowing machine, this difficulty could be overcome to some extent. I have consulted both those who started the original Pioneer Glass Factory and those who use glass commercially; they assure me that a glass factory should pay, that a little skilled labour from the Continent is necessary for a short time, and that bottles and pressed goods could be turned out at a profit. Hence this industry is recommended to capitalists. Mr. Alakh Dhari, the Secretary of the Ambala Works, in his paper before the Industrial Conference of 1906, emphasized the study of the business and commercial aspects of the industry. In the first place, the neighbourhood of Barakar, which Mr. S. N. Singh has selected, is probably as good as could be selected in Bengal. The climate is not as trying as in the neighbourhood of Calcutta, and Sini quartz, Damodar sand, and coal are obtainable. At the same time, Titagarh has its advantages, as it is close to the great distributing centre. As for the alkalis, both carbonate of soda and carbonate of potash are found in India, and the suggestion of utilising waste products from gas works and from the increasing number of soap factories deserves separate research. In the second place, Mr. S. N. Singh has had an expert's training, and his services should be utilized by some of his countrymen. It is not likely that amongst the new subjects to be selected for the Government of India technical scholarships, the art of glass-making may be included; but the Association for the Advancement of Scientific and Industrial Education of Indians might very well select glass-making as a subject. The record of the work of the Association is such (Special Report, Part I, Chapter V) that the Bengal Government might make a grant to the Association for this purpose, in furtherance of the proposals of the conference of March 1906; *e.g.*, Rs. 50 per month for two years. Out of the first 48 names in their list from 1905 to 1907 there is only one, Mr. W. N. Chaudhuri, who has taken up glass as a special subject, and that at the Cothen Polytechnic in Germany. He will probably return to India in 1909. Amongst the next list of 80 names for 1908 is one Upendra Nath Roy, of Chittagong, who has taken up the subject of glass manufacture. In the third place, the requirements of Government in the Medical Store and Telegraph Departments, and possibly in other departments, such as State Railways, could be met from locally-made articles. The management of the factory should ascertain the precise specification

required by these departments, and thus give quotations for each class of article landed in Calcutta. For example, I have learnt from the Director of Medical Stores that he would gladly give orders locally; and that he has an allotment for local purchases. There seems to be in India a market for 4, 6, and 8 oz. medicine bottles round and octagonal and for larger bottles 20 and 26 oz. If the local factory would supply the requirements of the Director of Medical Stores at rates which were no greater than the rates for imported goods, Government should be prepared to insist that the local goods were purchased. Government patronage cannot, however, very well go beyond this. A business-like local factory, which made articles within its capacity, should however, expect in addition the patronage of wholesale chemists and should be able to find a market for the ware amongst the Muhammadan population. Finally, I think that it is a pity that greater publicity is not given to information such as Mr. Wagle's report: it is even now not directly available to the private capitalist. It has been suggested to me that further experiments should be made; but I do not think this necessary. Such experiments would not cost less than Rs. 15,000: the result would be intelligible only to chemical experts. On the other hand, there seems to be no doubt that, given good material and suitable furnaces and annealing chambers, glass can be made in Bengal. As to whether it can be made at a commercial profit has not yet been properly tested, for neither the methods used nor the product selected have been appropriate.

I do not recommend a protective duty or pioneering in the case of the glass industry; but I suggest that encouragement in the way of Government patronage be fully given to any manufactory in Bengal which can make up to specification. I have endeavoured to explain to those concerned what material can be made in Bengal, and what are the requirements of Government departments, and to bring together expert and capitalist.

Chemical Industries.

Local manufacturing firms.

I have long thought that in analytical chemistry there is an opening for educated Bengal, provided accuracy could be obtained; and also in the manufacture of chemicals, if business enterprise accompany knowledge. There are no local manufacturers of chemicals beyond Messrs. D. Waldie & Co., of Konnagar, the Indian Pharmaceutical Works, 13, Upper Circular Road, and the Bengal Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Limited, 91, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta. The first well-known firm is mentioned by Mr. Collin as a manufacturer of acids, which it still is. The sulphur for the sulphuric acid has however to come all the way from Sicily. The firm also manufactures various salts, sulphates, manures, disinfectants and general chemicals. The factory was formerly in Chitpur: for 13 years it has been at Konnagar; although it is what might be called a *sradeshi* factory, yet it suffers from the lack of many items. Wooden barrels cannot be made out here and iron drums are indifferently made: bottles have to be imported: the only acid-proof jars are those that come from Doulton & Co., of Lambeth. Local enterprise might practice on these items: the firm would gladly take local glass bottles and local acid-proof jars if they could be made. The Indian Pharmaceutical Works make drugs from indigenous articles by means of hand machines.

The Bengal Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Limited, is one of the most go-ahead young enterprises in Bengal. Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ray, D.Sc., F.C.S., started it as a small private concern in Lower Circular Road about 15 years ago and made drugs from indigenous materials. About six years ago it was made into a limited liability company, with a capital of two lakhs. Many of the leading chemists in Calcutta are share-holders. It has now a well-thought-out and well-managed factory with about 70 workmen, at 82, Maniktola Main Road. Babu Rajshekhar Bose, the manager, is an M. A. in chemistry. The variety of manufactures is considerable. Besides the manufacture of drugs and acids, the manufacture of laboratory apparatus, which requires skilled craftsmen in wood and metal, has been taken up. The latest development is in perfumes. The enterprise shows

sign of resourcefulness and business capacity, which should be an object lesson to capitalists of this province.

Industrial alcohol.

The great difficulty with which the chemical industry has to contend is in connection with industrial alcohol. It is occasionally mentioned in the press that the manufacture of crude alcohol for industrial purposes under proper Government regulations would be a fine *swadeshi* industry. Alcohol is required: (*a*) for chemical transformation, as in the manufacture of iodoform; (*b*) as a solvent or precipitant, as in the case of papain; (*c*) for burning; and (*d*) for the finished product, as in the case of liquid extracts, tinctures, essences and liniments. Section V of the Board's Rules in the Excise Manual is prepared on the assumption that spirit prepared after the English fashion is for direct human consumption. Section IX deals with the making of spirit unfit for human consumption by the admixture either of caoutchine or of naptha Messrs. D. Waldie and Company have a private distillery at Konnagar. The Bengal Chemical and Pharmaceutical Company at Maniktola purchase imported spirits 68° over proof at Rs. 1-10 per gallon, which becomes Rs. 13-4 after duty has been paid: so the duty is nearly eight times the prime cost. This spirit is used in preparing tinctures, extracts and ether. At present the Government is willing to allow the spirit to be manufactured or stored in a bonded warehouse: full duty to be paid when it is removed to the factory, and refund to be granted of the duty of the amount lost in course of manufacture, after keeping only 5 per cent. *ad valorem* duty. The Bengal Chemical and Pharmaceutical Company ask that they be allowed to manufacture in a bonded factory under supervision of excise officers, and to pay after manufacture the full duty on the spirit contained in the preparation, and 5 per cent. *ad valorem* on the amount of spirit lost. If it is the fact, as is asserted, that this concession is allowed to manufacturers in Europe, it is for consideration whether it may be allowed here. Government does not gain interest on the excess temporarily handled, whereas the private company feels the loss of the capital locked up in duty. From my enquiries in the Excise Department, I learn, however, that the request of the firm goes beyond what is allowed in Europe.

I think that special concessions are required for the use of industrial alcohol in the lac trade. This will be mentioned later.

Analytical chemistry.

I find that Indian analysts are employed in the Konnagar works and in analytical laboratories. There is the patient drudge who cannot get more than a clerk's pay. There are also highly skilled experts, who can command high salaries. Still in the best laboratories in Calcutta, the Bengali analyst is not yet more than second rate. The graduates in chemistry should take up this work instead of becoming, as so many do, teachers in chemistry.

Classes in industrial chemistry.

Mr. Puran Chand in the paper at the Benares Industrial Conference in 1905 urged the necessity of experiments in industrial chemistry. I trust that the objections to the industrial chemistry classes which the Bengal Government are desirous of opening at Sibpur College, may be overcome and that these classes furnish the nucleus of a technological institute in Calcutta. I have dealt with this subject in pages 10 and 31 of Part I of this Special Report.

Dyeing and Printing.

Monographs on dyeing.

In 1883 Dr. McCann published an account of the dyes and tans of Bengal, the history of which goes back to 1875, when the Secretary of State at the instance of Mr. Thomas Wardle ordered an enquiry into dye stuffs of Indian growth and production. The memorandum prepared in accordance with those orders by Mr. Liotard in 1880 excluded Bengal. The report for Bengal was not issued till 1883, but unfortunately recited only information collected in 1875-77. There is, however, a wealth of practical information about dyeing as well as about dyes in Dr. McCann's memoir. There is a tendency to depreciate these old compilations simply because they

Indigenous *versus* aniline dyes.

are old. The Provincial Monograph on dyes was written in 1896, by Mr. N. N. Banerjei, whose instructions were to deal with indigenous processes, rather than with products and materials. Mr. Collin in 1890 had stated that the use of vegetable dyes was becoming uncommon. In 1896 it was stated that the importation of cheap European goods and European aniline dyes was proving fatal to the indigenous industry. At the same time Mr. Banerjei pointed out the want of ingenuity in the production of colours and the want of assistance from capitalists. In 1908 the only place where I found the industry flourishing was in the Serampore subdivision; and to a lesser extent in Patna, in Saran, and in Bhagalpur. Mr. Banerjei said that the industry had became extinct in northern and eastern Bengal and in Orissa. The imports of aniline dyes from Belgium ports to Calcutta have increased steadily as follows:—

1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.
1·69	3·26	3·79	3·73	6·70 lakhs.

On the other side of the picture is the following interesting record of Calcutta's export of indigenous dyes—the figures are in lakhs of rupees:—

	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.
Indigo	65·97	60·13	56·07	41·03	45·07
Myrobalans	2·95	4·76	6·85	13·67	11·75
afflower	0·55	0·66	0·32	0·30	0·50
urmeric	1·32	0·68	0·59	1·21	1·17

In Bihar districts I have found a desire on the part of the country dyer to take up natural indigo; the indigo now produced is finding a local market at about Rs. 120 a maund for its inferior qualities. The decrease in the number of factories has diminished the amount which filtered to the bazar through petty pilfering. The country dyer is content with a quality which the Calcutta broker would despise.

Prospects for future enterprise.

Even in the dyeing of foreign materials there is room for the capitalist in Bengal. Bengal imported in 1906-07, 204 lakhs of coloured piece goods. The Bengal Laxmi Cotton Mills consume Rs. 3,000 of dyed yarns monthly. It is calculated that there is a profit of two annas a pound in the dyeing of yarn. Bengal has, moreover, many dyeing materials; Dr. McCann's book names 18 giving red dyes., 21 giving yellow dyes, 2 giving blue dyes, 20 giving brown and 4 giving green dyes. Mr. Banerjei's monograph mentions 53 indigenous dye-producing plants. There is a prospect of the capitalist succeeding in dyeing piece-goods by means of indigenous materials, if up-to-date methods are used. It is unfortunate that the Bengal Dye Works, Limited, was not floated. It was to have engaged the services of Mr. G. C. Sen, an expert in dyeing and colour chemistry, who returned in 1907 after study in Leeds and in Germany.

Fastness of dyes.

Regarding the fastness of indigenous and imported dyes, Mr. E. R. Watson, F.C.S., has made scientific experiments from which it will appear that bakam (*caesalpinia sappan*) manjista (*rubia cordifolia*) and catechu (*acacia catechu*) compare very favourably with the great majority of the synthetic products; but that, contrary to accepted opinions, the majority of indigenous dyes give fugitive dyeings. Other information about catechu is to be found in the Agriculture Ledgers No. 1 of 1895, and No. 35 of 1896. It is well known that any after-treatment of copper sulphate will increase fastness in certain cases; and there is a new German patent for adding the copper to the printing colour itself in the form of an alkaline solution. These facts are worthy of attention. I found that even in the mixing of the European chemical powders, the indigenous dyer is careless and wasteful, because he uses more than he need do if he carefully followed the instruction

on the tin boxes. In Bihar districts I found that the tins bore the name of Bombay importing firms. The use of the lac dye had become unprofitable even in 1890.

Colour printing.

The colour printer is even more elusive than the dyer. He is fairly prosperous at Serampur, where he prepares handkerchiefs which are exported, as Mr. Collin said, to Rangoon, Madras, and Mauritius. At Madhubani on the other hand there was only one printer in the whole bazar. The calico printing is also done in North Calcutta and at Hajipur. As a rule dyers and printers simply colour the articles given to them: the Serampur printers are an exception. The wooden blocks for printing are made at Nawabganj near Barrackpore, at Patna, Benares, and at Samagaddi in the Nepal Terai.

There is an opening here for the Indian capitalist who would organise the business in Serampur or in the Bihar districts.

Pencil and Button Manufacture.

A new industry.

This is to be taken up by the Small Industries Development Company, under two of the students who were sent abroad by the Scientific and Industrial Advancement Association (see *Industrial India*, Volume III, February 1906). The Bengal Button Factory has been started at 130, Bagmari Road, Calcutta, under one who has studied the industry in Osaka, Japan.

Ink Manufacture.

Development since 1890.

Since 1890 considerable improvement has been made and there are several manufacturies of writing ink in Calcutta. It is an industry which requires little capital. Mr. J. P. Bose studied the manufacture of printing ink in Japan, and has now a manufactory in Ultadanga financed by a Mymensingh capitalist.

Babu Srish Chandra Dutta, joint-secretary of the Indian Industrial Association lectured in 1894 on printing ink manufacture from lamp black and linseed oil varnish. He was perhaps the first Indian manufacturing chemist (see proceedings of Indian Industrial Association for the year 1896).

Paper Making.

The indigenous industry.

There has been a further decadence since 1890 in the indigenous manufacture. Hand-made paper is still produced at Hooghly district, principally at Mahanad Gosainmalpara, Neala and Ballidewanganj by a class of Muhammadans known as *kaqjis*. They are fast dying out. Their paper has a market at Rs. 10 per 100 sheets amongst Calcutta traders for account books. The same class is found at Mainan in Howrah district and at Krishtopore and Srirampore in the Jangipur subdivision of the Murshidabad district. The manufacture ceased five years ago at Nasriganj in Shahabad, and in Cuttack it has practically ceased. (See the notes on *champat* paper in Banerjei's Report on the District of Cuttack, page 171, Calcutta, 1893, and O'Malley's Gazetteer of Cuttack District, page 134; also on *basota* paper, O'Malley's Gazetteer of Shahabad, page 93).

The factory industry.

A practical manufacturer writing in May 1907, said that Indian mills could make profitably a large proportion of imported paper, if new up-to-date mills were furnished with the most modern plant for effecting economy in manufacture. The Maharaja of Mourbhanj is anxious to lay down such a mill. The prospectus for the Mourbhanj Paper Mills Company with a capital of 16 lakhs has been issued, of which the Maharaja will subscribe one-third. The works are to be at Baripada on the river Boorabolang. The material is to be *sabai* grass, which can be obtained locally. In Bengal the only paper mills are the Titaghar Paper Mills Company, Limited, which has acquired the Imperial Paper Mills and the Bally Paper Mills, and the Bengal Paper Mills Co, Limited, of Raniganj. The former gave a dividend of 2½ per cent. on the second half year of 1907. I am informed that a leading Indian publisher complains of the quality of the Indian paper for publishing purposes. In

1906-07, the Government of Bengal purchased 5¼ lakhs of paper in India. This may be compared with the local purchases in lakhs for each of the previous ten years since 1896-97:—4·55, 5·11, 5·41, 4·42, 4·97, 5·59, 6·08, 4·51, 4·54 and 4·52 lakhs. The imports by sea into Calcutta were in 1906-07:—printing paper, 8 lakhs; writing paper, $5\frac{1}{10}$ lakhs; other kinds, 4⅛ lakhs. The Bengal Paper Mills of Raniganj employed over one thousand work people, and turned out 11½ lakhs in 1905-06, and over 17 lakhs in 1906-07. The two mills at Titagarh and Kankinara under the Titagarh Paper Mills Company, turned out $28\frac{6}{10}$ lakhs in 1905-06 and 30 lakhs in 1906-07. These mills manufacture white printing, *badami*, coloured printing, cartridge, blotting paper and foolscap out of rags, grass, straw, jute, old gunnies, hemp baggings, ropes and waste paper. The wood pulp used abroad gives a better finish than these materials. *Sabai* grass for the mills comes principally from Sahebganj in Rajmahal subdivision at an average rate of Re. 1-4 a maund.

Match Manufacture.

New factories.

About eight years ago there was an attempt made to start the local manufacture of matches in Bengal. Factories have been started at Ahmedabad, Kotah, and in the Punjab. There is now one manufactory working in Bengal since January 1907, the Bande Mataram Factory at 38, Russa Road, Tollyganj, belonging to Dr. Rash Behari Ghosh and Babu Sailendra Kumar Mitra. The assistants are Messrs. P. C. Roy and A. P. Ghose, who have returned from Japan. The wood used is the Sundarbans "genwa" (*Excœcoria Agallocha*), a soft wood used for cheap house furniture in Calcutta. They tell me that they had previously experimented with many others. After examining their machinery, I think that the unevenness of the match splints is due to the wood and not to the machinery. The dipping machines are made by Babu Charu Chandra Mullick of Bankipur. Rai Sahib Upendranath Kanjilal, F.L.S., read a paper on the Indian woods suitable for match-making at the Calcutta Industrial Conference of 1906; and an account of the manufacture of matches compiled by Babu Hari Das Chatterjee is given in *Industrial India*, Vol. III, April 1906. Another factory has not yet started: the Oriental Match Manufacturing Company, of 124, Canning Street, Calcutta with a nominal capital of one lakh. A match factory is being started at Tarikere in Mysore by Mr. V. G Joshi of Poona. The Berar Match Manufacturing Company of Ellichpur, Central Provinces, with a capital of one lakh, is using *salai* and *maharuk* woods (see Mr. C. E. Low's Note on the Match Industry).

Soap Manufacture.

An attractive industry.

The manufacture of soap has recently advanced and is attractive to Indian capitalists. The example of the North-West Soap Company of Meerut, who started at Garden Reach, Calcutta, under European supervision was helpful. At the Calcutta exhibition of 1906 there were exhibits from four Bengal companies; there are now only three besides the English company, namely, the Bengal Soap Company, 54-1 Mechuabazar Street; the Oriental Soap Factory, Goabagan, and Dr. Nil Ratan Sircar's National Soap Factory, 92, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta. They have all taken to highly scented, highly coloured toilet soaps, for which I find there is a large and expanding demand. The Bihar Pioneer Soap Manufacturing Company, of Dinapore exhibited at the Bankipore exhibition of 1908. Babu Kamlanand Singh of Srinagar started a factory at Purnea, but it was closed in 1906. Mr. E. R. Watson, F.C.S., has made an analysis of the *svadeshi* soaps (*Statesman*, February 5th, 1907.) European soap of the highest quality has 93 per cent. of pure soap. Six samples of *svadeshi* soap showed proportions varying from 66 per cent. to 91 per cent. Three were classed very good, but one was found to be grossly adulterated with 20 per cent. of starchy matter.

There would appear to be an opening for the commercial manufacture of the common *dhobi's* soap, but one of the ingredients is dear, because it is used as an adulterant of *ghi*. Indigenous soap manufacture is nowhere done on a factory scale.

Patna soap was formerly used all over Bengal. The ingredients are given in Dr. Buchanan Hamilton's Account of Patna District (Martin's Eastern India, Vol. I, page 329).

Brush Making.

Mr. Collin said that this was a new trade, and that the demand was increasing. Brushes continue to be manufactured at Khurdah, Panihati and Sukchar.

Perfumery.

Much has been written lately about the prospects of perfume manufacture in India. The local manufacture of an expressed oil impregnated with the odour of the *chambeli* flower has been carried on at Fatwah in the Barh subdivision of Patna district for over a century. There are now only twelve families, and the industry is decaying. Mr. D. Hooper, F.C.S., of the Indian Museum, gave a paper on Indian essential oils at the Calcutta Industrial Conference, 1906, which gives information for those desirous of starting in Bengal. Mr. J. N. Banerjee stated at the same conference that in Bengal there are grasses from which the essence of lemon and peppermint are extracted. This subject deserves more attention and enquiry in Bengal; for other provinces seem to be more fortunate in possessing the raw materials. I find it on record, however, that there is a good opening for a perfume factory equipped with up-to-date machinery, (see *The Indian Age*, March 1908, page 18). Moreover, if there is to be any export (at present only $\frac{2}{3}$ lakh is exported), the scents for export must be made less heavy, by the use of some other than gingelli oil.

Further development possible.

Other Industries.

No special remarks beyond those of Mr. Collin are required on the following:—Boat-building, book-binding, electro-plating, fishing-hooks, gilding, masonry work, musical instruments, tape-making, tin foil, watch-repairing.

CHAPTER IV.

MINING INDUSTRIES.

Mining Industries are principally in the Burdwan and Chota Nagpur Divisions.

Coal.

The industry of coal mining has advanced with enormous strides since 1890. In that year Mr. Collin described the industry as still in its infancy and as growing. The output of coal in Bengal has risen from $1\frac{1}{4}$ million tons in 1887 to $8\frac{3}{4}$ million tons in 1906 and over 10 million tons in 1907. At the end of the year 1907 there were 81 companies, with a nominal capital of 411 lakhs; of these companies, 38 were floated in 1907; none pay less than 10 per cent. and some very much more. The average number of workpeople employed in the Giridih, Jherriah, Asansol and Ranigunge fields was nearly 120,000 in 1907. Another field is being opened in the Palamau district, and the industry has got great possibilities in Birbhum district. There has been an increased expenditure of native capital in the development of mining. It is a matter of common knowledge that the supply has not been able to cope with the demand both for local consumption and for export, notwithstanding the great extension of the industry. It is the view of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce that the position of the coal industry is so strong and the prospects are so good, that it seems to be likely to be by far the best and most lucrative opening for young Indian students. The Superintendent of the Bengal Coal Company, Limited, Mr. H. H. Macleod, has stated that it is the finest of all the

Enormous increase in output and consumption.

svadeshi industries, and that it has a magnificent future before it. The attention, therefore, of the middle class youth is directed to the opportunities which exist at Sibpur and in the mining districts, as detailed on page 14 of the report on technical education, for obtaining skilled knowledge in practical and theoretical mining and to the probability of obtaining employment in the mining industry. The actual labourers earn four annas to ten annas a day. They are in the fortunate position that the demand is in excess of the supply. It is not improbable that this may lead to the introduction of mechanical plant for coal cutting. A system of mechanical sifting has already been introduced at one of the East Indian Railway Company pits in the Giridih field.

Mica.

A monopoly of Bengal.

Mica is worked principally in the districts of Gaya, Hazaribagh and Monghyr. The output has increased from 87 tons in 1887 to 1,018 tons in 1908. The export has reached to 23 lakhs, more than half of which is sent to England. Bengal is reaping the advantage from the fact that mica is the best non-conductor of electricity known. There was a recent fall through the American collapse, but still there is a firm demand owing to increased requirements. In the Hazaribagh district, in the vicinity of Kodarma, mica gives employment to more than 6,000 people. In mica mining there used to be a great deal of wastage, but an invention for compressing broken mica into block form, called micanite, has been of great service. In this industry also there is an opening for Indian youths who will combine scientific training with practical experience. One producer informed me that the industry suffered from the want of accurate knowledge of the requirements of the European and American manufacturers. There is evidently some doubt on the subject as will appear from the interesting correspondence published in the Agricultural Ledger No. 24 of 1900.

Other Minerals.

In parts of Manbhum, Singhbhum and Ranchi districts, plates, bowls and the like are manufactured on a small scale from soap stone. The quarries give employment to about 200 labourers in Manbhum and to a similar number in the Singhbhum district. Iron stone is worked in Dhalbhum within the Singhbhum district by the Bengal Iron and Steel Company. The outturn was over 7,000 tons in 1906. In Hazaribagh the industry is insignificant. Sambalpur district turns out varying amounts of iron ore; in 1907 the amount was 800 tons. The smelting of iron for local use is carried on to a small extent in few places in the Santhal Parganas. The Tata Iron and Steel Company, have secured the rights to iron ore within Mourbhanj, one of the Orissa Tributary States. Messrs. Ambler & Company turned out in 1906-07 as much as 200 tons from their slate concerns in Monghyr district. Manganese has been worked in the Singhbhum District.

Requisites for any improvement.

The first requisite for the indigenous development of the mineral industries is patient and scientific prospecting. This requires the bold outlay of capital, of which there may be no prospect of immediate return. The next is that there must be as greater bias on the part of under-graduates to the study of the sciences concerned, such as geology and metallurgy. In March 1908, 1,200 students appeared for the examination of the Calcutta University for the B. A. degree, and only 38 for the B. Sc. degree.

CHAPTER V.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS.

Position and possibilities of industrial arts in Bengal.

The artistic industries of Bengal province are not supported as they ought to be. Much of the patronage whereby some of the arts have been kept alive is from the European residents. As Mr. Collin said, Indian noblemen appear to be more inclined to patronise foreign productions than the arts of the country. Although the fact may

be deplored, yet it is only natural that each community should be attracted by the arts of the other. Indigenous artistic industries at present suffer from want of patronage and want of publicity; and any real encouragement must consist in providing publicity and a ready sale for the articles of the best type. The Indian Museum in Calcutta is imperial; Bengal has no provincial museum similar to those in Lahore, Lucknow and Madras. At the museum of the School of Art there should be an art depôt, where should be exhibited samples of the best work of Bengal craftsmen, with the names and addresses of the makers and the market price. If Government are not prepared to subsidize a private art-ware depôt in Calcutta, I recommend that Government itself should maintain at the School of Art a model art-ware depôt. This is done with success in Lahore and Lucknow. Moreover, if similar depôts were started at divisional head-quarters under the auspices of local enthusiasts, some good might be done. At my request, grants have been given to local bodies at Bankura and Bankipore. The subject has also been discussed in pages 19 and 31 of my report on technical education.

Gold and Silver Work.

Degradation of indigenous design.

The monograph on gold and silver work in the Bengal Presidency by Mr. D. N. Mookerji (1905) describes the articles made in Cuttack, Dacca, Murshidabad, Patna and Monghyr districts. Mr. Collin said that native jewellery, so long as it was kept to country designs, was of great merit, but there was a tendency to imitate English designs. This tendency has not diminished, but indigenous ornamentation is being placed on articles meant for European use. Such for example is the work turned out by Girish Chandra Dutt & Sons, of Bhawanipur, Calcutta. This firm is enterprising in that it uses Canning's polishing calico mops attached to the boss of an electrically driven motor lathe. The Cuttack silver ware is known outside Bengal principally for the delicate filigree work, which however is only carried on in the Cuttack town itself. This form of the art received considerable development from the Orissa Art Union Factory started by Mr. Madhusudan Das, C.I.E., who has organized on a factory basis with subdivision of labour the hereditary skill of the native craftsman. Mr. Das told me that he was anxious to give up his factory as it was not a commercial success. The number of his employees has diminished and he has given up the Calcutta agencies. Mr. Das lamented the deterioration in quality of the work in precious metals, and the difficulty of obtaining a market for the produce. But some central sale emporium in Calcutta and the issue of catalogues are necessary for maintaining and increasing the market for such wares. Articles of personal adornment of traditional design, as well as articles of European pattern, like picture frames and card cases, are prepared at Cuttack.

In the matter of designs Mr. Das has recruited a man from the School of Art in Madras, but as some of the latter's designs include in one piece of work a cherub with wings, a peacock and a Greek god, his skill as a teacher of oriental designs may be open to question. If Mr. Das had a show room in Calcutta in addition to the one in Cuttack, his goods would obtain the patronage which they deserve. As regards the other places, the Kharagpur fish made of overlapping thinly beaten-out ovals is, of course, well known; but the number of workers in Monghyr district is decreasing. In Murshidabad the Nawab Bahadur informed me that malaria was playing sad havoc with such industries as still do exist. The centres of the craft are at Khagra, Kandi, Pulinda and Bhagirathpore.

Gold and silver smiths are extensively found in the Patna district. Generally we find that the traditional types of Indian jewellery are giving way to the jewellery of European patterns amongst the better classes. Mr. Mookerji had no suggestions to make for the improvement of this art.

A dying art.

This art was practised at Barabari in Rangpur district and in Kendrapara in Cuttack district, as well as in Murshidabad, according to Mr. Collin's report.

Mr. G. C. Dutt in his monograph of 1901 stated that the industry had disappeared at the former place in Rangpur district, and from enquiry I learn that it no longer exists in Cuttack district. The Chiefs of the Orissa Tributary States appear to have retained carvers who reached a high standard of proficiency: beautiful examples, fifty years old, were sent by the Chief of the Nayagarh State to the Delhi Exhibition of 1903. There is a little unpretentious work in ivory done in Harkata Lane, off Bowbazar, in Calcutta. The ivory is obtained from the Orissa Tributary States. Thirty-five years ago there were no fewer than fifty families of carvers at Mathra, one of the several centres, in the Murshidabad district, but now there are not more than twenty carvers in the whole district, the best of whom are working at Khagra. The Bhaskars of Murshidabad are professional image makers, who during the declining days of the Nawab took to ivory carving. In 1888 the Murshidabad workers were declared to be perhaps the best in India, "fully displaying the finish, minuteness and ingenuity characteristic of all true Indian art." According to Sir George Watt they met a local demand for certain representations of the gods, but for some years past they have produced an assortment of table ornaments mainly for the European market. Murshidabad ivory work is remarkable for the absence of joins. In Royle's Lecture on the Arts and Manufactures of India, 1852, it is stated, concerning the ivory carvers of Berhampore, that their representations of the elephant and other animals, which were sent to the London Exhibition of 1851, were so true to nature that they might be considered the works of real artists. Mr. Dutt is not without hope of effecting an improvement in the industry, notwithstanding the absence of the support of the wealthy noblemen which the carvers formerly had. The establishment of the Murshidabad Art Agency is a step in the right direction for advertising and exhibiting specimens of the art. But it suffers from the fact that it has no outlet for sale in Calcutta. The workmanship of the existing craftsmen could be much more exploited than it is, if firms or individual capitalists would, as Mr. Dutt suggests, supply the Bhaskars with good ivory, purchase from them their products, suggest new designs, exhibit their specimens and advertise for them.

Manner of possible revival.

Metal-inlaying (Bidri Ware).

The art of inlaying pewter with silver, called after Bidar in the Deccan, whence the industry was introduced, prevails only in Purnea and Murshidabad. It has further degenerated since 1890. The Murshidabad Art Agency attempts by exhibiting specimens and by advertising in Calcutta newspapers to keep the industry alive. The art is explained at pages 46 and 47 of Watt's Indian Art at Delhi, at page 164 of Birdwood's Industrial Arts of India and in Mr. R. J. Hirst's article in the Proceedings of the Asiatic Society of Bengal for July 1907. In Purnea district Bidri ware is a dying craft and only one man, Mohan Sonar, is left with a fertile invention in designs. It is curious that in such a small art the engravers should be wholly dependent upon others who prepare the amalgum. These are Satua Kanseri and Manju Kanseri of Belauri and Udhu Sau Kanseri of Katihar. Unless their art is studied and communicated, the industry will cease. Some students of the School of Art, Calcutta, which it is proposed, will in future have more direct connection with industrial art, should therefore be sent to study the processes, which should be repeated in the Calcutta school.

An art now moribund.

Clay Modelling.

The clay models of Krishnagar have obtained considerable celebrity. In 1888 it was stated that the figures were instinct with life and expression, and that their pose and action were excellent. Mr. Collin expressed a regret that so much skill in modelling should be wasted on ephemeral works of art, as the material used was unbaked clay. As is natural to assume, the industry started from the making of idols for worship, from which grew the manufacture of toys and miniature figures. Sir George Birdwood said in 1880 that Indians had failed to develop the art of figure sculpture, and it was only because their ivory and clay and stone figures of men and animals were on so minute a scale that they excite admiration.

A characteristic Indian art.

By 1903 Sir George Watt remarked that the Krishnagar modellers had failed to advance above the preparation of toys dressed in real clothes and had steadily raised their prices to a prohibitive extent. On visiting the centre of the industry, Ghurni near Krishnagar, I was prepared to be disappointed and I was sadly disappointed. There are five families left amongst whom the principal workers are, Rakhal Das Pal, C. C. Pal, Nibaran Chandra Pal, Bakeshwar Pal and Jadu Nath Pal. The first two have price lists printed in English, but they have no agency in Calcutta and not even one in Krishnagar. They are content to live on orders which they obtain indirectly. They have given up almost entirely the preparation of minute models in which they gained their reputation and have taken to relief work and to statues and busts on European models. The workers have strongly developed artistic talents, and it is a pity that they should use their talents on such unsuitable objects. They are, however, so very self-willed that it is hopeless to do anything with them. Mr. C. A. Radice, I.C.S., when Collector of Krishnagar, did his best to get them to prepare glazed figures which would stand exposure.

Abandonment of minute modelling.

Ornamental Glass Ware.

In 1888 it was stated that the glass ware of Patna had acquired a reputation for graceful shapes and beautiful colours, and *The Journal of Indian Art* stated that Patna glass ware had curiously coloured specimens of considerable excellence. But when specimens were sent to the Indian Art Exhibition in Delhi in 1903 some of them were declared to be artistic and in good taste, but a large percentage was declared to be a miserable imitation of English ware, in bad taste and worse execution. The amber colour which frequently occurs in this ware is obtained from a mixture of the Sone river sand. The Patna ware is made from broken glass melted down. Ahmad Hussain and Zakir Mia are the only two workmen now left. The development of the glass industry must be sought for, as has been shown in Chapter III, on its industrial, and not on its artistic side.

A mimetic art.

Stone Carving.

Stone carving was the subject of the monograph for 1904-05, and the Bengal Monograph was written by Mr. Havell, the Principal of the School of Art in Calcutta. A schedule attached to the monograph gives full details of the distribution of the art in the province. Stone carving is usually associated with Gaya, but Mr. Havell states that the carvers of Orissa acquired the most extraordinary technical skill in architectural decoration which Hindu art has known. As late as 1902-03, the Director-General of Archæology declared that the work of a modern stone-mason of Bhubaneswar did not fall much behind the old work. I found in Gaya that the stone work for the new *dharamsala*, which is being erected by Rai Surja Mull Bahadur, was being carved by stone workers imported from Mirzapore and Hathras. It is unfortunate that the skill of the carvers, who were originally imported from Jaypur in Rajputana to build the great Bishnupada temple, should be allowed to become atrophied from want of practice. There is now in Gaya only one man who does regular figure carving. The best bowls carved from Pathalkatti black stone are sold at one rupee eight annas, the bowls made from a medium kind of gray stone at ten annas; and there is an adulterated form of blackstone made from the slate stone of Dharhara in Monghyr district which is polished and blackened. There are also some stone carving done in parts of the Ranchi district. Mr. Havell states that about seventy or eighty families prepare cheap stone utensils, which are used by colliery coolies at Raniganj. The earnings of carvers are from four annas to eight annas a day. Mr. Havell also states that the almost total extinction of the art is due to—(1) the exclusive use of European styles in public building; (2) the neglect of the study of Indian architecture in Indian colleges of engineering, and (3) the want of discrimination in public taste. The definite suggestion which he made in the monograph was that two of the inside doorways in the new Art Gallery, which is being erected on the Chowringhee Road in Calcutta,

Indigenous in Orissa.

Suggestion for encouragement of the art.

should be carved by the best men obtainable from Orissa. I regret, however, to find that nothing has been done on this suggestion.

Wood Carving.

Decline of the art.

A monograph was written in 1903 by Chevalier O. Ghilardi, who was then officiating Principal of the School of Art, Calcutta. The art is found in Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Patna, Gaya and Cuttack. Mention of wood carving in the Bishnupur subdivision of Bankura district is made in the Annual Administration Report of 1903-04. Patna has instances of pure Hindu work; Gaya has the characteristics of Burmese work. The Patna carvers have to content themselves now with making blocks for cotton printing. The wood inlaying in Monghyr was an industry brought in with the gun manufacturer. The Chevalier tried to persuade the worker to produce better work. The man's reply was that the people did not care to pay for it. I found at Monghyr that this worker obtains ebony from Jamui subdivision, and uses deer horns for inlaying. He took periodically a consignment to Calcutta and hawked his goods about the curio shops in Chowringhee. The conclusion of the writer of the monograph is that what is required is more the restoration to Indian art of all that was admirable in its earlier forms rather than a change in the classic traditions of artistic industries. The Calcutta School of Art must take its share in this work. The carpenters of North Bihar, as Mr. Collin pointed out, are still able to do any kind of ornamental wood work.

Shell Ornaments.

Shell bracelets are made at Dacca; but in Bengal proper only in Bankura and Birbhum districts, especially at Bishnupur in the former districts and at Karidha in the latter. The Sankaris of Karidha, it is said, have attained perfection in the art.

Embroidery.

An art capable of expansion.

The gold and silver embroidery of Patna is still well-known. Murshidabad and Patna have still skilled embroiderers. The embroidered caps of Patna and Bihar town are frequently seen worn in the Bihar districts. There are two kinds—*kámdani* and *zardoshi* for caps and the trappings of horses and elephants. The work, however, has not the reputation of the Lucknow or Benares work. Chikan work is still thriving. This is carried on in Calcutta, and in the Barasat subdivision. Mr. Collin indicated the business-like method of export. In Madras I found that it paid Belfast linen merchants to send their goods to Madras to be embroidered, principally by female labour. There is drawn-thread work done by the girls of the Bankura Wesleyan Mission; it is all exported.

Soap Stone Carving.

Plates, bowls, tumblers, images and the like are manufactured in thanas Chandil and Manbazar in Manbhum district, in pargana Dhalbhum in Singhbhum district and in the south-west of Ranchi district.

Horn Carving.

Horn carving is carried on commercially at Tirhetta Bazar, off Bow Bazar, Calcutta. A Mr. Lucy proposes to start a factory at Cuttack.

Lac Work.

As Mr. Collin said, lac bangles are made all over the country. There are still 40 families working at Ilambazar in Bolpur thana in Birbhum district. Only three families are working at toys, the women of the other families dye cotton with shellac dye. The other centres for lac turnery are Patna and Murshidabad.

Lace Making.

A craft with great possibilities.

This is an exotic industry in India, introduced by the missionaries, but Sir George Watt has stated that it has become at Quilon and other places in Southern India a popular industry. Fifteen years ago lace making by hand was an extinct handicraft in England; but to-day it is a recognized industry. Mr. Collin in 1890 recommended that it be taught to native ladies, as was done in the Nazareth Convent in Madras. Dr. J. A. Graham of Kalimpong started in 1905 a lace school at Kalimpong, where the hill girls, already adepts at knitting, have taken kindly to the industry under the teaching of an English lady expert. There are 124 girls working either at their homes or at the school in connection with it. Government has assisted by Rs. 600 down, and Rs. 89-8 a month for three years. Dr. Graham's proposals for the development of a scheme for making at Kalimpong a central school, where teachers might be trained for all parts of Bengal, is at present under the consideration of Government. Up to the present, pupils from Kalimpong have become teachers for the German Lutheran Mission at Ranchi and for the Mahila Shilpasram in Calcutta. Four other missionary agencies at Chaibassa, Jessore, Ballyganj and Calcutta have asked that students be trained at Kalimpong. I have seen the lace factories at Ranchi, Chaibassa and Krishnagar. That of the German Evangelical Lutheran Mission started in August 1907 as an offshoot of Kalimpong, has 32 pupils, who can earn from Rs. 2 to Rs. 6 a month. The patterns and thread are sent from Kalimpong. The Government grant is Rs. 77 a month. The Roman Catholic Mission at Ranchi is independent of Kalimpong. The Ursuline Convent have started lace making since August 1906. There are 60 girls making torchon lace under a European lady expert. The girls, who are aboriginal Kols, can earn as much as Rs. 8 a month. The Government grant is Rs. 50 a month. The work is done in a lofty and roomy building, and the conditions of hours of labour and of discipline have been carefully considered. At the Krishnagar convent there are 57 girls under training. The school deserves encouragement. The defect at present is that the market in all cases is a catch market. It is a good thing to introduce such pleasant, remunerative employment among native women. But a fixed market is wanted, similar to that furnished by the Irish Lace Depôt established in Dublin by the late Mr. Ben Lindsey for the cottage lace industry in Ireland; or the commercial methods of the Nagercoil School in Madras should be followed.

But a commercial outlet required.

Toy Making.

Rude articles are still made in Patna and Kalighat; lacquered toys at Ilambazar.

Wood-engraving and Lithography.

There is an increased demand for engravers in Calcutta: the art is taught in the Government School of Art and in private schools.

CHAPTER VI.

INDUSTRIES DEALING WITH ECONOMIC PRODUCTS.

This head covers many industries which are under the special observation of the Agricultural Department, such as indigo and sugar. I propose to deal only with the lac, tobacco, oil and the alkali industries.

Lac.

A helpful and progressive industry.

The culture of the lac insect and the manufacture of shellac were not treated in detail by Mr. Collin. I have examined some of the factories in Chota Nagpur, and the literature on the subject, and venture to think that, as Mr. Puran

Improvements suggested.

Chand said at the Benares Industrial Conference in December 1905, the methods of working are crude. I suggest therefore more mechanical power. The new factories starting at Purulia are better fitted than the old factories. In the second place, the twisted cloth bags from which the heated exudation is scraped, contain some resinous matter, and under present methods the bags are boiled in alkali to remove the residuary matter. This residue would be removed more effectively by a spirit and hence there is the necessity of obtaining industrial alcohol to which reference has been made under "Chemical Manufactures." In the Chota Nagpur tract the spirit which could be obtained would be that of the *mahuwa* flower, from which country spirit is distilled at present. In the third place, it should be realised that the lac is not now gathered for the dye, but that it is gathered for its resinous properties. This has been pointed out in Mr. Stebbing's recently published note on the lac insect. But the old process of manufacture continues, and at present there is much time and trouble taken in removing the dye from stick lac. Hence it is a matter for further enquiry as to the exact state in which the lac should be collected; for the lac from which the insects have swarmed contains less colouring matter. In the fourth place, I found that the District Officers were taking active steps to remove the nuisance which the washings create round lac factories. Now Mr. D. Hooper, F.I.C., F.C.S., at page 305 of the Monograph on Lac (Agricultural Ledger No. 9 of 1901) states that dye liquor is a rich source of nitrogen, and would constitute a valuable manure. At Ranchi I found that it had been so employed with considerable success: and I have advised elsewhere that the dye liquor be spread out on neighbouring cultivated fields; whereby the nuisance might be removed and at the same time the fields benefited. There is an example in the similar use of indigo washings. I am informed that it would not pay to consolidate the dye washings into poudrette cakes. There is a sufficient number of cheap manures in the market already.

One manufacturer told me that, comprehensive as Sir George Watt's monograph is, there is still much more that a practical maker of shellac ought to know. The industry is a good one in that it affords remunerative employment at many scattered centres to the working population, and is a complete antidote to the failure of agricultural crops. Certain Marwaris have within the last two years started manufacture in the Pakaur subdivision in the Sonthal Parganas: people flock in for labour, and earn four annas to twelve annas a day. At Jhalda in the Manbhum district I found that the factories had increased in ten years from 10 to over 30, employing about 1,500 people. In the whole district in 1907 there were 5,056 people employed in 122 factories, small and large.

The market is a sensitive one. It was affected by the American crisis of 1907 and by a strike in the hat manufacturing districts in England. (Reynolds and Sellers' Review of the Shellac Trade in 1907).

The trade both in stick-lac and in shellac and button lac is an enormous one, as the following figures show:—

Exports from Calcutta in lakhs.	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.
Stick-lac ...	1·19	1·07	3·14	4·54	8·86
Shellac ...	157·15	217·49	258·37	264·52	289·60
Button lac ...	23·38	49·25	38·64	44·38	44·43

The industry has had one curious result. It has increased disputes about trees in Chota Nagpur and the Sonthal Parganas.

Tobacco.

Many years ago endeavours were made by Messrs. Begg, Dunlop & Co. to establish at Pusa in Darbhanga district tobacco growing and manufacture for the European market. The increased local demand for cigarettes has altered the situation. The Peninsular Tobacco Company, financed by an Anglo-American syndicate, who already have a factory at Karachi, have been building a large manufactory in the vicinity of Monghyr to make cigarettes for the million. Since May 1908 it is in working order. The Collector (Mr. Hugh McPherson) wrote in 1907:—"The new industry will increase the importance of Monghyr as a manufacturing and trading centre, there will be a considerable addition to the demand for labour, and the cultivators of the plant will get better prices for their crops and be stimulated to improve its quality. Tobacco is at present grown over 12,000 acres of land, mainly in Begusarai, and the area may be expected to increase considerably in the near future."

The development of cigarette manufacture.

In Jessore district, tobacco curing was started by Mr. McLeod of Kotchandpore but was given up in 1907.

In the Rangpur district in the Eastern Province, the Rangpur Tobacco Company with a capital of one lakh is being floated.

The habit of cigarette smoking is spreading amongst all classes, and in Calcutta the manufacture of cigarettes is being undertaken with vigour. There are the Globe Cigarette Company at 20, Tangra Road, the East India Cigarette Company at 17, Baliaghatta Road, and the Bengal Cigarette Manufacturing Company, at 42, Shampukur Street. These firms have been importing cigarette making machinery, and have a well organized system of distribution. Ten cigarettes of the cheapest quality are being sold for a pice. It would have been better if indigenous manufacturing activities had been diverted into a more productive channel.

Oil Manufacture.

Outside the metropolitan area, within which are large mills like those of the Howrah Oil Mills Company, Ltd, of Ramkristopore, and the Gouripore Company, Ltd., of Naihati, there are very few oil mills in the province. I found one worked under European supervision at Berhampore, one in Nadia district, two under Marwaris and Bengalis in Patna district, two in Bhagalpur district, and nine in Burdwan district, the best of which is worked by Marwaris. The mills in Burdwan and Berhampore were working with imported seed: in one case the seed came all the way from Hathras. Hence the industry might be more developed in the Bihar districts, where seed is locally procurable. The total quantity of linseed which came into Calcutta from Bengal districts in 1906-07 was 12·7 lakhs. It is not necessary that there should be antagonism with the local *teli*. I found the following plant in different places:—a 20 horse-power engine working 54 mills; a 20 horse-power engine working 42 mills; a 16 horse-power engine working 32 mills; another 16 horse power engine working 26 mills, and 12 mills worked by an oil engine. The Victoria Mills Company of Bhagalpur was started by Babu Kirtti Chandra Chatterjea, a retired pleader; and after some vicissitudes it is now expanding to 50 mills. Some are worked in conjunction with other industries, such as flour grinding, rice husking, timber cutting and *sarki* making. Babu Baij Nath Goenka of Monghyr has shown considerable enterprise in erecting a combined mill—a Stamford's corn grinding mill, a timber-cutting machine, a Carter's disintegrator, and an Empire oil mill. I think that at all the district and subdivisional headquarters, in the *rabi* producing areas of the Bihar districts, there is room for combined flour and oil mills. There is a constant demand for good oil. The jails produce pure mustard oil, and can sell it above the local market rate. In some parts *sarguja* (*Guizotica abyssynica*, niger seed) is used with mustard seed in the proportion of 1 to 20, partly to assist the expression of the oil on account of its gritty nature, partly as an adulterant. In Calcutta besides the oil of the niger seed,

More power-mills required in the Bihar districts.

the oil of the poppy, sesamum, and cotton seeds are mixed with mustard oil; these, however, are considered by the Health Officer as not injurious to health.

It is desirable that the oil-cake should not leave the country. In Dr. Voelcher's words (Report on Indian Agriculture, paragraph 127) "the oil having itself no manurial properties, and being derived from the atmostphere and not from the soil, is a fitting object for export, but to send away the entire seed, or the refuse after the removal of the oil, is to send away the valuable manurial constituents contained in the seed; in brief, to export them is to export the soil's fertility." The following figures are relevant to these remarks:—

Export from Calcutta in lakhs.		1905-06	1906-07
Suitable for export ...	Vegetable oils ..	25·6	28·5
Unsuitable for export ..	Oil-seeds ..	228·4	220·7
	Oil-cake manure ..	6·3	13·6
	Total ..	234·7	234·3

In the matter of castor oil I found at the hand-mill in Sewan considerable waste of power and material. There is room for the introduction of more economical devices, and capitalists have an opening here. I find that oil mills with mechanical power will pay in the Bihar districts, if the cost of supervision be not too high. The recently invented American Continuous Extracting Press requires an engine of 40 horse-power and can crush 25 maunds of vegetable oil-seed per hour. The remarks of Mr. K. N. Ramanujachari in *The Indian Review* for March 1908, on the Oil Trade of India indicate the number of subsidiary advantages arising from the increase in the local expression of oils; the increase in lubricants for increased machinery, and the application of oils for medicine, paints, varnishes and soap manufacture.

Alkalis.

The imports of caustic soda.

It has been laid down by Sir George Watt that the industrial progress of a country can be judged of by the extent to which it produces the alkalis required by its own industries. Such industries as India possesses are, he continues, a century behind the times. Among alkalis there are ammonia and its salts, potassium and its salts, sodium and its compounds. One of the last, caustic soda, is required in many of the nascent manufacturing industries, and it is at present imported. It was hoped that it would be possible to obtain it by decomposition from common salt, sodium chloride, which India has in abundance. Sir George Watt, however, pointed out (Indian Alkalis, 1902) that the possibility of under-selling the product of the chemical works of Europe was doubtful.

CHAPTER VII.

Mr. Collin's proposals and the future development of arts and industries in Bengal.

The text of Part I of this Special Report dealing with industrial instruction was, that it should be kept in view that the instruction which is given should enable pupils to earn a livelihood, and that the central institutions should be kept in the highest possible state of efficiency. In this Part II, dealing with industries and industrial arts, the text is that under present conditions it is for the small capitalist to take up in a business-like way the manufacture of articles for which there is a demand and the raw material of which exists in the country; and, in the case of industrial arts that what is required is greater publicity and an extended market.

Mr. Collin's chief proposals relating to industries were six in number. They were—

(1) the stimulation of native industries by the preparation or purchase of materials of public works in India, and not in England;

(2) the establishment of a school for drawing and design for industrial purposes and the circulation of designs amongst native workers;

(3) the circulation of practical instructions among leading braziers regarding moulding and working in dies;

(4) the introduction of schools for mat and basket work in localities where the business is carried on;

(5) the improvement of ornamental pottery; and

(6) the establishment of a weaving school at Berhampore in connection with silk and cotton weaving.

The principles of these proposals I repeat and support. The first will be considered below amongst my general recommendations. The second has been discussed under the subject of the Government School of Art in Part I and under the head of "Industrial Arts" in Part II. The third has been considered under the head of "Brassware" in Chapter III of Part II. So also the fourth proposal under the head of "Mat ware" in the same chapter. The fifth proposal is included in the general remarks under Chapter V of Part II, and the sixth proposal in connection with the improvement of the weaving of textiles has crystallised in the scheme for a central weaving institute at Serampore, which has been considered in Chapter III of this part and also in the summary in Chapter I of Part I.

There are certain general recommendations which I desire to make as to the manner in which Government may foster industrial development in this province.

1. One means of stimulating native industries lies in the preparation or purchase as far as possible, of materials for public works in India, and not in England. This is accepted in principle by Government; the desirability of translating good will into tangible orders for material is shown under the head of "Ironwork". The public still await the report of the Stores Committee. The value of Government stores imported into Calcutta for each of the last five years to 1907 has been:—3·22, 3·73, 2·67, 3·61, and 3·00 crores respectively.

2. It is advisable, if not absolutely essential, to have an expert Superintendent of Industries, or Director of Industrial Enquiries, as the appointment is called in the Bombay and Madras Presidencies. On the one hand there is required the sympathetic enthusiasm of one man rather than any elaborate scheme, if anything practicable is to be done. On the other hand it is not the fault of many would-be industrialists, but of their traditions and environment, that they lack initiative, co-operation of capital, business capacity and organization. The feature of the present position is that it is not the Indian commercial classes who wish to engage in industrial enterprise,—commerce pays them better; but it is principally classes in whom the commercial instinct is not fully developed and who are finding that the pressure for existence in literary lines is too great. There are other reasons—some of which, but not all, are praise-worthy,—for the movement towards industrial development; but the fact remains that it is not the business heads in the Indian community who are being attracted to manufacture, but the professional and landholding classes. The real difficulty is to find an expert officer who would combine suitable scientific qualifications in engineering and chemistry with sympathetic knowledge of the country and of local conditions. The Bengal Government have made some proposals for such an appointment, and the subject is still under discussion. There were many causes of the comparative failure of the extension of the improved hand-loom in Bengal, but in my opinion the chief reason was that most of the agents employed were admittedly amateurs. An officer of Government is required not only to give the impetus, but to give advice and encouragement. In a sentence, a second Mr. Chatterton is wanted for Bengal.

3. Next, it is advisable for Government to improve technical instruction by the concentration of thought and expenditure on the central institutions. These are in Bengal the Sibpore Engineering College, the scope of which is much wider than its limited title would denote, and the Government School of Art. My proposals under this head have been given in detail in Chapter II of Part I. They are simply the development of the policy laid down by the Bengal Government in 1891. Concentration is also required in the industries which Government has selected as subjects for technical instruction. These are weaving and leather work, the proposals for which are to be found in Chapter III of this Part II.

4. The imperial technical scholarships have since 1904 been given in Bengal for the subject of mining engineering; and the advice of the mercantile community is to continue this subject for state scholarships. But only one state scholar can, as a rule, be selected in each year for each province. In the year 1908, however, two scholarships were given to Bengal in mining engineering and in leatherwork. I recommend that the Bengal Government should be prepared to subsidise, under certain conditions, the local association which has already sent abroad many youths of this province for technical education, and also that the Bengal Government should independently give scholarships to youths who wish to study the industry of leather-tanning in Madras or Cawnpore.

5. Encouragement should continue to be given to district exhibitions of industries and industrial arts. Hitherto assistance has been given only by the Agricultural Department and on account of agricultural products. The conference which the Industrial Education Committee held with Bengal officers on the 14th December, 1901, decided that such exhibitions were of great value, specially at *melas*. Sir George Watt suggested that money awards be given and that the best articles be purchased as samples. It is perhaps too much to say that a spirit of emulation has been excited. Some of the exhibitions would lapse entirely in the absence of official support. But still it is in this way that the local artisan can be encouraged, and that the local notables can be induced to take an interest in encouraging him. Some exhibitions have been started in connection with *melas*, as those at Dumka and Behta; some as an industrial show, as that of Bankipur; and some in conjunction with agricultural exhibitions, such as those at Bankura and Hooghly. There was also the comprehensive industrial exhibition in Calcutta in December 1906. There are now 20 districts out of 33 in Bengal, Bihar and Orissa in which annual exhibitions are held. *Melas*, indeed, must in Bengal for some time take the place of the other forms of advertisements, such as catalogues, circulars and newspapers, amongst the uneducated public. At the following places the exhibitions specially include industrial products:—Banjetia, Barasat, Basirhat, Kushtia, Jhenidah, Bankura, Chinsura, Midnapore, Suri, Kendrapara, Angul, Balasore, Sambalpore, Ranchi, Bankipore and Monghyr. A perusal of the reports of these exhibitions reveals an unexpected amount of inventive ingenuity principally in connection with weaving. This is likely to be lost, unless examined by an expert and made the subject of experiment at a Government weaving institute.

6. The local industrial arts can be effectively encouraged by a ready sale of the best articles, which arises principally from advertisement and publicity. Hence grants should be made for the inauguration of sample art ware depôts at district head-quarters, provided the local public take up the matter themselves, and in connection with the School of Art in Calcutta. In most districts will be found men of public spirit and culture. Samples of the work of those artists and artificers, who are ready to execute orders, should be obtained, and each sample should bear a note as to the maker's name and address and the price of the article. As Mr. Collin and others have said, native workmen are frequently unenterprising and usually dilatory; but still there is even now a difficulty in obtaining orders from want of publicity. There is an art agency at Murshidabad and another in Cuttack, which effect a little good; and I have recently obtained Government assistance for sample depôts which are being started at Bankura and Bankipore. I am simply repeating

what Mr. Coldstream, a zealous Panjab officer, urged before the Art Conference of 1894 held at Lahore.

The subject is discussed at page 19 of Part I of this Special Report as well as in Chapter V of this Part II.

7. It is advisable that Government should disseminate more freely among the public the information which is obtained so laboriously by its officers. Let me point out that Mr. Collin's report of 1890 on arts and industries, full of excellent suggestions as it was, was never formally published. It was criticised by a few heads of departments, and in 1895, three years after its preparation when I asked for a copy, I was informed that it was confidential. A monograph on a selected subject has year by year been prepared; a copy has been forwarded to the Government of India; but few outside official circles have known that it has been published. The recent reports by Mr. Watson on leather-curing and tanning deserve the widest publicity. I found that the manager of a new tannery in Bengal had never heard of Mr. Rowland Chandra's exhaustive monograph on tanning published in 1904. Professor T. K. Gajjar in his address before the Industrial Conference at Surat in 1907 has drawn attention to the imperfect circulation of such literature. A Director of Industries would circulate much information through the press; he would know to whom particular information might be useful; and would doubtless copy the methods of the Agricultural Department in issuing leaflets. In the Appendix to the present report a small bibliography of books and papers dealing with industries has been prepared. The following is a list of Bengal industrial monographs, as prescribed by Government. Eleven out of the fourteen monographs have been written by Indian officers.

Year.	Subject prescribed by the Government of India.
1893-94	... Brass and Copperware.
1894-95	... Pottery and Glassware.
1895-96	... Dyes and Dying.
1896-97	... Cotton Fabrics.
1897-98	... Woollen Fabrics.
1898-99	... Silk Fabrics.
1899-00	... Ivory Carving.
1900-01	... nil
1901-02	... Wood Carving.
1902-03	... Tanning and Leather Work.
1903-04	Gold and Silverware.
1904-05	... Stone Carving.
1905-06	... Carpet Making.
1906-07	... Iron Work.
1907-08	... Paper Making.

8. Government should, I think, in addition to the provision of technical education, hold tests and give certificates of competency. There are two models to follow: the Madras system of technical examination (Calendar of the Commission for Government Examinations, Madras, 1907-08, page 64), or the Bombay system (Calendar of the Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, 1908, page 60). In the former, the Government itself gives a certificate, a group certificate or a diploma for an immense variety of subjects ranging from practical telegraphy to horticulture and from carpentry to lace making. In the latter, the Technical Institute holds the examinations on behalf of the City and Guilds of London Institute, which has a list of no fewer than 74 subjects, ranging from soap manufacture to motor car machinery. As Bengal already gives, or is about to give, recognized diplomas in mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, mining, agriculture, and veterinary science, I suggest that the

new joint technical examination board for Sibpur College and its affiliated schools in both provinces might arrange to hold examinations in several of the subjects named in the City and Guilds of London list and grant certificates therein. I am sure from what I have heard that many employers as well as employees would welcome some such impartial proof of qualification. The argument that examinations would be held in some subjects in which no instruction is formally given is not conclusive. The system has prevailed in Madras for many years, and under its old name of "Higher Examinations in various branches of Technical Science and Art and in Industries" was one of the few things which met with commendation in the MacDonnell Memorandum of 1886.

9. It is finally submitted for consideration that in the distribution of honours for public service recognition might be given to those who have proved themselves public spirited captains of industry and who have piloted new industries successfully; and that rewards be offered by Government for certain inventions which might improve the quality and outturn of indigenous manufacture, such as for example, the adaptation of the fly-shuttle hand-loom for the weaving of tussar silk.

In the body of this report it will be found that it has been suggested that Government may appropriately assist in the following industries:—Weaving, leather manufacture, iron work, brass ware, and chemical manufacture. It has also been pointed out that there are openings for Indian capitalists in the following industries:—weaving, carpet weaving, pottery, carpentry, matware, leather tanning, cutlery, brassware, glass manufacture, chemical manufacture, dyeing, match making, soap making, perfume manufacture, lac manufacture and in the manufacture of vegetable oils.

Mr. Trailokya Nath Mukharji, whose opinion is of value as he was the founder of the Indian Industrial Association, informs me that in his opinion there are openings for the manufacture of umbrellas, paints, hosiery, braziery, soaps, candles, leather articles, lamps, and in the preservation of fruits. These are also recommended to the notice of capitalists. Mr. E. R. Watson, F.C.S., of the Indian Educational Service, whose researches in leather manufacture and in iron work are of great value, suggests that there is an opening in the following subjects:—Dyeing and cotton printing, soap making, lac refining, glass manufacture, varnish and paints, scents, cement, matches, tanning extracts, oil, enamelled ware, pencils, tobacco, silk weaving, rice bowls, and in sugar. Indigenous enterprise has already taken up the manufacture of soap, matches, pencils, tobacco and silk weaving. Mr. Henry T. Tozer, the industrial expert of the India Office, commends the indigenous manufacture of leather goods, silk goods, paper, iron and steel, and soap. Mr. S. J. Tellery, a recognized expert in Indian art industries, commends the revivification of fancy silk weaving, metal work, wood and stone carving, and states that the manufacture of the following might be worked with commercial success: woollen pile carpets, embroidery, enamelling on metal, and hand printing on cotton and silk.

Though Government assistance is expected and on certain lines has been granted to a considerable extent, yet both Indian and European official and non-official observers coincide in the view that it is by the addition of indigenous capital and brains to the indigenous inherited skill, both manual and artistic, of the Indian artificer that any improvement in indigenous manufactures, whether purely industrial or artistic, will ensue.

A few quotations are given. In the Viceregal Council, the Hon'ble Mr. Harvey, the Member for Commerce and Industry, said at the Budget Debate in March 1908:—

"Government have already done a good deal and are anxious to do more, but it is only with the co-operation of the people themselves and active assistance from capitalists of the country that great results can be obtained."

At the Industrial Conference for the United Provinces in August 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir John Hewett, said:—

"But if Government does its part, if it trains up skilled workmen and foremen capable of managing industrial businesses, the people must do their part, they must make up their minds to invest their capital in the development of the country."

In his address at the opening of the Chittagong Cotton Mill, Sir Lancelot Hare, Lieutenant-Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam, said:—

"You have risked your own money—not I truly hope running an immensely great risk—and have not, as some have, called upon other people whom it is their fashion to represent as on the verge of pauperism to pay the cost of protecting an industry against its own inefficiency due to a conservatism which refuses to take advantage of improved methods."

Mr. Pramatha Nath Bose in his "Essays on Industrial Development" has written:—

"Besides the comparative scarcity of capital, the inadequacy of technical training and the lack of the amount of co-operation requisite for large undertakings, there is another and probably more patent cause which stands in the way of industrial development—the hereditary aversion of the higher castes for trades and industries which have hitherto been relegated to the lower, and in some cases, to the very lowest classes of the Indian society."

The Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Bose has stated in *The Indian World* for January 1908:—

"It is becoming more and more apparent that the realisation of our political ideals is to a great extent, if not wholly, dependent upon our progress as a nation in the paths of useful knowledge, industry and commerce, and upon our powers of co-operation, combination and organization."

Mr. R. C. Dutt, C.I.E., presiding at the Benares Industrial Conference of 1905, said:—

"We must change our old habit of universal cottage industries, and learn to form companies, erect mills, and adopt the methods of combined action, if we desire to foster or revive our industries."

We find also the same opinions expressed in organs of the press which ordinarily have different points of view. *The Statesman* confirms the findings of the Industrial Conference of 1907 that the obstacles to development are lack of adequate technical knowledge and lack of capital. *The Pioneer* says that the most hopeful sign for the future is the recent development of some interest in the subject of industrial enterprise, academical and intermittent as that interest is, and that when the leading politicians back their sentiments with capital and send some of their sons into industry the battle will be more than half won. To the would-be industrialist in Bengal, I can only say:—

"Ingeniis patuit campus, certusque merenti
Stat favor: ornatur propriis industria donis."

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Enquiry as to the possibility or desirability of improving the cure of hides (and skins) exported from Bengal.

Information which led to this enquiry being taken up.

At a meeting of a Committee called together by the Bengal Government to discuss the starting of a weaving school at Serampore, it was mentioned by Mr. Nimmo, representing the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, that the export of hides and skins from Calcutta was a very important trade, and that it might be worth consideration by Government whether any instruction could be given to improve the cure of these hides (and skins), and consequently obtain a better price for them.

Mr. Earle made enquiries in England on this subject and understood from Dr. Gordon Parker, Director of the London Leather Industries Research Laboratories, Herold's Institute, Bermondsey, that the hides (and skins) exported from Calcutta were not properly cured, and that in consequence they fetched a much lower price than they would if cured properly.

Outline of the present enquiry.

I was in consequence placed on special duty by the Government of Bengal to make further enquiries to decide if it were desirable for this Government to start any form of instruction, in order to bring about a better cure of the hides (and skins) exported from this province. For this purpose I consulted the Secretary of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, and from him obtained a list of the more important merchants exporting hides from Calcutta (viz., Messrs. Ralli Brothers, Messrs. Ernsthausen, Limited, Messrs. Cohn Brothers and Fuchs, Messrs. Thomson Lehzen & Co., Messrs. Schröder Smidt & Co., and Messrs Maurice Feilmann & Co.). I had interviews with representatives of these firms and also with a representative of the firm of Messrs. Wutow Guttman & Co., also hide merchants of Calcutta. I was able to inspect many different preparations and classes of hides in the godowns of these firms, and in company with Mr Frerichs, of Messrs. Schröder Smidt & Co., I visited the hide market in Calcutta and saw the system of buying in vogue there. I visited the Calcutta Municipal Slaughter-house situated at Tangra to see there the method of flaying and the selling of hides. This is the only place within the municipal limits where cattle may be slaughtered. I also interviewed Messrs. Moll Schutte & Co., a firm who have formed an agreement with the Calcutta Municipality and take all cattle which die within municipal limits, flay them and work up the carcases for manure, fallow, etc. I visited the few tanners around Calcutta, viz., Messrs. J. Teil & Co., Messrs. Monteith & Co., the Bengal Tannery and the Calcutta Tannery, and obtained their opinions as to the efficacy of the Indian method of curing hides.

Having obtained an idea, from my enquiries in Calcutta, as to the most suitable districts in the mufassal to visit, I made somewhat detailed enquiries in the Darbhanga district, obtaining the assistance of the Civil officers of the district, and also of the managers of estates in that district. I also visited the Jessore district; and made enquiries from Mr. Cumming, the Collector of the 24-Parganas

I visited Mr. Chatterton, the Director of Technical and Industrial Enquiries in Madras, who, in connection with the Madras School of Arts Chrome Tannery, has practical experience of hides and leather; at the same time I was able to compare the treatment given to hides and skins exported from Madras with the cure of Bengal hides and skins. I also visited Major Forestier-Walker, Superintendent of the Government Harness and Saddlery Factory at Cawnpore; and during my visit to Cawnpore, I also met the managers of the various large private tanneries of that city, and Mr. Noronha, a hide merchant, who supplies all the hides to the Government Harness and Saddlery Factory and a large number to the other tanners of Cawnpore. I thus obtained the opinion of the largest tanners in India on the efficacy of Indian methods of cure.

In addition to these enquiries I have also corresponded with Dr. J. Gordon Parker of Bermondsey and Mr. A. Seymour Jones of Messrs. J. Meredith Jones and Sons, Limited, Leather Manufacturers, Wrexham. I availed myself of all the statistical information I could find concerning the hide and skin trade and had also occasion to call on Mr. Noel-Paton, the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence, to ask his opinion as to how far I was safe in drawing a certain deduction from trade statistics as published by his office.

Description of the present trade in hides and skins in Bengal, methods of curing, methods of collecting, etc.

The word 'hide' is technically used for the skin of a bullock or cow; the word 'skin' is used only for the skins of goats and sheep. The skins of buffaloes are always known as 'buffaloes.' A 'cured' hide or skin is one which has been treated in some way to preserve it temporarily until it reaches the tanner.

Hides are exported from Bengal *viâ* Calcutta cured in the following ways:—

Air-dried or flint-dried.—The hide as it is taken from the animal is spread out or pegged out on the ground with the 'flesh' side uppermost or stretched out on a bamboo frame and allowed to dry in the air. The hides come in this condition to Calcutta. Before export they are frequently 'arsenicated' by dipping in a very dilute solution of white arsenic in caustic soda and again allowing to dry. This arsenic dip is supposed to act as an insecticide.

Dry salted.—The hides, when taken from the animals, are spread out on the ground with the flesh side uppermost and on the flesh side a strong solution of 'Patna' or 'Muzaffarpur' or 'Earth salt' is poured. This is then generally worked into the hide by rubbing with a piece of stone or brick, and the hide is then allowed to dry. Further applications of salt solution or mixture of salt and water are subsequently given, and the hide again allowed to dry. Patna salt and Muzaffarpur salt and earth-salt are apparently all the same thing,

essentially an impure sulphate of soda mixed with earth. The hides come in this condition to Calcutta, and are not further treated for export.

'Skins' are either *air-dried* or *dry-salted* in much the same way as hides. In either preparation the skin is stretched out on a board to which it is pinned by a considerable number of nails all round the edge. It is the usual practice to stretch the skins quite tightly in this way

Buffalo hides are almost always *dry-salted*. Those which are not so cured are *air-dried*.

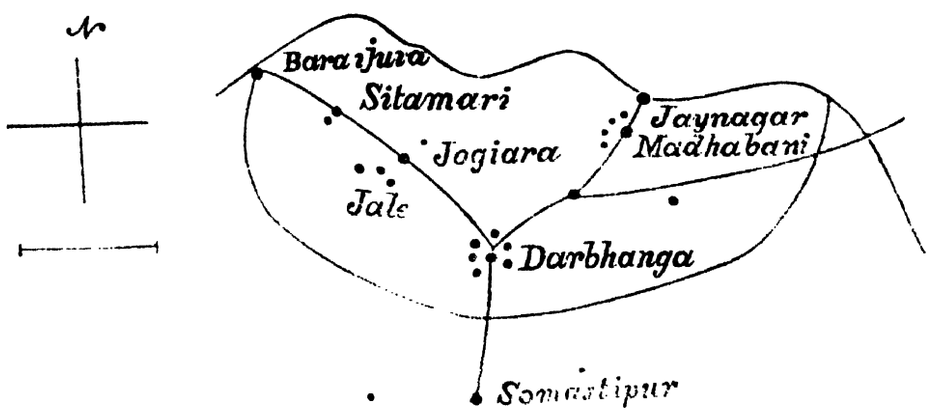
Hides and skins are collected from every district in Bengal and a large number of these hides and skins are brought to Calcutta for export.

Hides may be divided into two classes—'*slaughtered*' and '*dead*'—the former being from slaughtered animals and the latter from animals which have died from disease or old age or by accident. The number of slaughtered hides collected is probably very much smaller than the number of 'deads.'

In every district where there are Muhammadans there will be found villages in which cattle are slaughtered. In the Darbhanga district I visited two such villages near Darbhanga, Kuruni, 8 miles distant, and Jale, 15 miles distant, and one such village, Bowi or Bowri, 2 miles from Madhubani. The butchers in these villages send out men or go to neighbouring 'haths' within a radius of about 12 miles and buy old cattle, which are no longer fit for work or for milking. These cattle are chiefly bought from Muhammadan cultivators, as a Hindu is prevented by his caste from selling his cattle for slaughter. The butcher may get a certain number of cattle from Hindus by misinforming the sellers as to what he intends to do with the cattle, but the number obtained in this way is not great. After these cattle have been slaughtered, the meat is sold in the village, and either the butcher air-dries the hides himself or he sells them to the owner of a hide godown in the 'green' state (a hide just as it is taken from the animal is termed 'green'). In each of the villages above mentioned from 6 to 10 cattle are slaughtered daily. The hide is much the most valuable part of the animal. The whole animal will, on the average, be worth about Rs. 7, and the hide of this animal will be worth about Rs. 5.* If the butcher sells his hides 'air-dried' to the owner of the hide godown, he appears to get from 10 annas to 12 annas per lb. according to quality and cure.

In the towns possessing Municipalities there are usually Municipal slaughter-houses in which the butchers of the town must slay their cattle. In Bihar and in and around Calcutta a large number of cattle are slaughtered. Thus, taking Darbhanga as a typical small town in Bihar, here from 30 to 100 cattle are slaughtered per diem, In Calcutta itself all cattle must be slaughtered at Tangra. Here about 250 cattle are slaughtered every day. Around Calcutta there is a belt of smaller Municipal slaughter-house, *e.g.*, Cossipore and Dum-Dum. and from Calcutta and neighbouring slaughter-houses about 600 hides per day are obtained. From the larger slaughter-houses the hides are always sold at once in the 'green' state to the owners of hide godowns. These 'green' hides may be sold by weight, as at Darbhanga, or for a lump sum, as at Calcutta, where the hide is bought while the animal is still alive. At these larger slaughter-houses the butchers have no difficulty in disposing of their hides—the buyers come down to the slaughter-houses and are very keen on getting the hides.

In every case the slaughtered hides are first purchased from the butchers by Muhammadan *biparis*, owners of small hide godowns. These small hide godowns can be found almost anywhere in Bengal. As we shall see later they are the first step in the collecting agency of 'deads' also. The number of hide godowns and their distribution within the Province may be judged from the following examples:—



(1) *The northern portion of the Darbhanga district* (roughly the area marked out in the accompanying sketch map).

Around Darbhanga town there are three large godowns and at least three smaller ones. At Jale, near Jogiara, 15 miles north-west from Darbhanga on the Darbhanga-Baraigpia Railway, there is a small godown. Ten to 15 miles further up the same railway line at Sitamari is another godown. At a village Bowi or Bowri, near Madhubani, about 15 miles north-east of Darbhanga, on the Darbhanga-Jaynagar Railway, there are 3 or 4 small godowns.

None of the godowns are more than a few miles from the railway.

(2) *The Jessore district.*—This is a rather large district, and is subdivided into five subdivisions, viz., Sudder, Narail, Magurah, Jhenida and Bongong. In the Sudder subdivision there are two godowns at Jessore and one at Kaliganj. In the Jhenida subdivision there are two godowns, and without doubt the other subdivisions are equally served in this way.

* FOOTNOTE.—These and other figures given as current prices in this report refer to the period of my enquiry, viz. June, July and August 1907.

From these godowns the hides are generally sent direct to Calcutta. The smaller *biparis* may sell to larger *biparis*, but the majority send direct to Calcutta, to an *aratdar* or commission agent. In Calcutta there are a large number of hide-godowns belonging to these Muhammadan commission agents, mostly situated in the neighbourhood of Chitpur Road and north of Lal Bazar. These men offer parcels of 1,000 or more for sale to the European hide merchants. Every morning these men send notes to the principal European firms showing what parcels of hides they are offering for sale, and these firms send representatives to inspect the parcels and buy. The hides are sold by private auction, each firm making an offer which is not disclosed to the other bidders. Generally a sample batch of 50 is examined, and the average weight of the hides is supplied by the *aratdar*, and on this the firm's buyer makes his estimate. If the whole batch does not come up to the sample shown, a rebate has to be paid by the *aratdar*.

So much for the preparation and collection of slaughtered hides by native collecting agencies.

As has been already mentioned, a Hindu raiyat is prevented by his caste from selling cattle for slaughter, and when a beast becomes ill or too old for work or milking he desowns it and turns it loose to die. As soon as it dies the carcase becomes the property of a *chamar*. Every zamindari is divided up into more or less well defined areas among the *chamars* on the zamindari, and thus each *chamar* has an area within which he is entitled to all carcases. For this right the *chamar* pays an annual fee to the zamindar. The *chamar* skins the carcases and generally cures the hide himself, making an air-dry preparation. When he has collected 3 or 4 hides he takes them to a small hide godown and sells them. In the neighbourhood of towns where there are fairly large godowns the *biparis* may send out men who will visit villages within, say, an area of 12 miles and obtain the hides within this area in a 'green' state. The *chamar* sells his hides to the *bipari* either by weight or as so much per piece. Within areas in which there is any competition for the hides the system of selling by weight appears to be generally in vogue. The price mentioned both by the *chamars* and by the *biparis* and paid to the *chamars* ran for from 7 to 9 annas per lb. The deads are disposed of by the small *bipari* in just the same way as has been already described in the case of 'slaughtered' hides.

This collection by native agency may be called the 'normal' method of collection.

The best known classes of hides which came into Calcutta in this way from Bengal are called *Patnas*, *Darbhangas*, *Ranchis*, *Sambalpurs*, *Cuttacks*, and *Mehapurs*. Roughly speaking, the name denotes the district from which the hides come, though by usage these names are coming to some extent to indicate classes or preparations.

Patnas are the better class of hides from Behar. They are 'slaughtered' hides and are 'air-dried' preparations. They have been taken off carefully, so that very little flesh remains on the hide, and have been carefully dried on bamboo frames. These fetch about Rs. 18 per 20 lbs., and as the average weight will run to about 7 lbs., 20 pieces will fetch Rs. 120 to Rs. 130.

Darbhangas, of the better class, slaughtered, are similar to Patnas There are, however, very many 'deads' known as Darbhangas, and the preparation of these is poor. A great deal of flesh is left on the hide, and it has been very badly stretched in drying, so that the preparation has an untidy crumpled appearance. These poorer class 'Darbhangas' fetch Rs. 13 to Rs. 15 per 20 lbs. With the average weight running to 7 lbs., this means that 20 pieces fetch Rs. 90 to Rs. 100.

Ranchis are a class of small 'deads,' air-dried and not well prepared. Fetch about Rs. 15 per 20 lbs., and as the weight runs between 5 and 6 lbs., 20 pieces fetch only from Rs. 75 to Rs. 90.

Sambalpurs are also a poor class of air-dried 'deads,' fetching only Rs. 13 to Rs. 16 per 20 lbs. and about Rs. 80 per 20 pieces.

Mehapurs are hides collected from the districts in the Presidency Division, such as the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Jessore, Khulna. These hides are collected by the *biparis* in the 'green' state from the *chamars* and 'dry salted.' These fetch about Rs. 10 per 20 lbs., have an average weight of 10 lbs., and consequently fetch about Rs. 100 per 20 pieces. As they are salted, they weigh about 1½ time as much as if 'air-dried.'

Besides the collection by native agency as has been described, a considerable number of hides are now collected by the European firms by means of their own agencies in the district. Thus, Messrs. Schröder Smidt & Co. have an agent at Dinapore and he collects hides over a large part of Behar; in Darbhanga several of the Muhammadan hide merchants prepare hides especially for Messrs. Schröder Smidt & Co. A collector goes round from Dinapore and visits these godowns periodically. The preparation for Messrs. Schröder Smidt is better than for the Calcutta market, less flesh is left on the hides, and they are carefully stretched and dried. Some of the *biparis* considered that it paid them to sell to Messrs. Schröder Smidt & Co., whilst others preferred to sell in Calcutta.

The hides as bought in Calcutta are sorted, trimmed a little, arsenicated if 'air-dried' cures, and baled for export. The classification of Calcutta hides is very complex. They are classified in the first place according to the locality from which they are obtained, in the second place into first, second, thirds, fourths and fifths according to the quality of the hide and cure, absence of sores, brand marks, hair-falls, etc., in the third place according to weight. Each of the large exporting firms has its own 'marks' which are known on the home markets

About 45 per cent. of the Calcutta hides are sent to Germany. The next largest consumers are Italy and Austria-Hungary. Spain, United States of America, France and the United Kingdom are comparatively small consumers. The United Kingdom takes only 2-3. per cent. The largest quantity of 'buffalo' hides are taken by the United States, and the States are also the largest consumers of skins. The figures for 1904-05 give a general idea of the trade since 1902, and in this year the following countries took the following percentages of the Calcutta hides and skins, reckoned by number. (Figures calculated from tables in Report on Maritime Trade of Bengal, 1904-05):—

	Hides per cent.
United Kingdom	2·1
Germany	45·2
Italy	18·8
Austria-Hungary	15·1
Spain	7·8
France	2·0
United States	7·6
Other countries	1 2

	Skins per cent
United Kingdom	6·2
France	5·5
Italy	1·8
Germany	2·0
United States	81·8
Other countries	2·7

I cannot speak with any personal knowledge of the method of disposal of the hides after they reach the consuming countries. I understand that they are in the first place bought by auction, and that the brokers in this trade are chiefly Jews. It appears that the hides have still to pass through several hands before they reach the actual consumers, *i.e.*, the tanners The Calcutta merchants may be called on for a 'refund' if the hides are found, subsequent to purchase, not to come up to specification. Such matters are settled by arbitration.

The census figures do not give much idea as to the concentration of the trade of preparing hides for export. The number of *chamars* in a district forms no criterion, as many *chamars* are entirely engaged in agriculture. It might be thought that the *number of sellers of hides, horns, bristles and bones* would be more or less proportional to the extent of the trade in any district.

The 1901 census gives :—

District.	No. of sellers of hides, etc.
Burdwan—	
Burdwan	622
Birbhum	160
Bankura	940
Midnapore	517
Hooghly	418
Howrah	231
Presidency—	
24-Parganas	688
Calcutta	1,424
Nadia	1,010
Murshidabad	397
Jessore	1,612
Khulna	1,989
Patna—	
Patna	149
Gaya	198
Shahabad	224
Saran	202
Champaran	655
Muzaffarpur	409
Darbhanga	1,312
Bhagalpur—	
Monghyr	1,427
Bhagalpur	1,170
Purnea	2,079
Malda	168
Sonthal Parganas	544
Orissa—	
Cuttack	352
Balasore	127
Angul and Khondmals	104
Puri	59
Chota Nagpur—	
Hazaribagh	86
Ranchi	247
Palamau	73
Manbhum	227
Singhbhum	263

According to these figures the districts in which the trade in hides is largest are (1) Purnea, (2) Khulna, (3) Jessore, (4) Monghyr, (5) Calcutta, (6) Darbhanga. This does not agree with my own observations either in the district or in the Calcutta market. Ranchi hides, *e.g.*, are a prominent class in the Calcutta market, whilst according to these figures the hide trade in Ranchi and in Chota Nagpur would appear to be very small.

The cattle population of a district should give a very fair idea of the possible size of the hide trade, but I am not aware that any figures of cattle population are available.

As is well known, the total export trade in hides and skins from British India is enormous and has increased very rapidly of recent years. At the same time the price of hides has also increased by leaps and bounds.

The following figures give the total exports of raw hides from British India (in trade figures "raw" means not tanned) :—

Year.	No. of hides.	Value.	Average price per hide.
		Rs.	Rs.
1896-97	7,427,943	254 lakhs	3·4
1897-98	10,072,470	337 ,,	3·3
1898-99	8,864,329	294 ,,	3·
1899-1900	13,474,323	492 ,,	3·6
1900-01	14,654,818	526 ,,	3·6
1901-02	7,972,097	287 ,,	3·6
1902-03	8,210,524	301 ,,	3·6
1903-04	8,261,198	316 ,,	3·8
1904-04	8,722,520	370 ,,	4·2
1905-06	11,531,809	523 ,,	4·5

(During the last year, 1906-07, the total exports of hides and skins from British India were larger than ever and valued at more than 10 crores of rupees.)

About 85 per cent. of all hides exported from British India are exported from Calcutta, and of these about 60 per cent. are collected from Bengal. This is shown by the following figures for the year 1904-05 (taken at random) :—

	Hides. Wt.	Value.
		Rs.
Total Indian exports	709,261 cwts.	370 lakhs.
Share of Bengal	601,107 ,,	322 ,,
Imported by Rail and River into Calcutta (total).	637,765 ,, / 892,872 mds.	193 ,,
Imported by Rail and River into Calcutta (from Bengal).	5,33,981 ,,	110 ,,

These figures are sufficient to show that the trade in hides is one of the most important export trades in Bengal. It is second in value only to the jute trade.

I made it a special point to decide to whom the money ultimately goes which is paid by the countries for whom the hides are exported from Bengal. I found rather to my surprise that there was not such a very great difference between the prices paid by the European firms in Calcutta and the prices paid by the small Muhammadan *biparis* to the first owners of the hides, *i.e.*, the *butchers* or the *chamars*. At the time of my enquiry the Calcutta prices could be taken as Rs. 18 per 20 lbs. for very best air-dried cure, Rs 16 as an average price and Rs. 13 as the lowest. Compare this with the prices already mentioned as paid in the district to the *butchers* and *chamars*, viz., from annas 10 to annas 12 for slaughtered hides and from annas 7 to annas 9 for "deads." We might take 12 annas as the top price paid in the district, annas 9-6 as the average and annas 7 as the lowest ordinarily paid, or being converted, Rs. 15, Rs. 11-14 and Rs. 8-12, respectively, per 20 lbs.

	Price paid to *butcher* or *chamar*.	Price paid to European firms in Calcutta.	Difference (charges for collecting and collectors' profits).
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
Best *air-dried* cure per 20 lbs.	15 0	18 0	3 0
Medium quality ditto	11 14	16 0	4 2
Worst quality ditto	8 12	13 0	4 4

We may reckon, then, that of the money paid by the European shipping firms in Calcutta, about 25 per cent. goes to the Muhammadan *aratdars* and *biparis* for collecting the hides, and the remaining 75 per cent. to the original owners of the hides, *i.e*, the butchers or the *chamars*.

In the case of a slaughtered hide the butcher had paid a fair price to the agriculturist for the beast, and so we may consider that a fair proportion of the money goes to the owner of the beast and compensates him for the loss of his beast. In the other case the dying of his beast is a dead loss to the Hindu raiyat and an almost clear gain to the *chamar*, the only set-off to this gain being the annual fee the *chamar* pays to the zamindar for the right to all carcases over a certain area.

It should be noted that without any outside help the *chamar* population must within the last 10 years have quite doubled its income, owing to the increased demand and increased prices paid for hides.

I do not attempt to give an estimate of what proportion of the money paid by European countries for Calcutta hides goes to the Calcutta shipping firms to pay them for handling and shipping. Those firms themselves say that they make from 3 to 5 per cent. profit.

The Calcutta hide merchants are of opinion that the air-dry cure, if carefully carried out and followed by dip in arsenic before export, is perfectly satisfactory. But as generally carried out this cure is unsatisfactory. As has been already stated, hides are bought by weight in Calcutta, and very generally also in the district. In consequence the butcher and the *chamar* in flaying leave flesh on the hide in order to increase the weight. It is true that by doing so they are only able to sell their hides at a lower rate per lb., but they consider that nevertheless they generally gain by leaving on the flesh. The Calcutta merchants are generally of opinion that the butchers and *chamars* and small dealers lose by thus preparing 'fleshy' hides, but they find it very difficult to convince them of this. A further discussion of the rates obtainable for 'good' and 'bad' cures will be found in the following paragraph.

It is generally admitted that the quality of the hides exported from Calcutta could be much improved by a better cure.

Leaving flesh on the hide can only have a bad effect. It prevents the hide from drying so quickly as it otherwise would; and unless a hide is dried quickly in this country putrefaction is certain to set in. The result of the putrefaction may or may not be visible at first, but it is sure to show up in the first operations preparatory to tanning. Again, even if the hide has been dried once, the flesh is very likely to take up a little moisture subsequently and putrefy or serve as a nest for maggots. It is very common to find a batch of very fleshy hides in which large areas of each hide have been eaten away by this maggot, leaving only the epidermis, so that these areas are as transparent as tissue-paper. This maggot is, I believe, the larva of a small beetle *Dermestes vulpinus*.

Another frequent defect in the 'air-dry' cure as practised in India is that the drying is effected too rapidly and in too strong a sun. This causes a blistering of the hide and, moreover, the outer surfaces become quite dry, hard and impervious to moisture before the inner tissues have dried, and thus the inner tissues are as it were sealed up wet and subsequently putrefy. The dry should be carried out by stretching the hides on bamboo frames and standing the frames in an open shed through which a free current of air can pass and gain access to both the 'flesh' and 'hair' sides of the hides. The method of drying the hides by stretching them out 'flesh' side up on the ground is unsatisfactory, as the hair side in contact with the ground will remain wet and probably putrefy whilst the flesh side is drying.

What tanners think of Calcutta 'air-dried' hides can be judged from the fact that Calcutta tanners invariably use 'green' hides from the slaughter-house, that the Government Harness and Saddlery Factory at Cawnpore use only 'dry-salted' hides, and that Mr. Chatterton in the Government Chrome Tannery at Madras carefully tried a batch of good quality Patna hides, but found they turned out very badly in the 'soaks' and in 'lime.'

Professor H. R. Procter in his 'Principles of Leather Manufacture' (page 41) says:—"Drying is a very common method of preserving hides as well as other putrescible matters . . . . as applied to hides, it is, to the tanner, one of the least satisfactory modes of cure, involving very considerable difficulties in bringing hides back to the moist and swollen condition which is necessary at the outset of his operations . . . great differences are found in the ease with which dried hides soften, according to the way in which the drying has been accomplished, the difficulty being greater the higher the temperature which has been used. The best mode of dry is to have in the shade in a good draught of cool air with the flesh side out. Hides or skins dried in a tropical sun are not only difficult to soften, but are liable to damaged portions which either refuse to soften or blister and go to pieces in liming owing to the structure of the hide being destroyed by heat, the outer surface drying first and forming an impervious layer which hinders evaporation from the inside, so that the moist interior becomes melted, while the outside appears quite sound. Such injuries are often only to be discovered by soaking and liming. Very similar damage may occur from putrefaction of the interior after the outside has become dry, and to get good results the drying must be gradual but rapid, especially in hot climates."

Fleming in his "Practical Tanning," page 303, says much the same thing, emphasising especially the difficulty of getting 'air-dried' hides back into a perfectly soft condition without putrefaction setting in at some point.

Villon "Treatise on the Leather Industry" translated by F. T. Addyman, page 22 speaks of the putrefaction which sets in on the under side of hides which are stretched out on the ground to be dried by the sun.

It is thus clearly submitted on all sides that the air-dry cure as at present practised on hides exported from Calcutta is most unsatisfactory. The point to decide is whether it would be better to continue the present system and insist on the necessary precautions being taken as to fleshing properly and drying carefully, or whether it would be better to introduce some other method of cure.

I think I am right in saying that the Calcutta firms are largely responsible for the prevalence of the 'air-dried' cure. A hide cured in this way has the least possible weight and thus freight is saved. Also the difficulty of estimating the weight of 'curing' material is avoided when no 'curing' material is employed.

The other method of cure which is adopted in Bengal, viz., the *dry salted* cure, is not so much in favour with the Calcutta hide merchants, because the curer can very materially increase the weight of a hide by putting on excess of 'earth-salt,' which is a mixture of certain salt and mud—and it is difficult to estimate exactly how much of the weight is due to the salt. Also it is easy to hide defects on the flesh side by a liberal plaster of salt and mud. It is, however, probable that from the tanner's point of view the 'dry-salted' hide is preferable to the 'air-dried." This may be judged from the fact that the Government Harness and Saddlery Factory at Cawnpore takes only dry-salted hides. The Superintendent, Major Walker, is not however satisfied with the salt used, and is thinking of establishing a collecting agency by which the hides will be cured with salt provided by the factory. He thinks that *Sambhar Lake salt* would be a very suitable salt for dry salting. The earth salt used at present contains impurities, such as iron pyrites, and makes iron stains on the hides. Mr. Wolf, a large exporter of skins in Madras, uses Madras sea-salt for his cure and considers this a very satisfactory curing salt, being 'mild' in its action. He said that neither Sambhar Lake salt nor the rock-salt obtainable in the Punjab was satisfactory for curing as both made the skins 'tinny' and wanting in 'nature.' A salt which is satisfactory for curing skins would be equally satisfactory for hides. I consider Mr. Wolf's opinion of value as, unlike the Calcutta hide merchants, he buys especially for a firm of tanners, viz., Messrs. Blumenthal of Paris, and is thus able to get the opinion of the tanners on any preparation he may send them.

Dr. J. Gordon Parker, Director of the London Leather Industries Laboratories, is very emphatic that dry-salting with a pure salt would be the most satisfactory method for curing Indian hides. He writes:—"I maintain that the best method for your country would be the salting of the hides on the flesh side, laying them in pile for two or three days for the salt to penetrate, and then drying them in a shady place, not in direct sunlight. It is the heat which in some cases does the harm. I consider that the plastering with alkaline earths and clay is a mistake, and I do not consider that the dipping in weak arsenic is much good. I consider that salt or sulphate of soda (Glauber salt) would be equally effective, and would suit your purpose better."

As a conclusion based on these technical considerations, I decide that the best cure would be dry-salting with Madras sea-salt, rubbing in the salt instead of pouring a solution over the hide, but that in cases where this method could not be introduced the cure would be very greatly improved by simply flaying clean, *i.e.*, not leaving flesh on the flesh side, and drying the hides on bamboo frames under open sheds

The question of 'flaying' has already been mixed up with the question of 'cure,' as it has been stated that very generally flesh is left on the hides and is very likely to spoil the cure The hides from Tangra and the other slaughter-houses near Calcutta are, however, free from this defect but err in the opposite direction—the butchers in flaying score the hides with the knife. This appears to be simply carelessness and would probably be much more easily remedied than the other defect, viz., leaving on flesh, which is done with a definite purpose. I have watched the operation of flaying both at Tangra, where the hides are scored, and at Darbhanga, where too much flesh is left on. The scoring is *not* due to want of time as the Darbhanga butchers flay in about the same time as the Tangra butchers. The butchers are careless because it has become the custom to flay in this careless manner in the neighbourhood of Calcutta, and because, owing to the keen demand for hides of all sorts, they can get a good price even for these carelessly flayed hides. There should not be any difficulty in flaying without scoring even with a naked knife, but to avoid scoring even in rapid flaying by careless butchers, various flaying knives have been invented, *e.g.*—the Brien's skinning knife, Darso's knife and the Negass electric skinning knife (*vide* Villon *loc cit*, pages 12-13).

It is not, however, so certain that a much better price would be obtained for better cure.

The English experts are enthusiastic on the subject of improving the cure of Indian exported hides and say that if the hides were better cured they would fetch much better prices. Thus Mr. A. Seymour Jones writes:—"I would advise you . . . . to devote your attention . . . . to the improvement of local conditions of cure, &c. . . . . The Government of India could do very valuable work by educating the native in a simple way, and show that that way means more rupees and not annas for his product with a world waiting to buy his wares. The first step should be flaying, curing and packing and instructions given how to dispose of his product to best market advantage." Again he writes:—"Most of the hides and skins of India are exported, and if

you can succeed in getting some improvement in flaying and cure, you at once increase the price and so benefit India." Dr. J. Gordon Parker writes "*re* the curing of Calcutta hides, what I endeavoured to convey to Mr. Earle when he called here was that thousands and thousands of pounds were lost yearly owing to the careless curing of Indian hides"

The Calcutta merchants are by no means so optimistic; they consider that it *would* pay the small hide merchants and the butchers and *chamars* to cure better, but they admit that the price they are able to pay for better cure is not so very much greater than the price paid for the poor cures. The trade has itself been able to effect improvements to a certain extent. The cure of the North-West hides and of "Cuttack" hides is generally admitted to have been improved in consequence of representations by the Calcutta firm; and it can be very plainly seen at Darbanga at the present day that Messrs. Schröder Smidt's agency in Behar is causing a number of hides to be better cured.

The following figures, supplied to me as examples by the Calcutta firms, give an idea of the difference in prices paid for good and bad cure:—

(1) An ordinary badly cured "Ranchi" hide, average weight 6 lbs., will fetch Rs. 15 per 20 lbs, or Rs 90 per 20 pieces. The same hide, if fleshed more cleanly and well cured, would have an average weight of 5 lbs. and fetch Rs. 17 per 20 lbs., or Rs 85 per 20 pieces.

(2) An ordinary badly cured "Darbhanga," average weight 7 5 lbs., will fetch Rs. 13 per 20 lbs., or Rs. 97-8 per 20 pieces. The same hide, properly cured, would weigh 7·0 lbs. and fetch Rs. 15 per 20 lbs, or Rs. 105 per 20 pieces.

The first example shows that the *chamar* would lose by flaying cleanly, whilst the second shows that he would gain a little. And all the numerous examples given me were much the same; sometimes the calculation seemed to show that the *chamar* would gain a little by better cure; sometimes to show that his present methods paid him a little better. I understand that this state of affairs is due largely to the present great demand for hides and to the competition among the Calcutta firms.

The present inferior cure of hides cannot be considered as generally due to ignorance on the part of the *chamars* and butchers.

The 'scoring' of hides prevalent in the slaughter-houses around Calcutta is due to carelessness and indifference or ignorance. But the general prevalence of fleshy hides is due to a desire on the part of the small hide merchants and the butchers and *chamars* to increase the weight of the hides. This they will admit quite freely and will explain the point by means of numerical examples, *e.g*, a butcher at Jale in the Darbhanga district explained that if he left a certain amount of flesh on a hide it would weigh 8 lbs, for which he would get 10 annas per lb., or Rs. 5 for the hide, whilst if he took off all the flesh it might only weigh 6 lbs. For this better cure he would get 12 annas per lb., yet for the whole hide he would only realise Rs. 4-8. The same butcher said that he knew perfectly well how to cure properly.

For the same reason, viz., to increase the weight, dry salted hides are often plastered with an excess of earth salt.

Proposals for improving the present situation.

It appears self-evident that the *tanner* would be willing to give a better price for better cured hides than for badly cured hides, and the present state of affairs in which the Calcutta merchant is duly able to give a very slightly better price for better cure must be regarded as 'artificial' and not necessarily permanent. The task to be faced is two-fold, viz:—

(I) To remedy the present artificial state of the Calcutta hide trade, so that better cured hides shall fetch an appreciably better price than badly cured hides in this market.

(II) To teach the butchers and *chamars* to cure in the best manner, and to show that it pays to cure in this manner.

My proposals for the solution of the first of these problems are as follows:—

(Ia) *To address the Calcutta hide merchants through the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and strongly urge the formation of an Association of Hide Buyers.*

Such an Association could issue a notice that after a certain date hides, which were not properly fleshed, would not be bought by any firm in the Association. A European Inspector could be appointed by the Association who would pass or condemn hides intended for sale in Calcutta.

(Ib) *To address the principal Associations of Tanners in Europe and America, pointing out clearly the present artificial state of the Calcutta hide trade, and urging them to take such steps as will ensure a normal condition of this trade.*

They should insist that their requirements in the matter of 'cure' shall be more carefully attended to by the collecting and distributing trade. If the tanners bought by means of their own agencies, or to a certain extent amalgamated with the hide merchants, the interests of the collecting and distributing trade would be one with the interests of the tanners, and the object would be at once effected.

And for the solution of second problem :—

(IIa) *To start a demonstration flaying and curing department in connection with the Tangra Slaughter-house, Calcutta.*

For this purpose we should need to acquire a piece of land near the Tangra Slaughter-house, and erect on it a few sheds This would be our curing yard and hide godown. We should need a European Superintendent, with a knowledge of cattle and a working knowledge of vernacular, to be in charge of the department. Under him would be the native flayers and curers. Messrs. Schröder, Smidt & Co. are willing to supply us with a few men having a sound knowledge of flaying and curing. It should be necessary to try different methods for the disposal of the hides—(1) to sell the hides in the green state, fetching a better price than the ordinary Calcutta slaughter-house hide would demonstrate to the butchers the advantage of the flaying without scoring; (2) some hides should be cured in the most approved manner with Madras sea-salt and offered for sale both in Calcutta and on the home market. The first sales in Europe would be experimental, and would not be expected to be very profitable until some definite arrangement for disposal had been arrived at. Professor Procter, Dr. J. Gordon Parker and Mr. A. Seymour Jones would no doubt help us in placing our 'cure' on the home market.

I have gone as carefully as possible into the details of cost of up-keep of such a department, expenditure and receipts, and I am of opinion that after the Superintendent has gained his experience of the business, the department should be a paying concern.

(IIb) *To start a collecting agency over a fairly small area in some district; and when the agency is properly started, give instrutions to the* chamars *within the area to 'cure' more carefully, telling them at the same time the higher price the agency will pay for the better cure.*

In this way the *chamars* within the selected area will be taught in a really practical manner to cure better.

When the agency has proved a success in this area it should be made over to a private individual or firm, and another agency started in another district

For a start I propose an agency over the Madhubani Zamindari in the north of the Darbhanga District.—This is an area in which the hides are cured very badly and up to the present has not been worked by the Calcutta firm. Similar suitable areas would be found afterwards in Chota Nagpur and Sambalpur.

Details of the proposed agency on the Madhubani Zamindari.—Mr. Hines, the manager of the estate, has estimated that we would collect about 10,000 hides per annum on the Madhubani Zamindari. We should require a European agent in charge of the collecting agency. He would need to be well acquainted with mufassal life and accustomed to dealing with natives of the lower classes. Under him would be 4 or 5 Muhammadan buyers, each located at a small godown. These small godowns would be distributed over the estate. These Muhammadans would buy hides, their operations being controlled by the agent. The hides would from time to time be transferred to a head godown, sorted, made into bundles and sent to Calcutta for sale.

I have gone as carefully as possible into the details of cost of up-keep of such an agency, expenditure and receipts, and I am of opinion that after the agent has gained his experience, the agency as suggested would pay its way.

Discussion of the proposal made.

(Ia) At my interviews with the various Calcutta firms, it was generally admitted that an Association of Calcutta hide-buyers would meet the situation. Further, each firm expressed its willingness to join the Association, but doubted very much if the other firms would join.

(Ib) I have not been able to find a list of the chief Tanners' Associations of Europe and America. Probably such an address would go through the Department of Commerce and Industry of Government of India and the Revenue and Statistics Department of the India Office, and these departments would be able to make a list of the Tanners' Associations it would be desirable to address. I hear that a German and Austrian Association of Tanners has recently been formed for the express purpose of representing the dissatisfaction of the German and Austrian tanners at the character and assortment of hides imported into Hamburg, especially Calcutta hides. This would be a very suitable Association to address. Probably also a copy of the address should be furnished to the various Commercial departments of Governments (such as the Imperial Royal Austrian Commercial Museum, Vienna), to the various Leather Trade Journals, and to the various Leather Trade Schools.

I seems to me that there is sufficient evidence to show that the trade is at present in an artificial and unsatisfactory condition, and that in the interests of Indian trade, Government would be justified in taking steps to alter this condition. I should not propose that the present collecting and distributing agency should be done away with, but that collecting agents and tanners should amalgamate to such an extent that their interests would be in a measure common.

(IIa) and (IIb). I think it is sufficiently obvious that if Government is to do any thing in the way of instructing the 'butchers' and *chamars*, it must be prepared to buy and sell and handle a certain number of hides. No butcher or *chamar* would allow a Government instructor to interfere in the curing of hides which were the butcher's or *chamar's* own property. Nor would butchers or *chamars* attend any school, unless they were paid a full wage to do so. By the flaying department suggested in proposal (IIa) all the butchers who use the Tangra Slaughter-house, *i.e.*, all the Calcutta butchers, would see the way in which we were flaying and could be trusted to make sufficient enquiries to decide if it paid us to flay in this way. By curing with Madras sea-salt in the most approved manner and sending this cure to the home-market we should expect to show to the home tanners how much the quality of Indian hides can be improved by cure and to create a demand for this kind of cure. By the agency as proposed in (IIb) we should be able to supply the only argument which could possibly be of any avail in persuading the *chamar* to cure differently, *i.e.*, we should ourselves be able to offer to buy his hides at a better price if he would cure better. We should be able to pay him a better price, because by means of our agency we should be earning the profits of the merchant who collects and brings hides down to Calcutta. We could afford to make a smaller profit and offer a better price to the *chamars* until the condition of the Calcutta market had improved and better cure naturally fetched a higher price than poor cures in that market.

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Enquiry as to the desirability of developing the Tanning Industry in the Province of Bengal, and as to the possibility of Government assisting in the development by means of education or instruction.

THE tanning industry of the various Indian provinces was the subject of the Industrial Monographs for the year 1904.

The Monograph for the Province of Bengal was written by Mr. Rowland N. L. Chandra, Deputy Magistrate. In this monograph the present state of the industry in the Province is described in considerable detail, and it will only be necessary here to give a very brief *résume*.

We may say that tanning is carried on chiefly as a home-industry on a very small scale. The tanners who work in this way are uneducated men, and the tanning as carried out by them is a very rough process, and the leather produced is a very inferior article. This country leather is made up into shoes, harness, &c., to meet local requirements. The Census tables (1901) show that there are about 5,000 tanners and curriers in the Province, exclusive of the workers in the Calcutta tanneries (5,279 actual workers in the Divisions which form the present restricted Bengal). These tanners are distributed all over the Province, but the concentration is greatest in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions It is very difficult to form any correct estimate of the amount of country leather which is tanned by these men and used by the local shoe-makers and saddlers Mr. Chatterton in his Monograph on tanning and working in leather in the Madras Presidency (page 18) attempts an estimate of the amount of leather used by the country leather-workers in that Province. He takes the number of leather-workers from the Census tables, and assumes that each worker will on the average earn at least three annas daily and work up leather of twice that value. If we make a similar estimate for Bengal, since the number of actual workers, shoe, boot and sandal makers, is returned in the Census tables (1901), for the Divisions which form the present restricted Bengal, as 56,933, we obtain—

Total value of leather used by country shoe-makers, &c., annually	77·92 lakhs rupees.	
Total value of leather goods produced by country shoe-makers, etc., annually	116·89	„ „

The value of this rough and inferior leather made by the country tanners is not much greater than the sum which the hides from which it is made would have fetched had they been exported from the country. If we reckon the leather as worth 10 per cent. more than the hides, we shall not underestimate the value of the leather. This gives us—

Value of hides used annually by country tanners for production of country leather	70 lakhs rupees	(approximate).

We have already seen (Report on enquiry as to the possibility or desirability of improving the cure of hides and skins exported from Bengal) the number and value of the hides exported from the Province, and for the period 1901—06, we may say roughly as the average—

Value of hides exported annually from the Province ... 150 lakhs rupees.

Except in Calcutta and neighbourhood, tanning is entirely conducted as a home industry. In Calcutta, however, there are a few small tanneries where leather is manufactured in a systematic and methodical manner, and is consequently much superior to the rough leather tanned by the country tanner in his own home. There are not, however, more than five or six tanneries in Calcutta of any size, and the largest of these does not produce more than 2 lakhs rupees' worth of leather annually. The small dimensions of the industry may be judged from the Census figures :—

	Total workers and dependants (Bengal).
Tanneries and leather factories—owners, managers and superior staff	249
Ditto operatives and other subordinates ...	1,550

A drive round the Calcutta tanneries will also convince one of the insignificance of the industry. The principal tanneries, and the only ones worthy of consideration, are Messrs. J. Teil & Co., Messrs. Monteith & Co., the Calcutta Tannery Co., the Bengal Tannery Co., Sircar's Tannery and Chowson Chinaman's Tannery.

As an outside estimate we have—

Value of leather produced annually in Calcutta tanneries ... 5 lakhs rupees.

This leather is used by the Calcutta carriage-builders for carriage hoods and by Calcutta boot and shoe-makers for boots and shoes used by Indian gentlemen and to some extent by Europeans.

There is no leather manufactured in Bengal for export (Messrs. J. Teil & Co. export a very small quantity).

There is a certain amount of leather imported, and also a certain amount of leather goods (superior quality goods for Europeans and Indian gentlemen). The value of the import is not, however, large; probably not more than Rs. 8 lakhs per annum.

The statistical tables available, viz., "Roberts on Trade carried by rail and river in Bengal, 1901-02, 1902-03, 1903-04, and 1904-05 unfortunately do not enable us to form a very accurate estimate of the imports of leather goods, because 'boots and shoes' are not returned as 'wrought leather,' but are included under the heading of 'apparel.' The figures available are:—

Value of Imports into Bengal.

	1901-02.	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Leather, unwrought (from British Provinces and Native States of India).	14,264	27,851	23,654	15,297
Leather, unwrought (from chief seaports)...	32,515	16,388	50,101	1,72,349
„ wrought (from British Provinces and Native States of India).	70,558	36,858	45,805	50,215
Leather, wrought (from chief seaports) ...	2,58,535	1,82,255	1,55,908	1,04,348

e may get a very rough idea of the value of the boots and shoes imported into from the figures for the value of boots and shoes imported into India *vid* Bengal —

Annual Statements of the Trade and Navigation of British India."—Sea-borne Trade

Imports (share of Bengal).	1901-02.	1902 03.	1903-04.	1904-05.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Boots and shoes	7,56,168	9,31,318	9,56,386	...

These goods were imported for Bengal, and in part for other provinces fed by Bengal seaports, and perhaps we may estimate roughly that one-half were taken by Bengal.

After giving this brief sketch of the present industry, we may now consider in what way or ways the industry may develop. For this purpose it is instructive to look at other Indian provinces in which the industry is already more developed than in Bengal.

1. In Madras not only are hides tanned for country use, but also practically all hides exported are partially tanned. (This used also to be the case with skins, but of recent years, owing to the development of chrome-tanning in America and Europe, the tanning of skins for export has fallen off to a very large extent.) But although many more hides are exported from Calcutta than from all the other Indian ports combined, yet none of these hides are tanned before export. An examination of the trade figures leaves little doubt that it pays to tan hides before export.

Madras hides dressed or tanned.

EAR.	Quantity.	Value.	Value per cwt.
	Cwts.	Rs.	Rs
1899-1900	114,135	67,55,776	59
1900-1901	219,659	1,23,99,197	56
1901-1902	120,448	66,93,613	56
1902-1903	97,040	54,54,662	56
1903-1904	93,922	54,80,759	59
1904-1905	112,416	74,18,239	66

Compare with :—

Total Exports from British India (raw hides).

Year.	Quantity.	Value.	Value per cwt.
	Cwts.	Rs.	Rs.
1899-1900	1,188,765	4,92,49,617	41
1900-1901	1,282,630	5,26,62,193	41
1901-1902	579,493	2,87,99,134	42
1902-1903	671,314	3,01,76,046	45
1903-1904	670,792	3,16,75,395	47
1904-1905	709,261	3,70,87,322	52

We may take it roughly that 1 cwt. of raw hide will produce 1 cwt. of tanned leather, for although the hide loses weight by the preliminary operations, which remove dirt, salt, flesh and hair, on the other hand it gains weight during the operation of tanning proper. We see, then, that 1 cwt. of tanned Madras hide has always fetched one-third as much again as 1 cwt. of raw Indian hide, which is a very fair increase of price to pay for tanning.

At first sight, then, it looks as though it would be desirable that the hides which are exported from Calcutta should be previously partially tanned as in Madras. The question arises :—"Why should there be this difference between Madras and Calcutta? Is it because more suitable tanning materials are available in Madras or because tanning materials are cheaper there?" It does not appear to be due to want of suitable tanning materials in Bengal. Here "babul" (*Acacia arabica*) and myrobolams are available. These materials are used also in Madras and in Cawnpore and yield leather of good quality. In Madras certainly another material is used largely, viz., "avaram" bark (*Cassia auriculata*) which is not available in Bengal, but this bark does not appear to give such a good leather as "babul," the leather turning red on exposure to light. Nor does it appear that the cost of tanning materials is less in Madras than in Calcutta. In Calcutta, I am told, the cost of "babul" bark is now Re. 1-4 per maund (or Rs. 35 per ton), whilst previously it was only annas 8 per maund. This bark contains on an average 16 per cent. of tannin. According to Mr. Chatterton (*op cit.* page 24), the average price of "avaram" bark in Madras is Rs. 67-8 per ton, and it contains on an average 12 per cent. tannin, so that "avaram" in Madras instead of being cheaper than "babul" in Calcutta is very considerably dearer. There is one point on which it is difficult to get definite information. It is certain that "babul" bark in the quantity at present required in Calcutta is available at Re. 1-4 per maund, but would a very much larger quantity be equally available? I have noticed whilst travelling in Bengal that "babul" grows freely over large areas, *e.g.*, travelling from Calcutta to Jessore by railway I estimated that on either side of the line as far as could be seen "babul" trees grew on an average 100 yards apart. Again, in the Darbhanga district the "babul" grows freely, so that I should say there would be plenty of "babul" available in Bengal to meet a very much larger consumption than the present one.

So far as availability and cost of tanning materials go, therefore, Calcutta appears as suitable as Madras for the tanning of hides for export, nor have I been able to find any adequate reason for the difference between Calcutta and Madras in this matter.

But although the trade figures show that it pays to tan hides for export in Madras, and there is no reason to suppose that it would not be equally profitable in Calcutta, yet this tanning of hides for export is not exactly an ideal industry to develop. As I have already mentioned, of late years this tanning industry in Madras has received a severe set-back from the development of the chrome-tanning in America and Europe. For this process skins are required in an untanned condition; up to the present chrome-tanning has been especially applied to skins for the manufacture of glace-kid boot "uppers" and some difficulty has been found in making satisfactory heavier leather from hides, *e.g.*, for boot soles and for belting, by the chrome process. But it is quite possible that in the near future these difficulties may be overcome, and then the demand for the tanned Madras hides may fall just as severely as has the demand for tanned Madras skins.

Again, the buying and selling in connection with the tanning in Madras are very speculative. The prices both for raw hides and for tanned hides fluctuate largely, and the prices for the tanned hides do not necessarily follow the prices for raw hides, so that either a tanner must have a very large capital to enable him to hold his tanned stock for a favourable market or he will be unable to keep his tannery open during a period of adverse prices. During my visit to Madras in July (1907) I found many tanneries closed and many working at very low pressure. This of course means irregular employment for the workmen, and undoubtedly it would be much preferable to develop an industry which will give steady employment to the operatives rather than such a one.

11. In Cawnpore there are several large tanneries conducted on European lines. The largest tannery is the "Government Harness and Saddlery Factory," which manufactures saddlery, harness and accoutrements for the Indian Army. The other large tanneries are

"The Government Boot and Army Equipment Factory" and the "North-West Tannery Co." The Government Boot and Army Equipment Factory is not a Government concern, but has a contract for the supply of boots to the Army. This contract, I was told, forms about one quarter of their work, and besides this they manufacture all kinds of leather goods for Native Armies and States and better quality boots, etc., for Europeans. The North-West Tannery Company manufacture largely cheaper boots and shoes for natives and also a large number of bags, portmanteaus, dressing cases, etc. Another large tannery, the Wense Tannery, has now been closed down, as it did not pay. The Government Boot and Army Equipment Factory employs about 2,000 hands and the North-West Tannery about 1,000. The quantity of leather tanned per annum is roughly as follows:—

	lbs.
Government Harness and Saddlery Factory	1,500,000
Government Boot and Army Equipment Factory ...	750,000
North-West Tannery	500,000
Other factories	250,000
Total ...	3,000,000
Estimated value (rupees) ...	2,000,000

The North-West Tannery Company estimate the value of their finished goods at Rs. 10 lakhs per annum, and on the same basis we have—

	Value of goods produced per annum. Lakhs rupees.
Government Harness and Saddlery Factory	30
„ Boot and Army Equipment	15
North-West Tannery	10
Other factories	5
Total ...	60

	Lakhs rupees.
Value of goods taken by Army	33·75
Ditto ditto private consumers	26·25

These figures are sufficient to show that the tanning and leather manufacturing in Cawnpore forms a very fine industry employing 6,000—7,000 men.

The question at once arises:—"Is there any reason why the tanning and leather working industry should not develop to an equal extent in Calcutta or elsewhere in Bengal?" and along with it the further question, "How is it that this industry has developed to such fine proportions in Cawnpore and scarcely at all in Bengal?" It does not appear that tanning materials are any cheaper in Cawnpore than in Calcutta: labour is a little cheaper, but Cawnpore is not without its labour difficulties. The Government Factory, it will be noticed, produces about as much leather as the other factories together, and the Army takes more than one-half of all the leather goods manufactured in Cawnpore. The industry is, therefore, largely dependent on the Army at the present time, and in my opinion the tanning and leather-working industry has developed to such proportions in Cawnpore simply as a consequence of the Government starting their harness and saddlery factory in this place. As a matter of history, the Government Factory was started here just after the Mutiny, viz., in 1859, and the next largest factory, viz., Messrs. Cooper Allen's (the Government Boot and Army Equipment Factory) was started with a Government subsidy. Further, I understand that the only other large tannery in India which produces finished leather is Adamjee Peerbhoy's in Bombay, and this tannery owes its growth to Government encouragement and is largely dependent on Government contracts. (The Perambore Harness and Saddlery Factory, Madras, does not tan leather, but is entirely supplied by Messrs. Adamjee Pearbhoy's.) In short, the development of the tanning industry on factory lines in India has been due very largely to Army requirements and Government encouragement, and, in my opinion, if part of the Government tanning and leather work could be transferred to Calcutta, this Government factory would in all probability form a nucleus around which the tanning and leather-working industry would develop to proportions quite equal to those of the Cawnpore industry. Unfortunately there appears to be little prospect of Government starting such a factory in Calcutta. The only Government tanning and leather working factories are the Government Harness and Saddlery Factory at Cawnpore and the Perambore Harness and Saddlery Factory, and quite recently (July 1907) the Director-General of Ordnance in India has announced his wish to concentrate each branch of work as much as possible and, so far as leather work is concerned, to close Perambore and concentrate all the work at Cawnpore. I understand that as this concentration will be opposed to many interests, it is strongly objected to on behalf of these interests, and it is quite possible that the leather work may not be further concentrated than at present; but that there will be a further decentralization against the expressed wishes of the Director-General of Ordnance must be considered as very unlikely.

We have already noticed that more than half of the products of the Cawnpore factories go to meet Army requirements. Our estimate of the value of goods taken by private consumers was 26·25 lakhs. These goods are sold largely in other Provinces than the United Provinces. I made enquiries in Cawnpore as to whether there was any reason to suppose that there would be a limit to the demand for goods of the quality turned out by such factories. I pointed out that at the present time the total imports of leather and leather goods (including boots and shoes) into India were, say, worth Rs. 50 lakhs per annum and suggested that after the industry had grown to produce another Rs. 50 lakhs worth of goods that there would be little further room for development. This, however, is not an admissible view of the situation. We have already seen that, in Bengal alone, at least 117 lakhs rupees worth of rough country-made leather goods are consumed annually. Now the taste for boots and shoes of European styles, such as are produced at the Cawnpore factories, is growing rapidly, and men who previously wore country-made country-style shoes are now taking to the use of European-style goods. So that the correct view of the matter seems to be that the demand for factory-made leather goods may be developed in India to an almost unlimited extent.

From our comparison of the tanning industry of Bengal with that of Madras and of Cawnpore, the conclusion at which we have arrived is that it would be quite a good thing if large tanneries and leather-working factories, similar to the Cawnpore factories, could be started in Calcutta or elsewhere in the Province.

There is at present quite sufficient demand for the class of goods which would be manufactured to justify the starting of several large factories, and the demand can undoubtedly be developed to an almost unlimited extent. There are no technical objections to the starting of tanning in Calcutta. The same tanning materials are available here as in Cawnpore (babul bark and myrobolams are used in Cawnpore). These are available at the same rates in Calcutta. In addition, mangrove bark is available in quantity in the Sundarbans. (Owing to a large demand nowadays for tanning materials of all kinds, strenuous efforts are being made by scientists to prepare tanning liquors from mangrove which will give a high-class leather, and probably in the near future this material will be available even for high-class work.) Labour may be a little dearer, but very good wages have to be paid now in Cawnpore. A good supply of water is available from the Hooghly above Calcutta, say at Serampore, Titaghar or Hooghly, and the water is of good quality. And the development of factories of this kind is good for the working classes, especially if the factories are taken some little distance from the city, so that the workers are housed in sanitary dwellings by the factory management. Steady employment and good wages are ensured for a large number of workers.

This is *the* development of the tanning industry which can be thoroughly recommended. The objection to the Madras industry of partial tanning for export has already been noted. Again, the idea of improving tanning as a home-industry for the villages cannot be entertained, as the process of tanning can never be satisfactorily carried out on a very small scale. Success in tanning depends essentially on securing uniformity of conditions, uniformity in the strength of the liquors, etc., and a worker on a very small scale cannot afford the system of control necessary for this.

We have already noted that it is very unlikely that Government can directly start this factory tanning and leather-working industry in Bengal, and consequently the only thing that remains is to try to attract private capital for the purpose.

Government could probably help, to some extent, in its initial stages, any really sound concern which might be started, by giving it a fair chance to tender for the supply of leather goods required by Government, if not for the Army, perhaps for the Police or for the various other departments of the Local Government, requiring a certain amount of leather goods.

We now come to the problem which more directly concerns us as to whether this development could be helped by means of education or instruction.

Here, again, we can profitably examine what is being done elsewhere in India.

1. In Cawnpore nothing is being done by means of education or instruction for the leather trade. The management of the tanneries factories is in European hands, and the superintending staff have either received their training in Europe or picked it up in the factory. These factories do not feel the need of any more theoretical education for their superintending staff, nor do they ask for any further education for their workers, except a little more general education, which they ask should be any thing rather than literary.

2. In Madras Mr. Chatterton, the Director of Technical and Industrial Enquiries in the Presidency, has established a small tanning and leather-working factory on purely business lines in which all the tanning is done by the chrome process. Mr. Chatterton is a firm believer in the superiority of chrome-leather over vegetable-tanned leather for many purposes; especially he believes chrome-leather to be very suitable for the manufacture of water-well buckets. A very large number of leather water-buckets are used in the Madras Presidency, and his object in starting this chrome-tannery has been to introduce chrome-leather for the manufacture of water-buckets. Incidentally he is willing to allow anyone who is desirous of learning chrome-tanning to work in the tannery and see all the process.

In Bengal the leather water-bucket is not used, so that the *motif* which started the chrome-tannery in Madras is absent in Bengal: nevertheless it is quite an open question whether chrome-leather is not as good or better than vegetable-tanned leather for boots and

shoes in this country. The process of chrome-tanning has several great advantages over vegetable-tanning, the chief of which is that it is quick, and in consequence a much smaller capital is required than in the vegetable process for a given outturn. Such an industry which can be worked satisfactorily with a small capital is undoubtedly the kind of industry which is most suited for those members of the Indian community in Bengal who are anxious for *Swadeshi* industrial development. It appears that at present the wealthy members of the Indian community are not prepared to put their money into any large *Swadeshi* industrial concern, and the only course which remains for the educated classes who are really anxious to take up industrial careers but yet have only small funds at their disposal, is to take up industries which can be successfully run with a moderate amount of capital. Now it is these men who have at any rate effected this much, that at the present day an interest in industrial development has been aroused in the country, and the Government should, I think, in considering the question of technical education, take especially into consideration the requirements of this class, and, as I have said, chrome-tanning is an industry which offers special advantages for such men, and the Government should bring this industry prominently to their notice and offer such as may wish it the chance of learning the details of the processes involved.

Several well-educated Indian students have availed themselves of the opportunity to learn the chrome-tanning process in Madras, and one or two of them have subsequently tried to start small chrome tanneries. But up to the present no appreciable chrome-tanning industry has sprung up.

Owing to the existence of the large Government Harness and Saddlery Factory at Cawnpore and Mr Chatterton's Chrome Tannery at Madras, the Government of Bengal can already offer a very complete education in tanning and leather-working to any generally-educated student who wishes to learn this industry. The Superintendent of the Government Harness and Saddlery Factory at Cawnpore is perfectly willing to take such men and put them through a five years' course of training in the factory, in which time they would learn every process in the factory. The men would, of course, be required to work their way through the factory. And in Madras the chrome-tanning is, so to speak, on view for any one who wishes to learn all about it.

We must consider the question:—"How many students would avail themselves of the instruction if a tanning and leather-working school were started in Bengal?" There is at present no employment available in the Province for men trained in such a school, and, as I have already said, the Cawnpore factories even do not feel the need of such training for their superintending staff. The only students who would avail themselves of such instruction would be those with no definite idea as to what they would do afterwards and those who had the idea of starting a tannery for themselves or of securing the management of some tannery which was proposed to be started. I have consulted "the Association for the Advancement of Scientific and Industrial Education of Indians," Dr. N. Sircar, Secretary of the "Bengal Technical Institute," and Dr. A. L. Sircar, Secretary of the Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science," in order to learn the opinion of the Indian community, and especially of that section interested in industrial development, as to the demand which might be expected for training in the processes of the tanning industry. Dr. N. Sircar has himself been attracted to chrome-tanning, as he considers that this is a process which will pay even on a small scale and that there is a ready demand for the leather, and in connection with the Bengal Technical Institute he has started a small chrome tannery with a capital of about Rs. 7,000, but up to the present no student has wished to learn the process. The general opinion was that the number of students would not be large, partly owing to caste prejudices.

The conclusion arrived at as the result of my enquiries can therefore be stated as follows:—

I.—There is plenty of scope for a large tannery and leather-work factory, after the style of the Cawnpore tanneries, to be started near Calcutta or elsewhere in Bengal, and by such factories the tanning industry would be developed in the most satisfactory manner.

II.—The chrome-tanning industry is particularly suited to the requirements of that section of the Indian community now especially interested in industrial development. This could be taken up in fairly small factories and its development in Bengal could be viewed with satisfaction.

My *recommendations* for bringing about these developments are:—

I.—That the Government of Bengal should address the Government of India, and point out the advantages to the general trade of the Province which would result from the starting of a branch Army Supply Harness and Saddlery Factory in Bengal, and urge strongly the starting of such a branch factory.

II.—That the views of the Government as to the desirability of establishing tanneries in Bengal should be made known to the public, and especially to those who are likely to find capital for industrial schemes. This could be done by publishing pamphlets and by lectures and authorised and signed leaders or articles in the principal newspapers and trade publications.

The Local Government should also make known to the public its willingness to help, during its initial stages, any concern which might be started on really sound lines by giving it a fair chance to tender for the supply of leather goods required by the various departments of the Local Government.

III.—*With regard to educational measures*, I cannot recommend the starting of any classes or school in Bengal for teaching tanning, but I recommend that scholarships be given to any students with satisfactory credentials to allow them to proceed to Cawnpore to learn tanning and leather-working at the Government Harness and Saddlery Factory or to Madras to learn chrome-tanning under Mr. Chatterton, and that the willingness of Government to give these scholarships should be announced as publicly as possible, together with a clear statement as to the completness of the training available at Cawnpore and Madras.

The course of training at Cawnpore would last five years. Towards the end of this period the students would probably be earning a living wage. The scholarships awarded should be just sufficient to pay for the students' board and lodging in Cawnpore (say Rs. 50 per mensem) until such time as the Superintendent of the Factory found himself able to give the men a living wage.

The course of a training at Madras need not extend for more than one year if the student had a previous scientific education. Mr. Chatterton could decide the period it would be advisable for any particular student to work under him. In this case also the scholarship awarded should be just sufficient to pay for board and lodging (say Rs. 50 per mensem).

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REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE INCOME-TAX IN BENGAL DURING THE THREE YEARS ENDING THE 31ST MARCH 1908.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 638S.R.—The 20th August 1908.—The following extracts from the Report of the Board of Revenue on the administration of the Income-tax in Bengal during the three years ending 31st March 1908 are published for general information.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 4249B., dated Calcutta, the 11th August 1908.

From—PANDIT RAMA BALLABH MISRA, M.A., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed to submit the following Report on the administration of Income-tax in the Lower Provinces during the triennium ending on the 31st March 1908 * *

Member in Charge:
THE HON'BLE MR. E. W. COLLIN, I.C.S.

(i) *Miscellaneous orders and rulings of importance.*— * * The Government of India directed that in future all claims for the refund of income-tax paid under Parts I and III may be received and examined if preferred within six years from the date of realization of the tax.

(ii) It was laid down by the Government of India that income-tax should not be levied on the compassionate gratuities granted to the families of deserving Government servants left in indigent circumstances.

(vii) It was ruled by the High Court that an owner of mines (whether worked by himself or lessees) is liable to pay both income-tax and road cess on the same net profit derived, or royalty received, by him from the mines. (Indian Law Reports, April 1, Volume XXXIV, Part IV, pages 257-288).

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Revenue derived from Income-tax during the triennium.—The receipts, charges and net revenue derived from the collection of Income-tax during each of the three years 1905-06, 1906-07, and 1907-08 were as follows:—

YEAR.	Receipts.	Charges.	Percentage of charges.	Net revenue.
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
1907-08 ...	51,98,644	1,67,478	3·2	50,31,166
1906-07 ...	48,64,256	1,63,011	3·4	47,01,245
1905-06 ...	46,48,526	1,51,862	3·3	44,96,664

The increase in the net revenue during 1907-08 was 7 per cent., as compared with 1906-07, and 11·9 per cent., as compared with 1905-06. The average net receipts of the triennium show a decrease of Rs. 3,53,624 or 6·9 per cent., as compared with the figures of the preceding triennium. The decrease is partly due to the partition of Bengal and partly to the enactment of Act XI of 1903.

Demand on account of incometax.—The final number of assessees and the final demand for the year 1907-08 showed an increase of 2,017 persons and Rs. 3,49,223, or 4·6 and 7·9 per cent., respectively, as compared with the figures of 1906-07; and an increase of 3,517 persons and of Rs. 5,40,412, or 8·4 and 12·9 per cent., respectively, as compared with the figures of 1905-06.

There was a reduction of the demand of about 5½ lakhs in the Province owing to the partition. The demand in the districts outside Calcutta was Rs. 13,82,342 in 1905-06 against Rs. 19,42,186 in 1904-05. During the succeeding two years, the demand of the districts increased by about 2 lakhs, while the demand in Calcutta has increased by 6½ lakhs since 1904-05. The final demand of the Province at the close of the triennium stood at Rs. 47,45,507 against Rs. 44,62,577 at the close of 1904-05.

The increase is due to more careful inquiry and assessment, to the rapid growth of trade and increased commercial prosperity, especially in the city of Calcutta, to the opening of new coal mines in Burdwan, and to the flourishing state of the coal and mica industries and of the trade in lac in the Chota Nagpur Division.

Number of assessees and the amount of tax collected under Part IV, in the grade of Rs 1,000-1,250 during the triennium.—The Government of India in their letter No. 7678S.R., dated the 8th December 1904 noticed the relatively large number of assessees in the lowest grade of the amended Act, namely, Rs. 1,000—1,250 in 1903-04, the year following the passing of Act XI of 1903. The matter was therefore made the subject of an enquiry by the Board; and in accordance with the directions given by the Government of Bengal in its letter No. 547S.R., dated the 8th November 1905, they prescribed the submission of certain statements by District Officers in order to check the tendency of the assessing staff to bring into the lowest grade assessees who were entitled to exemption under the change of law. The figures furnished by the District Officers on the subject for the last three years are summarized below:—

Year.	Number of assessees under Part IV in the grade of Rs. 1,000—1,250.	Amount of tax collected under Part IV in the grade of Rs. 1,000—1,250.
		Rs.
1907-1908	10,647	2,12,109
1906-1907	10,571	2,11,392
1905-1906	10,602	2,12,279

The number of persons assessed in 1907-08 shows an increase of 76 and 45 persons or ·7 and ·4 per cent., respectively, as compared with the figures of the preceding two years; and the amount of tax collected shows an increase of Rs. 717 or ·3 per cent., as compared with 1906-07, and a decrease of Rs. 170 or ·08 per cent., as compared with 1905-06.

Of the total number of assessees in the lowest class of Part IV (that is, those assessed on the lowest taxable income) in 1907-08, 482 were formerly in higher classes, 1,685 were new assessees and 2,668 were assessees who in previous years had been assessed in lower classes, as against 526, 1,464, and 2,631, respectively, in 1906-07, and 552, 1,455 and 2,809, respectively, in 1905-06. The assessments cancelled on objection or appeal in the cases of new assessees in the lowest class were 247 or 5·7 per cent., against 224 and 293 or 5 and 6·9 per cent., respectively, in the preceding two years.

This subject was dealt with in paragraph 8 of the last triennial report, when the increase in this class of assessees in 1903-04 was explained. Since that year, the assessments in the lowest class have followed the ordinary fluctuations of the year and the figures do not indicate a tendency on the part of the assessing staff to bring under assessment, without adequate investigation, those who were exempted on the raising of the taxable minimum in 1903.

Incidence of the demand on population.—The following statement shows the proportion of persons assessed to the population and the villages in the province and the incidence of the tax during the triennium under report :—

Year.	Proportion of persons assessed to population.		Proportion of persons assessed to villages.		Number of persons in proportion to each rupee of tax assessed.
	Persons.	Population.	Persons.	Villages.	
1907-1908 ...	1	1,113	33	100	11
1906-1907 ...	1	1,164	32	100	12
1905-1906 ...	1	1,206	30	100	12

The variations are due to the increase in the number of persons finally assessed and in the final demand, as explained in paragraph 8 of the Report.

Rural and urban incidence of the tax.—The proportion of the tax paid in Calcutta in comparison with that paid in the rest of the province is exhibited below :—

Year.	Amount of tax realized in—		
	Calcutta.	Rest of province.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1907-08 ...	30,59,617	15,35,269	45,94,886
1906-07 ..	28,61,229	14,11,458	42,72,687
1905-06 ...	27,11,460	13,70,492	40,81,952

The number of assessees in each year has already been compared in paragraph 8 above. It will be seen that, during the last year under consideration, Calcutta contributed 42·2 per cent. of the persons assessed and 66·6 per cent. of the tax realised. The feature of the triennium is the increase of taxation realised in Calcutta, which amounts to over 6 lakhs of rupees. The proportion of the tax contributed by Calcutta has risen from 55·8 per cent. to 66·6 per cent.

As regards the assessments under Parts II and IV of the Act only, the seven cities—Calcutta, Patna, Gaya, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Cuttack—with a population of over 50,000 inhabitants in each contained between them 23·6 of the assessees in the province and contributed 55·07 per cent. of the tax collected.

The incidence of the tax in rural areas during the year 1907-08 varied from Re. 1 to every 166 persons in Sambalpur to Re. 1 to every four persons in Darjeeling.

Incidence of the tax according to incomes.—The incidence of the tax according to the different rates of incomes is shown in the following table:—

Class.	Rate of income.			Percentage of assessees of each class.	Percentage of collections contributed by each class.
	Rs.		Rs.		
I ...	1,000	but less than	1,250 ...	33·5	6·1
II ...	1,250	ditto	1,500 ...	12·1	3·3
III ...	1,500	ditto	1,750 ...	8·9	3·0
IV ...	1,750	ditto	2,000 ...	7·6	3·2
V to XIII ...	2,000	and over	... ...	37·9	84·4

The proportion of the number of assessees with incomes of less than Rs. 2,000 a year was 62·1 per cent. and that of the amount paid by them 15·6 per cent. The percentages are lower than in the last triennium, and this is possibly an indication of the increased prosperity of the mercantile community.

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Objections to the assessments.—The percentages of objections to assessments for the whole Province were 12·4 in 1907-08, 12 in 1906-07, and 12·06 in 1905-06.

Exemptions and result of revision.—The figures on the margin compare the number of persons exempted on revision and the amount of tax remitted by District Officers, Commissioners and the Board, during the triennium under report. The percentage of exemptions on the number of persons originally assessed was 1·4 in 1907-08, 1·4 in 1906-07 and 1·6 in 1905-06; that of remissions on the original demand 1·3, 1·7, and 1·6, respectively.

	No. of persons exempted.	Amount of tax remitted.
		Rs.
1907-08 ...	628	64,070
1906-07 ...	596	74,887
1905-06 ...	693	70,071

Collections of Income-tax.—The following statement compares the amount of the tax collected under each part of the Act during the last three years:—

Year.	Part I—Salaries, pensions, annuities and gratuities.	Part II—Profits of Companies.	Part III—Interest on securities.	Part IV—Other sources.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1907-08 ...	7,43,267	9,26,193	1,10,407	28,15,019	45,94,886
1906-07 ...	6,97,768	7,86,208	1,02,565	26,86,146	42,72,687
1905-06 ...	6,55,139	,30,878	98,496	25,97,439	40,81,952

The total collections on account of tax under all parts during the year 1907-08 showed an increase of Rs. 3,22,199 or 7·5 per cent. over those of 1906-07 and Rs. 5,12,934 or 12·6 per cent. over those of 1905-06. The increase in the total collections during 1907-08, as compared with those of the preceding year, was obtained from all the main classes of assessees; Salaries (Part I) contributing Rs. 45,499, Companies (Part II) Rs. 1,39,985, Securities

(Part III) Rs. 7,842, and other sources (Part IV) Rs. 1,28,873, or 14·1, 43·5, 2·4 and 40 per cent. of the total increase, respectively. Of the total increase in 1907-08 as compared with the figures of 1906-07, Calcutta contributed Rs. 1,98,388 or 61·6 per cent., a result which is chiefly attributed to the greater prosperity of the jute, coal and banking businesses, to the formation of new companies, to increase of establishment on the railways and in mercantile offices and to larger issues of debentures.

The gross collections during the year 1907-08, including arrears of tax, penalties, etc., amounted to Rs. 47,61,152, as compared with Rs. 44,34,001 in 1906-07 and Rs 42,39,121 in 1905-06.

The percentage of tax collected under each part on the total amount of tax collected during the year 1907-08 was as follows :—

Part	I—Salaries	...	...	16·2
„	II—Profits of companies	...	...	20·1
„	III—Interest on securities	...	...	2·4
„	IV—Other sources	...	...	61·3

The percentage of collections on the final demand on account of tax alone during 1907-08 was 96·8, as compared with 97·2 and 97·07 in the two previous years, respectively.

The percentage of collections on the final demand on account of tax, penalties etc., both current and arrear, excluding advance payments and excess collections, was 95·3, as compared with 95·7 in 1906-07 and 95·9 in 1905-06. The districts of Bankura, Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, Murshidabad, Gaya, Cuttack and Palamau succeeded in collecting the entire demand on account of tax within the year. The prescribed standard was reached in all the other districts, except Bhagalpur, where the percentage fell from 99·2 in 1906-07 to 89·8 in 1907-08. The short percentage in this district was due to the fact that a large number of objections, which were filed by some higher class assessees about the close of the year, could not be disposed of within the year.

Outstanding balances of Income-tax.—The outstanding balance on account of tax, penalties and costs for the year 1907-08, as compared with the two previous years, is shown below :—

Year.	Balance on account of—			
	Tax.	Penalties.	Costs.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1907-08 ...	1,71,926	12,154	3,569	1,87,649
1906-07 ...	1,41,705	10,579	3,485	1,58,769
1905-06 ...	1,39,926	8,809	2,595	1,51,330

The sum of Rs. 1,87,649 against the year 1907-08 includes Rs. 25,672 for the year 1906-07. Calcutta alone returns a balance amounting to Rs. 1,52,283, as compared with Rs. 1,35,832 in 1906-07 and Rs. 1,33,420 in 1905-06. The increase is due to the increase in demand. Of the total balance of Rs. 1,87,649, Rs. 1,11,121 are reported to be under realization, Rs. 45,795 are doubtful and Rs. 30,733 are probably irrecoverable.

Coercive measures.—The following statement compares the demand, collection and balance on account of penalties, fines and costs for the last three years :—

Year.	Demand.		Collection.		Balance.	
	Penalties and fines.	Costs.	Penalties and fines.	Costs.	Penalties and fines.	Costs.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1907-08 ...	17,038	8,535	8,150	6,067	8,888	2,468
1906-07 ...	15,170	8,662	7,908	6,042	7,262	2,620
1905-06 ...	14,069	7,565	7,957	5,971	6,112	1,594

Concluding remarks.—The main feature of the period under report is the Partition of Bengal, in consequence of which the final number of assessees and the final demand in the first year of the triennium dropped from 52,493 and Rs. 44,62,577 to 41,955 and Rs. 42,05,095 or by 20·08 and 5·8 per cent., respectively. At the close of the triennium, however, the final number of assessees and the final demand came up to 45,472 persons and Rs. 47,45,507 against 52,493 persons and Rs. 44,62,577, respectively in 1904-05, the year just preceding the Partition. The decrease in the final number of assessees has been made up by 33·4 per cent., but the final demand has exceeded by 6·3 per cent. Another feature is the increase of the tax realised in Calcutta owing to the increase of business in the last three years, and the Collector deserves credit for his successful administration of the Department. Like all other direct taxation the tax continues to be unpopular, although the relief given by the raising of the maximum limit of the taxable income is appreciated. There is, however, no open indication of discontent, and the administration of the Act was carried on smoothly. The thanks of the Board are due to Commissioners and to District Officers generally for their satisfactory management of the Department.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE STAMP DEPARTMENT IN BENGAL DURING THE THREE YEARS ENDING THE 31ST MARCH 1908.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 656S.R.—The 22nd August 1908.—The following extracts from the Report from the Board of Revenue, L. P., on the administration of the Stamp Department for the triennium ending the 31st March 1908 are published for general information.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 4340B., dated Calcutta, the 15th August 1908.

From—PANDIT RAMA BALLABH MISRA, M.A., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed to submit, for the information of Government, the following report on the administration of the Stamp Department during the three years ending the 31st March 1908. * *

Member in charge:
THE HON'BLE MR. E. W. COLLIN, I.C.S.

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FINANCIAL RESULTS.

The main feature of the period under report is the partition of Bengal, in consequence of which it is not possible to compare the fluctuations of the past three years with the preceding triennial periods. The receipts, which in 1904-05 were Rs. 2,08,65,770, fell to Rs. 1,43,62,962 in 1905-06. During the last year of the triennium the receipts rose to Rs. 1,51,17,649. The statistics for the districts transferred to the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam have been excluded, while those for the district of Sambalpur, which has been added to Bengal, have been incorporated in the report.

* * * * The revenue collected under both the Stamp and Court-fees Acts during the year 1907-08 amounted to Rs. 1,51,17,649 and exceeded the receipts of any other year during the triennium, being Rs. 4,10,967 more than in 1906-07 and Rs. 7,54,687 more than in 1905-06. The increase of revenue, which amounts to 2·8 per cent. and 5·2 per cent. in the two years, occurred under both judicial and non-judicial stamps. While the receipts under the former head received a set-back in 1906-07, from which, however, they recovered completely in 1907-08, the receipts from the sale of non-judicial stamps increased steadily throughout the triennium. There has been a corresponding steady increase in the total charges during the past three years, although the general result shows an increase in the annual net income. The total charges during 1907-08 amounted to Rs. 3,69,340, giving an increase of 2·3 and 3·5 per cent. over the figures of 1906-07 and 1905-06, respectively. The increased expenditure was due to the larger amount of discount paid to vendors on the increased sales of stamps.

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A.—JUDICIAL STAMPS.

The sale-proceeds of Court-fee stamps (excluding stamps for copies) fell from Rs. 96,13,749 in 1905-06 to Rs. 94,66,666 in 1906-07. In the subsequent year (1907-08), however, they exceeded by Rs. 4,06,887, or 4·3 per cent., the receipts of 1906-07. The increase is mainly attributed to larger resort to Civil Courts, to the payment of a larger amount of duty in probate and letters of administration cases in Calcutta and to the gradual development of survey-settlement operations. The enquiries held by revenue officers under section 19-II (3) of the Court-fees Act, VII of 1870, as amended by Act XI of 1899, have led to more careful valuations by applicants for the grant of probates and letters of administration. There was an increase in the receipts from the sale of stamps for copies and a slight decrease in the sale of plain paper.

The total receipts under the former head amounted to Rs. 5,65,756 against Rs. 5,54,846 in 1906-07 and Rs. 5,27,721 in 1905-06. Under the latter head the total receipts amounted to Rs. 1,93,282 and show a decrease of Rs. 499 as compared with the receipts of 1906-07, and an increase of Rs. 8,826 as compared with the receipts of 1905-06. The increase under the head of miscellaneous receipts, as compared with the years 1906-07 and 1905-06, was due to the fact that Court-fee stamps worth Rs. 8,000 were required for a probate in the district of Purnea. There being, however, only one stamp for Rs. 1,000 in stock, the balance of Rs. 7,000 was credited under the head "miscellaneous receipts," and a certificate was given on the back of the stamp accordingly.

B.—NON-JUDICIAL STAMPS.

Non-judicial stamps show an increase of Rs. 3,39,074 or 8·5 per cent when compared with 1906-07. The increase was shared by all classes of stamps.

Impressed Stamps.—The revenue derived from the sale of impressed stamps (the most important item among non-judicial stamps) showed a progressive increase during the past three years. The receipts during 1907-08 were Rs. 24,82,943, which exceeded those of 1906-07 and 1905-06 by Rs. 1,60,601 and Rs. 3,99,845, respectively. The largest increase occurred in Calcutta and is attributed to the growth of trade. In other districts the increase is generally ascribed to the increase in the number of deeds executed owing to the failure of harvests and higher price of food-grains.

Hundis or inland bills-of-exchange.—The revenue derived from the sale of *hundi* or bill-of-exchange stamps rose steadily during the past three years. The receipts during 1907-08 were Rs. 1,62,419 and show an increase of Rs. 12,860 as compared with those of 1906-07 and of Rs. 27,997 over those of 1905-06. The largest increase occurred in Calcutta and is attributed to the development of the natural resources of the country and the growth of its inland trade.

Impressed labels or special adhesive stamps.—Receipts from the sale of impressed labels which are used only in Calcutta showed a progressive increase during the past three years. The receipts during 1907-08 were Rs. 11,17,810, which exceeded those of 1906-07 and 1905-06 by Rs. 79,269 and Rs. 1,51,158, or by 7·6 per cent. and 15·6 per cent., respectively. The increase is attributed to the growth of trade and the increasing popularity of this class of stamps in Calcutta.

One-anna receipt stamps.—The sale of this stamp was stopped with effect from 1st October 1905. * * * * The revenue derived from the sale of the stamps during the first-half of 1905-06 amounted to Rs. 2,23,529.

Foreign Bill Stamps.—These stamps are sold chiefly in Calcutta for bills-of exchange, cheques and promissory notes drawn or made out of British India and chargeable with a duty of more than one anna. The receipts from this source during the past year amounted to Rs. 90,178, which, compared with the receipts of 1906-07 and 1905-06, show an increase of Rs. 4,268 and Rs. 7,699, respectively.

Share-transfer Stamps.—Sales of these stamps, which are used for the payment of stamp duty on transfers of the shares of public companies and associations, are practically confined to Calcuttta. The revenue during 1907-08 amounted to Rs. 1,87,363, which, compared with Rs. 1,27,528 and Rs. 68,731, the receipts of the years 1906-07 and 1905-06, shows an increase of Rs. 59,835 and Rs. 1,18,632, or 46·9 and 172·6 per cent., respectively.

The practice obtaining in the Calcutta share market of using adhesive stamps on separate instruments of share-transfers in payment of the original duty as well as in payment of excess duty was brought to the attention of the Board in the year 1905, and the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, pointed out that the figures for a period of 10 years ending 31st March 1904 appeared to suggest that the revenue derived from the sale of adhesive share-transfer stamps bore no proportion to the increase in the number of Limited Companies and the consequent increase in the number of transactions relating to shares. Section 11 (*e*) of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899, permits the use of adhesive stamps for transfers of shares by endorsement, and it is clear from

rules 5, 13, and 15 of the Government of India's Rules, published with Notification No. 3632Exc., dated the 29th June 1906, that additional duty may be paid by affixing adhesive stamps when the original engraved or embossed stamp is insufficient; but the use of adhesive stamps in payment of duty on original deeds of transfer has not the authority of law. There was reason to believe that the stamp duty was being evaded. There was, however, a consensus of opinion that the law cannot be enforced or the present practice abolished without causing great practical inconvenience in the Calcutta Share Market, and the Board, on a careful consideration of all the facts, recommended to Government that section 11 (*c*) of the Stamp Act should be amended so as to legalise the present practice of using adhesive stamps on separate instruments of share-transfers in payment of original duty. They considered that the risk of loss to the revenue by fraudulent second use of stamps must be faced and that it can only be checked by asking the mercantile community to co-operate in the enforcement of the provisions of section 12 of the Stamp Act and by offering substantial rewards for the detection of fraud. The Government of Bengal supported the recommendation of the Board; and the Government of India in their letter No. 7044Exc., dated the 23rd November 1907, to the address of the Government of Bengal, stated that the desirability of amending section 11 (*c*) in the manner proposed will be considered when the Stamp Act, 1899, next comes up for revision.

Since the discussion began three years ago there has been a considerable increase in the value of adhesive share-transfer stamps sold from the Calcutta Collectorate. The Collector attributes this increase to speculation in coal shares and to the floating of joint stock companies. Mr. Baboneau also thinks that the discussion of the question of the fraudulent use of adhesive stamps has been useful in the protection of the revenue.

Stamps for Legal Practitioners' licenses.—The amount of revenue realised from the sale of these stamps during 1907-08 was Rs. 97,649, which shows an increase of Rs. 2,112 and Rs. 1,958, respectively, over the receipts of the years 1906-07 and 1905-06. The increase is due to the increase in the number of legal practitioners.

Notarial Stamps.—These are one-rupee foreign bill stamps over-printed with the word "Notarial" under rule 15 (*d*) of the rules issued with the Notification of the Government of India No. 3632Exc., dated the 29th June 1906. They were sold in 10 out of 33 districts in 1907-08. The sales of the year amounted to Rs. 1,787 in comparison with Rs. 1,574 and Rs. 1,516 during the two previous years.

Forms for cheques or receipts.—Forms for cheques and receipts are impressed with one-anna stamps by the Controller of Printing, Stationery and Stamps in accordance with rule 7 of the rules issued with the Notification of the Government of India No. 3632Exc., dated the 29th June 1906, on receipt of a certificate of payment from a Government treasury. Hitherto the practice had almost exclusively been confined to European firms and Banking Corporations, but the Marwari and other Indian merchants and traders have gradually come to realise the utility of this procedure as a safeg uard against abstraction in the case of *hundis*, receipts and bazar *chits*. Cheque forms of different kinds issued by the Accountant-General, Bengal, for the use of Incorporated Local Funds, are also impressed in the office of the Controller of Printing, Stationery and Stamps, with one-anna stamps and issued to all treasuries in Bengal. The receipt of the last year of the triennium from this source amounted to Rs. 1,46,996, which exceeded those of 1906-07 and 1905-06 by Rs. 19,916 and Rs. 21,819, or by 15·7 per cent. and 17·4 per cent., respectively. The largest increase occurred in Calcutta and is attributed to the deterrent measures adopted by the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, in the case of unstamped and insufficienly stamped *hundis* and other documents. The floating of several limited companies during the triennium also contributed to the increase.

Miscellaneous receipts.—The receipts under this head are mainly composed of realisations under section 35 and sections 32, 37, 40 and 41 of Act II of 1899, adjudication fees and duty on debentures. The increase which

is exhibited under this head for the past year is entirely due to the realisation of Rs. 1,19,000, representing the duty on the Port Trust Debentures floated in the years 1900, 1903, 1905, 1906 and 1907 in a consolidated form. The failure to pay the stamp duty thereon at the time the loans were raised was brought to the notice of the Board. They did not think it necessary to treat the case as of wilful neglect, and called the attention of the Port Commissioners to the provisions of section 8 of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899, which require that the stamp duty should be paid immediately on issue of debentures by a local authority.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SALE OF STAMPS.

* * * * The total number of vendors engaged in the sale of judicial and non-judicial stamps during the year 1907-08 was 2,884, showing a decrease as compared with the previous two years of 94 and 103 persons, respectively. In some districts the decrease is attributed to the cancelment of the licenses of a number of vendors for misconduct. In other districts the decrease is attributed to the removal from the list of persons who were only nominal stamp vendors and to the reduction in the number of stamp vendors so as to allow each a sufficient income from the sale of stamps. The decrease in Calcutta was attributed to the abolition of one-anna receipt stamps, the sale of which constituted a profitable source of income, and the discontinuance of discount on postage stamps, which led to the closure of the stalls of those vendors who dealt chiefly in such stamps.

Under the Central Provinces rules, licenses to sell stamps are issued to Sub-Post-Masters and village Schoolmasters by their official designation only, and the Deputy Commissioner grants them advances without prepayment and without requiring the vendors to furnish security for the advances. These vendors remit cash to the treasury by money-orders for purchase of stamps which are sent to them by insured parcels in return for cash, the Government bearing the cost of remitting the money and of insuring the stamp parcels. On the recommendation of the Commissioner of Orissa the Board agreed to the continuance of the practice in Sambalpur.

The expenditure on discounts allowed to stamp vendors during the past year exceeded that of the preceding year by Rs. 10,604 and that of the year 1905-06 by Rs. 13,905. There was an increase in respect of both judicial and non-judicial stamps and plain paper. The increase was the necessary result of increased sales. The average discount per vendor during the triennium under report was Rs. 67.

Since the discontinuance of the discount on postage stamps many complaints have been received in Calcutta regarding the difficulty of procuring such stamps in quarters where there are no post offices within easy distance. It has been reported that the Collector had frequently to force the existing vendors to keep a sufficient stock of one-anna and half-anna unified stamps for sale to the public, as required by the rules.

In the districts outside Calcutta there were few complaints during the period under report of difficulty or inconvenience in procuring stamps and the sales were on the whole properly conducted by licensed vendors.

The system of taking the thumb impressions of purchasers on the stamps themselves as well as on the vendors' registers, which was introduced in the district of Cuttack during the preceding triennium, was extended to the other districts of the Division during the period under report and is reported to have been attended with satisfactory results. In September 1907 the Commissioner of Orissa reported on the working of the system and recommended its general adoption. The matter is under consideration.

PUNITIVE ACTION OF THE COURTS AND REVENUE OFFICERS.

* * * * The total number of cases dealt with by the Civil Courts during the last year of the triennium was 1,724 in comparison with 1,342 in 1906-07 and 1,431 in 1905-06. There was an advance of Rs. 2,515 in the duty and penalty realised by the Civil Courts in comparison

with the realisations of the preceding year, and of Rs. 287 in comparison with those of 1905-06. The increase in the number of cases is probably due to a more careful examination of documents by Civil Courts. There was an increase of 72 in the number of cases decided, but a decrease of Rs. 12,965 in the duty and penalty realised by Revenue officers as compared with the figures of the preceding year, and a decrease of 50 in the number of cases decided but an increase of Rs. 4,609 in the duty and penalty realised in comparison with 1905-06. This is due to variations in the amount of consideration for which transactions were effected by the contracting parties.

* * * * The number of cases instituted was 567, in which 579 persons were brought to trial against 1,086 cases and 1,086 persons in the preceding year, and 667 cases and 650 persons in the year 1905-06. The fines imposed amounted to Rs. 4,429 against Rs. 6,388 in 1906-07 and Rs. 5,701 in 1905-06. The falling off in 1907-08 has been occasioned by the smaller number of cases detected in Calcutta and also to the greater scrutiny and check applied by the office of the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, with regard to such cases in accordance with the recent orders of the Board on a representation by the Marwari Association referred to in the paragraph below.

The amount distributed in rewards was Rs. 4,351 against Rs. 5,805 and Rs. 3,173, respectively, in the preceding years. The number of persons convicted was 570 and the average fine imposed was less than Rs. 8. The adequacy of punishments inflicted has not been discussed by Divisional Commissioners, but these figures would appear to point to some leniency in the sentences passed. Outside Calcutta rewards are practically never given.

The increased activity in the prosecution of offences against the Stamp Act resulted in complaints in Calcutta. The Board received in 1906 from the Marwari Association, Calcutta, a representation stating that the provisions of the General Stamp Act relating to unstamped documents and insufficiently stamped documents were harshly worked in Calcutta to the serious inconvenience of the up-country trading community. The Association alleged that existing members of firms were held responsible for offences against the Stamp Law committed many years ago by their predecessors, that collecting servants of firms were held responsible, that notices requiring explanation did not always reach parties and that a proper hearing was not always given by the Collector of Stamp Revenue. They complained of the system of giving rewards to informers in stamp cases as holding out temptation to improper acts, and urged that penalties imposed should vary according to the gravity of offences and that individuals should not be made to suffer for acts of which they were morally innocent.

Having carefully considered all the matters urged by the Association, the Board were of opinion that the Collector should exercise special caution in instituting proceedings in the case of old documents. Whatever be the legal liability, the Board considered it reasonable to refrain from prosecuting members of a firm or from requiring them to compound under section 70 of the Act for offences committed by previous members of a firm with which they had no connection.

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WORKING OF SECTION 19H ADDED TO THE COURT-FEES ACT, VII OF 1870, BY ACT XI OF 1899.

* * * * The amount of deficit duty realised fell from Rs. 15,819-11 in 1905-06 to Rs. 8,980-4 in 1906-07, but rose again by Rs. 11,251-12. Of the cases reported during 1907-08, 70·2 per cent. were enquired into; the corresponding percentages in the two preceding years were 78·8 and 84·2. The proportion borne by the deficit duty realised to the amount originally paid was 6·4, 3·02 and 3·4, respectively, during the three years of the triennium.

No case of serious undervaluation was discovered during the triennium under report.

STATEMENT I—*Abstract of Receipts and Charges for the year ending 31st March 1908.*

	Receipts.	Charges.				Net receipts.	Cost of general supervision.	Cost of stamps an plain pap supplied from Central Depôt.
		Discount and Establishment for sale of stamps.	Refunds.	Other charges.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Under the Stamp Act ...	45,33,140	1,20,367	53,551	9,101*	1,83,019	43,50,121	...	56,17
Under the Court-fees Act	1,05,84,509	88,055	98,266	...	1,86,321	1,03,98,188		1,35,65
Total ...	1,51,17,649	2,08,422	1,51,817	9,101	3,69,340	1,47,48,309	...	1,91,82
Total of the year 1906-07	1,47,06,682†	2,05,557	1,44,955	10,473	3,60,985	1,43,45,697	...	1,91,98
Total of the year 1905-06	1,43,62,962‡	1,97,023	1,52,769	7,084	3,56,876	1,40,06,086	...	1,66,45

* Includes Rs 1,613 on account of district establishment, Rs. 4,317 on account of rewards to informers in stamp cases and Rs. 3,171 on account of contingencies.
† Includes Rs. 4,70,000 on account of share of sale proceeds of unified stamps credited to non-postal revenues.
‡ Includes Rs. 1,80,651 on account of share of sale proceeds of unified stamps credited to non-postal revenues.

RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE ORISSA PORTS FOR THE YEAR 1907-08.

No. 2622Marine.

Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 24th August 1908.

RESOLUTION.

Administration Report of the Orissa Ports for the year 1907-08.

READ—

Letter from the Commissioner of the Orissa Division, No. 5860., dated the 4th July 1908, submitting the report on the Administration of the Orissa Ports for the year 1907-08.

THE receipts of the ports amounted to Rs. 6,522-3-9 during the year, as compared with Rs. 14,934 in 1906-07. The decrease of Rs. 8,411-12-3 in the receipts is due to smaller amounts being realized as port dues during the year, as the number of vessels visiting the ports in 1907-08 was much less than in the previous year. This is accounted for by a poor harvest as a consequence of which there was less rice available for export than is custumary.

2. The expenditure amounted to Rs. 17,732-5-3 against Rs. 13,871 in the previous year. The rise is chiefly due to increases of expenditure under the head "Pension" at Cuttack, and under "Petty construction and repairs" and "Dockyard services and supplies" at Balasore.

The receipts together with the opening balance of Rs. 8,216-5-1 amounted to Rs. 14,738-8-10. There was thus an excess expenditure of Rs. 2,993-12-5 which will have to be met by a contribution from Government.

3. The value of trade during 1907-08 was Rs. 54,45,357 against Rs. 1,04,23,811 in the previous year.

4. One hundred and fifty-seven vessels with an aggregate tonnage of 69,550 tons visited the ports during the year, against 226 vessels with an aggregate tonnage of 171,112 tons in the preceding year.

5. The passenger traffic between the Orissa Ports and Calcutta showed some slight increase during the year. The number of passengers, carried between Calcutta and Chandbali and *vice-versâ*, which form the bulk of the traffic, was 37,659 and 49,060 against 34,495 and 31,391 in the previous year.

6. The Port Officer of Calcutta inspected all the ports and light-houses during the year. They were found to be in a satisfactory condition. The erosion of the Shortt's Island on the sea face continues.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. A. INGLIS,

Secretary.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 24th August 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, &c.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	0·34	7⅓	7⅓	Rainfall at Kalna 3·70, Katwa 1·44 and Raniganj 2·49 inches. Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of winter rice nearly over. Early rice and jute slightly damaged by insects in parts of the district. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. 434 persons given gratuitous relief in the Katwa subdivision.
2	BIRBHUM ...	1·86	7¼	7	Rainfall at Rampur Hât 2·14 inches. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy finished. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	1·06	7½	7½	Rainfall at Vishnupur 1·23 inches. Weather seasonable. *Aus* paddy in ear. Prospects of crops good. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 to 7 seers a rupee in the affected tracts. Persons gratuitously relieved on the 21st August—236 men, 690 women and 225 children—total 1,151.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	1·93	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 6·40, Tamluk 1·52 and Ghatal 2·71 inches. Transplantation of rice nearly finished. *Aus* paddy slightly damaged by insects and being cut. Prospects of jute, *til* and maize fair. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Contai, 6 seers at Tamluk and 7½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	2·38	6½	6½	Rainfall in the district general. Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair. *Aus* and *aman* paddy slightly damaged by insect-pests. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. Cutting of jute commenced in the Serampore subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	1·68	6½	6¾	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Uluberiah 2·06 inches. Transplantation of paddy still continuing both in the Sadar and Uluberia subdivisions. Prospects of jute fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Uluberia. Prices stationary.
7	24-PARGANAS	2·09	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Condition of jute not favourable. Paddy damaged by insects in parts of Barasat, Basirhat and by recent heavy rains in parts of Basirhat and Diamond Harbour and in the Vishnupur, Bhangor and Jaynagore thanas in the Sadar subdivision. Common rice selling at 6½ seers a rupee at Barasat, at 6¾ seers at Basirhat, and at 7 seers at Diamond Harbour and Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	1·27	6-⅜	6⅝	Rainfall at Ranaghat 1·92, Chuadanga 1·35, Meherpur 0·83 and Kushtia 0·80 inches. More rain wanted. Harvesting of *aus* paddy commenced. Prospects of standing *aus* and *aman* paddy and of jute fair. Insect-pests still doing damage in the Ranaghat and Sadar subdivision. Common rice slightly risen. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity prevalent in the Meherpur subdivision. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending 24 test-works on 18th instant—5,074 men and 36 women—total 5,110. 2,359 persons given Rs. 1,510 as gratuitous relief.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	0·46	7	7	Rainfall at Jangipur 2·12, and Lalbagh 2·31 inches. Light showers received during the week, but more rain wanted. Transplantation of *aman* paddy well nigh finished. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair, except in the Kandi subdivision. Stocks of food-grains likely to be sufficient till the next harvest in the Sadar and Kandi subdivisions. No cattle-disease.
10	JESSORE ...	0·98	7⅝	7 7/16	Rainfall at Jhenidah 1·78, Magura 0·81, Narail 0·74 and Bangaon 2·09 inches. Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Harvesting of *aus* paddy going on in some parts and the transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. Condition of jute not favourable. More rain urgently wanted. Stocks of food-grains being supplemented by imports of Burma rice. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease High prices continuing. 3,865 persons given gratuitous relief. District Board test-works stopped.
11	KHULNA ...	1·23	8	8½	Rainfall at Bagerhat 1·38 and Satkhira 2·53 inches. Rainfall general. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops fair; that of jute not favourable. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	6¾ 10*	7 10¼*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Absence of rain causing anxiety. *Bhadoi* crops and paddy seedlings withered in places. Transplantation of paddy seedlings retarded for want of rain except in irrigated areas. Prospects of standing crops not good. *Marua* being cut in places. Sugarcane doing well. Prices slightly risen. Food-grains being supplemented by importation from outside the district in course of trade. Cattle-disease reported from Barh and Dinapore subdivisions. Fodder and water sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	0·12	8 9½*	8 9¾*	Weather hot, and cloudy with little rainfall. Rainfall during the week very slight and scattered. Prospects of sugarcane fair. *Bhadoi* crops and paddy suffering severely for want of rain. Paddy seedlings dying in many places. Rain very urgently wanted for paddy transplantation. Prices of food-grains rising. No cattle-disease. Fodder ample. Water for cattle sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	0·28	8 9*	8 9*	Rainfall at Buxar 0·11, Bhabhua 2·67, Sasaram 1·62 and Dehri 1·15 inches. Transplantation of paddy continuing. Rain badly wanted for transplantation in non-irrigated areas. Sugarcane and *bhadoi* crops doing well. *Bhadoi* crops in the *Diara* lands seriously damaged by floods in the Ganges. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	7½ 8*	8¼ 10¼*	Weather hot. Rain wanted for *bhadoi* and paddy crops especially in the Sadar subdivision where there is cause for anxiety. Prices of staple food-grains at the Sadar subdivision risen. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0·02	$7\frac{3}{4}$ / $10\frac{1}{2}$*	8 / $10\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather hot and at times cloudy. Rainfall at Bettiah nil. Only local showers at some places during the week. Weeding of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Good rain urgently wanted for both local and transplanted rice. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair as yet. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	$7\frac{1}{4}$ / $9\frac{1}{4}$*	8 / $10\frac{3}{4}$*	Rainfall at Sitamarhi nil and at Hajipur 0·06 inches. Transplantation of paddy stopped for want of rain. Early *marua* ripe for harvesting in the Sitamarhi subdivision. *China* being harvested in some places in Hajipur. Prospects of jute good in Pupri thana. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Rain very urgently wanted throughout the district. Standing crops suffering for want of moisture. Common rice and maize selling at $7\frac{1}{4}$ and 9 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and at $7\frac{1}{4}$ and $9\frac{3}{4}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. If no more rain falls, scarcity may arise.
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·21	7 / $9\frac{1}{2}$*	$8\frac{1}{4}$ / 9*	Weather hot and at times cloudy. Rain urgently needed everywhere, but specially in the Madhubani subdivision. *Bhadoi* crops suffering and transplantation of paddy suspended for want of rain. Prices rising. Agricultural stock sufficient. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water available.
19	MONGHYR ...	0·04	$6\frac{1}{2}$ / $9\frac{1}{4}$*	7 / 10*	Weather hot and cloudy during the day, but sky clear at night. Much anxiety caused by cessation of rain, and if rain withheld for some-time scarcity apprehended. Prices of food-grains almost stationary. *Bhadoi* crops suffering for want of rain in some parts. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·20	$7\frac{5}{16}$ / $9\frac{1}{2}$*	$8\frac{5}{16}$ / $10\frac{1}{8}$*	Rainfall at Banka 0·32, Madhipura 0·35 and Supaul 0·48 inches. Weather hot, sometimes cloudy. Tansplantation of paddy almost at a standstill for want of sufficient rain except in places where there are *dones* and *bunds*. *Kutcha* wells being dug in some places in Madhipura and Supaul to save paddy seedlings. In Supaul, the outturn of *bhadoi* paddy and *marua* expected to be four annas. Prospects of jute poor in Supaul; fair elsewhere. Prices rising except in Supaul where they are stationary. Condition of agicultural stock good. No immediate apprehension of famine though the situation is critical. Cattle-disease reported from three mauzas in thana Protabganj in Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	0·07	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy at times. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops and of jute in progress. Condition of jute fair. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy at standstill for want of rain. The *aghani* paddy already transplanted withering for want of moisture. Rain urgently wanted. Stocks of food-grains and agricultural stock adequate. Cattle-disease reported from Forbesganj. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Araria and at $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers at Kishanganj.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
22	DARJEELING ...	Inches. 1·68	7 / 10*	7 / 10*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize and potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy growing and being harvested in some places. Winter rice and *bara marua* being sown. Terai—Transplantation of winter rice still going on. Condition of standing crops not favourable. Rain badly wanted. Jute being harvested.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	1·81	8† / 9*	7 / 9*	Rainfall at Deoghur 0·45, Godda 0·20, Jamtara 1·47, Pakour 0·20, and Rajmahal 0·35 inches. More rain urgently wanted in the north of the district. Transplantation of paddy nearly over. Prospects of maize and jute fair. Prices of staple food-grains falling. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Small loans being given to poorest cultivators. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee.
24	CUTTACK ...	8·00	7 13/64	7 13/64	Rainfall general. *Bialí* paddy ripening. *Saradh* paddy, turmeric, cotton, jute and sugarcane standing on the ground. Condition of jute fair. Cattle generally in good condition. Prospects of standing crops good. 642 men, 1,596 women and 3,657 children—total 5,895—given gratuitous relief. 99 men, 293 women and 402 children—total 794—on test-works.
25	BALASORE ...	3·86	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bhadrak 2·48 inches. Puddling, transplanting and weeding of *saradh* paddy continuing. *Bialí* paddy in ear. Sugarcane thriving. Prospects of jute fair. Vegetables doing well. Paddy plants in some places of Chandbali and Dhamnagar under flood-water. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some places of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal, Basta and Jellasore thanas. Common rice selling at 7½ seers at Bhadrak. Fodder and water sufficient. 66 men, 339 women and 298 children—total 702—at Sadar, and 300 men, 2,040 women and 2,895 children—total 5,235—at Bhadrak receiving gratuitous relief. 12 men, 166 women and 64 children—total 242—attending test-works at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	3·05	5	6	Rainfall at Phulbani 3·34 inches. Standing crops doing well. Weeding of winter paddy and other crops in progress. Harvesting of maize and millets commenced at certain places. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Cheapest rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee at Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief—119 men, 274 women and 664 children—total 1,057—in Angul, and 125 men, 169 women and 74 children—total 368—in Khondmals. Persons on test-works—399 men, 122 women and 81 children—total 602—in Angul, and 539 men, 93 women and 101 children—total 733—in Khondmals.
27	PURI ...	5·21	6 9/15	6 9/15	*Bialí* paddy in ear. Weeding and transplanting of *saradh* paddy going on. Miscellaneous crops getting on well. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending test-works—men 319, women 170 and children 482—total 971. Recipients of gratuitous relief—men 349, women 1,271 and children 1,115—total 2,735. Men 31 and child one attending piece-work.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	7·80	10	10	Transplantation, reploughing and weeding of winter rice in progress. *Maghi til*, *urid* and *karni* paddy being sown. Reaping of *gulji* commenced in Bargarh. Condition of standing crops –sugarcane, maize and *bhadoi til* good. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Stocks of food-grains and fodder and water sufficient. Rinderpest in both tahsils. An insect-pest known locally as *mitakira* appearing in a few villages of the Bargarh tahsil. No damage done yet. Cheapest rice selling at 11¼ seers a rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	0·42	7¼* 9†	7½* 9†	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *gondli* and garden maize begun. Transplantation of winter rice continuing. Prospects of *bhadoi* crops and maize below the average, *gondli* bumper and *marua* above the average. Cattle-disease in one thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Burma rice selling at $6\frac{2}{16}$ seers and maize at $7\frac{1}{16}$ seers a rupee in the interior. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 628, women 1,812 and children 1,146—total 3,586. 444 Persons doing piece-work. No attendance on District Board works.
30	RANCHI ...	2·57	7¼*	7¼*	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice nearly finished. Harvesting of *gondli* in progress. State of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from three thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 seers a rupee. Persons attending test-works—men 260, women 292 and children 60—total 613. Persons gratuitously relieved in the undeclared area—men 173, women 674 and children 53—total 900. Persons on famine relief-works in the declared area—men 3,091, women 3,429 and children 2,365—total 8,885. Persons on gratuitous relief in the declared area—men 1,010, women 2,636 and children 1,727—total 5,373.
31	PALAMAU ...	4·17	7⅝	7⅝	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of paddy continuing. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. Condition of local agricultural stock normal. Local grain stocks insufficient. Some cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
32	MANBHUM ...	1·68	8	8	Rainfall at Gobindpur 1·71 inches. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Maize being reaped and *til* being sown in places. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Chirkunda. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	6·21	6	6	Weather cloudy and rainy. Transplanting and weeding operations continuing. State of crops fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6 and 7½ seers a rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	0·28	$7\frac{13}{21}$	$8\frac{8}{15}$	Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *bitri* paddy almost finished. Transplantation of *haimantik* paddy and steeping of jute retarded for want of rain. Condition of jute fair. Prices of food-grains shewing a tendency to rise. Fodder and water sufficient.
35	FEUDATORY STATE, ORISSA.	...	...	...	Report not received.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers or rupee.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—The rainfall during the week was heavy in Cuttack, Puri, Sambalpur, Singhbhum and in parts of Midnapore, moderate in Balasore, Angul and in parts of Burdwan, and light in other districts, except Patna, Saran and Muzaffarpur, where there was no rain. More rain is wanted in Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore and specially in Bihar districts, where the rainfall has been scanty and insufficient. The transplantation of *aman* paddy is at stand-still in Bihar, except in portion of Shahabad and Champaran and where irrigation is possible. Standing *bhadoi* crops and *aman* paddy seedlings are suffering on account of insufficient rain in Patna, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Purnea. Condition of jute is fair, except in Jessore, Khulna, Darjeeling and in parts of Murshidabad and Bhagalpur. Sugarcane is doing well. Prospects of standing crops are fair in Orissa, Chota Nagpur and in Lower Bengal. Damage by insects to paddy is reported from Burdwan, Midnapore, Hooghly, the 24-Parganas and Nadia. The Ganges has damaged some *bhadoi* crops in the *diara* lands of Shahabad. Paddy in Dhamnagar and Chandbali thanas of Balasore are under water. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. The price of common rice has gone up in the districts of North Bihar and in Howrah, Nadia, Khulna, Patna, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Angul and Hazaribagh, and has fallen in Birbhum, Jessore, the Sonthal Parganas and Palamau. Cattle-disease is reported from Patna, Bhagalpur, Sambalpur and in Chota Nagpur except Singhbhum. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient throughout the Province. The number of persons gratuitously relieved was 33,660, of whom 15,992 are in Orissa. The test-works in Nadia, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 9,541 persons. The District Board test-works in Jessore have been closed. The number of persons on famine relief-works in Ranchi was 8,885.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 25th August 1908.

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PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarter

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IF

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, Common.						Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			Bajra or Cumbu. (*Pennisetum typhoid* eum).		
									Average.			Cheapest.								
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
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Burdwan Division.	1	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	6 8	...	7 8	7 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Birbhum ...	7 8	7 8	9 0	...	...	...	7 2	6 8	...	7 2	6 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Bankura ...	8 0	8 0	11 8	...	...	...	7 4	6 8	...	7 8	7 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	7 8	6 14	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooghly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	6 8	6 8	6 10	...		...	...	...	...
	6	Howrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	...	.	...	...	...	...
Presidency Division.	7	24-Parganas ...	7 12	7 12	9 8	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	7 0	7 0	7 0 to 7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Calcutta ...	7 6	7 10	9 6	10 0	10 0	12 4	6 6	6 4	...	8 0	7 12	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	9	Nadia ...	7 8	8 0	12 4	10 8	10 8	16 0	6 2	6 2	...	6 4	6 4	7 4	...	..	...	...	...	...
	10	Murshidabad	8 0	8 0	10 4	12 8	12 8	13 0	6 4	6 0	...	7 0	6 12	8 0	...	..	...	...	...	...
	11	Jessore ...	6 8	6 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 4	7 0	...	7 4	7 4	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12	Khulna ...	...	...	..	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
		BIHAR.																		
Patna Division.	13	Patna ...	8 8	8 8	10 8	12 0	12 8	14 0	6 14	7 0	...	8 4	8 4	8 2	9 0	9 0	12 8	...	...	...
	14	Gaya ...	7 8	7 12	9 11	10 0	10 0	12 13	6 8	6 8	...	7 4	6 8	8 8	10 8	11 0	12 8	...	...	...
	15	Shahabad ...	8 0	8 4	10 6	10 8	11 0	12 8	7 8	7 8	...	8 0	8 0	8 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
	16	Saran ...	8 4	8 4	10 0	11 8	11 8	14 0	7 0	7 0	...	8 4	8 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Champaran ...	8 8	8 8	9 8	12 0	12 12	14 0	7 0	7 8	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	...	..	...	...	...	...
	18	Muzaffarpur ...	7 8	8 0	10 0	11 8	11 8	13 0	6 0	6 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	19	Darbhanga ...	7 11	7 11	9 14	11 0	12 1	12 1	6 9	6 9	...	8 4	8 4	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 18$\frac{5}{16}$ seers (karkatch); Asansol 20 seers; Kalna 22$\frac{1}{2}$ seers (karkatch); Raniganj 20 seers.

B. At Rampurhât the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 22$\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee (karkatch).

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 20 seers; Tamluk 20 seers; Ghatal report not received.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Arambagh 18 seers.

F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).

G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chotia 20 seers (karkatch); Barasat 16 seers Baduria 21$\frac{5}{16}$ seers; Mograhat report not received; Barrackpore 16 seers (karkatch); Bistoopur 16 seers.

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 16 seers (panga); Chuadanga 16 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers; Kanaghat 16 seers (crushed).

ion Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th August 1908.

3 OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

RUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dál*) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS. SALT.			Number.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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...	...	...	..	...	8 0	8 0	12 0	...	.	...	7 8	7 8	8 0	C 20 0	20 0	20 0	Panga. 2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3
...	...	..	...	...	8 0	7 0	10 8 to 11 8	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	7 0	D Bombay 18 8 Crushed 20 0	Bombay 18 8 20 0	... 20 0	Bombay 2 0 0 Crushed 1 12 0	Bombay 2 0 0 Crushed 1 12 0	... 1 13 0	4
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I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 20 seers; Lalbagh 16 seers; and Kandi 18½ seers.
J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida report not received; Magura 16 seers; Bangaon 18 seers; and Narail 14$\frac{1}{2}$ seers (panga).
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 20 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinapore 18 seers; and Bihar 18 seers (panga)
M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 20 seers; Jehanabad 20 seers; and Nawadah 19 seers.
N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhabhua 19 seers; and Sasaram 20 seers.
O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20$\frac{1}{4}$ seers (panga); Gopalganj 19½ seers (panga).
P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 18 seers per rupee.
Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 20 seers; Hajipur 18 seers.
R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 20 seers; Madhubani 18$\frac{1}{2}$ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarte

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Division.	Number.	Districts.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice Common.						Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*)			Bajra or Cum (*Pennisetum typh* cum).		
									Average.			Cheapest.								
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.
BIHAR—*concluded.*																				
Bhagalpur Division	20	Monghyr ...	9 0	9 0	11 0	12 4	12 8	13 8	6 13	6 14	...	7 0	7 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	
	21	Bhagalpur	8 6	8 14	10 1	11 6	12 0	12 10	7 2	7 2	...	8 3	8 3	7 4	...	...	...	...	...	
	22	Purnea ...	9 8	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	...	7 8	8 0	7 4	...	...	..	...	...	
	23	Darjeeling...	6 0	6 0	5 8	7 0	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	
	24	Santhal Parganas.	6 8	6 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	13 0	6 0	5 12	...	6 4	6 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	
ORISSA.																				
Orissa Division.	25	Cuttack ..	7 14	7 14	11 13	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	7 8	7 8	9 3	...	...	...	...	...	
	26	Balasore ..	7 0	6 8	11 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	8 8	8 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	
	27	Angul ...	5 0	5 0	6 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	...	6 0	6 0	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	
	28	Puri ...	7 8	7 14	9 0	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	7 3	7 3	9 13	...	...	...	...	...	
	29	Sambalpur...	8 0	7 8	11 12	...	...	...	9 0	8 4	...	10 0	9 0	9 8	...	...	...	...	...	
CHOTA NAGPUR																				
Chota Nagpur Division.	30	Hazaribagh	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	11 0	6 0	6 4	...	7 8	7 6	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	
	31	Ranchi ...	6 8 to 7 4	6 8 to 7 4	8 0 to 8 8	10 0	10 0	12 0	6 8	6 0	...	7 4	7 8	7 8 to 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	
	32	Palamau ...	7 14	7 5	11 4	10 11	11 4	13 8	7 14	7 0	...	8 2	7 14	8 7	...	...	...	...	...	
	33	Manbhum ..	7 8	7 8	10 0	9 0	8 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	...	7 8	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	
	34	Singhbhum	7 0	7 8	10 8	...	...	...	6 0	5 8	...	6 8	7 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 19 seers ; Jamui 20 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 16¼ seers, Madhipura 13 seers ; Supaul 20 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers ; Basantpur 16 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 13 seers ; Siliguri 16 seers.
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara 18 seers ; Godda 16 seers ; Deoghur 20 seers ; Pakour 18 seers ; and Rajmahal report not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 24th August 1908.

ction Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th August 1908—concld.

RS OF EIGHTY TOLAHS.																					WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.			
ARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).			KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dal*) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			SALT			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.				
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						8 0	10 8	10 0	9 0	12 0	11 0	6 8	6 0	7 8	U 17 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 8 0				22
8 11 0	10 8					7 0	7 0	9 0	14 0	15 0	13 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	V 13 0	14 0	13 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 15 0				23
						8 0	8 8	11 8	9 0	9 0	12 0	6 0	6 0	10 0	W 16 0	16 0	14 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	2 12 0				24
						Biri or kalai. 9 8	9 8	11 13				10 8	10 8	13 2	X 22 0	22 0	22 0	1 13 0	Karkatch. 1 13 0	1 7 0				25
						Chhola. 7 12	9 0	11 0				6 0	6 0	6 0	Y 20 0	21 0	18 0	1 13 0	Panga. 1 14 0	2 2 0				26
						Biri. 9 0	9 0	11 0																
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						Biri. 7 12	7 0	12 8				6 0	6 0	7 0	b 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 4 0				29
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						8 11	9 0	12 15	8 7	8 7	12 6	6 12	6 12	8 7	16 14	18 1	17 7	...	...	...				32
						8 8	8 8	11 0	10 0	9 0	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	c 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 1 0				33
						8 0	7 8	11 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 8 0				34

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga); Jajpur 18 seers (panga).
Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 21 5/8 seers (panga).
Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 10½ seers (karkatch); Phulbani 10 seers.
a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 24½ seers.
b. The retail price of salt at Bargarh is 15 seers (Bombay).
c. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbaid 16 seers; Jhalda 16 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., i

PRICE PER MAUND O

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice.						Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	7 2 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	6 2 0	6 4 0	...	4 12 0	4 14 0	4 12 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 0 0
2	Burdwan ...	6 14 0	6 14 6	4 14 0	5 13 0	6 8 0	...	5 6 0	6 0 0	4 6 0	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	5 10 0	...	5 4 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	...	...	...
4	Patna ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	6 4 0	5 12 0	5 10 0	...	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	3 11 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 3	6 10 6	6 10 6	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 10 0
6	Bhagalpur ...	6 5 0	6 5 0	6 11 6	5 9 0	5 9 0	...	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 8 6	4 12 3	4 8 0	3 15 0
7	Cuttack ...	7 3 0	7 3 0	6 1 6	Not reported.	5 5 0	...	5 4 9	5 4 9	4 0 0	5 1 3	5 1 3	3 4 6
8	Sambalpur ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	5 0 0	4 3 0	4 8 0	...	3 10 0	4 3 0	3 14 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	3 4 0
9	Ranchi ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 8 0	...	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	4 7 0 to 4 10 0

No.	Marts.	Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	4 4 0	4 4 0	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	6 12 0	7 0 0	6 0 0
2	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	6 1 9	5 14 0	4 10 0	...	...	...	7 4 0	7 4 0	7 4 0
3	Midnapore ...	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	4 12 0	Black mustard. 7 0 0 Rapeseed. 6 8 0	7 2 0 Rapeseed. 6 12 0	6 2 0 to 6 8 0 5 8 0
4	Patna ...	New 3 15 0	3 15 0	3 2 0	Not sold.	4 14 0	3 10 0	Not sold	5 14 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 3 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	3 15 0	3 15 0	3 2 9	5 8 3	5 5 0	4 14 0	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 4 0	Mustard. 6 3 0 Rapeseed. 6 8 0	6 3 0 6 8 0	6 4 0 6 12 0
7	Cuttack ...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 0 9	...	...	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	6 4 0
8	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 2 0	...	...	...	7 4 0	7 4 0	6 0 0
9	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 6 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	8 0 0	7 8 0 to 8 4 0	6 2 0 to 6 8 0

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Y STANDARD SEERS.

LEY (*Hordeum vulgare*).			JUAR OR CHOLUM (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			BAJRA OR COMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			Number.
	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
0	3 12 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 0 0	1
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 14 0	4 4 0	3 2 0	2
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 4 0 to 3 8 0	3
0	3 2 0	2 12 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 1 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 15 0	3 15 0	2 14 0	4
0	3 5 8	2 13 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 1 3	5
3	3 5 0	3 2 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 2 9	6
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Biri or Kalai. 4 3 4	4 3 4	3 4 6	7
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	3 1 0	8
0	4 0 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	9

TIL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
8 0	6 12 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 12 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 12 0	1
»	...	...	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
»	...	...	7 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0 to 5 4 0	12 0 0 to 25 0 0	12 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	...	...	...	3
0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 0 0	4 0 0	18 8 0	18 0 0	16 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	4
»	...	...	3 10 0	3 5 3	3 5 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
»	...	...	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 5 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	19 0 0	...	...	...	6
8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	3 13 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	...	...	...	7
8 0	6 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	4 12 0	8 0 0	8
...	...	...	6 12 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	22 0 0	...	...	...	9

[*Continued overleaf*

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.,

PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

Number	Marts.	Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
		Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
								Per 100 pieces					
1	Calcutta ...	43 0 0	43 0 0	18 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	390 0 0	400 0 0	500 0 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12
2	Burdwan ...	42 0 0	40 0 0	50 0 0						...	...		
						Madhukhali.		Unclesned per piece.					
3	Midnapore ...	37 0 0 to 40 0 0	37 0 0 to 40 0 0	45 0 0 to 48 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0	8 8 0	2 0 0 to 2 12 0	2 8 0 to 3 4 0	3 0 0 to 3 8 0	...		
						Pulta.		Cleaned per piece.					
					13 8 0	13 8 0	9 12 0	2 4 0 to 3 0 0	2 12 0 to 3 8 0	2 12 0 to 3 12 0			
4	Patna ...	36 0 0 to 38 0 0	36 0 0 to 38 0 0	11 0 0	2 0 0 to 4 0 0	2 0 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 4
5	Muzaffarpur ...	35 9 0	35 9 0	12 10 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0						
6	Bhagalpur ...	43 0 0	42 0 0	16 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0						
7	Cuttack ...	47 9 0	47 9 0	11 14 6	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8
8	Sambalpur ...	39 0 0	39 0 0	43 8 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	20 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	40 0 0			
								Per piece.		Per lb.			
9	Ranchi	40 0 0	46 0 0	53 0 0	10 0 0 to 16 0 0	10 0 0 to 16 0 0	8 0 0 to 17 0 0	2 4 0 to 2 12 0	2 0 0 to 2 8 0	0 8 to 0 12	0 8	0 8 0	0 5

CALCUTTA,

The 24th August 1908.

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PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.																								
STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.												
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Pre		Nex prec re		Cor re ye								
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.								
1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	1 15 0	Panga.	1 15 0		1 10 0								
0 10 0	0 8 0	0 12 0	...	...	...				0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	1 11 6	Panga.	1 12 0		2 0 6								
5	0 5 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 12 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 0 0	Bombay.	2 0 0		...								
												1 12 0	Crushed.	1 12 0		1 13 0								
12 0	0 12 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 0 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	2 0 0	Panga.	2 0 0		2 0 0								
					—	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 3	2 1 6	Panga.	2 1 6		2 5 6								
						5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	0 6 6	0 6 6	0 5 0	1 14 3		1 14 0		1 14 9								
9 0	0 9 0	0 8 6				4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	1 7 0	Karkatch	1 7 0		1 7 0								
									0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 4 0	Karkatch.	2 4 0		2 4 0								
8 0	1 12 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	0 5 3	0 6 0	0 6 6	2 6 0		2 3 0		2 6 0								

W. R. GOURLAY,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 15th August 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 15th August 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 17th August 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	544	1,14,025	1,289	276	49,086	506
Jute	97	31,407*	469	168	48,974†	693
Firewood	77	54,075	833	62	70,125	1,014
Other articles	708	2,06,424	2,077	577	1,82,316	2,473
Total ...	1,426	4,05,931	4,668	1,083	3,50,501	4,686

* Weight by canal measurement, 38,537½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 56,625 do.

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd August 1908.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 22nd August 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 22nd August 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 24th August 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
	No.	Mds.	Rs.	No.	Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	557	62,557	751	179	32,724	327
Jute	53	8,960*	145	141	19,065†	375
Firewood	55	40,545	618	28	14,575	220
Other articles	685	2,09,623	2,028	440	1,30,083	1,393
Total ...	1,350	3,21,685	3,542	788	1,96,447	2,315

* Weight by canal measurement, 11,250 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 24,737½ ,,

CALCUTTA,
The 25th August 1908.

A. N. DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1908-09.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of July 1908.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.						Rainfall, 1908-09.		Rainfall, 1907-08.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.				Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Orissa	Cuttack	Taldanda system	1,342	565	330	71,253	69,172	71,216	...	...	33	3	36	71,252	12·90	38·09	5·39	19·33	Average rainfall of Kulsai, Balia and Jagatsingpur.
		Kendrapara do.	2,005	1,220	775	76,270	81,292	92,844	3,626	...	...	15	3,641	96,485	10·29	26·29	4·69	26·01	Average rainfall of Kendupatna, Marsaghai, Kendrapara, Nurtang and Ichapur.
		High Level, Range I	608	197	130	27,655	28,218	27,655	...	...	5	...	5	27,660	9·84	20·76	5·83	20·87	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jenapur.
		Ditto, Range II	728	70	57	5,428	5,775	5,428	...	...	...	...	...	5,428	8·87	19·11	4·69	20·02	
		Jaipur Canal	700	332	321	20,229	18,718	19,763	1,218	...	5	4	1,227	20,990	10·30	24·18	5·33	16·59	Average rainfall of Jenapur and Akhoyapada.
	Balasore	Dudhai Canal	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jajpur.
		High Level, Range III	728	398	326	37,341	42,772	36,904	...	...	420	7	427	37,291	7·63	16·74	4·85	22·31	Akhoypada.
		Total Orissa Canals ...	...	...	...	239,175	245,947	253,770	4,844*	...	463	29	5,336	259,106	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	244,193	15,270	..	595	13	15,878	260,071	...	...	...	...	
South-Western	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	196	125	32,105	41,984	47,487	...	...	...	...	...	47,487	13·17	35·99	8·02	29·74	
		Panchkura	522	6	7	840	2,928	4,622	...	...	...	...	...	4,622	12·80	32·67	3·90	23·33	
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·54	49·07	9·45	32·58	
		Total Midnapore Canal ...	...	...	...	32,945	44,912	52,109	...	...	...	...	...	52,109	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	39,771	5,416	...	...	...	5,416	45,187	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,030	191	155	13,513	11,806	19,705	264	...	...	...	264	19,969	20·37	49·96	10·14	39·08	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	19,964	...	...	...	...	...	19,964	...	...	...	...	

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.						Rainfall, 1908-09.		Rainfall, 1907-08.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.				Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Sone ...	Shahabad ...	Western Main	4,342	2,115	169	20,9 8	22,414	17,667	3,785	...	...	381	4,166	21,833	11·53	15·47	2·50	9 53	
		Buxar	1,220	681	619	101,097	105,795	92,924	8,212	...	...	5,343	13,555	106,479					
		Arrah	2,000	1,233	1,001	167,029	151,731	130,944	28,215	...	...	10,973	39,188	170,134	6·66	10·09	5·10	17·29	
	Patna and Gaya	Eastern Main	1,466	731	710	3,067	3,744	3,306	462	...	...	1	463	3,769	3·81	6·84	3·03	16·24	
		Patna				104,49	103,2 8	82,496	19,674	...	...	5,054	24,728	107,224					
		Total Sone Canals ...	...	...	...	397,798	386,892	327,339	60,345	...	...	21,752	82 100	409,439	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	331,259	58,002	...	...	29,025	87,027	418,286	...	...	...	...	
Gandak ...	Champaran ...	Teur	174	1	0·50	284	315	...	43	...	...	233	276	276	9 79	14·27	12·68	17·74	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	195	195	195	...	..	...	...	
		Dhaka	300	...	...	222	272	...	...	...	...	335	335	335	8·55	14·61	13·15	22·97	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	382	382	382	...	...	...	...	
	Saran	Saran	Canals closed.																
		Grand Total ...	...	...	...	682,947	640,144	652,023	67,439	...	473	22,340	88,311	741,234	...	...	...	...	
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	634 187	78,088	...	595	29,615	108,898	743,085	...	...	...	...	

* Provisional lease.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th August 1908.

A. N. DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Vital Statistics of the districts of Bengal for the month of June 1908.

Divisions.	Districts.	Population under registration.	Births.		Deaths.														Average of corresponding month of previous five years.		Remarks.
					Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injury.		Other causes.		Total of all causes.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
Burdwan	Burdwan	1,532,716	3,699	28·92	614	4·80	75	·48	...	...	3,598	28·08	120	·84	15	·10	62	·48	795	6·12	5,279	41·28	3,035	23·76	
	Birbhum	902,280	2,602	34·56	694	9·12	107	1·39	...	...	2,614	34·68	46	·60	27	·24	27	·24	323	4·20	3,838	51·00	1,772	23·52	
	Bankura	1,116,411	2,989	32·04	555	5·88	55	·48	...	...	2,268	24·36	59	·60	7	·07	42	·36	680	7·20	3,666	39·36	2,185	23·40	
	Midnapore	2,789,114	7,947	34·08	1,529	5·64	132	·48	...	...	4,478	19·20	196	·84	18	·07	94	·36	1,173	5·04	7,420	31·92	4,548	19 56	
	Hooghly, including Serampore.	1,049,041	1,991	22·68	262	2·88	43	·48	...	...	1,901	20·52	217	2·40	47	·48	84	·96	475	5·40	2,929	33·48	1,920	21·96	
	Howrah	850,514	2,139	30·12	178	2·40	43	·60	3	·03	647	9·72	257	3·60	38	·48	103	1 44	469	6·60	1,788	25·20	1,413	19·92	
	24-Parganas	2,078,359	4,479	25·80	692	3·96	102	·48	...	...	2,136	12·24	97	·48	53	·24	124	·60	652	3 72	3,836	22·20	3,018	17 40	
Presidency	Calcutta	847,796	983	13·92	207	2·88	40	·48	131	1·80	210	2·88	134	1·80	351	4·92	43	·60	656	9·24	1,772	25·08	1,662	23·52	
	Nadia	1,667,491	4,110	29·52	290	2·04	15	·09	...	...	3,614	25·92	12	·08	4	·02	127	·84	405	2·88	4,457	32·01	3,479	24·96	
	Murshidabad	1,333,184	4,141	37·20	677	6·00	31	·24	...	...	3,113	27·96	22	·12	1	·008	104	·84	563	5·04	4,511	40·56	2,996	26·88	
	Jessore	1,813,155	8,430	22·68	499	3·24	6	·03	...	...	2,861	18·84	16	·09	5	·02	95	·60	340	2·28	3,843	25·32	3,307	21 84	
	Khulna	1,258,043	3,257	31·08	135	1·20	8	·07	...	...	1,392	13·32	86	·84	8	·07	105	·96	558	5·28	2,236	21·36	2,033	19·44	
	Patna	1,624,742	4,603	33·96	314	2·28	912	6·72	12	·08	2,326	17·16	302	2·16	123	·84	138	·96	2,081	15·36	6,298	45·84	4 742	34·92	
	Gaya	2,069,933	6,910	40·20	7,099	41·28	918	5·28	1	·004	6,509	37·80	128	.72	20	·10	159	·84	1,491	8·16	16,235	94·56	6.249	36·36	
	Shahabad	1,962,696	6,303	38·40	1,539	9·36	404	2·40	1	·006	5,856	35·76	14	·08	2	·01	89	·48	859	5·16	8,764	53·52	6.375	38·88	
	Saran	2,409,911	7,938	39·72	1,816	9·00	478	2 28	8	·03	4,320	21·48	332	1·56	63	·24	182	·84	2,685	13·32	9,884	49·20	6,427	31 92	
	Champaran	1,790,463	5,916	39·60	3,608	24·12	369	2·40	...	...	5,251	35·16	28	·12	2	·01	107	·60	1,162	7·68	10,527	70 44	5,571	37 32	
	Muzaffarpur	2,755,633	9,570	42·96	3,746	16·20	185	·72	...	...	9,300	40·44	150	·60	23	·09	166	·72	1,396	6·00	14,986	65 16	8,264	35·88	
	Darbhanga	2,912,611	6,787	27·96	2,376	9·72	37	·12	...	...	7,157	29·40	94	·36	...	...	150	·60	1,133	4·56	10,947	45·00	9,198	37·80	
	Monghyr	2,068,804	5,358	30·96	2,856	16·44	107	·96	1	·004	5,744	33·24	28	·12	10	·04	113	·60	917	5·28	9,818	56·88	5,833	33·72	
	Bhagalpur	2,088,983	5,273	30·24	1,179	6·72	59	·24	...	...	4,990	28·56	34	·12	1	·004	121	·60	509	2·88	6,893	39 48	5,317	30·48	
Bhagalpur	Purnea	1,874,794	4,698	30·00	491	3·12	54	·24	...	...	5,452	34·80	13	·07	...	...	73	·36	117	·72	6,201	39 60	4,827	30·84	
	Darjeeling	249,117	598	28·80	38	1·80	...	...	...	...	738	35·52	250	12 00	2	·09	5	·24	177	8·52	1,210	58·20	880	41·40	
	Santhal Parganas	1,809,737	5,247	34·68	1,643	10·80	164	1·08	...	...	4,813	31·80	102	·60	1	·006	80	·48	452	2·88	7,255	48·00	3,955	26·16	
	Cuttack	2,062,758	7,128	41·40	3,684	21·36	67	·36	...	...	3,783	21·96	1,469	8·52	81	·36	157	·84	2,423	14·04	11,664	67·80	4,795	27·84	
Orissa	Balasore	1,071,197	3,340	37·32	3,599	40·20	74	·72	...	...	1,650	18·48	385	4·20	...	...	64	·60	2,271	25·44	8,048	90·00	2 756	30·84	
	Puri	1,017,284	4,167	49·08	5,304	62·52	135	1·56	...	...	1,125	13·20	1,015	11·88	217	2·52	58	·60	2,089	24·60	9,943	117·24	2,402	28·32	
	Sambalpur	636,880	2,712	51·00	165	1·92	18	·24	...	...	1,070	20·16	335	6 24	77	1·44	37	·60	854	16·08	2,496	46 92	1,044*	19·68	* For two years. Not under registration.
	Angul and Khondmals																								
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	1,177,961	4,094	41·64	2,251	23·16	257	2·52	...	...	4,765	48·48	129	1·20	3	·02	90	·84	807	9·12	8,422	85·68	2,862	29·04	
	Ranchi	1,147,925	4,039	40·80	361	3·96	282	2·76	...	...	2,681	26·52	217	2·40	6	·06	113	1·08	1,057	10·36	4,897	47 40	2,373	23·88	
	Palamau	619,600	2,435	48·12	2,791	54·00	16	·24	...	...	2,445	47·52	22	·36	2	·03	53	·96	344	6·60	5,673	109·80	2,434	47·04	
	Manbhum	1,301,364	4,992	45·96	2,549	23·40	59	·48	...	...	3,913	36·00	69	·60	...	...	31	·24	834	7·68	7,455	68 64	3,164	29·16	
	Singhbhum	613,579	1,920	37·44	302	5·88	18	·24	...	...	1,195	23·28	35	·60	4	·07	34	·60	155	3·00	1,743	34·08	1,021	19·92	
	Total	55,528,446	146,208	34·68	53,793	19·72	5,380	1·20	157	·03	113,815	27·00	6,387	1·44	1,211	·24	3,030	·60	30,922	7·32	214,645	50·88	121,849	28·92	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	139,288	33·00	12,347	2·88	2,357	·48	716	·12	77,043	18·24	3,152	·72	691	·12	2,947	·60	22,687	5·28	121,840	28·92	...	...	
	Difference + or —	.....	+6,920	+1·68	+41,446	+9·84	+2,973	+·72	—559	—·09	+36,772	+8·76	+3,235	+·72	+520	+·12	+183	Equal	+8,235	+2·04	+92,805	+21·96	...	...	

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,
The 22nd August 1908.

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL. I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of June 1908.

District.	Towns.	Population under registration.	Births.		Deaths.														Average of corresponding month of previous five years.		Remarks.
					Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injury.		Other causes.		Total of all causes.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
rdwan ...	1. Burdwan	35,966	16	5·40	6	2·04	...	...	...	...	26	8·76	14	4·68	6	2·04	1	·24	7	2·28	60	20·40	53	19·68	
ankura ...	2. Bankura	20,737	45	26·04	3	1·68	...	...	...	...	19	10·92	3	1·68	2	1·08	1	·48	7	3·96	35	20·16	19	10·92	
dnapore ...	3. Midnapore	33,140	56	20·16	26	9·36	7	2·52	...	...	35	12·60	14	5·04	2	·72	2	·72	5	1·80	91	32·88	73	26 40	
oghly ...	4. Hooghly and Chinsura	29,388	34	15·48	7	2·76	3	1·20	...	...	38	15·48	11	4·44	...	...	7	2·76	16	6·48	82	33·48	68	27·72	
	5. Serampore	44,451	65	17·52	43	11·52	1	·24	...	...	44	11·76	21	5·64	4	·96	1	24	19	5·04	133	35·88	68	18·24	
wrah ...	6. Howrah	157,594	201	15·24	35	2·64	13	·96	1	·07	155	11·76	39	2·88	5	·36	11	·96	94	7·08	356	27·00	378	28·32	
	7. Cossipore-Chitpur ...	40,750	20	5·88	3	·81	2	·48	...	...	9	2·64	4	1·08	...	...	1	·24	3	·84	22	6·36	23	6·72	
	8. Maniktala	33,387	28	10·52	3	1·08	2	·72	...	...	10	3·60	3	1·08	...	...	1	·36	2	·72	21	7·68	18	6·60	
Parganas	9. South Suburban ...	26,374	37	16·80	3	1·32	2	·84	...	...	9	4·08	1	·36	3	1·32	2	·84	7	3·12	27	12·24	37	16·80	
	10. Garden Reach ...	28,211	41	17·40	10	4·20	...	...	...	...	19	8·04	4	1·68	...	...	...	...	3	1·20	36	15·24	26	11·04	
	11. Barnagore	25,452	9	4·20	11	5·16	...	...	...	...	9	4·20	3	1·32	2	·84	2	·84	8	3·72	35	16·44	34	15·96	
	12. Bhatpara	21,540	19	10·56	3	1·56	3	1·56	...	...	16	8·88	3	1·56	2	1·08	1	·48	3	1·56	31	17·16	34	18·84	
cutta ...	13. Calcutta	847,796	989	13·92	207	2·88	40	·48	131	1·80	210	2·88	134	1·80	351	4·92	43	·60	656	9·24	1,778	25·08	1,662	23·52	
lia ...	14. Krishnagar	24,847	23	11·16	1	·48	...	...	...	...	25	12·12	...	...	1	·48	4	1·92	2	·96	33	16·08	39	18·96	
	15. Santipur	26,898	51	22·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	15·60	2	·84	...	...	1	·36	2	·84	40	17·76	48	21·36	
rshidabad	16. Berhampore	24,397	38	18·60	2	·96	1	·48	...	...	29	13·68	3	1·44	...	...	1	·48	4	1·92	39	19·08	51	25·08	
	17. Patna City	133,091	186	18·12	48	4·56	67	6·48	8	·48	112	10·80	32	3·00	6	·48	10	·96	133	12·96	414	40·32	431	42·00	
na ...	18. Bihar	45,063	46	19·24	1	·24	3	·72	...	...	15	3·96	3	·72	3	·72	3	·72	27	7·08	55	14·64	85	22·56	
	19. Dinapore Nizamut ...	33,809	39	10·32	1	·24	2	·60	1	·24	10	3·48	5	1·68	4	1·32	...	...	15	5·28	38	13·44	42	14·88	
a ...	20. Gaya	71,416	144	24·12	64	10·68	49	8·16	...	...	242	40·56	21	3·48	11	1·80	6	·96	36	6 00	429	72·00	258	43·32	
habad ...	21. Arrah	46,170	42	10·80	1	·24	4	·96	1	·24	21	5·40	6	1·44	1	·24	2	·48	4	·96	40	10·32	68	17·64	
	22. Sasaram	23,644	51	25·80	...	...	14	7·08	...	...	44	22·32	...	...	1	·48	...	...	6	3·00	65	32·88	75	38·04	
m ...	23. Chapra	45,901	103	26·88	29	7·56	4	·96	...	...	36	9·36	4	·96	5	1·20	3	·72	62	16·20	143	37·32	115	30·00	
mparan...	24. Bettiah	24,096	53	25·68	25	12·12	11	5·28	...	...	12	5·76	6	2·88	...	...	5	2·40	13	6·24	72	34·92	93	45·12	
	25. Muzaffarpur	45,617	90	23·64	147	38·64	10	2·52	...	...	53	13·92	21	5·52	6	1·56	11	2·88	40	10·44	288	75·72	115	30·24	
affarpur	26. Hajipur	21,398	74	41·40	5	2·76	2	1·08	...	...	19	10·56	1	·48	...	...	4	2·16	41	22·92	72	40·32	76	42·60	
bhanga ...	27. Darbhanga	66,344	138	25·56	24	4·32	...	...	...	...	67	12·12	9	1·56	...	...	1	·12	134	24·24	235	42·48	203	36·72	
ghyr ...	28. Monghyr	35,880	79	26·40	5	1·56	...	...	...	...	18	6·00	4	1·32	3	·96	5	1·56	48	15·96	83	27·72	104	34·68	
galpur ...	29. Bhagalpur	75,760	86	13·56	34	5·28	10	1·56	...	...	74	11·64	12	1·80	...	...	2	·24	54	8·52	186	29·40	171	27·00	
ack ...	30. Cuttack	81,364	112	26·16	27	6·24	...	...	...	...	34	7·92	18	4·20	5	1·08	1	·12	23	5·28	108	25·20	84	19 56	
sore ...	31. Balasore	20,880	21	12·00	9	5·16	...	...	...	...	5	2·76	3	1·68	...	...	...	...	7	3·96	24	13·68	24	13·68	
...	32. Puri	49,334	32	7·68	136	33·00	4	·96	...	...	52	12·60	11	2·64	3	·72	2	·48	40	9·72	248	60·24	94	22·80	
chi ...	33. Ranchi	23,810	35	17·52	19	4·92	10	4 92	...	...	28	14·04	7	3·48	...	...	...	...	16	8·04	71	35·76	38	19·08	
	Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	2,222,570	3,017	16·20	929	4·99	264	1·39	140	·72	1,529	8·16	422	2·16	426	2·28	137	·72	1,537	8·28	5,384	29·04	4,707	25·32	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	3,372	18·12	380	2·04	143	·72	247	1·32	1,484	7·92	406	2·16	286	1·44	122	·60	1,639	8·76	4,707	25·32	...	...	
	Difference + or −	.....	−345	−1·92	+549	+2·88	+121	+·60	−107	−·60	+45	+·24	+16	Equal	+140	+·84	+15	+·12	−102	−·48	+677	+3·72	...	...	

FICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,
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EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of May 1908 as compared with the same month of the previous year (for five weeks).

No.	STAPLES.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	EXPLANATIONS OF FLUCTUATIONS BY TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	33	24	9	.....	
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	52,015	66,616	.....	14,601	
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	266	413	.....	147	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	69	253	.....	184	
	(b) Ditto, Indian	468	394	74	.....	
	(c) Piece-goods, European	1,695	2,301	.....	606	
	(d) Ditto, Indian	687	270	417	.....	
	(e) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	136	151	.....	15	
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium	5	9	.....	4	
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations	8	4	4	.....	
	(b) Others	49	38	11	.....	
6	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Cutch	36	13	23	.....	
	(4) Indigo	1	23	.....	22	
	(5) Myrabolams	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(6) Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Turmeric	578	732	.....	154	
	(8) Others	13	50	.....	37	
7	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	1,148	1,011	137	.....	
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	3,491	2,554	937	.....	
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,015	1,259	356	.....	
9	Grain and Pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse	5,132	5,016	116	.....	
	(2) Jawar and bajra	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Rice in the husk	13,454	34,996	.....	21,442	
	(4) Do. not in the husk	8,188	13,249	.....	5,061	
	(5) Wheat	514	122	392	.....	
	(6) Do. flour	750	1,663	.....	913	
	(7) Others	870	953	.....	83	
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	695	1,210	.....	515	
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	44	76	.....	32	
11	Horns	1	15	.....	14	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	229	1,709	.....	1,480	
13	Jute—					
	(1) Raw	69,878	16,637	53,241	..	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	1,336	3,214	.....	1,878	
14	Lac	107	10	97	.....	
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes ...	1	4	.....	3	
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	58	16	42	.....	
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	68	118	.....	50	
	(3) Wine					
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.					
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	43	355	.....	312	
	(2) Do., manufactured	227	271	.....	44	
	(3) Copper, unwrought	1	.....	1	.....	
	(4) Do., manufactured	1	1	.....	.....	
	(5) Iron and steel—					
	(a) Unwrought	30	3,690	.....	3,660	
	(b) Wrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(i) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	2,988	3,696	.....	708	
	(ii) Machinery and mill works ...	813	169	644	.....	
	(iii) Other manufactured, including hardware and cutlery.	1,364	1,303	61	.....	
	(6) Metallic ores	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Others	806	777	29	.....	
18	Mineral substances—					
	(1) Marble and stone	2,378	4,291	.....	2,013	
	(2) Chalk	2,442	1,466	976	.....	
	(3) Lime					
	(4) Others					
19	Oils—					
	(1) Kerosine	12,763	15,372	.....	2,610	
	(2) Castor	16	31	.....	15	
	(3) Cocoanut	153	206	.....	53	
	(4) Mustard and rape	744	734	10	.....	
	(5) Others	86	109	.....	23	

No.	Staples.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
20	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor	47	161	.....	114	
	(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	....	
	(3) Linseed	724	3,421	.....	2,697	
	(4) Poppy	.. ..	.....	.....	..	
	(5) Rape and mustard	2,980	4,283	.....	1,303	
	(6) Til or jinjili	97	30	67	....	
	(7) Others	53	233	.....	180	
21	Opium	1	1	.....	.....	
22	Paper and pasteboard	655	1,114	.....	459	
23	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	8	4	4	.....	
	(2) Ghee	62	43	19	.....	
	(3) Others	1,045	1,431	.....	386	
24	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	270	80	190	.....	
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(c) Others	529	.....	529	.....	
25	Salt	46,535	9,362	37,173	.....	
26	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	43	15	28	.....	
	(2) Other saline substances	206	264	.....	58	
27	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	46	70	.....	24	
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	
28	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	991	1,587	.....	596	
	(2) Cardamoms	42	26	16	.....	
	(3) Chillies	647	401	196	.....	
	(4) Ginger	126	137	.....	11	
	(5) Pepper	71	29	42	.....	
	(6) Others	475	455	20	.....	
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallized, including sugar-candy.	1,414	1,558	.....	144	
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	1,594	1,834	.....	240	
	(b) Gur, *rab*, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	1,627	3,368	.....	1,741	
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Indian	624	690	.....	66	
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	4,150	5,742	.....	1,592	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	93	256	.....	163	
	(b) Other sorts					
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	5,201	4,211	990	.....	
	(2) Manufactured	724	423	301	.....	
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw	75	270	.....	193	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs	4	3	1	.....	
	(b) Piece-goods, European					
	(c) Ditto, Indian					
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures					
34	All other articles of merchandise	8,457	9,264	.....	807	
	Total	267,917	238,226	97,143	67,452	

Calcutta, *the 19th August 1908.*

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Offg. Examiner of Accounts.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of May 1908, compared with the corresponding period in 1907.

Description of Goods.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	33	509	86	1,157	53	648	.....	.....	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	14,792	30,591	18,776	37,549	3,984	6,958	.....	.....	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	65	759	91	1,011	26	252	.....	.....	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) } Twist and yarn. { European	8	100	12	146	4	46	.....	.....	
(b) } { Indian ...	437	4,861	519	6,340	82	1,479	.....	.....	
(c) } Piece-goods { European	1,709	17,413	2,900	27,747	1,191	10,334	.....	.....	
(d) } { Indian ...	437	3,225	442	3,992	.....	767	15	...	
(e) Others	28	396	27	352	...	.....	1	44	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	126	312	180	516	54	204	.....	.....	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	9	179	5	94	.....	...	4	85	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	14	259	17	343	3	84	.....	.....	
(b) Others	2,109	8,182	1,615	7,125	.....	.....	494	1,057	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	7	57	23	199	16	42	.....	.....	
2. Cutch	651	8,240	980	14,011	329	6,671	.....	.....	
3. Indigo	1	10	... ..	.....	.....	.....	1	10	
4. Myrabolams	144	168	15	129	.....	.....	129	39	
5. Tanning barks	516	1,085	568	734	49	.....	.....	351	
6. Turmeric	484	4,865	542	4,077	58	.....	.....	788	
7. Others	80	676	79	665	.....	.....	1	11	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	952	3,098	1,935	4,643	983	1,545	.....	.....	Reduce rates for fodder, &c., and demand.
2. Hay, straw and grass ...	373	1,381	650	2,308	277	927	.....	.....	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,134	4,024	2,358	8,047	1,224	4,023	.....	.....	Potato traffic.
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse ...	14,906	94,984	17,167	83,760	2,261	.....	.....	11,224	Abnormal imports in 1907.
2. Jawar and bajra ...	13,085	1,14,699	543	761	.....	.....	12,542	1,13,938	
3. } Rice { in the husk ...	3,404	12,179	9,114	47,049	5,710	34,870	.....	.....	Good crops.
4. } { not in the husk	9,203	35,010	18,060	86,644	8,857	51,634	.....	.....	
5. Wheat	4,534	27,195	3,387	12,525	...	.....	1,147	14,670	Abnormal imports in 1907.
6. Wheat-flour	509	3,697	718	4,718	209	1,021	.....	.....	
7. Makai	8,622	48,089	995	1,950	.....	.....	7,627	46,133	
8. Others	8,429	32,686	6,695	23,712	.....	...	1,734	15,974	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Raw	559	3,467	555	4,089	.....	622	4	.....	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	1	12	2	11	1	...	.....	1	
(b) Raw	164	1,037	304	1,342	140	305	.....	.....	
XI.—Horns	4	29	7	72	3	43	.....	.....	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	649	3,170	282	1,764	.....	.....	367	1,406	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	179	988	1,579	8,365	1,400	7,377	.....	.....	Increased production.
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,896	12,636	1,835	10,982	.....	.....	61	1,654	
XIV.—Lac	129	748	220	967	91	219	.....	.....	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	1	7	17	60	16	43	.....	.....	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	12	59	6	94	.....	35	6	.....	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	5	33	11	68	6	35	.....	.....	
2. Wines and Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	16	180	34	359	18	173	.....	.....	
3. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	6	38	44	322	38	284	.....	.....	
2. ,, wrought ...	83	540	106	913	23	367	.....	.....	
3. Copper, unwrought ..	1	4	.....	...	.....	.....	1	4	
4. ,, wrought ...	9	80	6	91	.....	11	3	.....	
5. Iron and steel—									
Unwrought (dust, slag, pig and old for re-manufacture).	24	65	32	134	.....	69	2	.....	
Wrought—									
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	415	2,794	529	3,052	114	258	.....	.....	
(b) Machinery and mill-work.	19	185	9	79	.....	.....	10	106	
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery.	325	2,255	654	4,529	309	2,274	.....	... ..	
6. Metallic ores	15	95	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	95	
7. Others	186	1,440	298	3,184	113	744	.....	.....	

Description of Goods.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XVIII.—Mineral substances—									
1. Marble and stone ...	1,143	2,209	2,141	2,029	998	720	.....	.....	
2. Chalk and lime ...	914	2,064	(1,074	3,408	160	444	.....	.....	
3. Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XIX.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	1,755	7,943	2,834	11,759	1,079	3,816	.....	.....	
2. Castor	53	348	135	537	82	189	.....	.....	
3. Cocoanut	14	112	4	18	.....	.....	10	94	
4. Mustard and rape ...	128	1,335	50	364	.....	.....	78	981	
5. Others	38	402	145	1,209	107	807	.....	.....	
XX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	1,686	3,863	1,547	3,738	.....	.....	139	125	
2. Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	.....	
3. Linseed	23,735	1,00,175	18,872	69,152	.....	.....	4,863	31,023	} Poor crops.
4. Poppy	1,652	8,650	698	2,693	.....	.....	954	5,957	
5. Rape and mustard ...	6,230	26,578	5,558	20,509	.....	.....	672	6,069	
6. Til or jinjili	83	339	131	810	48	471	41	.....	
7. Others	1,882	8,147	1,505	7,069	.....	.....	377	1,078	
XXI.—Opium	2,291	38,497	1,500	24,767	.....	.....	791	13,730	Less production.
XXII.—Paper and Pasteboard ...	330	889	348	913	18	24	.....	.....	
XXIII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts ...	105	1,250	144	1,825	39	575	.....	.....	
2. Ghee	210	1,537	224	1,780	14	243	.....	... ..	
3. Others	1,642	6,582	1,814	8,168	172	1,586	.....	.....	
XXIV.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(c) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	
XXV.—Salt	7,938	34,470	12,932	53,900	4,994	16,420	.....	.....	Increased demand.
XXVI.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	1,018	3,634	1,345	4,886	327	1,253	.....	.....	
2. Other saline substances	512	2,365	721	2,741	239	386	.....	.....	
XXVII.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	1	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	19	
2 Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	1	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	13	
XXVIII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	223	1,957	390	3,207	167	1,250	.....	.....	
2. Cardamoms	4	41	94	886	90	825	.....	.....	
3. Chillies	311	1,445	837	4,240	526	2,804	.....	.....	
4. Ginger	74	625	104	855	30	230	.....	...	Good crops.
5. Pepper	51	57	67	605	16	86	.....	... ..	
6. Others	464	3,121	322	2,574	.....	98	82	545	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1 Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	787	4,871	1,046	6,709	259	1,898	... ..	.....	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	6,549	38,890	8,927	58,591	2,388	19,701	.....	.....	} Increased production and demand in up-country.
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	8,654	30,733	12,831	71,784	4,177	32,051	.....	.....	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Indian	2	30	3	32	1	.....	.....	7	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured ...	6,165	49,982	7,252	67,290	1,607	17,308	.....	.....	Good crops.
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	1	13	1	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Other sorts ...	26	200	36	384	10	184	... .	... .	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought ...	2,254	8,016	3,428	9,074	1,194	1,058	.....	.....	
2. Logs	358	1,163	376	883	18	.....	.....	300	
3. Poles	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4. Manufactures	245	1,768	660	3,490	415	4,722	.....	.....	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	2	40	23	474	21	434	.....	... .	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs ...	2	19	14	40	12	21	.....	.....	
(b) Piece-goods { European	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(c) Piece-goods { Indian	2	25	9	93	7	68	...	.....	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	1	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	5	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	58	352	32	181	.....	... ..	26	171	
2. Firewood	1,784	1,982	1,925	1,969	141	7	.....	.....	
3. Others, not specified above.	4,885	20,734	4,378	15,824	.....	....	507	4,910	
Total ...	177,076	9,26,694	191,488	8,96,781	46,458	2,42,104	32,666	2,72,017	

GORAKHPUR, *the 18th August 1908.*

W. JENKINS,
for Chief Auditor.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 8th August 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
al traffic for the week ...	49,500	30,500 0 0	2,71,000 0	51,500 0 0	5,000 0 0	87,000 0 0	15,768	19,889	35,657
per mile of railway ...	64·45	39·71	351·49	66 80	6·49	113·00	20·53	25·80	46·33
previous 5 weeks of half-ear	236,500	1,43,000 0 0	10,94,000 0	1,96,500 0 0	16,500 0 0	3,46,000 0 0	71,854	90,387	162,241
Total for 6 weeks ...	280,000	1,73,500 0 0	13,65,000 0	2,38,000 0 0	21,500 0 0	4,33,000 0 0	87,622	110,276	197,898
COMPARISON.									
al for corresponding week previous year	43,542	24,841 0 0	3,12,939 0	57,681 0 0	4,768 0 0	87,290 0 0	14,360	19,190	33,550
mile of railway correspond-ng week of previous year ...	56·70	32·35	408·89	74·81	6 18	113·34	18·70	24·99	43·69
al to corresponding date of previous year	279,749	1,61,645 0 0	18,20,054 0	3,40,451 0 0	24,476 0 0	5,26,572 0 0	53,464	113,172	196,636

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

ECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 8TH AUGUST 1908.			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 10TH AUGUST 1907.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 8TH AUGUST 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 10TH AUGUST 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 19 8.
ean ngth ked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
71	87,000	113·00	771	87,290	113·34	771	15,28,798	...	771	16,33,098	...	.....	1,04,300

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 8th August 1908 on 1,797 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
al traffic for the week on 97 miles open	369,930	(a)1,56,780	7,90,060	(b)93,180	18,080	3,67,960	57,483	(c)39,657	97,140
er mile of railway ...	205·86	87·25	439·65	51 81	10·06	149·12	.....	.....	.....
previous 4½ weeks of half-ear	1,574,370	6,24,990	40,41,730	5,36,530	1,02,350	12,63,870	259,695	190,910	450,605
Total for 5½ weeks ...	1,944,300	7,81,770	48,31,810	6,29,630	1,20,430	15,31,830	317,178	230,567	547,745
COMPARISON.									
al for corresponding week previous year on 1,705 iles open	294,311	1,18,479	10,14,011	1,31,974	18,356	2,53,809	54,121	(d)47,153	101,274
mile of corresponding week previous year	172·62	66·36	594·73	71·54	10·76	148·86	.....	.....	.....
al to corresponding date of evious year	1,727,421	6,69,679	64,81,177	8,20,235	1,24,758	16,14,672	314,666	263,667	578,273
nges per Coaching, Goods d Total train-mile respec-ely during the week ...		2·73		2·35	·19	2·76			
for corresponding week of evious year		2·10		2·59	·18	2·51			

(a) Increase mainly under local and foreign outward, due to *Dhalan mela* at Ajodhya held earlier this year.
(b) Decrease chiefly under foreign inward, due to grain traffic to Bengal in 1907.
(c) Includes 6,032 miles of ballast-trains.
(d) Includes 15,231 miles of ballast-trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	514,250	1,76,190 0 0	(c)13,71,860 0	(c)2,39,180 0 0	15,320 0 0	(c)4,30,690 0 0	73,543	(b)35,194	108,747
Or per mile of railway	404	138 0 0	1,077 0	188 0 0	(a)3 0 0	(a)329 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	2,010,770	8,01,920 0 0	75,36,530 0	9,07,810 0 0	1,09,590 0 0	18,19,320 0 0	339,673	199,123	537,795
Total for 6 weeks ...	2,525,020	9,78,110 0 0	89,08,390 0	11,46,990 0 0	1,24,910 0 0	22,50,010 0 0	413,226	234,316	646,542
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	504,933	1,71,152 0 0	17,13,901 0	2,95,441 0 0	13,930 0 0	4 80,523 0 0	73,766	57,025	129,791
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,268 miles)	398	135 0 0	1,351 0	233 0 0	1 0 0	369 0 0	... ...	...	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,615,859	9,80,987 0 0	1,02,82,923 0	13,17,095 0	1,44,828 0 0	24,43,510 0 0	420,167	304,914	725,081

(*a*) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 11,700.
(*b*) Excluding ballast train miles 11,194.
(*c*) Decrease is due to abnormal traffic in jute and rice during the previous year.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	47,890	11,430 0 0	45,160 0	3,080 0 0	390 0 0	14,900 0 0	5,656	(a)800	6,456
Or per mile of railway ...	557	133 0 0	525 0	36 0 0	4 0 0	173 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	191,420	60,120 0 0	1,34,950 0	10,630 0 0	1,640 0 0	72,390 0 0	25,856	8,700	34,556
Total for 6 weeks ...	239,310	71,550 0 0	1,80,110 0	13,710 0 0	2,030 0 0	87,290 0 0	31,512	9,500	41,012
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	47,674	11,134 0 0	63,307 0	4,576 0 0	77 0 0	15,787 0 0	5,140	1,160	6,300
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	547	130 0 0	737 0	53 0 0	1 0 0	184 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	219,909	63,144 0 0	3,33,694 0	17,568 0 0	1,027 0 0	81,739 0 0	29,829	6,606	36,435

(*a*) Excluding ballast train-miles 600.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1908 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,840	1,610 0 0	14,990 0	1,230 0 0	10 0 0	2,850 0 0	431	(a)983	1,414
Or per mile of railway ...	114	48 0 0	446 0	37 0 0	.....	85 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	17,540	6,630 0 0	85,320 0	6,930 0 0	50 0 0	13,610 0 0	1,930	7,414	9,364
Total for 6 weeks ...	21,380	8,240 0 0	1,00,310 0	8,160 0 0	60 0 0	16,460 0 0	2,381	8,397	10,778
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	3,223	1,232 5 0	17,837 0	2,021 0 0	3 6 0	3,256 0 0		1,982	2,416
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	96	37 0 0	531 0	60 0 0	.....	97 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	19,448	6,839 0 0	1,02,445 0	9,469 0 0	58 6 0	16,366 0 0	2,571	12,761	15,332

(*a*) Excluding ballast train-miles 800.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th August 1908 on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
raffic for the week ...	9,690	4,140 0 0	20,780 0	1,070 0 0	40 0 0	5,250 0 0	2,112	(a)298	2,410
mile of railway ...	179	76 0 0	384 0	20 0 0	1 0 0	97 0 0	.....	.....	.....
previous 5 weeks of half-	55,440	17,190 0 0	93,310 0	5,690 0 0	120 0 0	23,000 0 0	9,756	1,704	11,460
Total for 6 weeks ...	65,130	21,330 0 0	1,14,090 0	6,760 0 0	160 0 0	28,250 0 0	11,868	2,002	13,870
COMPARISON.									
for corresponding week evious year	7,451	3,638 0 0	41,689 0	2,111 0 0	237 0 0	5,986 0 0	1,977	628	2,605
le of railway correspond- veek of previous year ...	147	72 0 0	822 0	41 0 0	5 0 0	118 0 0	.....	.....	.....
to corresponding date of ious year	56,592	19,495 0 0	1,42,076 0	8,163 0 0	1,385 0 0	29,043 0 0	11,5 6	2,415	13 921

(a) Ballast train-miles, *nil*.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
affic for the week ...	480,810	1,69,970 0 0	17,29,590 0	3,10,300 0 0	12,870 0 0	5,00,140 0 0	74,780	(b)35,774	110,554
ile of railway	377	133 0 0	1,358 0	244 0 0	(a)35 0 0	(a)380 0 0	...	...	...
vious 6 weeks of half-	2,525,050	9,78,110 0 0	89,08,330 0	11,46,590 0 0	1,24,910 0 0	22,50,010 0 0	412,226	234,316	646,542
Total for 7 weeks ...	3,005,860	11,48,080 0 0	106,37,920 0	14,57,290 0 0	1,44,780 0 0	27,50,150 0 0	487,006	270,090	757,096
COMPARISON.									
r corresponding week vious year...	449,503	1,58,212 0 0	17,76,969 0	3,19,803 0 0	19,112 0 0	4,97,130 0 0	72,353	59,243	131,596
of railway correspond- eek of previous year miles)	353	125 0 0	1,491 0	252 0 0	—1 0 0	376 0 0	...	...	...
corresponding date of us year	3 065,452	11,34,190 0 0	1,20,54,892 0	16,37,501 0 0	1,63,349 0 0	29,40,649 0 0	492,520	364,157	856,677

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 16,300.
(b) Excluding ballast train-miles, 11,219.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
fic for the week	37,770	11,020 0 0	61,550 0	4,590 0 0	240 0 0	15,850 0 0	5,656	(a)700	6,356
le of railway	439	128 0 0	716 0	51 0 0	3 0 0	182 0 0	.....	.....	.....
ious 6 weeks of half-	239,310	71,550 0 0	1,80,110 0	13,710 0 0	2,030 0 0	87,290 0 0	31,512	9,500	41,012
Total for 7 weeks ...	277,080	82,570 0 0	2,41,660 0	18,100 0 0	2,270 0 0	1,02,940 0 0	37,168	10,200	47,368
COMPARISON.									
corresponding week nus year	31,720	10,540 0 0	81,686 0	7,670 0 0	69 0 0	18,279 0 0	4,497	1,969	6,466
of railway corresponding previous year	369	123 0 0	943 0	89 0 0	1 0 0	213 0 0	....	.....	.....
corresponding date of year	251,629	73,684 0 0	4,14,780 0	25,238 0 0	1,095 0 0	1,00,018 0 0	34,317	8,575	42,892

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles, 600.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1908, on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,720	1,610 0 0	14,040 0	1,350 0 0	10 0 0	2,970 0 0	431	(a) 983	1,41
Or per mile of railway	111	48 0 0	418 0	40 0 0	.....	88 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	21,380	8,240 0 0	1,00,310 0	8,160 0 0	60 0 0	16,460 0 0	2,381	8,397	10,77
Total for 7 weeks ...	25,100	9,850 0 0	1,14,350 0	9,510 0 0	70 0 0	19,430 0 0	2,812	9,380	12,19
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,525	1,325 0 0	15,101 0	1,180 0 0	3 0 0	2,808 0 0	441	1,789	2,23
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	105	40 0 0	449 0	44 0 0	.....	84 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	22,073	8,163 0 0	1,17,546 0	10,949 0 0	62 0 0	19,174 0 0	3,012	14,550	17,56

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 850.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th August 1908 on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchan-	
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	10,320	4,610 0 0	55,440 0	2,880 0 0	50 0 0	7,540 0 0	2,147	(a)283	2,4
Or per mile of railway	191	86 0 0	1,027 0	53 0 0	1 0 0	140 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	65,130	21,330 0 0	1,14,060 0	6,760 0 0	160 0 0	28,250 0 0	11,868	2,002	13,8
Total for 7 weeks ...	75,450	25,940 0 0	1,69,500 0	9,640 0 0	210 0 0	35,790 0 0	14,015	2,285	16,3
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,576	3,511 0 0	53,322 0	2,643 0 0	255 0 0	6,409 0 0	1,918		
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	140	69 0 0	1,052 0	52 0 0	5 0 0	126 0 0	...		
Total to corresponding date of previous year	64,168	23,007 0 0	1,06,358 0	10,856 0 0	1,630 0 0	35,452 0 0	13,424		

(a) Ballast train-miles *nil*.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 15th August 1908 ...	Coaching ...	5,384 0 0	
	Goods ...	10,653 0 0	16,088 0 0
	Other earnings ...	51 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907 ...	Coaching ...	7,610 0 0	
	Goods ...	11,022 0 0	18,690 0 0
	Other earnings ...	58 0 0	
	Decrease ...		2,602 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 15th August 1908			315 7 8
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907			366 7 6
	Decrease ...		51 0 8
Receipts from 1st July to 15th August 1908			97,072 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907			1,06,672 0 0
	Decrease ...		9,600 0 0

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 16th to 22nd August 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rains.	Weather.
1908.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches.	°	%			Inches.	
Aug.	16th	145·6	6·2	29·611	82·4	86·8	8·2	78·6	79·4	0·957	77·9	85	SE, ESE, and SSW.	131	0·84	Partially cloudy, d, p.
,,	17th	149·1	5·3	·561	82·9	88·1	9·9	78·2	79·2	·967	78·2	90	SSE, S by W, and SSW.	109	1·16	Partially cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	18th	147·1	4·5	·606	83·8	88·3	8·5	79·8	80·3	·989	78·9	86	SSW, SSE, and S by W.	88	0·09	Partially cloudy, d, p.
,,	19th	150·3	4·4	·545	85·1	90·6	10·4	80·2	80·5	·996	79·1	86	S by W, E, and E by S.	61	0·40	Partially cloudy, o, d, p, t.
,,	20th	144·0	5·0	·535	84·9	89·2	9·8	79·4	79·6	·964	78·1	85	ESE, SE, and SSE.	112	0·41	Partially cloudy, o, d, p, t.
,,	21st	148·4	3·8	·571	82·3	87·2	9·3	77·9	78·7	·946	77·5	88	S by W, SSE, and S.	91	0·50	Partially cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	22nd	147·4	3·0	·587	83·6	89·1	10·5	78·6	79·6	·968	78·2	86	S, SSE, and SSW.	74	0·16	Partially cloudy o, d, p.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·560
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·599
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	32·1
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	89·6
	°
The mean temperature of the seven days	83·4
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83·1
The extreme variation of temperature	12·7
The maximum temperature	90·6
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	19
	%
The mean relative humidity	87
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	87
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 16th to 22nd August 1908	3·56
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	3·46
The total fall from 1st January to 22nd August 1908	64·44
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	45·69

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Knudsen's Barograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 24th August 1908.*

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Offg. Director-General of Observatories.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

No. 5862A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5694A.—The 27th August 1908.*—Mr. W. R. Gourlay, Officiating Director of Agriculture, Bengal, is also appointed to act, until further orders, as Director of Co-operative Credit Societies, Bengal.

Calcutta.

No. 5698A.—The 27th August 1908.—Mr. W. H. Buchan, Registrar, Co-operative Credit Societies, Bengal, is also appointed to be Assistant Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

Calcutta.

No. 5704A.—The 27th August 1908.—Mr. C. H. Reid, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district, and is appointed to have temporary charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Deputy Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta.

Calcutta.
Midnapore.

No. 5733A.—The 28th August 1908.—Mr. A. W. Barnicott, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Kishanganj subdivision of the Purnea district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Subdivisional Officer, Dhanbaid, Manbhum.

Manbhum.
Purnea.

No. 5735A.—The 28th August 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Izhar Husain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purnea, is appointed to have temporary charge of the Kishanganj subdivision of that district.

Purnea.

No. 5810A.—The 31st August 1908.—Captain C. A. G. P. Meadows, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs, made over, and Major C. Herbert, D. S. O., received, charge of the office of Cantonment Magistrate of Dinapore, in the district of Patna, on the forenoon of the 25th August 1908.

Patna.

No. 5826A.—The 1st September 1908.—Mr. W. H. Nelson, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to act temporarily as Deputy Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. C. F. Payne, on leave.

Midnapore.
Calcutta.

No. 5849A.—The 1st September 1908.—Mr. H. D. Christian, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sasaram, Shahabad, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Shahabad.

POLICE.—*No. 5728A.—The 28th August 1908.*—Maulvi Nadir Husain, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Bhagalpur, is transferred to Puri, and is appointed to hold charge of the police of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. A. S. Burt, or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.
Puri.

EDUCATION.—*No. 5708A.—The 27th August 1908.*—Mr. Eyre Loftus Preston, who has been appointed, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, to be a member of the Indian Educational Service and an Inspector of Schools in Bengal, is appointed to be Inspector of Schools of the Orissa Division.

Orissa Divn.

No 5813A.—The 1st September 1908.—Mr. John MacLean, who has been appointed, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, to be a member of the Indian Educational Service and to hold an appointment of Inspector of Schools in Bengal, is appointed temporarily to be Inspector of Schools, Patna Division, with effect from the 5th August 1908.

Patna Divn.

No. 5816A.—The 1st September 1908.—Babu Bhagabati Sahay, Additional Inspector of Schools, Patna Division, acted as Inspector of Schools of that Division from the afternoon of the 1st July 1908 to the afternoon of the 4th August 1908.

Patna Divn.

No. 5819A.—The 1st September 1908.—Babu Sharat Chandra Brahmachari, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Darbhanga (class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Mahmud, or until further orders.

Darbhanga.
Bhagalpur Divn.

No. 5832A.—The 1st September 1908.—Mr. E. P. Harrison, Officiating Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, has been appointed, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, to be a member of the Indian Educational Service, with effect from the 22nd February 1908, *vice* Mr. G. W. Küchler.

Calcutta.

No. 5851A.—The 1st September 1908.—Babu Shyama Das Mukharji, Professor, Presidency College, is appointed to act as a Professor in the Hooghly College, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. R. W. F. Shaw, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Hooghly.

This cancels the order of the 18th May 1908, appointing Babu Shyama Das Mukharji to be a Professor in the Patna College.

Patna.

No. 5853A.—The 1st September 1908.—Babu Ashatosh Chatarji, Professor, Sanskrit College, Calcutta, is appointed to be a Professor in the Patna College, with effect from the afternoon of the 10th July 1908.

Calcutta.
Patna.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 5822A.—The 1st September 1908.*—The Ministers of Religion, named below, belonging to the German Evangelical Lutheran Mission, Chota Nagpur, are each authorized, under section 6 of Act XV of 1872, to solemnize marriages between persons one or both of whom is a Christian or are Christians:—

Ranchi.

The Revd. Joahnnes Stosch.
" " Christof Schmidt.
" " Peter Peters.
" " Heinrich Judaschke.

The Revd. gentlemen are also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be Registrars of Births and Deaths in the district of Ranchi.

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 5714A.—The 28th August 1908.*—Major Leonard Rogers, I.M.S., is appointed to be a member of the Committee of management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

JAILS.—*No. 5803A.—The 31st August 1908.*—Captain C. F. Weinman, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon, Midnapore, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Superintendent, Central Jail, Midnapore, with effect from the 13th July 1908, *vice* Captain W. Gillitt, on leave.

Midnapore.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 5731A.—The 28th August 1908.*—Mr. Sharat Kumar Ghosh, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kishanganj, Purnea, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Purnea.

No. 5744A.—The 29th August 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Hamid-ud-din Ahmad, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is allowed leave for twenty-eight days, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1908.

Patna.

No. 5830A.—The 1st September 1908.—Mr. S. J. Mirza, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, is allowed leave without allowances for two months and seven days, under article 339 (2) of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the order of the 25th July 1908.

Bankura.

No. 5846A.—The 1st September 1908.—Mr. Saiyid Ahmad Nawab, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Shahabad, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it, up to the 28th September 1908.

Shahabad.

EDUCATION.—*No. 5842A.—The 1st September 1908.*—Mr. Debendra Nath Mallik, Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, was allowed furlough for three days, viz., from the 13th to the 15th March 1908, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 21st May 1907.

Calcutta.

JAILS.—*No. 5801A.—The 31st August 1908.*—Captain W. Gillitt, I.M.S., Officiating Superintendent, Central Jail, Midnapore, is allowed leave for one month and twenty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th July 1908.

Midnapore.

The following order is republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 26th August 1908 :—

No. 3370A.—The 25th August 1908.—Babu Nikunja Bihary Ray, Munsif of Chittagong, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of the same district.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3458For.—The 1st September 1908.—Mr. R. Kirkpatrick, Assistant Conservator of Forests, in charge of the Darjeeling Forest Division, is transferred to the charge of the Tista Forest Division.

Darjeeling.

Mr. J. H. Waddingham, Assistant Conservator of Forests, in charge of the Tista Forest Division, on being relieved of his duties by Mr. R. Kirkpatrick, is transferred to the Darjeeling Forest Division as an attached officer.

Mr. H. King Robinson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, in charge of the Kurseong Division, is appointed to hold charge of the Darjeeling and Direction Divisions in addition to his own duties till further orders.

No. 3380L.R.—The 27th August 1908.—Babu Saradananda Das, Deputy Collector, employed as Settlement Officer in the district of Jessore, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-seven days, from the 2nd September 1908, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of the leave.

Jessore.

No. 3391L.R.—The 27th August 1908.—Maulvi Syed Ali Mazhar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed on partition work in the district of Muzaffarpur, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 1st September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3460L.R.—The 1st September 1908.—Babu Shamshir Jang Bahadur, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Bhagalpur, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-eight days from the 1st September 1908.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3459Agri.—The 1st September 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to prescribe the following rules for regulating the examination in vernacular languages of officers of the Bengal Agricultural Service.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Rules for the Examination in Vernacular Languages of Officers of the Bengal Agricultural Service.

1. Every officer of the Bengal Agricultural Service is required to pass an examination in a selected vernacular language within two years of the date of his arrival in India or of his first appointment to the service, whichever is later, but the Local Government may, for special reasons, extend the period for passing in any particular case. Failure to pass within the prescribed period will, in the absence of such special orders as the Local Government may issue to the contrary, entail loss of appointment or stoppage of increments of pay.

2. The examination will be conducted under the direction and control of the Central Examination Committee.

3. The examination will be held twice a year simultaneously with each half-yearly Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others in April or May and in October or November, on dates to be notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* in communication with the Central Examination Committee.

4. The Director of Agriculture shall in due time report to the Chief Secretary the names of intending examinees and the subject and the standard each candidate will take up.

5. The examination will be held at the following centres :—

(1) Bankipore for candidates employed in the Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions.
(2) Calcutta for candidates employed in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.
(3) Ranchi for candidates employed in the Chota Nagpur Division.
(4) Cuttack for candidates employed in the Orissa Division.

N.B.—The examination in Uriya will be held only at Cuttack under the control of the Local Committee formed at that centre.

6. The compulsory vernacular of a candidate will be either Bengali or Hindustani according as the one or the other is prescribed by Government. In the case of an officer employed in the Orissa Division the compulsory language will be Uriya.

7. No native officer shall be liable to examination in a language which is his own vernacular.

8. There will be two standards of examination—(1) higher standard and (2) lower, standard.

An officer must pass by the lower standard completely before he can take up any paper by the higher standard. In case, however, a candidate is permitted to take up both standards at the same time, he must finish his lower standard papers first before taking up any of the higher standard papers. No extra time will be allowed for taking up both standards at the same time. If he passes in either of the papers, he will be held to qualify for the lower standard, but passing marks must be obtained in both sets of papers to qualify for the higher standard.

9. The examination will include the following subjects :—

(1) Transliteration and translation of a printed passage selected from a newspaper suitable official report or the like.
(2) Translation into the vernacular of an English passage similarly selected.
(3) Dictation into the vernacular of a simple passage in English.
(4) Conversation in the vernacular.

(*a*) The paper set for translation from the vernacular should also be transliterated into the Roman character according to the Hunterian or Wilsonian system.

(*b*) The paper set for dictation shall be translated into the vernacular and dictated off-hand fluently and intelligibly and the translation written down by a clerk exactly as dictated.

(*c*) The conversation test should show that the candidate is able to converse freely and at first hand both with the educated classes and with the village cultivators, but should not include technical expressions concerned with subjects other than agriculture.

10. The maximum and the pass marks assigned to each branch of the examination and the time allowed for the papers are subjoined :—

		Maximum marks.	Pass marks.	Time allowed
(1) Transliteration	One paper	20	10	One and-a-half hours.
(2) Translation from vernacular	One paper	20	10	One and-a-half hours.
(3) Ditto from English		20	10	Two hours.
(4) Dictation from English		20	10	Half an hour.
(5) Conversation		80	40	Ten minutes.

11. The papers set at the examination should be of a general character, and should specially deal with agricultural matters and not with specialized revenue or magisterial reports.

12. The question paper will, as far as can be arranged for, be set by an officer of the Agricultural Department in consultation with the Central Examination Committee.

13. The Central Examination Committee after perusing the reports and the examination papers shall report to Government the names of such officers as in their opinion have passed.

14. When an officer, who has not yet passed in his compulsory vernacular, is required by reason of transfer or for any other cause, to pass in a different compulsory language, the limit of time laid down in rule 1 shall run from the date of the order requiring him to pass in a new language.

15. No officer is required to pass in more than one vernacular; but every officer is expected, in order to increase his usefulness, to make himself familiar with the vernacular of the district or districts in which he happens to be serving. No reward will be given for passing in a first compulsory language, but for passing in any other vernacular language, a knowledge of which is, in the opinion of the Local Government, likely to add to his efficiency in the performance of his duties, an officer will receive a reward of Rs. 250 for the lower standard and of Rs 500 for the higher standard, the examination in such cases being the same as that prescribed for members of the Indian Civil Service.

16. These rules will apply to officers now in the service, subject to the conditions of their respective agreements, and to such orders as they may have already received from Government.

DECLARATION.

No. 3371L.A.—The 26th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed extension of 9C Distributary, Taldanda Canal, length 300 feet and breadth 27 feet, in the village of Harishpur, pargana Balubisi, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 29·5 poles of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Cuttack.

North—By the cultivated land belonging to Dam Sahu,
East—By the ditto ditto Paramanunda Naik,
South—By the ditto ditto ditto,
West—By the extension of 9C Branch Distributary,

is required within the aforesaid village of Harishpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Irrigation Branch, Cuttack.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3373L.A.—The 26th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for Pipratand siding No. I, Pipratand Coal Company, by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the villages of Raneedih, Doomriatand, Basjora and Pipratand, pargana Nawagarh, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 83 bighas 5 cottahs 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

North—By rice land and dry land of villages Pipratand, Basjora, Doomriatand and Raneedih,
East—By Bengal-Nagpur Railway land,
South—By rice land and dry land of villages Pipratand, Basjora, Doomriatand and Raneedih,
West—By dry land of Harku Mahato,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Raneedih, Doomriatand, Basjora and Pipratand.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Adra.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3396L.A.—The 28th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz.; for a retired line at Guruli, in the 38th and 39th miles of Chetua Circuit Embankment No. 22, in the village of Guruli, pargana Chetua, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 30 bighas 14 cottahs 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by old embankment, on the east by khas land, Goopi Bera's tank, Kalachand Manjhi's land, Sagor Pan's land, Rakhal Maity's land, Binode Ghorui's land, Guru Das Santra's land, Mohendra Mondal's land, Naran Jana's bastu and Behari Dolui's land, on the west by Nilu Teli's land, Haru Ghorui's land, Rakhal Maity's land, Khetra Ghorui's land, Rakhal Pattak's bastu and tank, and on the south by old embankment and Harirampore sluice, is required within the aforesaid village of Guruli.

Midnapore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Ghatal.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3398L.A.—The 28th August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the new Post Office building at Gopalganj, in the village of Janglia, pargana Sipah, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 17 cottahs 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the village road to Janglia, on the south by the field of Ramlall, on the east by the District Board road, Gopalganj to Siwan, and on the west by the field of Lal Behari, is required within the aforesaid village of Janglia.

Saran.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Saran.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3427L.A.—The 31st August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Naihati Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a public latrine in the village of Kantalpara, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Ferry ghat road and the land belonging to Kirti Chandra Mitter and Rakhal Chandra Majumdar, on the east by the land belonging to Bepin Bihari Changa, Kirti Chandra Mitter and Rakhal Chandra Majumdar, on the south by the land belonging to Kirti Chandra Mitter, and on the west by the land belonging to Nader Chand Pal, Kirti Chandra Mitter and Rakhal Chandra Majumdar, is required within the aforesaid village of Kantalpara.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Naihati.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3428L.A.—The 31st August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of East Indian Railway Company for the provision of avoiding line between Sijooah and Angarpathra No 2 siding in the village of Angarpathra, pargana Jheria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 cottahs 1·78 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by East Indian Railway, and on the south, east and west by waste land of village Angarpathra, is required within the aforesaid village of Angarpathra.

Manbhum.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, sale or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3430L.A.—The 31st August 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Ranchi Municipality for a public purpose, viz.. for diverting the Old Hazaribagh road at its junction with Ranchi-Chaibassa road, in the village of Sirom, pargana Khukhra, zilla Ranchi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by cultivated land of Mongra Uraon, on the east by Old Hazaribagh road, on the south by Old Hazaribagh road, and on the west by Ranchi-Chaibassa road, is required within the aforesaid village of Sirom.

Ranchi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Deputy Commissioner of Ranchi.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3466L.A.—The 1st September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of East Indian Railway Company for Messrs. Turner Morrison and Company's Ladna siding, in the village of Puddeadih, pargana Jheria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Railway land, and on the south, east and west by waste land of village Puddeadih, is required within the aforesaid village of Puddeadih.

Manbhum.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Dhanbad.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3468L.A.—The 1st September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for khal diversion at mile No. 23, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Baatpara, pargana Habilisahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 cottahs 9 chitaks 30 square feet of standard measurement.

24-Parganas.

bounded on the north and east by old khal, on the south by the land belonging to Haran Chandra Banerjee, and on the west by the land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway and Rammoy Tarkaratna, is required within the aforesaid village of Bhatpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Construction Division, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. $\frac{49}{E\text{-}9}$.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PROVINCIAL SURVEYS, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

MR. O. J. H. HART, Officiating Extra Assistant Superintendent, 6th grade, attached to No. 4 Party (Bihar), is granted privilege leave for two months, from the forenoon of 2nd September 1908, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations.

F. C. HIRST, CAPTAIN, I.A.,
Offg. Superintendent of Provincial Surveys, Bengal.

HAZARIBAGH, *the 29th August 1908.*

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

Calcutta. Darjeeling.

No. 3512.—The 31st August 1908.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and upon the application and with the concurrence of the Lord Bishop of Calcutta and the Archdeacon of Calcutta, the persons acting in the administration of the trusts of St. Paul's School, Darjeeling, doth hereby order and direct that the Government Promissory Notes, of which the particulars are set forth in the First Schedule hereunder written, and the lands, buildings, premises and effects situated in the district, sub-registration district and thana of Darjeeling aforesaid, of which the particulars are set forth in the Second Schedule hereunder written, shall, as from the date of the first publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, vest and thenceforth be vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the Territories subject to the Government of Bengal, to be held by him and his successors (subject to the provisions of the said Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and the rules made and from time to time to be made thereunder by the Governor-General in Council) and subject as to the said lands, buildings, premises and effects in the said Second Schedule mentioned to the Indentures of Mortgage and further charge in favour of the Secretary of State for India in Council whereof particulars are set forth in the same Schedule, upon trust for ever hereafter to permit the said premises in the said Second Schedule described to be used for the purposes of the said School called St. Paul's School, Darjeeling, established thereon, and to receive the rents and profits of the said lands, buildings, premises and effects in the said Second Schedule described and also the interest, income and profits of the said Government Promissory Notes when and as the same shall become due and payable and from time to time apply the same to the Endowment and maintenance of the said St. Paul's School, Darjeeling, in accordance with the provisions made in that behalf in a Scheme settled by the Local Government the particulars whereof are set forth in the third Schedule hereunder written, and it is hereby further notified that the said Scheme, whereof the particulars are set forth in such Third Schedule, shall come into operation on the vesting of the said Government Promissory Notes and lands, buildings, premises and effects

in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal.

The First Schedule above referred to.

Government Promissory Notes for Rs. 61,800 as under, representing the Malohus Trust Fund—

			Rs.
No. 097044 of 1842-43 for	...	...	25,000
,, 097540 ditto	...	...	2,500
,, 089822 ditto	...	...	1,300
,, 059048 ditto	...	...	1,000
,, 073310 ditto	...	...	500
,, 076846 ditto	...	...	500
,, 103330 ditto	...	...	500
085497 of 1854-55 for	...	...	9,000
,, 041014 ditto	...	...	2,000
,, 041289 ditto	...	...	1,000
,, 079166 ditto	...	...	1,100
,, 091352 ditto	...	...	700
,, 038164 ditto	...	..	600
,, 038625 ditto	...	...	500
,, 095469 ditto	...	...	500
,, 076797 ditto	...	...	500
,, 083863 ditto	...	...	500
,, 092163 ditto		...	300
,, 092646 ditto	..	...	300
,, 174926 of 1865 for	...	...	6,000
,, 189718 ditto	...	...	1,500
,, 160623 ditto	...	...	1,100
,, 133879 ditto		...	1,000
,, 103852 ditto	...	...	1,500
,, 155363 ditto	...	...	500
,, 175798 ditto	...	...	500
,, 150125 ditto	...	...	700
,, 011175 ditto	...	...	700
	Total	...	61,800

Government Promissory Note for Rs. 3,500 as under, representing the Arson Scholarship Fund—

No. 013163 (3½ per cent.) of 1879 for Rs. 3,500.

Government Promissory Notes for Rs. 10,100 as under, representing the Bishop Wilson Fund—

			Rs.
No. 011223 of 1879 for	...	...	10,000
,, 065783 of 1842-43 for	...	...	100
	Total	...	10,100

The Second Schedule above referred to.

All that piece or parcel of land or estate now known as St. Paul's School, Darjeeling, containing by admeasurement forty-two acres one rood and thirty-one poles or thereabouts and which said estate is situated in the district, sub-registration district and thana on Darjeeling and is butted and bounded as follows:—On the north by land the property of the late Sir Charles Paul, on the south by Mount Vernon and the Jalapahar Cantonments, on the east by the old Calcutta or Punkabarrie Road, and on the west by the Jalapahar Road and comprises the several pieces or plots of land or locations hereinafter mentioned, that is to say :—

1. *Sans Souci Location* held under a Freehold Grant No. 28 bearing date the 1st day of January 1841. Out of this entire location a portion now forms part of the property of the late Sir Charles Paul and a further portion is occupied by the Darjeeling Municipality as a reservoir.

2. *Herbert Hill Location* held under Freehold Grant No. 32 bearing date the 1st day of July 1840.

3. Stewart Field Location held under a Freehold Grant No. 49 bearing date the 1st day of July 1840.

4. *Plas Madoc Location* held under a Freehold Grant No. 70 bearing date the 1st day of January 1841.

5. *South end Location* held under a lease for 99 years, being lease No. 35 of 1847 and 114 of General Register bearing date the 31st day of March 1847.

Together with all and several the houses, outhouses, buildings and other erections thereon and all fixtures, furniture, school apparatus, plate, linen, china, books, chattels and effects for the time being in and belonging to or to be used for the purposes of the St. Paul's School.

All which said property moveable and immoveable is subject to three several Indentures of Mortgage and Further Charge bearing date respectively the 8th day of April 1889, the 18th day of June 1896 and the 14th day of December 1900 executed in favour of the Secretary of State for India in Council to secure the repayment of the aggregate sum of rupees seventy thousand only.

The Third Schedule above referred to.

1. This Endowment shall be called "The St. Paul's School, Darjeeling, Fund" and the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for Bengal shall remit the interest, income and profits of the said fund to the Governors for the time being of the said School appointed as herein mentioned to be applied in the maintenance of the said School and in the administration of the trusts created by the deeds of gift and trust deeds relating to the said School.

2. The said School shall be called St. Paul's School, Darjeeling.

3. The said School shall be governed, maintained and conducted as hereinafter provided by the Governors for the time being thereof, and they shall administer the trusts created by the deeds of gift and trust deeds relating to the said School.

4. In the event of the said School ceasing to be maintained in accordance with the Scheme, the said Treasurer shall transfer the property to the Trustees for the time being under the Trust Deed dated the 25th September 1868 and made between the Ven'ble John Henry Pratt, M.A., Archdeacon of Calcutta, of the one part and the Right Reverend Robert Bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan in India and the Island of Ceylon and the Venerable John Henry Pratt in his capacity of Archdeacon for the time being of Calcutta of the other part subject to any lien of Government upon the property.

5. The Governors of the School shall be ten in number and shall consist of (1) the Lord Bishop of Calcutta for the time being, (2) the Archdeacon of Calcutta for the time being, (3) three members to be appointed by the Diocesan Board of Education, and (4) five members to be appointed by the Local Government. When the Bishop is absent from India the Diocesan Board shall have power to nominate a fourth member for such period of absence. The Lord Bishop shall be the Chairman of the Governors and shall have a casting vote. In his absence the Archdeacon of Calcutta shall take his place, and in the absence of both a Chairman shall during such joint absence be elected by and out of the other members. In the case of any Governor other than the said Bishop and the Archdeacon, who shall be absent from three Governors' meetings in succession or from four in any year or who may have left India permanently, the remaining Governors may at their discretion apply to the Diocesan Board of Education or to the Local Government, as the case may be, requesting that a fresh appointment may be made in his place.

6. Meetings of the Governors shall be called at least twice a year. Ordinary business shall be conducted by such Governors as attend the meetings, but on questions of grave importance in which the Governors shall have so ordered the opinions of non-resident Governors shall be sought by letter.

7. Four members shall form a quorum for a meeting.

8. There shall be a Secretary to the Governors who shall ordinarily conduct the correspondence with the Education Department.

9. Subject to the approval of the Local Government any of the provisions of this scheme may be altered by a majority of the Governors of whom the Lord Bishop of Calcutta must be one. Each of the Governors shall signify his assent or dissent in writing; and both the assents and dissents shall be circulated among the Governors before a proposal to alter a provision is submitted to the Local Government for approval, so that each Governor may have an opportunity of reconsidering his opinion in the light of the views of the other Governors.

10. All alterations of the provisions of this scheme shall as soon as they are made be communicated to the Education Department for the approval of the Local Government.

11. The Governors may make any Bye-laws or Regulations not inconsistent with the provisions of this scheme. Any such Bye-Laws or Regulations or any alterations of them shall be communicated to the Education Department for information.

12. The scale of School-fees shall be fixed by the Governors subject to the approval of the Education Department.

13. The annual budget of the School shall be submitted by the Governors to the Education Department and shall be subject to the approval of that Department, or in the event of disagreement between that Department and the Governors, to the approval of the Local Government.

14. The accounts shall be audited annually in accordance with the rules of the Education Department.

15. The financial administration of the School and of the School property and the said fund shall be in all respects open to the inspection of the Education Department.

16. The control of expenditure of all money coming to the School shall be vested in the Governors.

17. The existing Chapel of the School shall be maintained; and divine service shall be held in it during term time according to the rites of the Church of England, at least on all Sundays and greater festivals; and no service shall be allowed to be held in the Chapel other than such as may be approved by the Lord Bishop of Calcutta.

18. No Scholar shall be required to attend either religious worship or religious instruction if his parent or guardian shall have expressed a wish in writing that he should be exempted therefrom.

19. Reasonable facilities shall be given that scholars, whose parents express a wish in writing to that effect, may attend such religious worship or may receive such religious instruction as may be desired by such parents, provided that all arrangements for the custody of the scholars during their absence from the school shall be made by the parents themselves on their own responsibility.

20. The curriculum of secular instruction shall be approved by the Education Department and the tuitional administration of the school shall be in all respects open to the inspection of that department.

21. The Rector shall be appointed and removed by the Governors.

22. If the Rector is not in Holy Orders, one of the staff shall, if possible, be an ordained Clergyman of the Church of England appointed by the Governors.

23. Subject to the general control of the Governors the Rector shall have the sole management of the internal affairs of the school; he shall have the power of expelling boys from the school or of suspending them from attendance thereat for any adequate cause to be judged by him, but on expelling or suspending any boy he shall forthwith report the cause to the Governors.

24. The Assistant Masters and other Teachers shall be appointed and dismissed by the Governors, subject to the rules of the Education Department regulating the employment of teachers in aided European Schools.

25. The services of the Assistant Masters and other Teachers shall be at the disposal of the Rector and they shall carry out his orders.

26. The Rector may suspend any Assistant Master or Teacher, but in that case he shall submit an immediate report to the Governors.

27. Every representation made by a member of the staff to the Governors must be individual and must be submitted to the Rector, to be forwarded by him to the Governors. Such representations must be forwarded by the Rector without delay.

29. All Officers and servants of the school, other than Assistant Masters and Teachers and such Officers as may be specially excepted by Bye-law, shall be appointed by the Rector and may be dismissed by him subject to an appeal to the Governors, which appeal may reach the Secretary within fourteen days after the notice of such dismissal has been received. Any such officer may, however, be summarily removed by a vote of the majority of the Governors present at any meeting.

No. 4097. The 28th August 1908.—Under section 20 of the Indian Factories Act, XV of 1881, as amended by Act XI of 1891, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare the Cuttack Printing Company's Press and the Orissa Mission Press in Cuttack to be factories within the meaning of that Act.

Cuttack.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt of Bengal

REGISTRATION.

No. 4075.—The 28th August 1908.—Maulvi Afsar-ud-din Ahmad, Officiating Sub-Registrar of the Joint Office at Kachua, in the district of Khulna, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bagerhat, in the same district, from the 25th April 1908, to the 1st May 1908.

Khulna.

No. 4073.—The 28th August 1908.—Maulvi Afsar-ud-din Ahmad, Officiating Sub-Registrar, Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kachua, in the same district, with effect from the afternoon of the 2nd May 1908.

Khulna.

No. 4124.—The 31st August 1908.—Babu Gopal Lal, Sub-Registrar of Araria, in the district of Purnea, who was granted privilege leave for twenty-three days, under the orders of the 4th May 1908, was permitted to return to duty on the forenoon of the 5th June 1908.

Purnea.

This cancels the Government Notification No. 3699, dated the 8th August 1908.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 728-O.—The 29th August 1908.—Mr. C. F. Russell, Assistant Opium Agent, in charge of the Patna Sub-Agency, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Tirhut, with effect from the 20th September 1908.

Patna.
Muzaffarpur.

Mr. A. Burt, Assistant Opium Agent, Arrah, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Patna, *vice* Mr. C. F. Russell, transferred.

Shahabad.
Patna.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5863A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5682A.—The 26th August 1908.—Babu Satya Prasanna Mazumdar, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Kushtia, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Hari Prasanna Mukharji, or until further orders.

Nadia.

No. 5835A.—The 1st September 1908.—Babu Binod Bihari Ray, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Arambagh.

Hooghly.

No. 5857A.—The 1st September 1908.—Babu Shashibhushan Sen, Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge, Cuttack, is appointed to act temporarily as Small Cause Court Judge of Howrah, Hooghly and Serampore, *vice* Babu Surjya Narayan Das, about to retire, and is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge.

Cuttack.
Hooghly.

LEAVE.

No. 5760A.—The 26th August 1908.—Babu Banamali Sen, Munsif of Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for nine days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 1st July 1908.

24-Parganas.

No. 5761A.—The 27th August 1908.—Babu Akshay Kumar Das, Munsif of Kotalpur, in the district of Bankura, is allowed leave for one year and three months, viz., privilege leave for three months, of which two months and six days will be under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the rest under article 271 of the same Regulations, and furlough for one year under article 338 of the Regulations, with effect from the 4th November 1908.

Bankura.

POWERS.

No. 5704A.—The 27th August 1908.—Mr. C. H. Reid, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district and appointed to have temporary charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Midnapore.

No. 5806A.—The 31st August 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Saran, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Saran.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS

Burdwan. *No. 2966J.—The 28th August 1908.*—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Basanta Bihari Chandra to be a Magistrate of the third class at Katwa, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of three years from the date of this notification. He will try cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Katwa subdivision of that district. He is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Monghyr. *No. 2974J.—The 28th August 1908.*—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Mubin to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Lakhisarai Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr. He is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

RESIGNATION.

24-Parganas. *No. 3040J.—The 31st August 1908.*—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Bijay Lal Datta of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Baduria Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

POWERS.

Purnea. *No. 2970J.—The 28th August 1908.*—Mr John Henry Lewis, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Purnea, is authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Burdwan. *No. 2972J.—The 28th August 1908.*—Babu Loka Nath Mitra, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

JAILS.

Calcutta. *No. 2980J.—The 28th August 1908.*—Mr. J. S. Harris is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Presidency Jail.

H. C. STREATFEILD.
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Burdwan. *No. 3035J.—The 31st August 1908.*—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Muhammad Mafizuddin, authorizing him as a temporary measure to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the thana of Khandaghosh, in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan. *No. 3036J.—The 31st August 1908.*—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Muhammad Mafizuddin, appointing him as a temporary measure Kazi of thana Khandaghosh, in the district of Burdwan, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

Midnapore. *No. 3051J.—The 1st September 1908.*—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Muhammad Bashirulla, authorising him as a temporary measure to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the thanas of Tamluk and Sutahati with head-quarters at Tamluk.

Midnapore. *No. 3052J.—The 1st September 1908.*—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Muhammad Bashirulla, appointing him as a temporary measure Kazi of thanas Tamluk and Sutahata with head-quarters at Tamluk, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3036J.—The 29th August 1908.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz, for such portion of the extension of the Kurkend siding as lies between mile 172. 4,864 feet and mile 173. 1,139 feet, and whereas coal mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Gopalichuck Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seam known as No. 14 seam, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Gopalichuck Coal Company, Limited, have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

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Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act. XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Gopalichuck Coal Company, Limited, in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.—

(*a*) No gallery shall be driven in any place where the distance from the natural surface of the ground to the top of the gallery, if driven, is less than 50 feet.

(*b*) Where the distance from the natural surface of the ground to the top of the gallery, if driven, is 50 feet or more, galleries not exceeding 12 feet in width by 12 feet in height may be driven with centres 80 feet apart, forming pillars 68 feet square to be left unworked for the support of the acquired land.

(*c*) Manholes not exceeding 6 feet in height, 3 feet in width and 4 feet in depth may be made where required by any rules made under the Indian Mines Act.

(*d*) These restrictions shall apply to No. 14 seam only and to the area coloured pink on the plan, and the Gopalichuck Coal Company, Limited, shall give notice, under section IV of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of their intention to work any other seam under such area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land, and that in all the above cases except to comply with the above conditions no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L. A. M. A. No. 103 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3043J.—The 31st August 1908.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government, under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz., for such portion of the Damuda branch of the East Indian Railway as lies between mile 172 furlong 4 feet 371 and mile 172 furlough 5 feet 411, together with sidings taking off the branch, and whereas coal mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the K. M. Selected Coal Company have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seams known as Nos. 12 and 11 seams, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said K. M. Selected Coal Company have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as

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to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act, XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said K. M. Selected Coal Company in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.:—

(*a*) Galleries shall be driven in both seams only as laid down on the red centre lines on the plan L.A.M.A. No. 105.

(*b*) The galleries and pillars in both seams shall be coincident as regards verticality that is to say galleries shall be under galleries and pillars under pillars.

(*c*) The galleries in No. 12 seam shall be 12 feet in width and the thickness of the seam in height. The galleries in No. 11 seam shall be 12 feet in width and 10 feet in height.

(*d*) The galleries in No. 11 seam shall be driven on the floor of the seam.

(*e*) Staple pits may be sunk from one seam to the other if required, but only from a gallery driven in accordance with paragraph (*a*).

(*f*) Manholes not exceeding 6 feet in height by 3 feet in width by 4 feet in depth may be made where required by any rule made under the Indian Mines Act.

(*g*) The above restrictions apply to Nos. 12 and 11 seams only and to the area edged with pink on the plan, and the K. M. Selected Coal Company shall give notice, under section IV of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of their intention to work any other seam under the above area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land, and that in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L.A.M.A. No. 105 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5141P.—The 1st September 1908.—It is hereby notified that the proclamation No. 2057P, dated the 7th July 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, regarding the quartering of an additional police force in the marginally-noted villages, in the district of Khulna, will take effect from the 7th July 1908 the date on which the additional police force was entertained.

Khulna.

1. Jhapsa.
2. Tilak.
3. Amdabaz.
4. Pathorghatta.
5. Khajura.
6. Ballavpur.
7. Elaipur.
8. Kharabad.
   Toothpara.
10. Bighai.
11. Baniakhamar.
12. Mathabhanga.
13. Bagmara.
14. Syamgunge.
15. Solakura.
16. Kumarkhali.
17. Godaikhali.
18. Jahajghata.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th August 1908.

No. 162.—Mr. D. R. G. Turnbull, Honorary Assistant Engineer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Second Calcutta to the Brickfields Division, which he joined on the 8th August 1908.

The 1st September 1908.

No. 164.—The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department is republished for information:—

No. 134, dated the 22nd August 1908.—Mr. A. R. Kalberer, Examiner of Accounts, attached to the office of the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Bengal, is granted, under articles 233, 260 and 316 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and twenty-four days and special leave on urgent private affairs for the remaining period, with effect from the 12th October 1908, or subsequent date.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 31st August 1908.

No. 163.—Mr. M. J. Scobie, Chief Engineer and Secretary to this Government in the Roads and Buildings Branch, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and sixteen days, combined with furlough, under articles 233 (*i*) and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months and fourteen days, with effect from the 19th September 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5864A.

No. 5716A.—The 28th August 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Suresh Chandra Deb, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Banka, Bhagalpur, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Bhagalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU PROSONA KUMAR GHOSAL has been placed in charge of the Balasore Treasury from the 24th August 1908, and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries, *vice* Babu Mon Mohan Roy.

B. C. SEN, *Collector.*

BALASORE, *the 24th August 1908.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following rule having been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT,
The 26th August 1908.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

It is ordered that the following rule be inserted after Rule VII, Part II, Chapter XIII, page 85, of "The Rules of the High Court, Calcutta, Appellate Side," published in Part I, pages 1523 to 1583 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th November 1902:—

VIII. In cases in which an accused person makes an application to the High Court for the transfer of his case from one Court to another, the accused person, or the Vakil or Counsel acting on his behalf, shall file with the application a duplicate copy of the notice

given to the Legal Remembrancer in accordance with the provisions of section 526, clause (6) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and such notice must bear the signature of a responsible officer in the office of the Legal Remembrancer, acknowledging receipt of the notice and noting the time of receipt.

The 14th August 1908.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following rule having been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT,)
The 26th August 1908.)

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

It is ordered that the following Rule be substituted for Rule V, Part II, Chapter XIII, page 85 of "The Rules of the High Court, Calcutta, Appellate Side," published in Part 1, pages 1523 to 1583 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th November 1902:—

V. In cases in which the correctness, legality or propriety of the finding, sentence, or final order of a Criminal Court is under consideration by a Division Court for the purposes of Revision, no copy of the record of the Evidence shall be made for the use of the Division Court, unless the Division Court shall specially direct this to be done.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

The 17th June 1908.

General Letter No. 4.

To

THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE OF

Dated Calcutta, the 27th August 1908.

SIR,

I AM directed to forward for your information and guidance, and for communication to the Subordinate Criminal Courts of your district copies of the rules which have been framed by this Court regarding Mukhtars' clerks.

HIGH COURT. ENGLISH DEPARTMENT. [Criminal.]

2. The attention of the Court has recently been drawn to the unsatisfactory condition of affairs which has resulted in certain instances from an excessive number of persons attending the local Courts, under the pretext that they are Mukhtars' clerks. It has also been brought to the notice of the Court that the powers of District Magistrates in regard to the control of this nuisance are not as clearly defined as is desirable. The Court trust that the rules now issued will be sufficient to meet the evil.

3. I am to request that you will be so good as to state in your next Annual Report, the way in which the rules have worked during the period they have been in force in your district.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

Rules regarding Mukhtars' clerks.

1. The District Magistrate at head-quarter stations, and such Court at out-stations as the District Magistrate may direct, shall maintain a register of all clerks employed by the Mukhtars practising at those places, showing their names, residences and the date on which they were registered as clerks of the Mukhtar by whom they are now employed.

2. On or before the date on which these rules come into force, all Mukhtars practising in the subordinate Courts shall file a statement of the names and addresses of the clerks employed by them and shall report any changes as they occur. The certificates required by rule 4 shall be furnished in regard to the persons whose names are reported for registration under this rule.

3. No Mukhtar shall employ more than one clerk at one and the same time, without the express permission of the District Magistrate, or such officer as the District Magistrate shall authorise to grant such permission.

4. A Mukhtar, desiring to employ as a clerk any person not in his employ at the date these rules come into force, shall state in his application that such person is a fit and proper person to be so employed, and that he will be employed *bonâ fide*, in his own service, for the purposes of his legal business.

5. These rules will come into force on the 1st of November 1908.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following rule amending the Rules as to the qualifications, admissions, &c., of Pleaders and Mukhtears in Courts subordinate to the High Court, having been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in the exercise of the power vested in it by section 6 of the Legal Practitioners' Act, XVIII of 1879, is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
CIVIL.
The 27th August 1908.

Rule No. of 1908.

Cancel clause (*a*) of Rule 6, as amended by Rule No. 1 of 1908, Chapter XI, page 263 of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, and *substitute* therefor the following:—

(*a*) Such lectures must be attended either at o e of the colleges affiliated in Law to the Calcutta University, or at such other centres as the High Court may prescribe: or in the case of candidates who are natives of the Assam Valley or of the Surma Valley and Hill districts divisions, or of the Garo Hills, and who are restricted to practising within the Garo Hill districts or the Commissionerships of the Assam Valley and the Surma Valley and Hill districts, at one of such colleges or at the regular course of lectures delivered by the Lecturer in Law specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the purpose of delivering lectures to Pleadership candidates and the attendance must be for a period of not less than two academical years; in the case of such last-mentioned candidates after passing the Entrance Examination of the University of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, the Punjab or Allahabad, and in the case of all other candidates after passing any one of the other examinations referred to in clause (*a*) of Rule 5.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned Mukhtar having withdrawn the security deposited by him under the rules of the Court has ceased to be a Mukhtar of the High Court on its Appellate Side. His certificate has been cancelled and his name removed from the Roll:—

Name.	No. in the Register.
Woomesh Chandra Ghatak.	95 of 1883.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
CIVIL,
The 27th August 1908.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned Mukhtar having withdrawn the security deposited by him under the rules of the Court has ceased to be a Mukhtar of the High Court on its Appellate Side. His certificate has been cancelled and his name removed from the Roll:—

Name.	No. in the Register.
Nand Kishore Lall.	28 of 1883.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT
(CIVIL),
The 29th August 1908.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 25th August 1908.—Babu Kunja Behari Ray, B.A., Third Assistant to the Bengali Translator to Government (class VI), having returned to duty on the 5th August 1908, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 6th June 1908, of which he availed himself from the 2nd June 1908, is cancelled.

Pending the appointment of a permanent successor, Babu Gonesh Chandra Ghosh is appointed temporarily to be Teacher of Modern English in the Ranchi Industrial School on a salary of Rs. 60 a month in class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 29th June 1908.

The 26th August 1908.—Maulvi Sayyid Shah Saidul Alam is appointed, on probation for one year, to be an Assistant Maulvi in the Arabic Department of the Calcutta Madrasah and substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 14th July 1908, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Ghani, deceased.

Babu Janaki Nath Chatterji, a Clerk in the office of the Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division (class VIII), is allowed leave for seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of that already granted to him under the orders of the 31st July 1908.

Babu Ananta Prasad Gupta, B.A., is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Cuttack and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 11th February 1908.

The orders of 18th June 1908, granting Babu Debendra Nath Banerji, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Murshidabad (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th July 1908, or such subsequent date as he might avail himself of it, are cancelled.

The 27th August 1908.—Babu Sureswari Prasad, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, on probation in the district of Shahabad (substantively *pro tempore* class VIII), was absent on leave under article 359 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month from the 24th June 1908.

Babu Nageswar Dayal, an Inspecting Pandit in the Shahabad district, acted as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in that district and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sureswari Prasad.

The 28th August 1908.—Mrs. Suralabala Mitra, B.A., Assistant Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School (class VI), having returned to duty on the 24th August 1908, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to her under the orders of the 23rd August 1905 is cancelled.

Babu Atul Chandra Chaudhuri, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Midnapore (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave without allowances under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months from the 1st September 1908.

Babu Gostha Bihari Das, clerk, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore (class III of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Midnapore and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Atul Chandra Chaudhuri, on leave.

The 29th August 1908.—Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Abdul Quddoos, Head Maulvi of the Purnea Zilla School (class VIII), is appointed to be Head Maulvi of the Dumka Zilla School, *vice* Maulvi Vilayet Ali, transferred.

The following arrangements are sanctioned:—

(1) Babu Hari Das Chakravarti, M.A., an Assistant Master in the Hindu School (clas VI), is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Ranchi Industrial School on his own grade pay, *vice* Babu Jyotis Chandra Mukerjee, transferred to Eastern Bengal and Assam.

(2) Babu Suresh Chandra Mukerjee, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Palamau Zilla School (class VII), is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Hindu School on his own grade pay, *vice* Babu Hari Das Chakravarti, transferred.

(3) Babu Umapati Datta Sharma, B.A., temporary Hindi and Urdu Teacher of the Hare School on a salary of Rs. 35 a month, outside the grades, is appointed, on probation for one year, to be an Assistant Master in the Palamau Zilla School, *vice* Babu Suresh Chandra Mukerji, transferred.

He is also appointed substantively *pro tempore* to class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service, in the vacancy caused by the transfer of Babu Jyotis Chandra Mukerjee to Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Babu Bhagwat Prasad Bohidar is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Sambalpur and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 5th July 1908.

The 1st September 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Emran, an Assistant Master, in the Bankura Zilla School (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed temporarily as a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Midnapore and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Maulvi Syed Maqbuluddin Alavi, resigned.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that for the ensuing half-yearly departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others to be held at 11 A.M. on the 21st October 1908 and the two following days, a Local Examination Committee will be convened in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at No. 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, for the conduct of the examination of officers employed in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

M. N. GHOSH, for *Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th August 1908*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the second half-yearly Departmental Examination during 1908 of Assistant and Deputy Magistrates and Sub-Deputy Collectors in the Regulation and non-Regulation districts and of the officers of the Police, Medical Forest and Public Works Departments in the districts of the Orissa Division will be held at Cuttack in the office of the Commissioner of the Orissa Division on Wednesday, the 21st October 1908, and the two following days. The examination will begin at 11 A.M. on each day.

E. V. LEVINGE, *Commissioner, Orissa Division*.

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 28th August 1908*.

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on Saturday the 8th August 1908, Babu Chirkut Ram was duly elected a Commissioner of the Siwan Municipality, in the district of Saran, *vice* Babu Harak Narain, resigned.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Addl. Commissioner of Patna*.

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 22nd August 1908*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on Saturday, the 8th August 1908, Maulvi Shah Athar Hosain was duly elected a Commissioner in Ward No. IV of the Sasaram Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, *vice* Maulvi Sirdar Sher Mir Jehan, resigned.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Addl. Commissioner of Patna*.

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 26th August 1908*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 31st October 1908, is fixed as the date for holding a bye-election in Ward No. IV of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to elect a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Amrita Lal Mittra, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th August 1908*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held, on the 15th August 1908, in Ward No. IV of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, Babu Braja Nath Sukul, a pensioner, has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Basanta Kumar Chatterjee, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 29th August 1908*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held on the 3rd August 1908 in Ward No. VI of the Jangipur Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, Babu Harish Chandra Das has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Paresh Nath Das, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Personal Asst.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the Notification published at page 1041, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th June 1907, it is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Jharsogra, in the district of Sambalpur :—

1. The Civil Surgeon, Sambálpur.
2. Maulvi Abdus Samad Khan.
3. Seth Janaki Das.
4. Babu Lal Madhukar Sai, Zamindar of Rajpur.
5. Ramjosh Marwari, Merchant.
6. Balki Padhi, Gountia of Bhurkamunda.
7. Usat Ram Tiwari, Manager of Kalabira Estate.
8. Babu Baktwar Singh, Zamindar of Rampur.

E. V. LEVINGE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 27th August 1908.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 29th August 1908.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 25th August 1908.

No. 1956.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), to make the following addition to clause (9) (*h*) of paragraph I of the notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 518, dated the 6th March 1879, as amended by subsequent notifications:—

Shahzada Basdeo Singh, residing in the Rae Bareli District of the United Provinces.

JUDICIAL.

The 28th August 1908.

No. 1114.—The services of Mr. A. E. Ryves, Barrister-at-Law, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces, with effect from the 28th August 1908.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 28th August 1908.

No. 347 I.C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and by section 22 of the Indian Extradition Act, 1903 (XV of 1903), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the cancellation of rule 8 of the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 1862I.-A., dated the 13th May, 1904, as amended by Notifications Nos. 1727I.-A., dated the 12th May, 1905, and 395-I.C., dated the 24th January, 1908.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 26th August 1908.

No. 7991—7.—In exercise of the power conferred by sections 8-A and 8-B of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the duties leviable in pursuance of the said sections shall be remitted, with effect from the 1st September 1908, in respect of sugar produced in Russia, provided that such sugar is imported into British India—

(*a*) direct from the country of production; or

(*b*) through another country which is also a party to the Brussels Sugar Convention of 1902, without having been transhipped at, or unloaded in, or carried through, any country which is not a party to the said Convention; and provided also that it is accompanied by a certificate of origin, such as is required in respect of sugar produced in other countries which are parties to the Brussels Sugar Convention of 1902.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

Simla, the 28th August 1908.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 727.—Second-Lieutenant Cecil Howard Cody to be Lieutenant, to complete the establishment. Dated 1st April 1908.

Frederick Taylor Campbell to be Second-Lieutenant, to complete the establishment. Dated 1st July 1908.

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Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 729.—Lieutenant Charles Orchertoun Siddons Skeaf to be Captain, *vice* Wight-Boycott, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 25th April 1908.

A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1419L.S.-G.—The 27th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Amirta Shekhar Mukharji has been elected by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Murshidabad, to be a member of the Murshidabad District Board, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Alim, deceased.

Murshidabad.

No. 1421M.—The 27th August 1908.—Whereas a notification No. 887M., dated the 16th April 1908, was published at page 61, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 22nd idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to increase the number of Commissioners of the Asansol Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, from 10 to 12, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within six weeks from the date of publication of the said notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by clause 2 of section 9A of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Asansol Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the number of Commissioners of the said Municipality shall be fixed at twelve.

Burdwan.

No. 1441M.—The 27th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Garulia Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24 Parganas.

Mr. R. N. Band.	Babu Manmatha Nath Chatarji.
,, A. Peter.	,, Thakur Das Banarji.
,, S C. Donald.	Kali Sahai Banarji.
,, W. Govan.	Rajani Nath Ghosh.
Maulvi Abdul Saiyid Khan.	,, Bama Charan Chatarji.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act Mr. R. N. Band to be Chairman of the Municipality.

No. 1457M.—The 29th August 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 86 (*a*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Lohardaga Municipality, in the district of Ranchi, made at a meeting, to sanction the levy by the Commissioners of the said Municipality of a tax, under section 121 of the Act, on carriages and on horses and other animals specified in the fifth schedule of the Act, which are kept or are used in the ordinary course of business within, or which are let for hire within or without, the Municipality and are used in the ordinary course of business within the Municipality, at rates not exceeding those mentioned in the said schedule, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Ranchi.

No. 1459M.—The 29th August 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, of Mr. H. E. Spry, I.C.S., to be their Chairman, *vice* Mr. A. H. Wathen, resigned.

Darjeeling.

No. 1462L.S.-G.—The 31st August 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, in the exercise of the power conferred on him by section 60 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, to extend the provisions of section 100, clause (3) of the said Act, to the District Boards of Hazaribagh, Ranchi, Palamau and Manbhum.

Hazaribagh.
Ranchi.
Palamau.
Manbhum.

No. 1464L.S.-G.—The 31st August 1908.—Mr. C. F. W. Allcard is appointed to be a member of the Branch Road Committee, Kurseong, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Mr. W. S. Weston.

Darjeeling.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee having previously given notice of their intention, and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on each side of Hazra Road between Panditia Road and Balligunge Circular Road, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 5th June 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 26th August 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee having previously given notice of their intention, and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on each side of Nawab Abdul Latif Lane between Ripon Lane and European Asylum Lane, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 5th June 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 26th August 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY 1909.

1. The next Vernacular Mastership Examination for Bengal will be held on the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 11th, and 12th of January 1909.

2. The examination will be held at the Training Schools at Calcutta and Hooghly, and at the Church Missionary Society's Training School, Krishnagar.

3. *Bonâ-fide* teachers who have passed the necessary preliminary examinations, will be admitted to the examination on payment of a fee of Re. 1, which must be sent to the Head Master of the Training School at which the candidate desires to be examined on or before the 7th November 1908.

4. These candidates will be examined in all the subjects prescribed for students of Training Schools, information about which will be furnished by the Head Masters of those schools on application.

Teachers who passed the Vernacular Mastership Examinations in the old course, may be examined in any or all of the following newly-revised groups of subjects for the Vernacular Mastership Examination :—

Elementary Science.
Drawing and Practical Geometry.
Art of Teaching and Kindergarten.
Manual work and Drill.

Teachers who hold first-grade certificates awarded under the old course, must take the examination which is prescribed in these subjects for candidates for first-grade certificates; similarly teachers who hold second-grade certificates under the old course, must take the examination which is prescribed in these subjects for candidates for second-grade certificates.

5. Lists of examinees, whether students of Training Schools or *bonâ-fide* teachers, must be submitted by Head Masters of Training Schools direct to the undersigned, so as to reach him on or before 9th November 1908. The fees received from *bonâ-fide* teachers must also be sent to the Treasury, and the *chalans* sent to this office along with the applications.

6. The current session of Training Schools will as a special case end on the 31st January 1909, and the new session will begin on the 1st February 1909. Students of the 2nd-year classes who get stipends, will accordingly get their stipends up to the 31st January 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal

CALCUTTA,
The 17th August 1908.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June
To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine, and
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 13th July 1907.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

RESULTS OF THE VERNACULAR TEACHERSHIP EXAMINATION, 1908.

JUNIORS—HINDI.

Serial No.	Name of candidate.	Name of Institution.	Class
	Mona Gomez	Baptist Zenana Mission Training class, Bankipore.	II
	Annie Maud	Ditto ditto	II
	Somni ...	Ditto ditto	II

BANKIPORE,
The 25th August 1908.

M. HONEYBURNE,
Inspectress of Schools, Patna, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that upon the result of the next Entrance Examination in the year 1909 being made known, the nine third grade junior scholarships allotted to the Bhagalpur Division will be distributed as follows:—

Monghyr	2
Bhagalpur	2
Purnea	2
Sonthal Parganas	2
Darjeeling	1
Total ...	9

E. H. C. WALSH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 29th August 1908.*

NOTICE.

THE following candidates were successful in passing the examination for Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the Indian Mines Act, 1901, held at Asansol on the 5th, 6th and 7th August 1908:—

FIRST CLASS.

(Names in order of merit.)

Babu Narendra Nath Sircar.
Mr. A. I. Mitchell.
H. Adamson.
Babu Ronesh Chandra Dass.
Mr. G. K. Mitchell.
„ E. G. Nash.

SECOND CLASS.

(Names in order of merit.)

Babu Tarak Nath Mukerjee.
Mr. A. A. Dennis Jones.
„ R. W. Malcolm.
H. M. Cox.
Mr. F. E. Lethorn.
„ Mohommed Osman Ghain.
„ T. G. Powell.
Babu Ashutosh Dutta.
Babu Jhaverilal K. Dholakia.

H. B. PERIE,
For *Chief Inspector of Mines in India.*

CALCUTTA, *the 29th August 1908.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

THE Syndicate of the Calcutta University have been asked by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam to nominate two Graduates from among the distinguished M.A.'s of 1907 and the distinguished B.A.'s and B.Sc.'s of 1908, domiciled in that Province, for appointment to the Provincial Civil Service of Government in 1908.

Applications from candidates who satisfy the above conditions, with certificates of age, physical fitness and moral character, are hereby invited before the 15th September 1908. *Pass* B.A.'s and *Pass* B.Sc.'s need not apply.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 31st August 1908.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA will deliver his next two lectures on English Constitutional History on Thursday, the 3rd, and Friday, the 4th September next, at the Senate House, College Square, at 3-30 P.M. on both days.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 1st September 1908.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Birbhum, will be put up to sale at the Birbhum Collectorate, on Friday, the 4th September 1908, corresponding with 19th Bhadra 1315 B. S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs.	
349	Jalkar Hat Ikra, pargana Alinagore	.....	3	
351	Jalkar Gonutia, pargana Ichhapukhuria	186 acres	10	

Birbhum Collector's Office, the 20th July 1908.

FAZL-EL-HUQ, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the brick-field near Adra-Midnapur-Jharia Extension, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Thursday, the 24th September 1908, corresponding with the 8th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Raghunathpur Dâk Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Banchas, mauza Digtila.	346 and 347	South of the Railway line.	25 12 10	8 1 35·71	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once

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Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria. mauza Jharria.	174½ in sheet No. 4.	West of the Railway line.	8 5 10	2·74	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jheria Coal line, siding No. 1, Messrs. Khanga & Co, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

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4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile in which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Barnagarh.	130 to 131, sheet No. 5.	South and north side of the Railway line.	9 3 11·50	3 0 5·87	.....	.....	...	
2	Ditto ...	Jharria pargana, Gopalchak mauza.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7 12 13	2 2 4 13	.....	.....	...	
		Total ..	.....	.....	16 16 8·50	5 2 10				

Land Acquisition Office, Manbhum, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jealgora siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 22nd September 1908, corresponding with the 6th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

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5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Bhulanbarri.	177½	South of the railway line.	7 7 0	2·43	.....	.....	...	
		Total ...	.....	.....	7 7 0	2·43				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

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4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, village Paddogora.	Between miles 135-137.	On the north side of the Railway line.	12 15 5	4 1 1	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 8·77	3 1 27	A plot 100×100' required for pump-house, etc.	0 0 37	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Muchiarah.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...	.....	.....	24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

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Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Ladur.	176¾ sheet No. 6.	West of the Railway line	0 16 16	0·28	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, mauza Paddiadih.	Ditto ...	East of the Railway line.	2 15 9	0·92	.....	.....	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	176¾ sheet No. 7.	Ditto ...	3 11 7	1·18	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...	.....	.....	.....	2·38				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 7th September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
951	Tajpore, pargana Bal ...	1,024 14 4	.....	Ijarali Tajpore, 10as. 8p. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mussamat Tetara Kuer, mother and guardian of Radha Kishun Prasad and others.	683 4 3	.. .	59 4 6
2131	Hasanpur Kutlupur Rampur or Hasanpur Kutlupur Rampur Sadawa, pargana Dangsi.	624 5 1	Entire ...	...	Mussamat Rani Ram Kawal Kuer and others.	...	59 10 1	.....
2170	Niyamatpur or Niyamatpur Bhatauli, pargana Dangsi.	2,000 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Babu Harihar Inder Sahi *alias* Hira Sahib and others.	.....	218 9 9	.....

Chapra, the 8th August 1908.

MOHAMMAD SADIQ, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
17	Kagas, pargana Mooreswar sabek.	17,182 13 0	.....	Residuary share :— 8 ganda 3 cora 5 canti share of mauza Amdahara chuk, Alalbandi, Ishabpur, Ishanpur *alias* Ichakpur, Uttarmath chuk, Ekuti, Kolyanpur, Sagas, Karticgunge, Kaipur, Kuchunghata, Kusumjatra kismat, Kusalpur, Krishnapur, Khatiepur, Khagra chuk, Khirun, Chandpur, Jamkola, Jalla, Jhikardaha chuk, Thakurgram chuk, kismat, Tikardaha, ilpara chuk, Dari-baie-jami-baje-apti, Dholagaon chuk, Dhubajol, Nawapara, Nanas chuk, Nirsha, Patkpara, Pargaon, Piashala, Bihara chuk, Beha, Bipra-salgora, Buichu chuk, Bhagabatipur, Moydipur, Malbaty, Mahabatpur chuk, Mohidipur chuk, Mohespur, Mahgaon chuk, Metary, Rasulgunj, Raiballav chuk, Ropadihi, Salgorya, Sibpur, Solamath, Harikora, Harispur, Hazrapur and 3 anna 3 cara 1 kanti share of mauzas Bansra and Bahadurgunj excepting separate account Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Asu Tosh Mukerjee and others.	719 15 2	.....	194 14 10

Birbhum Collectorate, the 10th August 1908.

R. A. N. SINGH, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Purnea will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
38 Rs	Patsana Kankjole, pargana Kankjole.	Rs. A. P. 19,913 7 0	No ...	9 annas. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rudra Nand Thakur, Tirtha Nand Thakur, Kobda Nand Thakur, Daya Nand Thakur, Pirthi Chand Lal, Janakkishori Thakurani, Janardon Prosad and Durga Prosad Thakurs.	Rs. A. P. 11,201 5 0	Rs. A. P. ...	Rs. A. P. 508 15 5
1284	Ashja, pargana Ashja	4,642 10 7	Yes, 16 annas.	... ..	Giri Nand Thakur, Gaja Nand Thakur, B. Janardon Prosad Thakur, Mostt. Janakkishori Thakurani, Rudra Nanda Thakur, Kobda Nand Thakur and Daya Nand Thakur.	...	450 8 7	...
1298	Tira Khardah, pargana Tira Khardah.	2,413 12 0½	Ditto ...	.....	B. Kamla Nand Singh and B. Kalika Nand Singh.	...	255 15 8	...

Purnea Collectorate, the 11th August 1908.

S. K. MUKHARJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Permanently-settled estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
336	Bisthazari, pargana Bisthazari.	61,809 11 0	...	Ijmali	Baijnath Goenka and others.	4,313 4 0	...	3,229 0 9
336	Ditto ...	61,809 11 0	...	S. A. 103 of Isa Khan, etc.	Jaimangal Singh and others.	605 1 0	...	78 5 6
336	Ditto ...	61,809 11 0	...	A. G. 1. Talsaharsa .. ... 8 5 2. Adhari ... 8 5 3. Bhagwana ... ... 8 5 4. Khokuna ... ... 8 5 5. Boria Bandh ... 8 5 6. Jamoon ... ... 8 5 7. Amra h Nim-Nawada. 7 14 8. Bardokhar Orana 3 12½ S. A. 185 of Beni Singh and others. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Girwardhari Lal and others.	1,249 11 0	...	4,161 15 0
139	Rasulpur Bhatowni, pargana Pharkia.	910 15 0	...	12 annas ijmali share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mosst. Anupwati and others.	854 0 0	...	51 0 9
315	Sihanwan Qarari, pargana Malki.	1,120 7 0	...	Ijmali	Kali Prasad Singh and others.	587 15 0	...	73 3 6
1162	Taluqa Ram Nathpur Panzdah Nim Anna and Bishanpur Peremanandpur Terah Nim anna, pargana Masjidpur.	2,790 8 0	...	3a. 2g. 1c. 2kt. 2dt. 16rn. 1p. ijmali share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosst. Bibi Sayida and Bibi Hulshi under the guardianship of Bibi Raisa and others.	544 6 0	...	107 13 3
				Temporarily-settled estate.				
9487	Rahatpur, Arazi Rahatpur, pargana Malki (Rahatpur Register D.	623 10 0	...	13a. 15g. 6c. 8d. as per S. A. re o.d. Ijmali. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ghanshyam Singh and others.	536 9 0	...	26 1 2

Monghyr, the 13th August 1908.

H. F. SAMMAN, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the siding No. 1, Ghoorkhuntee-Bhowrah Branch, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 26th October 1908, corresponding with the 10th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Jharia pargana, Ghoorkhuntee village.	Miles 3 and 4 of the Bhowra Branch.	South of the railway line.	21 10 1·78	7 0 17·44	.....	.....		

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Hariharpur-Dhanbaid Section, Gaya-Barakar Project, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Thursday, the 29th October 1908, corresponding with the 13th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbaid Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each plot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acres.		
1	Manbhum	Jherria pargana, Dhanbaid village.	At mile 120 of the main line.	South of the main line.	25 0 6	7·61	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894, Manbhum

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
271	Taraf Bansi-Badanpur, pargana Luskarpur.	2,246 5 8	Whole estate.	.....	1. Rani Sarna Moyee Debya (proprietress) of Putiya, thana Valukgachi in Rajshahi. 2. Girish Narain Rai (proprietor) of Srimantapur, thana Dewansarai, and others.	.....	Revenue— 4 6 7 Cesses (Maldah)— 35 1 2 39 7 9	.....
397	Rasulpur, pargana Sherpur.	2,516 4 6	.....	5a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. ejmali	Chowdhury Buzlur Rahim Aoul Mustafa of Salar, thana Bharathpur. Chowdhury Ehasanul Huq of Margram, thana Rampurhat in Birbhum, and others.	851 13 9	.....	Revenue 0 8 6
561	Char Kantalia, pargana Fatesing.	1,325 0 0	Whole estate.	.....	Dwijendra Narain Ray of Jemna, thana Kandi (proprietor and farmer). Manobendra Narain Ray and others of Bardanga, thana Kandi, (proprietors and farmers).	.....	Revenue— 73 8 10 Cesses— 6 5 10 79 14 8	.....

Berhampur, the 12th August 1908.

M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
62	Ramjangal, pargana Mandalghat.	19,342 4 9	.....	esidiary share consisting of as. share of the estate.	R. Belchambers, Esq., Administrator, *pendente lite* to the estate of late Babu Gopal Lall Seal of Calcutta.	8,407 4 9	.....	113 11 2
4682	Kalupukuria, pargana Jahanabad.	13,526 1 1	.....	Residuary share consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesna, Ghosepur, Debkhanda, Basantapore, Mamudpore, kt. Joykristopore.	Behari Lall Rai and seven others.	2,253 9 5	.....	141 15 2
4682 B	Pitto ..	13,526 1 1	.....	Separate account marked "B" consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesna, Ghosopore, Debkhanda, Basantapur, Mamudpore, kt. Joykristopore.	Barodasundari Dassi and five others.	2,254 8 0	.....	290 4 5
4865	Sheikpore, pargana Baira.	10,437 9 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of the estate.	Abinash Chandra Ghose.	1,735 2 8	.....	227 2 11
4869	Dewa land of Damoder River, mauza Lar Gorchumbuk, pargana Arsha.	522 0 0	16as. share	.....	Suresh Chandra Mukherjee.	.....	522 0 0	.....
4889	Damoder chor land, mauza Alipore, pargana Mandalghat.	3,021 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Manik Lall Seal and others of Calcutta.	.....	4,532 0 0	.....

Hooghly Collectorate, the 14th August 1908.

B. DE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1908 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2760	Bharondha, pargana Kutumba.	708 9 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Rampur ... 16 2. Bharondha ... 16 3. Kahuli dakhli Bharondha ... 16 4. Mirzapur ... 16 5. Bagahi *alias* Jarahi 16 6. Rafanpura ... 16 7. Parsarmoin ... 16 8. Paras Khajuria ... 8 9. Kandhwa ... 16 10. Sareya ... 16	Raghubans Pratap Singh and others.	639 9 0	.....	3 7 6
4284	Sughri garandi Wagairah, pargana Pachrukhi.	2,034 6 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Bhadaur ... 16 2. Karsona ... 16 3. Tinli Khurd ... 16 4. Arhar ... 8	Musst. Ram Koer *alias* Lacho Koer and others.	943 7 0	.....	340 14 0
4579	Jaipur Dumrawan and Shahar Khas, pargana Sherghatti.	4,858 8 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, consisting of— As. 1. Dewhar Khap ... 2 2. Pear Khap ... 2	Seyed Nooruddin Ahmad Bakhi.	827 0 0	.....	353 4 0
4580	Ditto ...	4,858 8 0	.....	Separate account No. I, consisting of— As. P. 1. Jaitur Dumrawn 5 4 2. Bagha Khap ... 5 4 3. Badar Khap ... 5 4 4. Yari Khap ... 5 4 5. Deoghar Khap ... 5 4 6. Ibrampur ... 5 4 7. Hardia ... 5 4 8. Kolhua ... 5 4 9. Makhdumpur ... 5 4 10. Sahdeo Khap ... 5 4 11. Basri Khap ... 5 4 12. Aishdanpur *alias* Pandoul ... 5 4 13. Ambadih ... 5 4 14. Sagaria ... 5 4 15. Doudpur *alias* Pandoul ... 5 4	Sheikh Nazir Ali and others.	821 15 0	.....	271 3 0
4758	Tarwan taluqa, pargana Sherghatti.	2,303 5 0	Entire ...	.....	Musst. Bhawani Koer	.....	303 12 0	.....
6940	Adopur, pargana Kabar.	1,198 0 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares to the extent of 10 annas.	Paravag Singh and others.	718 12 0	.....	65 2 6

Gaya Collectorate, the 15th August 1908. T. S. MACPHERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Jessore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1908 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5075	Benapole, p. Mulghar.	.....	No	Share XI, 2a. 7x. 2c. ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mati Lal Nag and others.	581 6 7	.....	13 15 8

Jessore Collectorate, the 12th August 1908. D. DATTA, *for* Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 2 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share or shares are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 R. S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Kangonbaria and others.	2,828 3 0	.....	Excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 3½ct., remaining 4a. 5g. 2k. 5½dt. share in all the mauzas except mauzas Chetla and Alipore.	Romanath Burmon ...	738 9 4	.....	46 7 11
5-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Laskarpore and others.	8,189 3 0	.....	Excluding 10a. share remaining 6a. share.	Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhri.	3,168 6 11½	.....	258 11 10
8-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpia.	3,480 1 0	.....	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,306 11 5½	.....	65 10 6
10	Pargana Magura, kismat Chetla and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry and others.	.....	26 13 10	.....
36	Pargana Magura, mauza Dhapamanpore.	741 13 0	Ditto ...	.....	S. M. Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhry.	.....	167 1 4	.....
101	Pargana Magura, kismat Shapore and others.	1,076 3 6	Ditto ...	.....	Kumar Monmotho Nath Mitter.	.....	63 3 9	.....
315-11	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Raghunathpore.	10,199 4 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 1 g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Kali Krishna Chakravarti	716 9 0	.....	134 11 11
323 R. S.	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Kantapukuria and others.	1,038 5 9	...	Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k 2kt. share, remaining 10a. 14g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Romu Prosad Ray Chowdhry and others.	662 3 10	.....	26 1 9
326	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Bistoopore and others.	2,143 3 0	.....	Excluding 8a share, remaining 8a. share.	Jotindra Nath Ray Chowdhry and others.	1,212 2 2½	.....	86 0 1½
385-9	Pargana Azimabad and others Hunarash khali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramuri.	Kali Krishna Chakravati ...	1,362 8 7½	.....	142 12 5
437	Pargana Panchakuli, Abad Simulberia and others.	560 3 6	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry.	.....	47 8 8	.....

Alipore, the 14th August 1908.

A. MOOKERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1908 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8939	Nowri Chaturi Singh, pargana Turiani.	600 6 3	Entire ...	.....	Lalji Lall and others ...	.....	17 0 2	.....
				Temporarily-settled estate.				
11920 / K. S.	Sukwarpur, pargana Hajipur.	2,048 0 0	.....	Residuary share 14a. 19d. 1c. 5b. 13⅓ph. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	B. Nand Keswar Lall and others.	1,014 1 0	.....	9 0 1

Muzaffarpur, the 4th August 1908.

ROWLAND CHANDRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1908 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
330	Mehal Durgapore, 2a. 5g. share, ph. Bircool.	1,686 8 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Chowdhurani Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	567 0 2	.....
1101	M. Kia, ph. Kurulchore.	503 2 7	Do. ..	.....	Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	54 13 0	.....
				Government Khas Mehal.				
2896	Aima Haridars, ph. Balarampore.	638 10 0	Entire ..	.....	Kisori Mohan Mitra and three others ...	.....	49 8 9	.....

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908. D. WESTON, Collector.

Notification of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859 [read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868], that the undermentioned tenures or shares of tenures in estate Kothdesh, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th September 1908 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

No. of tenure.	Name of tenure mahal, and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole tenure.		Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		REMARKS.
		Rent.	Cess.				Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	
310 319	Sarato Sason ...	Rs. 636	Rs. A. P. 37 9 3	Whole ...	.....	Chowdhury Chandrasekhar Das and others.	.....		Rs. A. P. 223 9 3	Rs. A. P. 13 2 4	.....		

Puri Collectorate, the 4th August 1908. A. B. MAITRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th September 1908 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
12595	Baghaut, pargana Gopalpur.	589 8 3	Whole ...	.....	Mussammat Manjhari Kuer.	.....	139 10 9	.....

Laheriaserai, the 13th August 1908. DURGA PRASAD, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bettiah-Bagaha Railway, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Saturday, the 17th October 1908, corresponding with the 8th Kartik 1316 Fusli at the Narkatiganj Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Hardia, pargana Majhowa.	23	South ...	7 14 4	2 2 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land of Bettiah-Bagaha Extension. *East*—Ditto ditto. *South*—Rup Kaun, Prithwi Nath Misra, Naresh Tewari and Sam Behari Missir. *West*—Sam Behari Misir.
2	Ditto ...	Mauza Shikarpur, pargana Majhowa.	23	Do. ...	2 8 6	0 3 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *East*—Ditto. *South*—Sathi Factory land. *West*—Railwayland.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Patahi Branch of the Dhaka Canal, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, corresponding with the 4th Kartik 1316 Fusli, at the Chainpur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Malcoma, pargana Semrown.	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 0 8	.....	.....	.....	*East*—Patahi Branch, Dhaka Canal. *North*—Motia Diversion. *West*—Mango tope of Chetharu Singh, Janki Singh, Rajkumar Singh and Sheo Nandan. *South*—Ditto ditto.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1215 / 526	Asmrpur Raghunath *urf* Kewai, parsana Balia.	607 12 2	Entire ...	.....	Nauratan Lal ...	.....	8 3 6	.....
5225 / 17 / 167	Manaura, pargana Phulwari.	3,702 5 10	.....	Makhdumpur, 16 annas, separate account. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mr. Patric Stephen ...	1,199 11 0	.....	1 3 1

Patna, the 22nd August 1908.

F. W. WARD, Collector of Patna.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1908, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1908 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

auzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Mehal Logun, ph. Shipore.	2,619 5 3	.....	S. A. No. XXII— Mauza—	Sreemati Tilotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	1,376 15 6		150 9 8	Revenue— 150 9 8 Road Cess— 60 10 3 Embankment Cess— 30 2 0

	A.	G.	K.	KG.
Akbarpore ...	10	0	3	0
Aulda ...	7	0	3	0
Barandia ...	10	0	3	0
Bohalja ...	10	0	3	0
Brindabanpore	7	0	3	0
Chaulda ...	6	1	3	0
Dubda ...	10	0	3	0
Dubda Batitaki	10	0	3	0
Dhusurda ...	7	0	3	0
Gobrachak	10	0	3	0
Godeichak ...	7	0	3	0
Gopalpore ...	6	1	3	0
Jagulia ...	10	0	3	0
Canongoebar ...	3	10	1	2
Kanuprojapati Kist	3	10	1	2
Kuarpore ...	10	0	3	0
Kristapore ...	10	0	3	0
Khazda ...	10	0	3	0
Khurutia ...	10	0	3	0
Khodecool	10	0	3	0
Madhab Chandra chak ...	10	0	3	0
Logusn ...	6	1	3	0
Panchrool ...	3	10	1	2
Satkhanda ...	10			
Shiporebar ...	10			
Takapore ...	10			

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st September 1908, corresponding to 5th of Ashin 1315 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid at once

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of petty Government Estates of the Arambagh Subdivision to be sold on the 21st September 1908.

Serial No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Tauzi No.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	Remarks.
			A. R. P. B. K. C.	Rs. A. P.	
1	Kamarhat Nirbhoypur, police-station Khanakul ...	4057	0 1 30 1 6 10	2 5 0	
2	Satberia, police-station Goghat	4232	0 0 32 0 12 3	1 8 0	
3	Bangalpur, police-station Goghat	4358	8 1 32 25 11 1	56 15 0	
4	Gouranga *alias* Mandaran, police-station Khanakul	4589	3 3 3 11 8 3	28 5 0	
5	Chota Dangal *alias* Shambullubpur, police-station Goghat.	4605	3 0 36 9 15 5	9 5 0	
6	Panchra, police-station Goghat	4611	2 0 6 6 3 6	13 14 0	
7	Balarampur, police-station Goghat	4613	3 3 17 12 0 15	27 9 0	
8	Damodarpur, police-station Goghat	4615	0 2 38 2 4 11	4 3 0	
9	Hatbasantapur, police-station Goghat ...	4633	4 1 27 13 7 4	43 0 0	
10	Damodarpur, police-station Goghat	4634	0 3 29 2 16 7	7 1 0	
11	Niranjanbati and Basantabati, police-stations Khanakul and Arambagh.	4636	2 3 15 8 12 1	17 0 0	
12	Choto Dangal and Panchra, police-station Goghat...	4637	2 3 38 9 0 10	18 1 0	
13	Kamchey and Kurmana, police-station Goghat ...	4650	4 0 38 12 16 8	25 5 0	
14	Dighri and Chak Madul, police-stations Goghat and Arambagh.	4656	2 2 26 8 1 3	22 3 0	
15	Kurmana, police-station Goghat	4657	6 0 24 18 11 15	43 9 0	
16	Dwaripur, police-station Goghat	4662	4 3 23 14 16 1	48 10 0	
17	Beurgram, police-station Arambagh	4676	4 1 4 12 18 11	22 10 0	
18	Solepur *alias* Kurmana, police-station Arambagh ...	4693	4 1 15 13 2 14	19 11 6	
19	Betra, police-station Arambagh	4697	5 0 38 15 16 12	38 6 0	
20	Amarpur, police-station Goghat	4700	2 1 15 7 1 12	12 6 0	
21	Balarampur, police-station Goghat	4708	5 3 0 17 7 14	36 15 6	
22	Chak Ghola, police-station Arambagh	4726	1 3 21 5 13 13	17 1 0	
23	Kurmana *alias* Solepur, police-station Goghat ...	4728	3 2 27 11 1 13	19 12 0	
24	Pantahori, police-station Khanakul	4732	0 2 3 1 11 4	5 0 0	
25	Arjungari, police-station Goghat	4737	4 1 31 13 8 13	20 3 0	
26	Chandoor, police-station Arambagh	4739	7 2 15 22 19 8	68 15 0	
27	Bharasola, police-station Goghat	4742	4 0 33 12 14 5	28 10 0	

Serial No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Tauzi No.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P. B. K. C.	Rs. A. P.	
28	Damodarpur, police-station Goghat	4743	1 1 7 3 18 4	4 14 0	
29	Kurmana *alias* Solepur, police-station Goghat ...	4744	1 3 20 5 13 4	9 12 0	
30	Kamchey, police-station Goghat	4745	4 3 15 4 12 15	29 6 0	
31	Panchra, police-station Goghat	4746	1 0 1 3 0 14	3 13 0	
32	Niranjanbati and Basantabati, police-stations Khanakul and Arambagh.	4751	4 2 29 14 3 3	23 14 0	
33	Mirzapur, police-station Goghat	4754	1 3 36 5 19 8	9 0 0	
34	Bhatsala, police-station Arambagh	4788	3 0 7 9 4 4	20 12 0	
35	Mirzapur, police-station Goghat	4807	3 1 12 10 1 1	15 12 0	
36	Seora and Gholepur, police-station Goghat ...	4817	8 1 7 25 1 10	64 12 0	
37	Mominpur, police-station Arambagh	4818	4 1 25 13 11 7	12 12 0	
38	Arjungari and Dumarpara, police-station Goghat ...	4823	7 0 8½ 21 6 12	30 14 0	
39	Gholepur, police-station Khanakul	4150	1 2 32½ 5 2 15	5 7 0	
40	Jajoor, police-station Khanakul	4384	0 2 21 1 18 2	3 13 10	
41	Pantahori, police-station Khanakul	4840	3 0 5 9 3 6	36 11 0	

Chinsurah, the 25th August 1908.

MIRZA SHEGUFTA BUKHT, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st September 1908, corresponding to 5th of Ashin 1315 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force; and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of petty Government estates of the Hooghly Sadar Subdivision to be sold on the 21st September 1908.

Serial No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Tauzi No.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P. B K. C.	Rs. A. P.	
42	Horibati, thana Pandua	1998	0 3 14 2 10 10	7 4 0	
43	Ditto ditto*	2009	0 0 9 0 3 6	0 8 0	*To be sold revenue-free.
44	Musuria, thana Balagore ...	4071	0 0 19½ 0 7 5	4 13 0	
45	Toregram, thana Pandua ...	4626	1 1 10 3 19 6	20 12 0	
46	Telipara, ditto ...	4640	0 1 7 0 17 12	5 6 0	
47	Guptiparah, thana Balagore ...	4658	0 1 29 1 6 0	2 15 6	
48	Pandua, thana Pandua ...	3032	0 1 2½ 0 16 1	2 0 0	
49	Kanoor, ditto ...	1041	0 1 32½ 1 7 5	1 3 0	
50	Pandua, ditto ...	3060	0 0 39 0 14 10	1 3 0	

Chinsurah, the 25th August 1908.

MIRZA SHEGUFTA BUKHT, *for* Collector.

INSOLVENT ESTATES.

QUARTERLY STATEMENT MADE UP TO 31ST DECEMBER 1907.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	WHOLE DISBURSEMENTS.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Alexander & Co. ...	2,91,087 1 9	2,32,428 3 10	48,899 13 8	9,789 0 3	8,954 5 1	804 11 2	Nothing further recoverable.
Adam, Scott & Co. ...	1,31,609 5 4	1,06,547 4 0	23,086 5 1	1,975 12 3	1,109 15 0	865 13 3	Ditto ditto.
Anderson & Co., William ...	2,678 8 1	.....	1,845 4 3	833 3 10	625 11 6	207 8 4	Ditto ditto.
Allen, Deffell & Co. ...	1,57,553 10 4	1,26,063 13 5	30,521 2 3	968 10 8	946 1 5	22 9 3	Ditto ditto.
Asiatic Marine Insurance Office ...	8,40,361 11 1	6,92,443 5 11	1,38,990 12 9	8,927 8 5	8,621 4 0	306 4 5	Ditto ditto.
Anstruthers & Co. ...	17,005 3 3	7,366 11 6	3,747 4 1	5,891 3 8	5,496 3 11	394 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Arrakiel, J. G. ...	1,924 5 6	52 6 1	394 15 9	576 15 8	129 2 7	447 13 1	Ditto ditto.
Alexander Wallace & Co. ...	24,142 11 7	16,356 2 7	6,404 3 1	1,382 5 11	1,268 10 4	113 11 7	Ditto ditto.
Anderson, George ...	1,806 12 6	.....	953 9 3	853 3 3	733 0 2	120 3 1	Ditto ditto.
Atkinson, W. L., & Co. ...	17,234 12 9	5,630 9 6	8,863 2 11	2,741 0 4	2,058 0 4	683 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Adhur Chunder Shaw ...	19,013 9 11	8,134 4 9	8,242 15 4	2,636 5 10	1,207 3 3	1,429 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Andrews, J. ...	1,939 8 5	950 10 0	348 5 8	640 8 9	45 3 3	595 5 6	Ditto ditto.
Anderson, G. (2nd) ...	4,963 9 4	2,787 14 2	1,560 1 9	615 9 5	264 8 2	351 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Albertini, Ceasar (F. Acerboni & Co.) ...	20,143 7 1	15,348 8 6	2,086 13 1	2,708 1 6	147 3 9	2,560 13 9	Ditto ditto.
Ayacoob Hadjee Abdool Rohomon ...	11,461 10 3	7,959 6 6	2,088 9 11	1,413 9 10	1,299 3 10	114 6 0	Ditto ditto.
Anund Mohun Dutt and another ...	3,739 2 3	530 1 1	2,540 9 5	668 7 9	668 7 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Adam Ahmed ...	7,545 1 7	5,330 4 5	1,296 2 3	918 10 11	918 10 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Ashutosh Mookerjee ...	29,301 1 11	3,885 14 4	17,419 13 2	7,995 6 5	115 11 9	7,879 10 8	Ditto ditto.
Abdool Gurny ...	12,778 9 3	.....	4,172 2 10	8,606 6 5	.....	8,606 6 5	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Akhoy Kumar Chuckerbutty ...	2,501 3 9	.....	601 15 5	1,899 4 4	.....	1,899 4 4	Nothing further recoverable.
Akhoy Kumar Mookerjee ...	7,911 13 9	2,737 15 7	3,383 8 9	1,790 5 5	130 1 8	1,660 3 9	Ditto ditto.
Arthur, Allan (Ewing & Co.) ...	1,77,402 0 5	1,03,389 11 2	44,625 5 7	29,385 15 8	4,405 13 3 25,000 G. P. Note.	24,981 2 5	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Adhur Chunder Hazra (Adhur Chunder Hazra and Sachinandan Halda).	532 12 3	.....	30 0 0	502 12 3	.....	502 12 3	Nothing further recoverable.
Abdul Karim Omer ...	3,788 7 5	.....	.....	3,788 7 5	.....	3,788 7 5	Ditto ditto.
Abdul Hauk (Wazed Ali Khan ...	700 0 0	.....	1 4 0	698 12 0	.....	698 12 0	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Balfour & Co. ...	5,61,316 3 6	3,04,469 3 4	2,55,181 14 1	1,665 2 1	713 10 2	951 7 11	Nothing further recoverable.
Boyd & Co ...	30,673 14 3	10,773 10 4	13,425 1 11	6,475 2 0	6,364 3 4	110 14 8	Ditto ditto.
Bruce Shand & Co. ...	8,36,536 3 5	4,96,777 1 0	3,32,316 3 0	7,442 15 5	6,618 1 2	824 14 3	Ditto ditto.
Brunet Saliz & Latapie ...	15,235 0 0	8,047 9 5	5,625 0 5	1,562 6 2	1,445 10 8	116 11 6	Ditto ditto.
Bodry, John (1st) ...	1,705 7 1	79 1 11	547 6 0	1,078 15 2	582 1 8	496 13 6	Ditto ditto.

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Crompton, G. F. ...	5,413 5 4	2,747 14 3	2,124 12 6	540 10 7	487 13 3	52 13 4	Nothing further recoverable.
Charles Nephew & Co. ...	5,15,390 11 10	3,99,340 6 4	98,146 12 8	17,903 8 10	15,958 7 10	1,945 1 0	Ditto ditto.
Castello, M. G. ...	3,201 7 9	2,227 5 6	264 10 2	709 8 1	372 14 3	336 9 10	Ditto ditto.
Carr, Robert ...	11,349 3 8	9,779 11 7	966 1 8	603 6 5	603 6 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Cantopher, Robert ...	907 10 6	196 15 8	167 15 9	542 11 1	542 11 1	.....	Ditto ditto.
Child, W. C. ...	22,090 10 0	16,599 6 0	4,704 11 10	786 8 2	691 4 8	95 3 6	Ditto ditto.
Christophoridi, C. (1st) ...	5,784 12 5	4,092 8 2	734 2 6	959 1 9	958 1 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Cole, George (Perry & Co.) ...	3,018 10 4	1,810 12 1	937 1 11	770 12 4	770 12 4	.....	Ditto ditto.
Colville, Gilmore & Co. ...	1,77,543 10 8	12,453 5 4	88,649 4 8	76,441 0 8	67,589 10 5	8,851 6 3	Ditto ditto.
Chota Lall Sewprasad ...	44,783 11 0	19,348 5 2	19,610 14 10	5,774 7 0	5,632 1 11	142 5 1	Ditto ditto.
Conti, G. A. ...	3,567 10 8	849 7 7	1,092 4 4	1,625 14 9	383 3 11	1,242 10 10	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, S. E., and E. B Cohen ...	1,806 3 0	280 1 10	1,012 9 4	513 7 10	317 12 5	195 11 5	Ditto ditto.
Chunder Kanto Shaw ...	48,972 1 6	6,315 7 7	36,831 6 6	825 3 5	825 3 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Coleman, C. ...	1,716 8 0	986 7 5	119 3 2	610 13 5	610 13 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Coverjee Bomanjee ...	985 6 6	157 11 7	59 6 8	768 4 3	690 2 6	78 1 9	Ditto ditto.
Collins, W. R. ...	2,581 6 8	.....	.....	2,581 6 8	.....	2,581 6 8	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, J. A. (2nd) ...	2,303 6 7	.....	1,374 11 7	1,228 11 0	1,160 3 1	68 7 11	Ditto ditto.
Croft, J. R., and another (Croft, Wells & Co.)	9,022 11 6	.....	4,704 0 0	4,318 11 6	.....	4,318 11 6	Ditto ditto.
Chogemull Chota Lall ...	3,237 12 6	693 14 0	1,493 3 4	1,050 11 2	241 11 6	808 15 8	Ditto ditto
Chandmull Jorwarmull ...	9,658 11 6	6,362 6 9	2,699 14 2	596 6 7	414 12 5	181 10 2	Ditto ditto.
Choonee Lall Boid and another (Chogemull Maloom Chand).	6,620 14 3	3,756 5 8	1,736 2 0	1,128 6 7	875 5 11	253 0 8	Ditto ditto.
Clark, A. M. (J. H. Fergusson & Co.) ...	23,198 8 2	12,913 0 9	7,606 9 11	2,678 13 6	1,482 12 5	1,196 1 1	Ditto ditto.
Cowie, David & another (Colvin, Cowie & Co.).	1,63,281 4 11	91,447 1 7	64,423 11 4	7,410 8 0	6,904 4 0	506 4 0	Ditto ditto.
Choonee Lall Doodhooriah and another (Luchiram Thanmull).	1,990 12 3	467 10 0	149 10 9	1,373 7 6	1,044 4 0	329 3 6	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, W. W. ...	1,702 2 0	.....	.....	1,702 2 0	.....	1,702 2 0	Ditto ditto.
Chooney Lall Oswal ...	16,341 4 4	6,081 4 9	3,786 11 4	6,473 4 3	5,727 1 7	746 2 8	Ditto ditto.
Charu Chunder Bose ...	1,603 7 0	109 12 3	662 15 11	830 10 10	830 10 10	... ..	Ditto ditto.
Cotton, W. G. L. ...	1,769 1 5	1,034 6 11	119 12 10	614 13 8	614 13 8	.. ...	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, E W. ...	755 1 3	....	200 0 0	555 1 3	.....	555 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Cobbold, H. R. (Mitchell Bardsley & Co.)	42,707 0 8	7,507 12 3	3,565 8 6	31,633 11 11	16,303 11 0	15,330 0 11	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, J. A. (Jacob Bros. & Co.) ...	683 3 0	.....	5 0 0	678 3 0	.....	678 3 0	Ditto ditto.
Cameron, C. A.	600 0 0	.....	.....	600 0 0	.....	600 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Dove, J. M. ...	12,091 0 0	10,202 12 8	2,214 0 8	574 2 8	316 11 4	257 7 4	Ditto ditto.

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Gilmore & Co. ...	47,269 5 4	23,186 11 8	19,717 10 7	4,362 15 1	.....	4,362 15 1	Nothing further recoverable.
Griffiths, Curtis & Co. ...	49,784 9 8	23,262 15 3	19,201 1 0	7,320 9 5	6,991 13 5	328 12 0	Ditto ditto.
Gordon, Stuart & Co. ...	78,183 10 4	39,924 6 8	35,568 12 4	2,690 7 4	2,632 0 10	58 6 6	Ditto ditto.
Goberdhone Mullick ...	2,880 14 9	1,371 10 5	963 12 4	545 8 0	473 12 3	71 11 9	Ditto ditto.
Gubboy, A. J. ...	9,055 7 0	6,088 9 2	2,075 4 0	891 9 10	565 5 11	326 3 11	Ditto ditto.
Gocool Dass Soonderjee ...	18,266 14 1	11,879 7 1	5,760 12 11	626 10 1	584 4 8	42 5 5	Ditto ditto.
Golab Chand Hem Chand ...	1,586 2 0	.....	200 9 0	1,385 9 0	.....	1,385 9 0	Ditto ditto.
Golam Hossain Virjee ...	1,26,756 14 4	40,928 6 8	85,314 2 4	514 5 4	318 1 0	196 4 4	Ditto ditto.
Ghaseeram ...	38,350 5 10	10,535 5 6	25,967 15 3	1,847 1 1	1,231 11 2	615 5 11	Ditto ditto.
Ghose, R. G., & Co. ...	29,911 1 2	21,218 2 4	7,954 3 8	738 11 2	536 2 0	202 9 2	Ditto ditto.
Gregory, M. ...	17,186 2 5	12,174 13 6	4,154 14 4	856 6 7	717 5 5	139 1 2	Ditto ditto.
Gasper, N. M. ...	7,010 0 9	4,872 0 8	607 12 0	1,480 4 1	1,188 9 1	291 11 0	Ditto ditto.
Gubboy, E. S. ...	53,783 3 0	17,176 15 8	36,070 3 1	536 0 3	432 14 9	103 1 6	Ditto ditto.
Gilmore, J. H. G. ...	512 8 0	.....	.....	512 8 0	.....	512 8 0	Ditto ditto.
Greedhary Lall Kanoy Lall ...	26,621 12 4	18,645 8 3	3,418 3 4	4,558 0 9	4,558 0 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Gopal Chunder Bose ...	3,891 0 0	2,267 1 4	876 10 0	747 4 8	535 8 6	211 12 2	Ditto ditto.
Gobin Chand Doogur and others (Nunsee Inder Chand).	1,07,816 2 7	59,601 10 5	41,217 9 11	6,996 14 3	6,996 14 3	.....	Ditto ditto.
Gray, Walter, and another (Robert and Charriol).	3,14,768 4 0	2,09,594 14 1	48,148 3 10	63,025 2 1	54,570 0 10	8,455 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Greesh Chunder Marrick and others ...	13,956 0 5	5,818 11 2	5,481 2 2	2,656 3 1	1,776 13 7	879 5 6	Ditto ditto.
Gopal Chunder Rage ...	2,834 15 3	1,516 0 3	813 12 3	505 2 9	505 2 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Giridhari Lall Sadkhan and Kally Churn Sadkhan.	6,246 6 0	400 9 6	4,991 13 2	853 15 4	374 1 3	479 14 1	Ditto ditto.
Gosto Behary Seal ...	34,539 14 3	13,983 14 10	19,941 2 7	614 12 10	500 4 11	114 7 11	Ditto ditto.
Gopee Kanto Sen ...	986 14 1	.....	358 6 0	628 8 1	.....	628 8 1	Ditto ditto.
Gobin Dass and another ...	2,152 8 8	85 4 5	1,270 14 1	796 6 2	550 1 4	246 4 10	Ditto ditto.
Golab Rai & another (Kally Shai Golab Rai)	13,975 10 11	8,806 7 1	3,102 8 0	2,066 11 10	1,870 3 4	196 8 6	Ditto ditto.
Gouri Dutt and Mooraly Dhur ...	3,601 13 6	.....	1,993 0 6	1,608 13 0	.....	1,608 13 0	Ditto ditto.
Gobindram and another ...	7,414 13 3	4,733 13 5	1,957 10 11	723 4 11	723 4 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Gunesham Das Chandgotia and others (Juggernath Sirdar Mull).	24,961 4 5	12,682 3 8	4,254 1 7	8,024 15 2	7,947 3 10	77 11 4	Ditto ditto.
Gungaram Domany ...	2,183 2 9	283 1 2	1,253 13 8	646 3 11	225 11 1	420 8 10	Ditto ditto.
Gobindas Domany ...	14,410 1 2	1,415 1 8	12,383 12 4	611 3 2	134 15 4	476 3 10	Ditto ditto.
Griffiths, O. B. (W. Moran & Co.) ...	7,95,558 8 2	4,05,932 8 9	3,58,828 13 11	30,797 1 6	30,756 8 10	40 8 8	Ditto ditto.
Girindro Nath Dass ...	17,117 1 8	3,657 11 1	12,545 1 10	914 4 9	806 13 8	107 7 1	Ditto ditto.
Goordial (Hurdeodas Goordial) ...	37,298 14 11	14,110 8 11	8,109 10 0	14,778 12 0	14,439 6 11	339 5 1	Ditto ditto.

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Issur Chunder Mill ...	8,546 1 6	506 12 3	6,175 1 7	1,864 3 8	1,864 3 8	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Issur Dass Juggernath ...	75,994 14 11	63,730 0 10	11,248 1 0	1,016 13 1	1,016 13 1	.....	Ditto ditto.
Issory Prosad and others ...	664 7 0	.....	7 10 6	656 12 6	.....	656 12 6	Ditto ditto.
Jansen & Co., J. ...	20,002 10 9	139 11 5	15,872 5 0	3,990 10 4	3,766 5 1	224 5 3	Ditto ditto.
Jeebun Coomari Bibee (Jesroop Meher Chand).	1,46,826 1 5	1,10,294 1 11	29,902 2 1	6,629 13 5	6,556 15 5	72 14 0	Ditto ditto.
Juggessur Laha ...	34,388 4 1	16,701 4 2	15,519 2 4	2,167 13 7	1,851 6 1	316 7 6	Ditto ditto.
Jadub Chunder Seal ..	2,094 6 7	374 1 10	907 2 9	813 2 0	580 12 8	232 5 4	Ditto ditto.
Jordon, J. S. ...	5,376 8 0	3,582 9 6	984 15 5	808 15 1	545 0 7	263 14 6	Ditto ditto.
Jugguu Prosad ...	960 8 9	.....	223 9 0	736 15 9	.....	736 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Jacob, Charles ...	933 8 0	.....	415 13 4	517 10 8	454 6 7	63 4 1	Ditto ditto.
Judah, S. E. ..	2,186 15 0	.....	1,450 4 7	736 10 5	643 2 11	93 7 6	Ditto ditto.
Johur Lall Mookim ...	1,656 0 0	648 15 0	262 4 7	744 12 5	373 13 9	370 14 8	Ditto ditto.
Joakim, M. C. ...	7,754 15 3	4,223 8 11	2,422 12 5	1,108 9 11	838 9 7	270 0 4	Ditto ditto.
Jogendra Nath Cowar ...	5,958 0 0	1,391 15 3	3,577 14 3	988 2 6	806 0 9	182 1 9	Ditto ditto.
Joogul Kissore Sew Lall Futteh Chand ...	9,544 8 6	5,950 3 1	2,262 11 9	1,331 9 8	1,051 7 2	280 2 6	Ditto ditto.
Jarewas Mull Begany and another ...	918 15 6	.....	71 8 0	847 7 6	.....	847 7 6	Ditto ditto
Johury Lall Pal and another ...	88,066 15 8	48,018 8 0	33,572 5 7	6,476 2 1	5,786 4 9	689 13 4	Ditto ditto
Jaitroop Chooney Lall ...	8,292 7 2	5,474 0 3	2,081 8 11	736 14 0	736 14 0	.....	Ditto ditto.
Juggernath and others (Guzanund Luchmi-narain, Juggernath Chotay Lall).	18,268 0 9	3,240 7 2	2,053 12 1	12,973 13 6	6,573 0 6	6,400 13 0	Ditto ditto.
Jchurmull Mohun Lall ...	3,782 2 3	.....	934 11 8	2,847 6 7	.....	2,847 6 7	Ditto ditto.
Jogendra Sri Ghosha ...	940 3 0	.....	.....	940 3 0	.....	940 3 0	Ditto ditto.
Jadub Chandra Sikdar ...	17,715 0 0	10,081 8 5	942 14 3	6,690 9 4	3,228 12 11	3,461 12 5	Ditto ditto.
Kemp, H. C. (T. Hyde, Gardiner & Co.)	33,765 12 9	27,374 0 2	5,817 5 1	574 7 6	135 0 4	439 7 2	Ditto ditto.
Kemp, H. C. ...	2,469 15 10	168 12 6	436 2 5	1,865 0 11	1,600 0 0	265 0 11	Ditto ditto.
Khan Mahomed Dhurrumsee ...	55,247 9 1	33,008 1 8	11,149 7 7	11,089 15 10	1,312 7 6	9,777 8 4	Ditto ditto.
Kally Dass Dass and others ...	73,719 13 5	22,069 12 6	46,591 2 0	5,058 14 11	2,359 4 2	2,699 10 9	Ditto ditto.
Kullianjee Soonderjee (Soonderjee, Walljee & Co.).	12,444 6 0	2,351 3 3	6,936 8 0	3,156 10 9	3,093 13 10	62 12 11	Ditto ditto.
Khetter Nath Chatterjee ...	2,371 8 9	401 9 9	1,282 2 8	687 12 4	687 12 4	.....	Ditto ditto.
Kelly, H. ...	6,800 9 3	4,090 4 11	2,136 11 5	573 8 11	495 2 4	78 6 7	Ditto ditto.
Kyser Mahomed Sahebzadah ...	5,925 0 0	4,687 12 10	574 14 2	662 5 0	662 5 0	.....	Ditto ditto.
Kissory Mohun Chunder ...	3,300 0 0	2,025 2 4	269 4 2	1,005 9 6	590 11 9	414 13 9	Ditto ditto.

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Leozander & Co. ...	37,331 4 11	30,200 7 9	5,639 10 3	1,491 2 11	905 15 4	585 3 7	Nothing further recoverable.
Larmour, C. F., and another (C. Lazarus & Co.).	6,750 8 5	.....	5,735 4 3	1,015 4 2	.....	1,015 4 2	Ditto ditto.
Larmour, C. F. (separate account) ...	2,822 12 2	.....	25 6 6	2,797 5 8	.....	2,797 5 8	Ditto ditto.
Lesram Buldeo Dass ...	14,468 5 3	10,125 7 8	3,788 13 1	554 0 6	554 0 6	.....	Ditto ditto.
Limjeebhoy Dhunjeebhoy ..	4,781 8 5	2,836 15 7	992 9 8	951 15 2	951 15 2	.....	Ditto ditto.
LeFranc, E. A. (3rd) ...	960 0 0	254 14 6	91 3 2	613 14 4	613 14 4	.....	Ditto ditto.
Lalit Mohan Pal Chowdhury ...	33,566 9 6	.....	7,733 9 1	25,833 0 5	.....	25,833 0 5	Ditto ditto.
Lakshmi Narain Dutt ..	999 10 0	.....	170 0 0	829 10 0	.....	829 10 0	Ditto ditto.
Mackintosh & Co. ..	2,28,494 11 9	1,24,788 3 2	77,432 6 5	26,274 2 4	24,413 1 2	1,861 1 2	Ditto ditto.
Macleod, Fagan & Co. ..	17,631 7 7	6,841 8 1	10,248 13 1	541 2 5	8 6 7	532 11 10	Ditto ditto.
Macgregor, Hunter & Co. ..	10,719 11 10	.....	9,875 11 3	844 0 7	.....	844 0 7	Ditto ditto.
Mackey & Co., D. C. ..	1,17,362 7 8	58,372 14 3	41,916 2 8	17,073 6 9	17,064 9 3	8 13 6	Ditto ditto.
Martin, Pillans & Co ..	96,154 3 7	19,123 12 4	71,924 2 4	5,106 4 11	5,078 15 2	27 5 9	Ditto ditto.
Minto, William & Co. ..	9,560 5 4	3,938 0 5	2,759 2 7	2,863 2 4	2,863 2 4	.....	Ditto ditto.
Maclean, L. A. ..	885 4 9	18 8 8	342 2 8	524 9 5	430 15 10	93 9 7	Ditto ditto.
Melville, William ...	1,868 8 8	.....	359 4 6	1,509 4 2	1,339 13 7	169 6 7	Ditto ditto.
Morris, James (Senior) ...	662 6 9	.....	146 0 0	516 6 9	.....	516 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Monteith, John ..	821 0 3	20 12 0	189 4 0	611 0 3	.....	611 0 3	Ditto ditto.
Mackenzie, Murdock & Co. ...	5,598 2 8	17 10 1	5,037 6 4	543 2 3	458 0 8	85 1 7	Ditto ditto.
Meyers, F. ..	1,263 13 6	.....	139 0 0	1,124 13 6	.....	1,124 13 6	Ditto ditto.
MacDonald, Daniel ..	1,691 14 2	247 8 0	589 13 2	854 9 0	609 11 3	244 13 9	Ditto ditto.
Martin, William ..	2,106 11 8	75 0 0	552 6 2	1,479 5 6	1,425 0 0	54 5 6	Ditto ditto.
Michael, J. C. (2nd) ...	7,760 12 8	5,358 3 5	1,869 3 4	533 5 11	.....	533 5 11	Ditto ditto.
Meddlecoat, J. H. P. ...	1,011 14 6	111 7 11	98 14 5	801 8 2	579 6 5	222 1 9	Ditto ditto.
Meyers, A. J. ...	8,876 3 6	4,248 9 10	2,804 7 10	1,823 1 10	1,580 10 0	242 7 10	Ditto ditto.
Meer Dawood Ally ...	3,044 0 2	1,459 3 0	229 14 5	1,354 14 9	1,191 12 2	163 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Munnoo Lall ...	1,410 4 10	.....	647 10 7	762 10 3	.....	762 10 3	Ditto ditto.
Muddonjee Dhurrumsee ...	880 0 2	.....	68 9 6	811 6 8	472 10 8	338 12 0	Ditto ditto.
Morgan, C. ...	1,978 6 3	685 1 2	200 1 11	1,093 3 2	813 3 5	279 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Michael, J. C. (3rd) ..	10,368 11 0	7,099 4 9	1,573 8 10	1,695 13 5	1,406 12 10	289 0 7	Ditto ditto.
Mugneeram ...	4,227 6 6	1,405 6 1	2,040 11 0	781 5 5	695 14 0	85 7 5	Ditto ditto.
Murray, James (Black and Murray) ...	14,162 15 2	9,637 3 3	2,598 4 3	1,927 7 8	1,927 7 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Mamood Shah Mahomed Shahibzada ..	16,074 5 7	10,017 10 7	1,496 13 0	4,559 14 0	712 8 0	3,847 6 0	Ditto ditto.
Martin, J. C. ...	2,327 4 4	840 6 5	159 13 4	1,327 0 7	1,239 1 1	87 15 6	Ditto ditto.
Modbusudun Dutt (No. 2) ...	8,150 7 5	6,026 15 11	1,226 14 3	896 9 3	896 9 3	.....	Ditto ditto.

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Narain Das Doyal ...	946 3 0	.....	.....	946 3 0	.....	946 3 0	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Owen, Allhusen & Co. ...	29,891 0 9	794 12 2	25,800 15 4	3,295 4 8	3,163 15 10	131 4 10	Nothing further recoverable.
Oliver, L. B. ...	23,729 2 7	17,569 15 0	5,445 11 5	713 8 2	.....	713 8 2	Ditto ditto.
Ogle, John & Co. ...	2,03,140 10 8	1,56,004 1 7	31,309 4 11	15,827 4 2	15,462 10 5	364 9 9	Ditto ditto
Obhoyram Buddree Chand ...	1,910 9 0	.....	372 14 6	1,537 10 6	.....	1,537 10 6	Ditto ditto.
Ord, William (Murdoch & Co.) ...	3,515 2 3	.....	2,944 14 7	570 3 8	511 1 0	59 2 8	Ditto ditto.
Ord, W. K. ...	679 8 4	57 7 10	53 4 9	568 11 9	503 11 10	64 15 11	Ditto ditto.
O'Niel, Thomas ...	1,510 13 8	.....	671 3 1	839 10 7	465 9 6	374 1 1	Ditto ditto.
Omrao Sing ...	2,747 15 11	1,845 11 8	391 9 2	510 11 1	352 14 1	157 13 0	Ditto ditto.
Obhoy Churn Dutt ...	1,127 0 6	487 9 9	137 0 0	502 6 9	.....	502 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Palmer & Co. ...	5,69,934 6 1	4,01,103 3 11	1,67,389 8 10	1,491 9 4	542 6 10	949 2 6	Ditto ditto
Palmer, Thomas ...	1,473 0 0	.....	887 4 9	585 11 3	.....	585 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Palmer, John ...	7,707 7 11	6,152 6 4	1,013 0 10	542 0 9	542 0 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Pew, P. L. ...	52,965 13 1	34,068 0 5	12,875 1 11	6,022 10 9	5,847 11 2	174 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Parry, John ...	4,996 8 11	1,744 7 6	1,616 0 2	1,636 1 3	1,549 15 9	86 1 6	Ditto ditto.
Price, Henry ...	15,380 1 3	.....	14,642 1 8	737 15 7	660 5 9	77 9 10	Ditto ditto.
Posner, J. ..	7,045 8 6	2,972 1 0	3,003 4 3	1,100 3 3	806 10 9	293 8 6	Ditto ditto.
Payne & Co. (Walter, Newton & Co.) (Bombay firm).	8,025 0 0	6,125 3 10	1,367 15 6	531 12 8	531 12 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Phillips, John ...	4,156 0 0	10 11 8	248 10 5	3,896 9 11	1,501 10 4	2,394 15 7	Ditto ditto.
Phillips, G. W. DeRhee ...	1,260 0 0	538 14 4	98 9 5	622 8 3	562 4 3	60 4 0	Ditto ditto.
Prosonno Coomar Bannerjee ...	1,241 0 0	.....	325 2 0	915 14 0	.....	915 14 0	Ditto ditto.
Prosun Chand Galeecha (Dhurrum Chand Poorum Chand).	96,847 4 1	42,486 15 0	33,592 7 0	20,767 14 1	19,827 8 11	940 5 2	Ditto ditto.
Panchanun Dass Mungle Chand (Hatee Sing, Sooraj Mull, Mungle Chand).	6,183 14 0	.....	2,744 3 0	3,439 11 3	.....	3,439 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Protap Chunder Chatterjee ...	748 11 7	37 12 5	75 8 9	635 6 5	635 6 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Purmessur Khan and others (Purmessur Khan, Debendro Nath Khan, Purmessur Khan & Co.).	3,129 9 9	1,109 0 8	1,364 2 4	656 6 9	656 6 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Poolin Chunder Mitter ...	637 11 1	.....	.....	637 11 1	.....	637 11 1	Ditto ditto.
Palmer, R. G. & Co. ...	35,446 13 0	15,111 5 0	11,148 4 1	9,187 3 11	255 3 8	8,932 0 3	Ditto ditto.
Panna Lall Addy ...	7,664 12 7	513 5 7	252 11 4	6,898 11 8	783 8 4	6,115 3 4	Ditto ditto.
Pran Nath Pal ...	3,223 10 11	1,409 7 3	1,299 1 6	515 2 2	515 2 2	.....	Ditto ditto.
Pasumarti Jagappa ...	9,184 7 10	4,123 0 1	3,727 13 7	1,333 10 2	177 13 1	1,155 13 1	Ditto ditto.

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Estates	Whole amount of receipts.	Whole Disbursements.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Ramrick Das and Nundram (Sirdarmull Ramrick).	11,036 10 6	5,194 1 0	1,849 2 6	3,993 7 0	3,993 7 0	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Rekhab Das Bagree and others ...	8,184 15 8	.....	5,135 10 3	3,049 5 5	.....	3,049 5 5	Ditto ditto.
Radha Kissen Memany (Radha Kissen Jetmull).	4,358 15 6	1,864 2 2	1,915 9 9	579 3 7	579 3 7	.....	Ditto ditto.
Ram Lall Bhutter ...	5,064 0 4	.....	4,364 9 6	699 6 10	.....	699 6 10	Ditto ditto.
Ramrick Karwar and another (Kissen Lall Jainarain).	1,371 5 3	496 11 0	142 10 3	732 0 0	732 0 0	.....	Ditto ditto.
Ram Lall and others (Bhugwan Das Bunna Chand).	5,828 1 9	647 6 8	473 12 6	4,706 14 7	3,484 7 11	1,222 6 8	Ditto ditto.
Ramjee Das Khettry and another (Ramjee Das Gopal Das).	1,630 12 0	440 4 8	365 5 1	825 2 3	816 2 7	508 15 8	Ditto ditto.
Ramdhone Das Bayti ...	1,688 2 6	.....	100 0 0	1,588 2 6	.....	1,588 2 6	Ditto ditto.
Rajendro Nath Ghose and another (Ghose Sinna & Co.).	74,991 11 9	42,579 8 1	9,750 3 9	22,661 15 11	4,356 10 4	18,305 5 7	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Rajendra Nath Ghose (separate account)	10,921 9 8	.....	101 8 9	10,820 0 11	.....	10,820 0 11	Nothing further recoverable.
Ram Doyal Chobay ...	1,764 2 3	.....	15 8 6	1,748 9 9	.....	1,748 9 9	Ditto ditto.
Saunders, May, Fordyce & Co. ...	4,03,262 11 3	3,21,713 7 1	68,904 4 4	12,642 15 10	11,992 9 4	650 6 6	Ditto ditto.
Stewart, W. C. & Co. ..	8,040 4 10	2,515 5 5	1,414 11 0	4,110 4 5	3,953 12 5	156 8 0	Ditto ditto.
Senais, W. DeMonti ...	2,514 11 7	.....	912 2 6	1,602 9 1	1,533 5 10	69 3 3	Ditto ditto.
Smith, W. S. ...	3,620 13 5	2,685 15 6	471 0 8	513 13 3	471 11 1	42 2 2	Ditto ditto.
Stocquelar, J. H. ...	7,138 0 0	210 6 5	5,537 0 7	1,390 9 0	1,122 12 7	267 12 5	Ditto ditto.
Schlatter, Michael ...	20,294 14 10	16,357 13 1	2,433 0 9	1,504 1 0	1,006 8 1	497 8 11	Ditto ditto.
Smoult, W. H. ..	1,976 10 3	248 4 11	328 9 3	1,399 12 1	1,040 0 0	359 12 1	Ditto ditto.
Sheppard, G. A. ...	5,598 2 10	4,179 1 11	662 0 7	757 0 4	652 6 0	104 10 4	Ditto ditto.
Sarkies & Co., P. J. ...	52,610 10 9	6,473 9 2	45,380 2 2	756 15 5	602 12 10	154 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Scott, C. C. J. ...	7,723 13 9	4,659 10 11	2,002 0 10	1,062 2 0	631 9 11	430 8 1	Ditto ditto.
Sarkies, P. J. ...	10,227 7 7	6,170 7 7	3,097 5 4	959 10 8	787 6 3	172 4 5	Ditto ditto.
Smith, Huffnagle & Co. ...	26,632 14 5	18,828 7 4	10,798 4 10	2,006 2 3	.....	2,006 2 3	Ditto ditto.
Snook, J. V. ...	775 10 0	.....	158 0 0	617 10 0	.....	617 10 0	Ditto ditto.
Sree Gopal Misser ...	1,951 0 0	55 14 4	678 6 8	1,216 11 0	1,093 0 11	123 10 1	Ditto ditto.
Stubbs, W. V. G. ...	3,491 6 5	81 3 10	1,649 12 7	1,760 6 0	262 2 3	1,498 3 9	Ditto ditto.
Solomon Moladina ...	64,041 6 10	43,579 4 11	17,498 10 0	2,963 7 11	2,682 12 0	280 11 11	Ditto ditto.
Stewart, W. M. ...	24,989 4 9	12,513 15 1	6,325 15 7	6,149 6 1	5,610 9 8	538 12 5	Ditto ditto.
Shib Chunder Seal ...	18,555 8 9	3,239 6 10	9,479 3 3	836 9 8	836 9 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Sew Nundun Panday ...	32,283 9 9	18,850 1 5	7,478 4 4	5,960 4 0	5,229 5 1	730 14 11	Ditto ditto.

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Syed Ibrahim Hoshen ...	5,949 1 0	.....	120 5 4	5,828 11 8	.....	5,828 11 8	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Sham Lall and others ...	1,057 6 8	.....	16 13 0	1,040 9 8	.....	1,040 9 8	Ditto ditto.
Tallah & Co. (1st) ...	1,21,167 0 7	68,615 10 0	50,626 7 9	1,924 14 10	1,139 10 6	785 4 4	Nothing further recoverable.
Tallah & Co. (2nd) ...	19,223 10 2	8,961 4 4	9,684 15 7	577 6 3	411 1 3	166 5 0	Ditto ditto.
Thomas & Co. ..	4,55,276 15 3	3,98,103 6 2	50,239 15 2	6,933 9 11	1,314 1 0	5,619 8 11	Ditto ditto.
Trower, Charles ...	2,177 9 0	240 0 0	72 0 0	1,865 9 0	811 7 5	1,054 1 7	Ditto ditto.
Twentyman & Co. ..	683 6 7	.....	152 2 1	531 4 6	.....	531 4 6	Ditto ditto.
Thomas, John ...	740 0 0	.....	.....	740 0 0	.....	740 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Tara Chand Koramull Dowlut Chand ...	22,970 1 11	6,210 6 9	14,187 12 0	2,571 15 2	2,199 13 3	372 1 11	Ditto ditto.
Teitkins, A. H. ...	5,671 12 10	3,819 12 0	1,248 0 3	604 0 5	.....	604 0 5	Ditto ditto.
Turton, Sir T. E. M. ...	2,49,996 3 10	1,48,440 1 3	1,00,447 2 8	1,108 15 11	661 10 1	447 5 10	Ditto ditto.
Troyluckho Nath Roy and another ...	26,576 11 0	18,630 12 6	7,142 7 5	803 7 1	712 2 11	91 4 2	Ditto ditto.
Thorndike, A., and another (Atkinson, Tilton & Co.).	48,581 15 8	19,772 1 0	25,210 0 8	3,599 14 0	2,681 9 4	918 4 8	Ditto ditto.
Tunsook Roy and Premsook Roy ...	27,590 9 11	9,941 11 1	10,889 8 2	6,759 6 8	5,735 3 2	1,024 3 6	Ditto ditto.
Templeton, A. N. (2nd) ...	2,000 0 0	58 10 0	710 4 4	1,231 1 8	1,231 1 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Turnbull, R. A. ...	18,183 9 3	2,771 3 3	14,076 13 11	1,335 8 1	107 3 8	1,228 4 5	Ditto ditto.
Tincowry Das ...	6,741 8 4	3,883 0 0	1,163 2 7	1,695 5 9	1,695 5 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Tiruthram ...	1,445 3 9	519 12 6	226 0 7	699 6 8	207 4 5	492 2 3	Ditto ditto.
Taraprosanna Sircar ...	1,62,699 9 6	76,111 11 5	83,524 15 4	3,062 14 9	2,990 11 5	72 3 4	Ditto ditto.
Tin Cowry Nundy ...	8,330 6 9	2,769 10 6	3,729 1 6	1,831 10 9	827 4 7	1,004 6 2	Ditto ditto.
Tiery, H. C. (B. N. Das & Co.) ...	645 6 7	.....	4 14 6	640 8 1	.....	640 8 1	Ditto ditto.
Vandenberg, J. B. ...	5,740 4 3	4,036 0 7	468 7 9	1,235 11 11	1,235 11 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Voight, S. E. & Co. ...	1,680 0 4	199 0 0	13 8 8	1,467 7 8	.....	1,467 7 8	Ditto ditto.
Wallis, Joseph ...	1,20,846 2 7	88,227 7 6	29,932 12 8	2,165 14 5	1,889 2 11	326 11 6	Ditto ditto.
Willis, F. F. ...	7,102 7 11	892 13 4	2,906 1 7	3,303 9 0	2,932 2 8	371 6 4	Ditto ditto.
Wood, Olliffe & Co. ...	3,276 6 10	.....	1,427 4 6	1,849 2 4	.....	1,849 2 4	Ditto ditto.
Waring, E. S. S. ...	3,066 8 8	1,784 1 7	529 5 2	753 1 11	647 4 3	105 13 8	Ditto ditto.
Williams, Stephen ...	20,504 1 5	17,453 13 10	2,207 14 7	842 5 0	474 9 9	367 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Watson & Co. (Gibbon & Co.) ...	1,06,519 3 0	87,390 15 9	15,992 0 3	3,136 3 0	2,703 9 8	432 9 4	Ditto ditto.
Wood, H. W. J. ...	2,539 13 0	712 3 7	885 5 3	942 4 2	785 11 9	156 8 5	Ditto ditto.
Wood, David ...	1,414 3 0	56 7 3	809 0 3	548 11 6	548 11 6	.....	Ditto ditto.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 25th August 1908.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,62,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 94,69,098 12 4			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,20,05,444 9 10	2,14,74,543	6	2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	16,74,30,962	9	7
Bank Post Bills, &c.	9,58,703	4	2
Sundries	11,85,510	15	9
Rupees	22,72,99,720	3	8

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	3,38,54,682	0	0
Other authorised investments	31,20,539	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,20,42,038	7	5
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,37,91,868	12	8
Bills discounted and purchased	2,48,67,724	14	1
Balances with other Banks	12,73,231	4	6
Bullion	4,053	0	0
Dead Stock	16,61,353	14	5
Stamps	15,450	10	1
Sundries	2,89,943	0	10
	15,09,00,885	0	0
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office * Rs. 3,26,72,704 14 0			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches † „ 4,37,26,130 5 8	7,63,98,835	3	8
Rupees	22,72,99,720	3	8

* Includes Govt. 2½ Govt. value Rs. 54,885 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 1,87,027 8 0
2,41,912 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 27th August 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent.
Percentage 39·98.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.
(1041—1)

In the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas.

TITLE SUIT No. 132 OF 1908.

Abdul Aziz, plaintiff, *versus* Daud Khan and others, defendants.

WHEREAS Abdul Aziz, plaintiff in the above suit, has instituted a suit for declaration of his title as mutwali to the properties mentioned in the Schedule of the plaint, viz, 3 bighas of land, bearing premises No. 7-2, West Canal Road, holding Nos. 29, 32 and 33, subdivision 23, Division 3, in mauza Sealdah, police-station Beliaghatta, Dehi Panchannagram district 24-Parganas, bounded on the north by the land of Munshi Kader Buksh, south partly by the walls of Sarat Chandra Sen and partly by that of the Railway, east by Canal, West Road, west partly by the land of Kader Buksh and partly that of by Nakuri, notice is hereby given to the people concerned that if anybody wishes to contest the alleged right of plaintiff he may appear in person or by duly authorized agent at 11 o'clock on the 9th September 1908, otherwise the matter will be decided *ex-parte*.

MAHIM CHANDRA SIRKAR, Subordinate Judge.

Alipore, the 25th August 1908. (1038—1)

SALE NOTIFICATION.

In the Court of the 1st Subordinate Judge of Jessore.

PRESENT:

Babu Radhanath Sen, 1st Subordinate Judge of Jessore.

EXECUTION CASE No. 52 OF 1908.

Jessore Loan Company, Limited, decree-holder, *versus* Basanta Kumari Dasi, judgment-debtor.

THE following properties of the judgment-debtor will be sold at public auction by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, within the precincts of the Court, on the 21st September 1908 at Jessore, for the realisation of Rs. 8,954-6, due under a mortgage decree No. 191 of 1907:—

Lot I.—The right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor in 5 annas share of the patni of villages Ghoshpore and Simakhali, in the Subdivision and Sub-Registry of Narail, pargana Naldi, appertaining to tauzi No. 203 of the Jessore Collectorate, under zamindar Kumar Sarat Chandra Sinha Bahadur, annual rental of the whole patni being Rs. 345-14-10 and the sadar jama of the judgment-debtor's 5 annas share being Rs. 108-1-8.

Lot II.—The right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor in the 3 annas 4 gandas share of tauzi No. 697 of the Jessore Collectorate, villages Kalora and Durbajuri, in the subdivision and Sub-Registry Narail, pargana Naldi, annual revenue payable to the Collector of Jessore for the above 3 annas 4 gandas share being Rs. 2-2-9 and all subordinate right under the above tauzi.

Lot III.—The right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor in dar maurashi and all subordinate rights under the above dar maurashi of villages Hariar Ghope, Shubar Ghope, Bagdanga, in subdivision Narail, Sub-Registry Saigia Sholepur, pargana Naldi, under Bani Nath Ghosh, Syama Sundari Dasi and Ambika Charan Ghosh, who hold the maurashi of above villages under Babu Kiran Chandra Roy and others, in tauzi No. 98 of Jessore Collectorate. The annual rent of the dar maurashi according to the patta of 1280 is Rs. 926, of which Rs. 703-8 is payable to the superior landlords, Babu Kiran Chandra Roy and others, and *profit* Rs. 222 8 payable to the landlords Bani Nath Ghosh and others. But the profit of 5 annas 4 pies share of Nalini Nath Ghosh and Sailendra Nath Ghosh, the heirs of Ambica Charan Ghosh, was subsequently reduced by a deed, dated 6th Ashar 1306, from Rs. 74-2-8 to Rs. 30 only. So the annual rent of the dar maurashi has thus been reduced from Rs. 926 to Rs. 881-13-4.

RADHANATH SEN, 1st Subordinate Judge.

Jessore, the 27th August 1908. (1043—1)

In the Court of the Additional Subordinate Judge of Monghyr.

T. M. EXECUTION CASE No. 45 OF 1908.

Mohant Sarjoo Dass, decree-holder, *versus* Mohant Sharam Das, judgment-debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following property will be sold in the above case by the Nazir of the Civil Courts, Monghyr, at 12 A.M., on the 14th day of September 1908 for the realization of the judgment-debt, Rs. 24,102-6 (rupees twenty-four thousand one hundred and two and annas six only):—

1. Eight annas share out of 16 annas share in mauza Tikarampore kismat, asli and dakhli, pargana Monghyr, bearing T. No. 1329 at a jama sadar of Rs 3,072-6 within the jurisdiction of police-station and Registry office, Monghyr, district Monghyr. 3,699 acres.

BIDHU BHUSHAN BANERJI,
Offg. Additional Sub-Judge.

Monghyr, the 22nd August 1908. (1044—1)

In the Court of the Munsif of Bihar, District Patna.

EXECUTION CASE No. 161 OF 1908.

Babu Edal Singh of mouza Ramibigha, pargana Bihar, district Patna, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Sudisht, Narain Singh of mouza Badhauna, pargana Pelich district Patna, judgment-debtor.

THE following shall be sold for the recovery of Rs. 1,024-1-14 dams by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court, Bihar, district Patna, in the sale-room of that Court on the 21st September 1908, fixed for sale at 12 o'clock noon:—

One anna and twelve dams in mouza Ghosandas *alias* Barahgawan, pargana Beswak, police-station Islampore, Sub-Registry office Hilsa, subdivision Bihar, district Patna, tauzi No. 116 and jamasadar Rs. 2,987-11-9 proprietary right and interest of the judgment-debtor valued Rs. 600 (six hundred.)

RAJ KISHORE,
Munsif.

Bihar, the 28th August 1908. (1052—1)

In the Court of the Munsif of Bihar, District Patna.

EXECUTION CASE No. 134 OF 1908.

Babu Debi Pershad Singh, son of Babu Ram Tawakul Singh, deceased, of mauza Asta, pargana Pilich, district Patna, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Lala Parshad, Narain Pershad and Sheonandan Parshad, sons of Babu Debi Parshad, deceased, of moholla Jadua Toli and Sidhua Toli in Patna City, judgment-debtor.

THE following shall be sold for the recovery of Rs. 406-8-6 by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court, Bihar, district Patna, in the sale-room of that Court, on the 21st September 1908, fixed for sale at 12 o'clock noon:—

Five annas and four pice in mauza Kapasiawan, pargana Pilich, district Patna, tauzi No. 101, and present No. 11924 and jamasadar Rs. 2,106-10-8 proprietary right and interest of the judgment-debtors valued Rs. 100 (one hundred).

RAJ KISHORE, Munsif.

Bihar, the 28th August 1908. (1053—1)

In the Court of the Munsif of Bihar, District Patna.

EXECUTION CASE No. 162 OF 1908.

Babu Edal Singh, son of Jadu Singh, deceased, of mauza Ramibigha, pargana Bihar, district Patna, decree-holder, *versus* Babu Sudisht Narain Singh, of mauza Badhauna, pargana Pilich, district Patna, judgment-debtor.

THE following shall be sold for the recovery of Rs. 712-13-3 by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court, Bihar, district Patna, in the sale-room of that Court on the 21st September 1908, fixed for sale at 12 o'clock noon:—

One anna and twelve dams in mauza Ghosauda *alias* Barahgawan, pargana Beswak, police-station Islampore, Sub-Registry office Hilsa, subdivision Bihar, district Patna, tauzi No. 116, and jama sadar Rs. 2,987-11-9; proprietary right and interest of the judgment-debtor valued Rs. 600 (six hundred).

RAJ KISHORE, Munsif.

Bihar, the 28th August 1908. (1054—1)

NOTIFICATION OF SALE.

In the Court of the Certificate Officer of Howrah.

CERTIFICATE CASE No. 1056 OF 1902-03.

Kajee Mahabul Haq, Mollah Muhammad Allah, Kaji Abdul Ajij and Kaji Fazlah Rabi, of Benel of thana Jagathballabpur, and Gagan Chandra Manna, of Jogesher, thana Jagathballabpur.

THE following property will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 17th October 1908 by the undersigned for the recovery of the drainage dues amounting to Rs. 671 payable to the Government:—

Several plots of Rajapur drainage benefited lands of the engagement No. 1663, measuring about 50 bighas, in mauza Jogesher, within the thana Jagathballabpur.

SUKUMAR HALDAR,
Certificate Officer, Howrah.

Howrah Collectorate Certificate Office, the 26th August 1908. (1045—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of GEORGE BECKEFILDT, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the seventh day of September instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Gregory and Jones, Attorneys. (1055—1)

In the matter of MATI LAL, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the seventh day of September instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Syamacharan Basak, Attorney. (1056—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 59 OF 1908.

Bhagaban Chandra Shaha, son of late Raju Shaha, of Balliaghata, thana Entally, applicant, *versus* Harendra Lal Roy, creditor.

ON the 24th August 1908, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard summarily on the 21st September 1908, and that the said insolvent do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE,
District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 28th August 1908. (1047—1—950)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 1 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors, Mohendra Nath Gorain and other that the insolvency petition of the judgment-debtor, Ujir Sheikh of Chichuria, thana Ketugram, Chauki Katwa, and district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that the 16th September 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

A. GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Office, the 24th August 1908. (1035—1—949)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors, Maharaja Dhiraj of Burdwan and others, that the insolvency petition of the judgment-debtor, Syed Samsedali, at present of Burdwan, Barabazar, thana Chauki and district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that 21st September 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

A. GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Office, the 24th August 1908. (1036—1—950)

BABU KUNJO BEHARI SEN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (1022—4—913)

BABU SRIS CHANDRA BOSE, B.L., wishes to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.
(987—4—905)

KHAJA M. ISMAIL, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.
(1001—4—909)

ROBODH CHANDRA MUKHERJEE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.
(981—4—889)

SYED ZAINUDDIN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.
(1002—4—908)

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Joseph Rahamim Moses Cohen, late of No. 43, Park Street, Calcutta, who died there on 28th June 1908 intestate, has been granted to Rahamim Moses Cohen, of No. 43, Part Street, Calcutta, as father of the deceased to enable him to administor the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said Rahamim Moses Cohen.

HENRY T HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

9, Council House Street, Calcutta, the 27th August 1908. (1040—1)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pergana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908 :—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add	880
3.	Balia	...	„	889
4.	Bhimpore	...	„	1992
5.	Munair	...	„	2458
6.	Masandha	...	„	4368
7.	Phulwari	...	„	5058
8.	Sunda	...	„	5859
9.	Shahjehanpore		„	7305
10.	Ghyaspur	...	„	7692
11.	Beswak	...	„	9898
12.	Bihar	...	„	10506
13.	Maldah	...	„	11771
14.	Narhat	...	„	11772
15.	Pillich	...	„	11823
16.	Raggir	...	„	12561
17.	Samai	...	„	12585
18.	Sanaut	...	„	12605
19.	Telhara	...	„	12606
20.	Ukri	...	„	13570

To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.
Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Public Works Department, Bengal.

CENTRAL CIRCLE.

SECOND CALCUTTA DIVISION.

NOTICE.

Removal of Offices of the Calcutta Divisions from No. 4, Russell Street, to No. 2, Dalhousie Square, East.

THE Offices of the three Executive Engineers, 1st, 2nd and 3rd Calcutta Divisions, having been removed from No. 4, Russell Street, Calcutta, to premises No. 2, Dalhousie Square, East, Calcutta, it is requested that all communications may be addressed to me concerning the buildings under my charge at that place from the 31st August 1908.

B. M. MITRA,
Executive Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division.
Calcutta, the 25th August 1908.

Treasure Trove.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1898, that treasure consisting of the following 13 articles, valued at Rs. 50-2, was found on the date and by the persons noted against each article, buried in S. No. 367, Poramboke Gurubilli Cheruvu of Bukkuru village in the Palkonda taluk. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent duly authorized before the Collector of Vizagapatam at his office at Vizagapatam on 20th January 1909 in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law :—

Number and description of articles.	Approximate value.	Date when found.	Persons by whom found.
	Rs. a.	1908.	
Two gold leaves ...	1 5	9th March	Challa Kamayya.
Two rotten bars of copper.	0 1	Ditto ...	Bettu Simhadri.
Two gold leaves ...	2 10	Ditto ...	Potnuru Sattyya *alias* Appadu.
One melted piece of gold One piece of gold leaf	15 0	23rd March	Palli Chinnadu.
Two pieces of gold leaves	2 10	Ditto ...	Potnuru Appadu and Aupili Appigadu.
Two pieces of gold ...	15 0	25th March	Potnuru Appadu.
One piece of gold ...	13 8	Ditto ...	Ampilli Appigadu.
	50 0		

(ILLEGIBLE), *for* Collector.

The 14th August 1908.

Treasure Trove.

IN modification of this office Notification R.C. No $\frac{2439}{G.E.}$ of 1908, dated 12th July 1908, it is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that on 9th April 1908, the undermentioned treasure was found in S. No. 140Q, dry land, held in the patta of one Periyakannusami Thevan in Neduvakkottai, village of Mannargudi taluk :—

Description of treasure.

		Weight	Value Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Idol	93½	23	6	0
2.	Tiruvasi	18	4	8	0
3.	Adukku Theepam	5½	1	0	0
4.	Kuttuvilakku	7½	1	6	6
5	Tripod ...	4	0	12	0
6.	Thupakkal	2	0	6	0
7.	Broken bell ...	4	0	12	0
8.	Twelve broken pieces of brass plate ...	1	0	3	0
	Total ...	135½	32	5	6

All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore at his office on the 5th January 1909, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. P. BEDFORD, Collector.

Tanjore Collector's Office, the 19th August 1908.

WANTED a Muhammadan Teacher at present temporarily for the Barasat Government School on a salary of Rs. 20—1—25 a month. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received in this office up to the 18th September 1908. None need apply who has not passed the F.A. Examination.

P. MUKERJI,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 25th August 1908.

WANTED for the North Bihar Famine Surveys Surveyors on a salary of Rs. 80 per month and downwards according to qualifications and one Draftsman on a salary of Rs. 50 per month.

Applications will be received up to 30th September 1908 by the undersigned.

G. W. DISNEY,
Superintendent, Famine Surveys.

Kurseong, the 15th August 1908.

WANTED a competent Estimator for this office capable of taking out quantities from drawings of masonry works (Irrigation and Buildings), checking ordinary calculations and drafting usual reports and specification.

2. Post permanent. Pay Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 70 by annual increment of Rs. 5.

3. The selected candidate will be on probation for six months before being confirmed.

4. Preference will be given to passed Upper Subordinate with practical experience on works.

5. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 10th September 1908.

E. BLABER,
Executive Engineer, Champaran Division.

Motihari, the 23rd August 1908.

WANTED by the Manager, Sarail Ward's Estate, Tippera, a Tauzi Navis on a salary of Rs. 20 per mensem with free quarters. Only experienced men in that capacity need apply within the 10th instant. (1051—1)

WANTED an additional teacher on Rs. 50 a month for the Bayley Gobinda Lall Technical Institute, Rangpur, on probation for six months with prospect of being made permanent.

Preference will be given to a graduate or to a passed F.A. who has completed the course of study of the Overseer class either of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, or of the Dacca School of Engineering.

The applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 7th September 1908. The selected candidate must join at once.

RAMESH CHANDRA DAS,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Rangpur.

Rangpur, the 21st August 1908. (1027—2)

WANTED an Accountant for the Malda District Board's Office for 8 months on a salary of Rs. 55 a month. The applicant is likely to become permanent as the permanent incumbent has been appointed Accountant of the Dinajpur Board on a higher pay on probation for 6 months.

None need apply who is not duly qualified under the rules. The pay attached to the post is Rs. 55 to Rs. 65 on an annual increment of Rs. 2. Applications will be received up to 14th September next.

KADER BAKHSH, Vice-Chairman.

Malda, the 26th August 1908. (1046—2)

Notice.

WANTED a Receiver to the Estate of late Satya Doyal Banerji, of Telinipara, in Title Suit No. 41 of 1907 of the Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Alipore.

Applications will be received by the undersigned till 7th September 1908.

RAJKRISHNA BANERJI, Subordinate Judge.

Alipore, the 26th August 1908. (1039—1)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Head Clerk and Accountant for the office of the District Board, Bakarganj, on a salary of Rs. 100 rising to Rs. 150 by annual increment of Rs. 5. Applicants who must be qualified under Rule 9 of Part IX of the Rules under the Local Self-Government Act, published under Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 21st December 1901, should state their age and residence and enclose verified copies of testimonials.

The selected candidate will have to produce a certificate of good health from a Civil Surgeon and join at once to relieve the present Head Clerk and Accountant who is about to retire.

Applications will be received up to the 15th September 1908.

R. B. HUGHES-BULLER, Chairman.

Bakarganj District Board's Office, Barisal, the 25th August 1908. (1048—2)

WANTED an experienced Draftsman and Estimator for the Public Works Department office, Sikkim, on a salary of Rs. 40 per month. The appointment, though temporary, is expected to continue from year to year for approved service.

Apply with testimonials to the State Engineer, Sikkim. (993—4)

WANTED Sub-Overseers on Rs. 50 and Rs. 45 *p/m* fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15 per month. None need apply who is not qualified to draw pay as above under Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901. Also a Draftsman and Estimator on Rs. 45 per month.

A. C. BANERJEE,
District Engineer, Palamau.

Daltonganj, the 22nd August 1908. (1030—3)

NOTICE.

Estate Bhairab Lall Khettry, deceased.

PURSUANT to section 320 of Act X of 1865 and section 42 of Act XXVII of 1866, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of Bhairab Lall Khettry, late of No. 34-2, Beadon Street, in the town of Calcutta, should, on before the 30th day of September 1908, send in particulars of such claims to the undersigned, after which date no claims will be admitted and assets of the estate of the deceased will be distributed.

ORR, DIGNAM & Co.,
Attorneys for Babus Norendra Nath Mullick and Sarat Kumar Chowdhuri, the Executors to the Estate of the deceased abovenamed.

32, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, this 22nd August 1908. (1029—1—979)

The Indian Metropolitan Life Assurance Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company held on the 15th August 1908 at its Registered Office at No 12, Old Post Office Street, in Calcutta, the following resolutions which had been passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held at its Registered Office on the 18th July 1908 were confirmed, viz.—

"That this Company, which cannot be carried on any longer by reason of its liabilities, may be wound up voluntarily.

That Babu Fakir Chander Dutt be appointed sole and honorary liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the assets with the usual powers as provided in the Indian Companies Act, 1882."

NOGENDRA NATH LAHA, Chairman.

12, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, the 29th August 1908. (1049—1—982)

Bengal Coal Company Limited.

AT the instance of certain Shareholders, Notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the abovenamed Company will be held at noon on Wednesday, the 30th day of September 1908, at No. 5, Fairlie Place, the Registered Office of the Company, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, of passing, with or without modification, collectively or severally, the following Resolutions, namely:—

1. That it is desirable that the Company should be empowered to appoint Managing Agents to carry on and conduct the business of the Company under the control and supervision of the Directors.

2. That the Company's Articles of Association be and the same are hereby amended in manner following:—

(*a*) Article 3, 7th clause, by deleting the words "Superintendent" and "Auditor" and substituting the words "Auditors Managing Agents."

(*b*) Article 13, by deleting the word "two" and substituting therefor the word "one" and by deleting the word "Superintendent" and substituting therefor the words "Managing Agents."

(*c*) Article 15, by deleting the words "by the Superintendent."

(*d*) Articles 29, 47 and 108, by deleting the word "Superintendent" and substituting the words "Managing Agents" in each instance.

(*e*) Articles 87 and 88, by adding at the end of Article 88 the following clause :— "Provided always that if and whenever there are Managing Agents of the Company the remuneration of each Director shall be reduced to and consist of a monthly allowance of Rs. 200 for each Director, plus a Commission (to be divided between the Directors) of one per cent. on the amount from time to time paid by way of dividends or bonus to Shareholders."

(*f*) Article 95 (1), by deleting the words "other than coals the produce of the Company's mines" and by adding the following clause :— All shares in any Subsidiary or other Company formed to acquire property belonging to this Company shall, so far as the terms or agreement for sale may allow, be offered in the first instance to the Shareholders of this Company upon such terms and in such manner as the Directors may determine, any surplus shares being held by or disposed of for the benefit of the Company."

(*g*) Article 96, by deleting this Article and the heading thereof, and by substituting the following heading and Article, namely :—

"MANAGING AGENTS."

"The Company at any time and from time to time may appoint any person or firm to be and act as the Managing Agent or Managing Agents of the Company to carry on and conduct the Company's business subject to the supervision and control of the Directors, and may by Agreement or otherwise determine and define the remuneration and the nature and scope of the powers and duties of such Managing Agent or Managing Agents and the duration of his or their appointment and (notwithstanding the provisions of Articles 82, 83 and 86) may elect the Managing Agent or in the case of a firm one member only thereof a Director without being liable to retirement by rotation or otherwise."

(*h*) Article 97, by adding at the commencement the words "subject to any arrangement for the time being with Managing Agents."

Should the abovementioned Resolutions be passed by the requisite majority, the same will be afterwards submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to another Meeting to be subsequently convened.

By order of the Directors,

J. R. BLACK,

Acting Sperintendent.

5, Fairlie Place, Calcutta, the 24th August 1908.

(1050—1—981)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

Name.	Post Box No.
A	
Abrecht & Co.	19
Arracan Co., Ld.	28
Asiasto & Co., A	37
Alliance Bank of Simla, Ld.	43
Army Department, Government of India ...	62
Allen Brothers & Co.	77
Atherton & Co., G.	88
Assmann & Co., F. A. D.	103
Arthur Koppel	109
Atlas Assurance Co., Ld.	123
Apcar & Co.	130
Acerboni & Co., F.	135
Anderson Wright & Co.	140
Andrew Yule & Co	150
Allahabad Bank, Ld.	165
Artin & Co., Y.	167
Arathoon, Ld.	217
Army & Navy Co-Operative Society, Ld. ...	232
Alexander Young & Co.	243
Austro-English Trade Association ...	251
Ashworth Taylor & Co.	282
"Asian," The	287
Abdul Wahab, S. M.	293
Ahmuty & Co.	305
Anderson-Smith, R.	312
Abdoolabhoy and Joomabhoy Lalljee ...	327
Agarwalla & Co., G. R.	331
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Balmer, Lawrie & Co.	4
Birkmyre Bros.	18
British India Marine Service Club ...	35
Becker Gray & Co.	41
Bird & Co.	46
Bœkel, Wm. Oscar	47
Barlow & Co.	49
Barry & Co.	50
Biswas & Co., D. N.	79
Brindaban Chandra Dutt	84
Bathgate & Co.	86
British-American Tobacco Co., Ld. ...	89
Bank of Bengal Secretary and Treasurer ...	110
Blackburn, G. A.	113
Bakshi & Co., S. A. B.	114
Bengal Coal Co., Ld.	117
Blackwood Blackwood & Co.	120
Boisogomoff, Ld.	128
Burk Brothers	134
Bombay Company, Limited, The ...	139
Begg Dunlop & Co.	171
Balch Baitey & Co.	173
Brooke Bond & Co., Ld.	187
Burn & Co., Ld.	191
Bevan & Co., T. E.	206
Brownlie & Murray, Ld. (Agents) ...	230
Bank of Burma, Ld.	253
Bharat Insurance Co., Ld.	266
Bengal Chamber of Commerce, Secy. ...	280
Burjorjee Framjee & Co.	284
Bandman, Maurice E. (Personal)	288
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Banerjee Brothers (Beadon Sreet) ...	324
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Commercial Bank of India, Ld.	9
Chainrup Sampatram	11
"Capital"	14
Cooke & Kelvey	20
Crompton & Co., Ld.	24
Calcutta Tramways Co., Ld.	32
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	40
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ld. ...	59
Consul-General for Italy	75
Cohn Bros. & Fuchs	91
Carl Lichtenstein & Co.	97
Consul-General for the Netherlands ...	126
Colonial Trading Co. of Trieste, Ld. ...	132
Calcutta Turf Club	162
Cresswell & Co., W. S.	169
Consul-General for France	182
Callarman, J. ...	196
Chunder, S. C.	201
Comptroller, India Treasuries	219
Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes ...	228
Comptroller & Auditor-General ...	224
Carritt Moran & Co.	238
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Delhi & London Bank, Ld.	87
Davenport & Co.	184
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Ghose & Co., K. C.	309
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Hoare, Miller & Co.	63
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Jager & Co., R.	12
John Dickinson & Co., Ld.	45
Jardine, Skinner & Co.	51
Jules, Karpeles & Co.	96
Jessop & Co.	108
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James Scott & Sons, Ld.	152
James Luke & Sons	183
John Davis & Co.	240
James Simpson & Co., Ld.	248
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POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

Mails for	Date of closing.	Latest hour of posting. General Post Office. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.	Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, Fort William, Outram and Wellesley Street Post Offices. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.
United Kingdom Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa and East Africa, and also South Africa if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden.	Sept. 3	8 P.M.	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	P.M.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	2	.....	Parcels 5 P.M. M. O. 4 P.M.	....	5 ,, 4 ,,
*Australasian Colonies.	7	5-45 P.M.	4-30 ,,	4-45 P.M.	2-45 ,,
*Straits Settlements, China and Japan, S.S. *C. Apcar*.	5	8-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5 ,,
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ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Hand-books for the Indian Army—Marathas and Dekhani Mussalmans. Compiled under the orders of the Government of India by Major R. M. Betham. Royal 8vo. Board. Re. 1-8 or 2*s.* (3*a.* 6*p.*)

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List of new books for sale at Thomason College, Roorkee, which were not advertised before.

Roorkee Treatise on "Railways," 4th Edition, revised by F. Wolly Dod, F.C.H. Price, Rs. 3 per copy.
Roorkee Treatise on "Irrigation Work." By Lieutenant-Colonel J. Clibborn, I.S.C., B.A., L.C.E., C.I.E. Price. Rs. 9 per copy.

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Designs for Wooden Bridges, together with rules for calculating the area of waterway, etc., and Plates. By late Rai Bahadur Kunhya Lal. Price per set, Rs. 4-2.
Pamphlet on Examination for Acid Radicals: Tables giving Analysis of Acids. Price per copy, 8a.
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A list of new books and periodicals for sale at the Library of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57 Park Street, Calcutta.

SOCIETY'S PUBLICATIONS.

Journal and Proceedings, Vol. IV, Nos. 1 to 3 at Rs. 2 each.
Ditto ditto, Vol. IV, Extra No., 1908, at Rs. 2 each.
Ditto ditto, Vol. LXXIV, Part 2, 1908, at Rs. 3 each.
Ditto ditto, ditto, Part 3, 1908, at Rs. 2 each.
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Catapatha Brahmana, Vol. 6, Fasc. 1, By Acharya Satyabrata Samasrami, at Re. 1-4.
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Monthly Weather Review, February to July 1907. (Illustrated by 7 plates.) 4to. Paper cover. Re. 1 per month.
Annual Summary of Monthly Weather Review, 1906. (Illustrated by 6 plates.) 4to. Paper cover. Rs. 3.
Memoirs of the Indian Meteorological Department, Vol. XVIII, Part II. By Sir John Eliot. 4to. Paper cover. Rs. 2.
Ditto ditto, Vol. XX, Part II. By J. H. Field, Esq., M.A. 4to. Paper cover Re. 1.

List of Books published by the Meteorological Department during the Current Quarter.

Monthly Weather Review, August and October 1907. (Illustrated by 7 plates.) 4to. Paper cover. Re. 1 per copy.
Monthly Weather Review, September 1907. (Illustrated by 7 plates.) Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1.
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List of new books published by the Geological Survey of India during the week ending 30th July 1908.

Memoirs of the Geological Survey of India, Palæontologia Indica, Series XV, Vol. I, Part I. By Carl Diener, PH.D. Rs. 4-4.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1908.

PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

The Council met in the Council Chamber on Saturday, the 22nd August, 1908, at 11 A.M.

Present:

The Hon'ble SIR ANDREW FRASER, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.
The Hon'ble MR. R. T. GREER, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble MR. W. H. H. VINCENT.
The Hon'ble MR. S. P. SINHA, Advocate-General of Bengal.
The Hon'ble MR. F. W. DUKE.
The Hon'ble MR. W. A. INGLIS, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble MR. H. C. STREATFEILD.
The Hon'ble MR. C. E. A. W. OLDHAM.
The Hon'ble MR. E. P. CHAPMAN.
The Hon'ble SIR CHARLES ALLEN, KT.
The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE, M.A., B.L.
The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH, M.A., B.L.
The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, M.A., B.L.
The Hon'ble MAHARAJA-DHIRAJ BIJAY CHAND MAHTAB BAHADUR, OF BURDWAN.
The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD.
The Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI, M.A., B.L.
The Hon'ble MR. F. A. LARMOUR.
The Hon'ble MR. W. BROWN.
The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL.

NEW MEMBERS.

The Hon'ble MR. W. BROWN and the Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL took their seats in Council.

QUESTION AND ANSWER.

HINDI CHAIR IN THE PRESIDENCY COLLEGE.

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD said :—

In view of the facts—

(*1*) that under the new Regulations of the Calcutta University, vernacular has been made compulsory up to the B.A. standard;

(*2*) that a Bengali chair has consequently been established in the Presidency College;

(*3*) that the Presidency College is the premier institution of the kind in the province;

(*4*) that there are students with Hindi as their vernacular studying in the College;

(*5*) that no provision has been made for coaching them in Hindi; and

(*6*) that the session has already advanced too far,

will the Government be pleased to create a Hindi chair, without avoidable delay, in the College ?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied :—

"Instruction in the vernacular is not actually required by the University Regulations. The University test is practically in composition only, and its sole object is to ensure that students keep up such a knowledge of their own vernacular as to be able to express themselves clearly in it. The number of Hindi-speaking students in the Presidency College is exceedingly small. In the circumstances, the creation of a chair in Hindi does not appear at present to be called for."

THE BENGAL LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1908.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM presented the further Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that the Report which was presented in Council on the 9th March, 1907, and the further Report be taken into consideration.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that the clauses of the Bill be considered in the form recommended by the Select Committee. He said :—

"It will be expected that I should say a few words of introduction to the measure now before the Council, as the Bill has been pending for many years and has come before this Council on three separate occasions.

"The question of the amendment of this Act first arose at the close of 1895, in connexion with a Resolution issued by the Government of India on the subject of the organization of a separate Veterinary establishment in India, in which that Government expressed the view that if, under the existing law, local bodies could not contribute towards the maintenance of veterinary projects, the law should be amended. A Bill was accordingly drawn up in the beginning of 1896, with the object of enabling District Boards to devote some portion of their funds to the establishment and maintenance of Veterinary Dispensaries and to the improvement of the breed of horses and cattle, and the prevention and cure of horse and cattle diseases. The opportunity was

taken of adding provisions to empower District Boards to spend money on the training and employment of medical practitioners and the promotion of free vaccination. The Bill was introduced in Council in the spring of 1896.

"The prevailing scarcity of drinking-water during the summer of the same year drew the attention of Government to the necessity for dealing with the subject of village water-supply in a systematic manner, and this led to the question of village sanitation generally, and to the necessity for raising further funds for the purpose. The Bill, however, was not proceeded with, in consideration, amongst other reasons, of the famine and scarcity of 1896-97, and the possibility, which was then being considered, of the separation of Local from Provincial finance.

"The question of amending the Act was again taken up in 1901, in connexion with a proposal to authorize the levy of tolls on new bridges, until the initial cost and capitalized value of the cost of maintenance or renewal had been recovered. In 1902, a fresh draft Bill was prepared, incorporating provisions with this object, and including the provisions in the Bill introduced in 1896, as well as others. This Bill was again revised and expanded in accordance with certain suggestions made by the Government of India; and a fresh Bill was introduced in this Council by the Hon'ble Mr. Shirres in March, 1904. This Bill was subsequently withdrawn, and another Bill prepared in 1905 containing a number of further provisions, among which the most important were—

(1) to prohibit the diversion of the road-cess to purposes other than those enumerated in section 109 of the Cess Act;

(2) to authorize the imposition of a cess for the purpose of guaranteeing interest on money borrowed for the construction of railways;

(3) to delegate formally to Commissioners of Divisions certain powers which practically, though not nominally, are at present exercised by them;

(4) to improve the position of Union Committees; and

(5) to legalize expenditure from the District Fund on minor works of irrigation.

"After further correspondence with the Government of India, certain modifications were made in the Bill; the provisions in regard to ear-marking the road-cess were omitted, and a new Bill was drawn up and introduced in Council by the Hon'ble Mr. McIntosh in November, 1906. The Bill was referred to a Select Committee, and their Report was presented to this Council on the 9th March, 1907. This Committee recommended that, in view of the very decided opposition to the provisions empowering the Boards to impose a cess to meet payments due in respect of a railway or tramway, these clauses should be omitted. They were accordingly excluded from the Bill.

"After the submission of this Report of the Select Committee, the consideration of the Bill was postponed by His Honour the President, in order that steps might be taken to insert provisions for—

(1) the ear-marking of the road-cess for the objects for which it is collected, and

(2) giving local Union Committees further powers in respect of measures of sanitation, conservancy, drainage and water-supply, and empowering them to supplement the funds available for such improvements by permissive local taxation.

"The Government of India have recently accepted the recommendation of this Government in regard to prohibiting the diversion of the road-cess, with one condition; and they have approved generally of the proposals framed with a view to enlarging the powers and responsibilities of Union Committees. Additional clauses were consequently drafted, as explained by me at the meeting of this Council held on the 11th July last; and the Bill was re-committed to the Select Committee. The further Report of the Select Committee I have presented to the Council to-day.

"It will thus be seen that this Bill, which originally started in a short draft of a few clauses now nearly 13 years ago, has gone on growing like a snow-ball, but with many vicissitudes, till it has attained its present dimensions and form. From a Bill framed merely for the purpose of enabling District Boards to contribute towards veterinary measures, it has developed into a long Bill of sixty-four clauses, dealing with nearly all portions of the Act, and containing many provisions of far-reaching importance. I trust that it has now reached its final stage.

"Omitting the numerous provisions inserted with the object of removing defects and supplying omissions which many years' experience of the working of the Act has brought to light, I may mention the following as some of the more important objects of the Bill :—

(1) to legalize the expenditure of District Board Funds on the establishment and maintenance of Veterinary Dispensaries, the entertainment of Veterinary Assistants and the improvement of the breed of cattle and horses ;

(2) to permit District Boards to contribute towards the training and employment of medical practitioners, and the promoting of free vaccination ;

(3) to authorize the levy of tolls on newly-constructed bridges;

(4) to formally delegate to Commissioners powers which they practically, though not nominally, exercise at present ;

(5) to enable District Boards to spend money on tanks and wells which are not the property or under the control of the Board, and, in the case of famine or scarcity, on minor works of irrigation ;

(6) to permit District Boards to contribute towards the construction and maintenance of hostels attached to private educational institutions of all kinds, to constitute Education Committees and to enable Government to transfer funds to District Boards for this purpose ;

(7) to legalize the expenditure of the District Fund on the construction of residences for the District Engineer, and the payment of advances to members of their establishment for the acquisition or construction of residences ;

(8) to make it obligatory for every District Board to form a Sanitation Committee and appoint a Sanitary Inspector;

(9) to give to Union Committees certain important powers in respect of local sanitation, drainage and water-supply, and

(10) to prevent the diversion of the road-cess to purposes other than those enumerated in the Cess Act.

"A copy of the new Bill was circulated to important Associations, with the encouraging result that several useful suggestions have been received, and but little adverse criticism has been offered. The provisions, in regard to the earmarking of the road-cess, appear to have met with universal commendation. I have adopted a few of the suggestions in some of the amendments which stand in my name."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD said :—"May it please Your Honour—I am satisfied with the Bill which the Select Committee have presented to the Council. I do not desire to object to any provision in the Bill, but I propose the addition of a provision which in my opinion seems necessary.

"There is a provision in section 28 of the Municipal Act relating to the granting of allowance to the Chairman or the Vice-Chairman of the Municipality. I propose the introduction into the Bill of a clause similar to section 28 of the Municipal Act.

"In support of my proposal, I beg leave to say that the work of District Boards will be further multiplied by the operation of the Local Self-Government Amendment Act, which gives additional powers to District Boards and imposes on them corresponding liabilities.

"The nature of the work requires an energetic whole-time Vice-Chairman, and no competent non-official member will be very willing to serve gratuitously. The duties of the Vice-Chairman of the District Board are becoming more and more onerous day by day. The Vice-Chairmen are generally honorary. It is reasonable, therefore, that the District Board should be empowered to grant allowance to the Vice-Chairman. By this I do not mean that every Vice-Chairman should get some allowance; but I certainly mean that if a Vice-Chairman efficiently discharges his duty, and if the District Board thinks fit to grant some allowance to him, the District Board must have the necessary powers. The allowance is a legitimate charge on the District Fund, being one incurred in the performance of the duties imposed by the Act.

"There is also another point which deserves notice. The District Boards are generally more solvent than the Municipalities, and the District Board Vice-Chairman may have to go out on out-door work, and to travel longer distances than a Municipal Vice-Chairman.

"I wish to move—

(1) that after clause 9 (*now* 11)* of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

9A. At the end of section 23 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

'The Vice-Chairman of a District Board may, if the Board thinks fit, receive such allowance as may be fixed by it at a meeting; and

(2) that after clause 26 (*1a*) [*now* 27 *1*)] of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

In the first line of clause *fourthly* of the said section 53, after the word 'payment,' the words 'of the allowance of the Vice-Chairman of the District Board fixed under section 23 of this Act and' shall be inserted."

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM said:—"I am afraid these amendments cannot be accepted. Hitherto, the Vice-Chairmen of District Boards have generously performed their duties without any pecuniary recompense. To pay them for the performance of these duties would undoubtedly amount to a change of principle, and as such would require the approval of the Government of India. To make such a reference now would mean the further postponement of this Bill; and even were the Government of India to agree to such a change in principle, the Bill could not be passed during the current session. I think it will be the sense of this Council that this very long pending measure should not be further delayed on account of a proposal, the propriety of which is open to considerable doubt."

The motion was put and lost.

The Hon'ble MAHARAJA-DHIRAJ BAHADUR, OF BURDWAN, said:—"Before moving the amendments standing against my name, I beg to make a few observations on the Bill that we are about to pass into law to-day. It is a matter of gratification to all of us, who take a keen interest in the welfare of the villagers of Bengal, to find that important sections and clauses have been inserted in the present Bill to improve the sanitary conditions of rural Bengal.

"It is a great Government, Sir, that gives medical aid to the people, but it is a greater Government that also sees to the health of its subjects; as we all know, to comfort the sick and ailing is a noble thing, but it is a nobler endeavour to try and eradicate sickness.

"The Union Committees, and specially the Sanitation Committee of the District Board, should have picked men on their respective bodies, because

* The clauses and sub-clauses of the Bill having been re-numbered under the direction of the Council the present number of each clause and sub clause is inserted in brackets, wherever the new numbering differs from the old.

otherwise the larger powers that are now being given may, instead of becoming a boon, prove to be a source of oppression and unnecessary annoyance to the villagers and the public at large.

"To those who constantly clamour for more self-government in this country, the amended enactment before us ought to give satisfaction. Here, in this Bill, we have splendid opportunities of showing what capacities we Indians have in managing our own affairs, and I hope, therefore, that those who will be entrusted with the new powers that are being given now, will wield them with ability and usefulness.

"The Indian atmosphere just now seems to be surcharged with outcries for more political powers. No doubt the country is awakening; but this new current of ambition should be watched carefully, so that it might not come as a sudden and rude shock to the awakened and the awakeners. Aspirations for self-government can only be healthy for us, if we Indians realize once for all that such things, though very desirable, cannot be demanded, for they have to be deserved. In conclusion, I heartily congratulate the Government on having recognized the absolute necessity of proper village-sanitation in Bengal.

"I beg now to move that to section 41A, in clause 20 (*now* 22) of the Bill, the following be added, namely :—

(*2*) The election of any person to be Chairman of a Union Committee shall be subject to the approval of the District Board.

(*3*) If a Chairman of a Union Committee be not elected within the period prescribed in this behalf by rule made under clause (*c*) of section 138 of this Act, the District Board shall appoint a member of the Committee to be Chairman."

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM said:—"I am prepared to accept both of the proposals of the Hon'ble Member contained in his motion. It is very desirable that, if the Union Committee should fail to elect a Chairman, the District Board should have power to appoint one."

There being no opposition, the Hon'ble the President declared the motion carried.

The Hon'ble MAHARAJA-DHIRAJ BAHADUR, OF BURDWAN, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motion of which he had given notice, namely :—

That in section 99A, in clause 44 (*now* 47) of the Bill, after the words 'irrigation work,' where they first occur, the words '(other than a canal)' be inserted.

The Hon'ble MAHARAJA-DHIRAJ BAHADUR, OF BURDWAN, also moved that the following be added to clause 48 (*now* 51) of the Bill, namely:—

(*3*) After the word 'road,' in clauses (*c*) and (*d*) of the said section 109, the words 'or bridge thereon' shall be inserted.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM, having accepted the amendment, the Hon'ble the President declared the motion carrred.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that after proviso (*1*) (*a*) to section 86A, in clause 41 (*now* 43) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely :—

(*aa*) the expenses incurred by the District Board in paying compensation to the owner of any private ferry for the partial or complete loss of income from such ferry, and in recouping itself for the partial or complete loss of receipts in respect of any public ferry referred to in clause (*4*) of section 52, when such loss results in either case from the construction of such bridge, or the construction or widening of such road-way or foot-way.

He said :—"It will sometimes so happen that the construction of these bridges will injuriously affect some of the private ferries or some of the public ferries, or even at times lead to their extinction. The law on the point is quite clear, that when private ferries are injuriously affected or become extinct in consequence of the construction of bridges, the owner of the private ferry is,

under certain circumstances, entitled to ask compensation from the District Board. In order to obviate all doubt on the point I shall refer to a District Board case reported in Volume 25, Indian Law Reports, Calcutta Series. On page 346 of that volume, the head-note runs thus:—

The District Board of Dinajpore erected a bridge over the river Tulai in consequence of the erection of which ferry, which was within 100 cubits of the bridge and owned by the Maharaja of Dinajpore, who was also the owner of the land taken for construction of the bridge, ceased to exist: Held, that the owner of the ferry was entitled under the Land Acquisition Act to compensation for the loss of the ferry.

"There is another case reported in Volume 34 of the same series, page 485. There the learned Judges observed that:—

In other words, where the ferry landing and the ferry franchise remain precisely as before, though the profits are liable to be depreciated by the new mode of travel legitimately created, no compensation can be claimed; but where by reason of the acquisition itself the exercise of the franchise, or the use of the property pertaining to the franchise, is interfered with, damages can be rightly claimed.

"Now some of these cases clearly go to show that under certain circumstances owners of private ferries will be entitled to compensation if their ferries are affected by the construction of these bridges. But oftener it will happen that District Boards will be deprived of the income derived from private ferries. The income of ferries we all know go to serve useful purposes by helping the District Boards to promote sanitation and primary education in the area over which the District Boards have jurisdiction. Sir, in the new Bill there are several onerous duties imposed upon the District Board, which will necessitate a large expenditure of money. If the District Boards were to lose the income of the private ferries it would be found that there would be less money available for sanitary purposes, and its resources, which would be crippled. Such a crippling of the funds would be undesirable. I think any one that has gone through the various opinions that have been given upon the Bill, in response to Your Honour's invitation asking for an expression of opinion, will find that there is much reluctance on the part of several Associations to the establishment of a toll-bar. They seem to think that it will be a grievous burden on the people and they go further and say it will hamper internal trade. I am not in sympathy with these persons at all; on the contrary, I welcome the introduction of this portion of the measure, for without the levy of a toll it will be absolutely impossible in the present stage of finance of the District Boards to undertake the construction of expensive projects.

"Sir, from those opinions which I have already referred to, Your Honour will be pleased to see that there will be many Members of District Boards who will not cherish the idea and who would naturally be reluctant to vote for the establishment of a toll-bar, for the purpose of constructing a bridge. They will be able to add emphasis to their opposition by pointing out the fact that the Road-Cess Fund will be encroached upon on account of the District Board being liable to pay compensation to owners of private ferries, or there would be a loss of revenue which would retard the promotion of sanitary welfare. The amendment which I propose will really mean the prolongation of the period during which the toll will be collected. One who has any experience of the working of tolls in this country, and I think things are very much the same in other countries, is aware that the opposition and repugnance arises at the very outset; but after they get accustomed to the thing they do not feel the inconvenience due to the paying of tolls, and surely if the period of the levy of tolls is prolonged inconvenience will not be felt by the people. I think, Sir, for these reasons it is inadvisable to cripple the resources of the District Board, which will be the result as I have attempted to point out. I, therefore, submit this amendment for your favourable acceptance."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"It seems to me that the owners of private ferries will be entitled to compensation under the circumstances

referred to in the amendment which is proposed. The cases to which reference has been made by the mover of this amendment settles this point, and I think the expenses incurred should be paid by the District Board. This can be provided for in the Act, and I think the proper place for a provision like this will be in section 86(*a*)."

The Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said:—"In supporting this amendment, I ask permission to withdraw the amendment in my name which is similar in effect. At the time I was not aware of the fact that my hon'ble friend had sent in this amendment; otherwise it would not have been necessary for me to send in this amendment, though it is larger in scope. In sending in my amendment I had contemplated cases, in which for some reason or other the establishment of a toll-bar would not be possible. But having listened to the Hon'ble Member, I think that the greater portion of my amendment would be covered by his amendment. And I do not think it necessary to press for the acceptance of the remainder of my amendment. I, therefore, beg leave to withdraw my amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE said:—"I am afraid that there is some misapprehension on the part of the mover of this amendment. The last case to which he has referred shows clearly that no owner of a ferry is entitled to compensation on account of the making of improved means of communication which may reduce his profits. The case is not only not in his favour, but clearly against him.

"I can quite sympathize with landlords and owners of ferries who will incur some loss if bridges are made, and if the Government so chooses it may grant them compensation; but this compensation has to be paid by the District Boards. When such an expensive work as a bridge is made it must be made at the cost of the whole district. In such a case, I think it reasonable that private owners of ferries might incur some loss for the good of the public."

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL said:—"I support the amendment of my hon'ble friend, Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, and I fail to understand the opposition of my friend on the right. It has been clearly stated by my friend, the mover of the amendment, that it is just and proper if the owner of a ferry is deprived partially or wholly of a loss of income to which he was entitled on account of the construction of a bridge or the widening of a road-way or foot-way he should be compensated. The case which has just been quoted by my friend, the Hon'ble Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, fully supports his contention, and the opposition of my friend on the right and the arguments he has adduced do not in any way convince me that the amendment is not necessary. As far as I understand, he says that the owner of a ferry ought to suffer some loss on account of some improvements by which the District Board benefits. It ought not to be forgotten that the owner of a ferry has obtained this privilege on payment of a certain amount of rent. If then he is deprived of that source of income, or his income is diminished in any way, he is entitled to compensation. I think, therefore, this is a perfectly fair proposal which ought to commend itself to the Hon'ble Members for acceptance."

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM having accepted the amendment, the Hon'ble the President declared the motion carried.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, also moved that in proviso (*2*) to the said section 86A, in clause 41 (*now* 43) of the Bill, after the letter "*a*" the letters "*aa*" be inserted.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM having accepted the amendment, the Hon'ble the President declared the motion carried.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, also moved that after clause (*a*) of section 86L, in clause 41 (*now* 43) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

(*aa*) the amount of the expenses incurred by the District Board in paying compensation to the owner of any private ferry for the partial or complete loss of income from such

ferry, and in recouping itself for the partial or complete loss of receipts in respect of any public ferry referred to in clause (*4*) of section 52, when such loss results in either case from the construction of such bridge, or the construction or widening of such road-way or foot-way.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM having accepted the amendment, the Hon'ble the President declared the motion carried.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, also moved that clause 42 (*now* 44) of the Bill be omitted. He said:—

"I move this amendment not without considerable hesitation. I have not been quite able to realize the object of introducing this provision whether the object is to enable District Boards to make such contributions or to safeguard any grant resolved upon by the District Board, by the sanction of Your Honour, I do not know. I have not been quite able to realize the exact object for which section 88A has been enacted. The reason why this hesitation arises is this, that under the present law there is no provision for a grant for water-supply or grants of contributions for construction or maintenance of water-works within municipal areas. As a matter of fact, several grants for water-supply within municipal areas have been made, and they are appreciatively referred to in the Government Resolution on the working of the District Boards. I think, Sir, that the diversion of money derived from rural areas and from a rural population to purposes which will tend to ameliorate the sanitary condition of the people residing within the town is wrong in principle. Your Honour will also be pleased to remember that there is no provision in the Municipal Act, by which a municipality can reciprocate in a similar generous manner for the benefit of the rural areas. It is notorious that the water-supply in areas within the jurisdiction of the District Board is inefficient; there is also some apathy on the part of District Boards to improve the water-supply and strictures have been passed on them in the Government Resolution on the working of District Boards. In recent times, the tendency to make such grants for the improvement of water-works or the construction of water-works within municipal areas has been very much in evidence, and I think it is becoming a growing tendency. I shall remind Your Honour of what has been said in the Bengal Administration Report of 1906, with regard to water-supply:—

The total expenditure increased by Rs. 29,976, or by about 28 *per cent.*, but the increase occurred wholly in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, where the expenditure was almost doubled; in the rest of the Province, there was a decline in expenditure. The District Boards of Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga and Palamau incurred no expenditure under this head; while in Howrah, out of the budget provision of Rs. 3,000, only Rs. 678 were spent against Rs. 464 spent in the previous year out of the similar budget provision. In the Presidency Division, the expenditure increased by Rs. 21,839. In Nadia, 21 wells were completed and 12 more taken in hand, while Rs. 1,099 were spent as interest on loans taken under the Land Improvement Act. In Jessore, 23 tanks were excavated at a cost of Rs. 14,014, and 5 wells were made. In Khulna, seven tanks were completed, work to the amount of Rs. 9,628 done on eight others, and 20 tanks were taken up under the grants-in-aid system at a cost of Rs. 7,349. In Gaya, the District Board made a grant of one lakh of rupees to the Gaya Municipality towards the water-works scheme, and in Monghyr the District Board paid during the year a second instalment of Rs. 10,000 out of the promised contribution of Rs. 30,000, towards the Victoria Water-Works in the town of Monghyr. Out of a total allotment of Rs. 1,500 made by the Sambalpur District Council under this head to the two tahsils, only Rs. 450 were brought to account.

"It is well-known, Sir, that whenever any scheme for water-supply is conceived in respect of any Municipal town, there is always a very keen scramble for the collection of money to pay the capital expenditure. We all know that it is only by the imposition of the highest water-tax under the law that the bare cost of maintenance can be met. On these occasions it is usual to approach the Government to make generous grants; and also local munificence is appealed to. The response is not always equal to expectations cherished. When some amount is secured there is always a scramble to get more, and the only possible source they can look to is the District Board. The District Magistrate, naturally, and if I may be permitted to say so, very properly, takes a keen interest whenever any scheme for water-supply within

municipal areas is brought forward. He naturally would have an inclination to see that a portion of the District Fund, devoted to that purpose. It is also a notorious fact that most of the influential Members of District Boards, who are residents within municipal areas, are personally interested in having a water-supply in the place where they reside. It is, therefore, not at all difficult to get a resolution passed by a District Board such as it is constituted, to apply, and, without meaning any disrespect,—I say misapply, the money of the District Fund for promoting the sanitary welfare of towns, especially district towns. I think, Sir, Your Honour will set your face against such a diversion of money of the District Boards, whose wants are daily growing, but the growth of whose resources are not keeping pace with the numerous works they are entrusted with.

"With these words, I beg to move that this clause be omitted. I understand that by the omission of this clause it would not be possible for the District Boards to spend any money for a purpose like this. I am not quite sure if the Boards can legally spend any money of their own for the purpose of water-works in towns even if section 88A be omitted. It is only for that reason and apprehending that District Boards will spend money for water-works in towns as they have hitherto done, even if section 88A be omitted, that I have proposed an alternative amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE said:—"I have much pleasure in seconding the amendment so ably moved by my friend, the Hon'ble Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur. I understand that amendments to this effect stood in the name of several Members when the first Report of the Select Committee was presented. It is well-known that the resources of many of the important districts in these provinces have been very much crippled by the inclusion of the water-works into the accounts. I do not agree that water works are outside the scope of beneficent works of District Boards, because a very large proportion of the population of the district live there and have to go there. The unhealthiness of a district is a matter of serious importance to the people. But while conceding that the District Board might continue the maintenance of water-works from District accounts, it must not be forgotten that the resources in command of District Boards are so limited that they could ill-afford to make any such contributions. I believe that the Government will in future help in the construction of water-works and their maintenance as generously as Your Honour has done during Your Honour's tenure of office, and I hope that the District Boards will not continue to provide anything out of their scanty resources for the construction and maintenance of water-works."

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL said:—"In connexion with this amendment, I regret that I cannot support my hon'ble friend, Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, although in this matter I find that my hon'ble friend on my right has enthusiastically supported it. Sir, I have followed with great interest the arguments adduced by my hon'ble friend, Rai Kishori Lal Goswami and his supporter, my hon'ble friend, Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose. Both contend that the District Boards are not in a position to contribute to the maintenance of water-works, wells or tanks in the Districts; but the question is this, if they are not in a position to contribute, who asked them to do so? The Bill, as drafted, clearly gives the District Board discretionary power: if they are able to contribute they will do so, with the consent of the majority of the Members of the District Boards; and even then their hands are fettered. It is only with the sanction of he Local Government that they can contribute: so my hon'ble friend will see that it is not compulsory on the part of District Boards to contribute for the maintenance of water-works in the District. It is said that the District Magistrate naturally takes great interest in the Municipality and he is the President of the District Board. It is just and proper that he should. The District Boards are comparatively rich bodies and the Municipalities poor bodies, and therefore it is only right that the District Magistrate who looks to the well being of his own District would try to help the Municipalities. Then, Sir, we are well aware that the Municipalities, generally

speaking—not even excepting the Calcutta Municipality—have to strain their utmost to carry out the various requirements of the Act. Even so rich a Municipality, as the Calcutta Municipality, has not sufficient funds to carry into completion the various necessary works for the sanitation of the town, and when the Council is discussing the Budget then I shall perhaps ask for funds for the Calcutta Municipality. While we are thankful to many philanthropic gentlemen for their munificence, I fail to understand why we should not avail ourselves of the resources of District Funds when they are in a position to contribute towards beneficent works which will benefit the whole district.

"Under these circumstances, I do not think that this section ought to be deleted from the Bill, but it should be retained."

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD said:—"I think it is my duty to bring to Your Honour's notice that I have served on the Municipality and the District Board of Patna for about 25 years, and I still belong to both these bodies, and my experience, judging from the Patna district, is that District Boards are always solvent and Municipalities are always in want of money. Residents of districts are interested in the sanitation of their head-quarters. Your Honour is aware that zamindars and raiyats have frequently to attend Courts and have to attend to other business at head-quarters. Then, the members of District Boards and members of other associations have often to go to head-quarters. It is, therefore, in their interests to see that the town or head-quarter is in a sanitary condition. Your Honour is aware that epidemics are more prevalent in towns than in villages, and I think therefore that District Boards should always be allowed to contribute towards the sanitation of the towns. There is the safeguard and it is a very proper safeguard, that the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor is necessary for this purpose. The Government will not allow District Boards to contribute when they themselves are in want."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I wish very much to say that all District Boards are not like the Patna District Board, of which my friend is the President. I unfortunately come from a part of the country where District Boards have always been found to have insufficient funds to meet the cost of works, which legitimately fall within the scope of the Boards. Sir, in this Council we have, during Budget discussions, dealt with sanitation in rural areas, especially as regards water-works which are very much neglected, or rather the District Boards find it impossible to carry out that work in the manner they would like. When we remember this, I cannot certainly go against the amendment moved by my hon'ble friend, Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, and I think that the District Board should be confined to the very necessary purposes for which the fund was created, although I do not go so far as to say that any contributions made by the District Boards to any water-works in municipal areas is a mis-application of that fund. Certainly I say, regard being had to the interest of rural areas, a contribution is unnecessary. A Municipal Board can very well take care of the areas in its charge, and District Boards should primarily hold all its funds for all works which are in the legitimate scope of that Board. My friend, the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal, has pointed out one fact, that section 88A does not make it compulsory on the District Board to make a contribution and, to safeguard this, section 88A will be allowed to stand in the Bill. District Boards will too frequently be led to the belief that this provision has been specially enacted that District Funds should be applied to the work comtemplated by section 88A. I do not agree, therefore, with my hon'ble friend, Babu Radha Charan Pal, that section 88A should be allowed to stand. So I certainly support the amendment moved by the Hon'ble Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM said:—"Government cannot accept this amendment. The Hon'ble Rai Bahadur Kishori Lal Goswami has said that he cannot understand why this provision should have been inserted. I can explain this to him. Clause 42 (*now* 44) was inserted in this Bill in its earlier stages, with the

object of legalizing contributions from the District Fund towards the improvement of the water-supply in municipalities situated within the district. The legality of such a contribution formed the subject of discussion in 1893, when a contribution was made for such a purpose by the District Board of Shahabad to the Municipality of Arrah. The Legal Remembrancer at the time gave his opinion that such a contribution was legal; but it seemed to Government that this opinion might at any time be called in question, in view of the declaration in section 1 that the Act shall not extend to any place or town to which the provisions of the Bengal Municipal Act have been extended. The object is clearly one to which a portion of the District Fund may very properly be devoted, since a pure water-supply in a municipality is a benefit to the district generally, and an outbreak of infectious disease caused by an impure water-supply within a municipal area may result in the spread of the disease to all parts of the district. It has been provided, as a safeguard, that any such contribution shall be subject to the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor.

"The Hon'ble Member who has moved this amendment has read out certain figures in the cases of Gaya and Monghyr, comparing the amounts contributed towards the water-works with the amounts spent on original works. He has forgotten to point out that one class of expenditure is recurring, and one non-recurring.

"The Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose has said that he knows that many Boards have been crippled by contributing to the establishment of water-works. He has carefully avoided mentioning the name of any such District Board. I do not know to which Boards he refers. I am not aware of any such case. Both these gentlemen have spoken as if District Boards would be compelled to make such contributions; but as the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal has pointed out, it is entirely optional with them to do so.

"In fact I am astonished, Sir, that a merely permissive provision of this nature should have given rise to the remarks that have fallen from some of the Members to-day.

"The Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh assumes that rural areas will be neglected for urban areas; but I would point out to the Hon'ble Member that we are specially providing elsewhere in this very Bill for the improvement of water-supply in rural areas."

The motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, also moved that the following proviso be added to section 88A, in clause 42 (*now* 44) of the Bill:—

Provided that no application for such sanction shall be made unless it is authorized by a resolution which has been passed at a meeting specially convened for the purpose and in favour of which a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members of the District Board have voted.

He said:—"I have already referred to the personal composition of District Boards which is peculiarly favourable to making grants for water-supply within rural areas. It would be very desirable in making this permissive section, as the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill has said, to safeguard in such a way that really the permission emanates from those interested vitally in the welfare of the district, and with the sufferance of a considerable majority of the members of the District Board. I have proposed this additional safeguard that there should be a majority of two-thirds to authorize a grant for water-supply, and I think this would be considered as very reasonable. My hon'ble friend, Babu Gajadhar Prasad, has remarked that he has a long-standing connection with both the District Boards and the Municipality. I think my friend, like another individual in a more critical condition, created by the imagination of the poet, finds himself faced by a divided duty when he has got to consider the interests both of the District Board and the Municipality.

It is not often that we hear of a District Board in affluent circumstances. I think we hear the contrary story very often. From the passage I have just read from the Administration Report, it will be quite clear that the Government has been year after year putting spur on the District Boards to spend considerably bigger amounts for water-supply in rural areas, and the Government regrets that more is not spent. Surely, the agency for the judicious use of money for the water-supply has been settled in this Bill by investing Union Committees with power to deal with sanitary conditions in their areas, and I hope there will be a larger demand when the Union Committees' work is properly defined, as it is hoped it will be under the new law. I think, Sir, what I have said will show that the safeguard I have proposed is eminently necessary to prevent an injudicious diversion of money from sanitary purposes within rural areas."

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE said :—"I beg to second the amendment just moved by my friend, the Hon'ble Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur. You have heard that the new section has been introduced in order to avoid all objections as to the legality of making provision for water-works. It is no good now referring to that matter again because it has been passed. The question now is, should we put some safeguard against the improper use of the District Board Funds for the purpose of the construction and maintenance of water-works? It is said that it is a permissive section. The money can only be spent by the District Boards themselves. I do not agree with my hon'ble friend, Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, that District Boards are not independent bodies and that the District Officers often exercise undue influence over them. On the contrary, I think District Magistrates would stand between them and the people of the district when occasion arises. But the mischief is not there, the mischief is that most of the members of District Boards reside in the district towns, and as we are all human beings we cannot forget our own individual convenience and safety, forgetting the convenience and health of the poor unfortunate population of the district who do not reside there. For the safety of the great agricultural population of this country, who are not represented on the District Boards, this safeguard is absolutely necessary. It is not right to say that because this is a permissive section no amendment is necessary. Everything would have been right if the great mass of the population were represented.

"It is the town population mostly that forms the District Boards. I have said that they are independent and they have shown this on occasions, but they are human beings. As regards the objections of my learned friend, the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal, who said he wanted money for the Calcutta Municipality, I think it would have been better if he had not mentioned that.

"Your Honour, the Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh and myself, who represent the District Boards, are in favour of this amendment. As regards the gentlemen who represent the Municipalities, I place the Hon'ble Babu Gajadhar Prasad in the category of a person who has the interest of the Municipalities more at heart than the interest of the District Boards he represents. He is very anxious, as we all know, to have the water-works at Bankipore; therefore his advice on this occasion cannot be called very disinterested."

The Hon'ble THE PRESIDENT here intimated that the Government were prepared to accept the amendment.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE remarked :—"As the Government is going to accept the amendment, I need say no more."

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM said :—"I wish to say, Sir, on behalf of Government, that I am prepared to accept this amendment, provided that the words 'total number of the' be inserted before the word 'members' in the last line of the proposed amendment."

The amendment was then put in the following form, namely: —

Provided that no application for such sanction shall be made unless it is authorized by a resolution which has been passed at a meeting specially convened for the purpose and in favour of which a majority of not less than two-thirds of the total number of members of the District Board have voted.

The Hon'ble THE PRESIDENT declared the motion carried.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, also moved—

(1) that in the second paragraph of sub-section (*1*) of section 118B, in clause 53 (*now* 55), of the Bill, the word "houses" be substituted for the word "property"; and

(2) that the following be added to sub-section (*1*) of the said section 118B, in clause 53 (*now* 55) of the Bill, namely:—

Explanation.—'Houses' include huts, shops, granaries and warehouses and buildings of all other kinds.

He said:—"The reason why I propose this change is that I understood the object and scope of these special provisions for special taxation to be that the tax should be limited only to the actual residents of the hamlet for whose sanitary improvement this money is to be spent. The present wording of the Bill unduly widens the basis for taxation, including amongst the assessees persons who are only remotely interested in the sanitary work to be done there. The first victim will be all the zamindars who have got lands within the Union and who will come under the operation of this Act. They already pay a tax for the improvement of the sanitation of the place, and there should not be a further impost levied from them in the guise of a special taxation. The members of the Union Committees will be mostly the agriculturists, and they would very much prefer that the zamindars are made to pay for sanitary works to be done in accordance with the special provision laid down in the Bill. The next class of people who will also suffer and who ought not to suffer on account of this Act will be those cultivators who live outside the limits of the Union; but who hold lands for cultivation. I think, Sir, this tax ought to be confined to persons who actually own or occupy houses within the limits where special sanitary works are to be done. This portion of the Bill professes to be modelled on the Village Chaukidari Act and the Chota Nagpur Rural Police Act, under which a tax is levied for the protection of the life and property of people residing in villages. Section 7 of the Chota Nagpur Rural Police Act says:—

All owners or occupiers of houses in any village, and every zamindar or under-tenure-holder who has a bhandar or cutchery for the collection of rent within the village shall be liable to assessment for the purposes of the Act.

"In the Village Chaukidari Act, section 14, says:—

'All owners or occupiers of houses in any village, and any person who has within such village a cutchery for collecting rents, shall be liable to assessment for the purposes of this Act.'

"I think, Sir, this provision of the Bill ought to run on the same lines and the assessment should be restricted to the owners or occupiers of houses which will, according to the definition hereafter given, include cutcheries of the zamindars."

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM said:—"I cannot advise the Council to accept this amendment. There is no sound reason in my opinion why the assessment should be confined to owners or occupiers of houses within the Union. It is presumed that the Hon'ble Member has chiefly in mind the case of absentee landlords, and that he wishes that they should escape assessment if they have no house within the Union. I cannot accept this view; and I am supported in this by the opinion of others, several of whom are themselves landed proprietors. The new provisions in regard to Union Committees empower such Committees to take measures in respect of tanks, wells and water-courses as

well as houses. If a Union Committee re-excavate, enlarge, deepen or otherwise improve a tank, or repair or deepen a well or water-course, benefit will accrue to the owner. It is obvious that the owner of such property should be liable to contribute towards the cost of such improvement, equally with persons who own or occupy houses within the Union. It is conceivable, on the other hand, that a person who merely owns some land within the limits of the Union may not benefit in any way from works carried out with the object of improving the sanitary conditions of a village. It may be argued that such persons should not be liable to assessment. On the other hand, all persons assessed under the section have the right of appeal (under section 118C) to the District Board, if they consider they have been unjustly or improperly assessed; and if dissatisfied with the decision of the District Board in the matter, they can move the Divisional Commissioner to exercise his power of revision. Looking, however, to the fact that the new provisions are principally directed towards the sanitary improvement of villages, I would be prepared to accept the following proposal:—

> That in section 118B (*1*), in clause 53 (*now 55*) of the Bill, for the words 'the owners or occupiers of property' the following be substituted, *viz.*, 'the owners of buildings, tanks, wells or water-courses, or the occupiers of buildings.'

"The term 'building' is preferable to 'house' for obvious reasons."

There being no opposition, the Hon'ble the President declared the amended motion carried.

The Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI, by leave of the Council, withdrew the following motions, of which he had given notice, namely:—

(1) that after proviso (*1*) to section 86A, in clause 41 (*now* 43) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

> (*2*) Provided always that when, owing to the construction of a bridge, there is any loss to the owner of a private ferry, such loss will be compensated out of the proceeds of the toll-bar, or out of the funds of the District Board when no tolls are levied.

(2) that in line 9 of section 118B, in clause 53 (*now* 55) of the Bill, the word "houses" be substituted for the word "property."

The Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI also moved that in proviso (*c*) to sub-section (*2*) of section 118B, in clause 53 (*now* 55) of the Bill, for the word "seven" the word "four" be substituted.

This amendment being opposed by the Hon'ble Mr. Oldham, the Hon'ble Babu Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari moved that the word "five" be substituted for the word "seven" in the same proviso.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM having accepted this amendment, the Hon'ble the President declared it carried.

The Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI also moved that after clause 29A (*now* 32) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

> 29B. After section 60 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—
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> '60A. A District Board may form, as occasion may require, permanent or temporary committees in a village or group of villages for carrying out general or specific works of sanitation, such as the digging of wells and tanks, the cutting of jungles and the draining of marshy places, &c.'

He said:—"This, Sir, is purely a permissive section, and ought not to meet with any opposition. The reason why I have thought it necessary to make a permissive provision like this is this: It is conceivable that works outside the scope of individual Unions and which would take up more of the District Board's time than it would care to bestow on them would be neglected. The Unions will no doubt do good work, but their number is not very large; and even if their number be considerably enlarged, their constitution will be more

or less formal and con fined to their own units. The Unions will not be able to take up work not strictly within their jurisdiction. I, therefore' propose that District Boards—if it is found necessary to do so—should have power to appoint Committees able to take up work outside the purview of Village Unions. These Committees, if appointed, will be able to give time and energy for the proper carrying out of works which the Board would not be able to attend to.

"It is really not a new thing. My hon'ble friend, Babu Jogendra Nath Mookerjee, who served previously on the Council, raised this question and pointed out that it was desirable to have organisations like those which I suggest to carry on special work. The Village Unions themselves are not able to do it, and the District Boards themselves are not able to attend to it. Under these circumstances it seems to me that it is desirable to have some organizations of the kind suggested, and if the proposal is accepted, an agency may be provided which will be able to do good work."

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD said:—"I second the amendment, and my experience as Chairman of a District Board is that in villages the digging of wells and tanks are generally entrusted to people of a village and a headman, but of course they are not recognized as a Sub-Committee. They do the work and it is afterwards passed. I think we should be better provided for in the Act."

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM said:—"It is for such purposes as those mentioned by the Hon'ble Member that Union Committees may be appointed under the Act; and it is more especially to enable the Union Committees better to carry out such measures that the new provisions extending their powers and responsibilities have been inserted in the present Bill. On the other hand, it might lead to serious difficulty if two authorities were established with concurrent jurisdiction in the same area. The existing provisions in the Bill appear to me to fully provide for the case. If such work did not come within the scope of a Union Committee, the District Board have themselves sufficient power under the law as it stands. I think this amendment should, therefore, be rejected."

The motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble Mr. Oldham moved that for clause 19 (*now* 21) of the Bill, the following be substituted, namely:—

> 19. In the proviso to section 36 of the said Act, for the words 'the Local Board to which the Union Committee creating such appointment is subordinate,' the words 'the District Board' shall be substituted.

He said:—"This amendment is necessitated by the terms of section 119, sub-section (*1*), which provides that the District Board may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, direct that any specified Union Committee shall act as the agent of, and shall be subject to the control of, a Local Board, instead of the District Board, either for all purposes or for the purposes specified in the order; and sub-section (*3*) enacts that so long as an order made under sub-section (*1*) with respect to any Local Board continues in force, the reference to the District Board in the foregoing sections of the Act shall, so far as may be necessary, be read as if made to such Local Board."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that for clause 21 (*now* 23) of the Bill, the following be substituted, namely:—

> 21. In section 44 of the said Act, for the words 'the Local Board to which it is subordinate as hereinafter provided,' and for the words 'the Local Board,' the words 'the District Board' shall be substituted.

He said:—"This amendment similarly is consequential upon section 119."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that for clause 28 (*now* 30) of the Bill, the following be substituted, namely:—

28. In section 58 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, for the words 'the Local Board to which such Union Committee is subordinate,' the words 'the District Board' shall be substituted.

He said:—"The same explanation applies here."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that in clause 42 (*now* 44) of the Bill, for the words "the construction, repair and maintenance, under the provisions of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, of water-works, wells or tanks within the district," the following be substituted, namely:—

(*a*) the construction, repair and maintenance, under the provisions of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, of water-works, wells or tanks within the district; or

(*b*) taking measures under the said Act for the prevention of plague in the district.

He said:—"Clause 42 (*now* 44) of the Bill, as already explained, empowers District Boards, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, to contribute towards the cost of the construction, repair and maintenance, under the provisions of the Bengal Municipal Act, of water-works, wells or tanks within the district. Such contributions have been made in the past, and it has been decided to specifically provide for them. There is another kind of contribution which has also been made in the past, and for which it is doubtful whether the Act provides at present. Since the advent of plague to this Province, Municipal authorities have in many cases exhausted their resources in taking measures against this scourge; and District Boards have, in several instances, come to their help. A question has recently been raised as to whether the Act authorizes such contributions. Plague usually breaks out first in the larger municipalities, and spreads thence into the farther parts of the district. It is manifestly in the interests of the district as a whole that prompt measures should be taken to prevent or to stamp out, when they occur, such outbreaks; and it is only right, therefore, that District Boards should have power to assist in case of emergency in such measures. It has been thought advisable to take the present opportunity of making this clear."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that after sub-section (*1*) of section 91, in clause 42A (*now* 45) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

(*1a*) The Civil Surgeon of the district shall be a member *ex-officio* of the Sanitation Committee of his district.

He said:—"Section 91 enacts that every District Board shall appoint, to be members of Sanitation Committees, not more than five nor less than three members of the Board. It is very important that the Civil Surgeon of the district should always be a member of this Committee, and it has been thought necessary to provide definitely for this in the Act."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that after sub-section (*1*) of section 118B, in clause 53 (*now* 55) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

(*1a*) The Union Committee shall appoint one of their number to receive and collect the said assessment, and to grant receipts for the same, and to keep the accounts thereof; and may permit the person so appointed to retain any sum, not exceeding five *per cent.* of the amount collected by him, to repay the costs of such collection.

He said:—"Section 22 of the Village Chaukidari Act, 1870, provides that every panchayat shall appoint one of their number to receive and collect the rate, and to keep the accounts thereof. There is no similar provision, however, in the Chota Nagpur Rural Police Act. As section 118B will apply to districts in which the Chota Nagpur Rural Police Act is in force, as well as to districts

in which the Village Chaukidari Act is in force, it has been decided to insert a general provision of the nature indicated in this amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE, by way of amendment, proposed that the words "or any other person" be inserted after the words "one of their number" in the above amendment.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM having accepted this, the motion was put in the amended form and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that in sub-section (*2*) of section 118B, in clause 53 (*now* 55) of the Bill, for the figures "15 to 20, 22, 25 to 34, 47 and 63," the figures "15 to 19, 25 to 29, 31 to 34, 46A, 46B and 63" be substituted.

He said:—"A careful scrutiny of the two Acts in question has disclosed the necessity of slight alteration in the section in respect of the sections of the Village Chaukidari Act, 1870, to be applied."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that in the same sub-section, for the figures "8 to 11, 13, 15 to 21, 34 and 36," the figures "9, 10, 13, 15 to 18, 20, 21, 34 and 36" be substituted.

He said:—"The same remarks apply in this case".

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that after proviso (*a*) to section 118B (*2*), in clause 53 (*now* 55) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

(*aa*) the references in section 46B of the said Village Chaukidari Act, 1870, to the chaukidari assessment shall be construed as references to the assessment imposed under this section.

He said:—"This is a consequential amendment".

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that proviso (*e*) to sub-section (*2*) of section 118B, in clause 53 (*now* 55) of the Bill, be omitted.

He said:—"This is also a consequential amendment".

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that in sub-clause (*qq*), in clause 59 (*now* 60) of the Bill, for the figures "118A," the figures "118B" be substituted.

He said:—"It will be clear to the Hon'ble Members that section 118B should also be included under sub-section (*qq*) of section 138".

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that clause 36 of the Bill be omitted.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also, with the permission of the President, moved that to clause 26 (*3*) (*now* 27 (*4*), of the Bill, the following be added, namely:—

and

(*d*) of the expenses of any of the poorer inhabitants of the district for journeys to and from any hospital established in any part of British India for the treatment of special diseases.

He said:—"Clause 36 of the Bill empowers a District Board, with the approval of the Commissioner, to defray the expenses of poorer inhabitants of

the district for journeys to and from any hospital established in any part of British India for the treatment of special diseases. This clause was inserted chiefly with the object of extending to servants of District Boards and poor inhabitants of the district the concessions granted by the Government of India as to the treatment of Government servants at the Pasteur Institute at Kasauli. It has been pointed out, however, that the effect of the clause as it stands would be that the power given by it would have to be exercised by the members of the District Board in meeting, and the approval of the Commissioner then obtained. Obviously this procedure might involve delay of perhaps a month. In the case of a person bitten by an animal suffering from rabies, immediate action for his despatch to Kasauli should be taken. It is advisable, therefore, that a quicker procedure should be provided. This object will be attained by inserting the provision about the payment of such expenses in clause 26 (*3*) (*now* 27 (*4*), of the Bill, that is, under section 53 of the Act."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also, with the permission of the President, moved that in sub-clause (*iii*) of section 118C, in clause 53 (*now* 55) of the Bill, for the word "holding" the word "property" be substituted.

He said:—"As Hon'ble Members will observe, this is merely a question of drafting."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also, with the permission of the President moved that in sub-clause (*o1*), in clause 59 (*9*) *now* 60 (*10*), of the Bill, for the words "famine-relief," the words "the relief of famine, serious distress or scarcity" be substituted.

He said:—"This amendment is necessitated by the amendment made in section 99 and the terms of the new section 99 (*a*)."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that clause 5A (*now* 6) of the Bill be numbered 6, and that all necessary changes be made in the numbering of the remaining clauses and sub-clauses.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM then moved that the Bill, as settled in Council, be passed.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE said:—"It gives me great pleasure to find that this great and beneficent measure, inaugurated by Your Honour, is going to be made law to-day. The diversion of the road-cess to purposes other than those for which it was originally imposed was a standing grievance of the people. It remained for you to remedy it and the people ought to be grateful to you for it. I need not take up the time of the Council by recapitulating the history of the road-cess and the difficulties of the District Boards and by showing the magnitude of the service rendered by Your Honour. It is known to all and appreciated even by the papers which see nothing good in British rule. Your Honour has also earned the gratitude of the people by listening to the objection raised in my note of dissent to the first Report of the Select Committee, embodying the opinion of many of the non-official Members and expunging the provision about the imposition of the railway cess. Now I have to speak of a matter of supreme importance to the people under your charge, namely, the new provision about making sanitary improvements in the rural areas. The growing unhealthiness of the districts of Bengal is just now the greatest danger to the people and a matter deserving of the most serious consideration at the hands of the Government.

"Whatever might be said against the Government and its Officers, it would be very ungrateful indeed not to acknowledge what has been done by them for the education of the people, medical help to them and the prevention of epidemics and the improvement of sanitation in this country—matters to which

all past Governments were all but indifferent and impotent on account of ignorance and prejudice. Indeed, our ideas of the education of the masses, and the necessity of adopting measures according to sanitary science, and the like, are the outcome of European science and European democratic ideas. British officials may be haughty, and I for one would like to keep aloof from them whenever possible; but I know that there is not one among them who does not feel that he is here for the amelioration of the condition of the people under his charge. The defects of the British Rule are many, but to say that it has been the cause of famines, plagues and malaria would not be correct and be rather ungrateful, and the person who, knowing it, does not say so, helps in the propagation of untruth.

"Your Honour has once again vindicated the character of the British Governor for his earnest solicitude for the welfare of the people under his charge, by the introduction of the new provisions about sanitation. Your Honour has supplied self-governing bodies with limited powers of taxation for carrying out sanitary improvements. I am thankful to the Select Committee for accepting the safeguards against improper taxation, which I thought would take away all objections to it.

"The Select Committee have provided that the rates can be imposed by the people's representations when two-thirds of them agree to it; then again a moderate limit has been placed on the power of taxation. But I cannot but give expression to my apprehension that the means at the command of the District Boards and Union Committees would be quite insufficient to meet the necessities of the case. The ear-marking of the road-cess will also handicap the District Boards in many matters and probably in the matter of education. Indeed, though much has been done, very much more ought to be done, and people who have received Western education are greatly dissatisfied because they find that, as compared with other civilized countries, so little is done in this country, and they hold the Government responsible for the general ignorance and comparative poverty of the people and also for the many thousands of preventable deaths. It is, however, easy to criticize, but very difficult to do. However, the passing of the present measure is not enough, unless the Government will rise to the occasion and find money for very much larger grants for education and sanitation. My only regret on the present occasion is that Your Honour has been unable to raise the proportion of the elected Members of District Boards as you intended to do. But I believe that a larger measure of self-government will soon be granted, and we need not be impatient. In conclusion, I must say that I would be failing in my duty as a representative of the District Boards if I do not give expression to my gratitude to Your Honour for this great measure of far-reaching beneficence."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

The Council was then adjourned to Saturday, the 5th September, 1908.

CALCUTTA;
The 25th August, 1908.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 26th August 1908.*

PERSIAN GULF.

Shat-al-Arab river, western entrance—Alteration in buoyage.

No. 350 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 82 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—With reference to Admiralty Notice to Mariners, No. 1163 of 1908, two new buoys have been laid down to mark the deepest channel now existing, and the positions of the undermentioned buoys in the Western entrance to the Shat-al-Arab River have been altered as follows:—

Name of buoy.	Distance moved.	Depth now moored in and position from Fao Lights.
A new black conical buoy.		1 fm. distant 12·8 miles S. 55° E.
A new red cask buoy ...		1 fm. distant 12·9 miles S. 57° E.
'Outer bar' ...	S. 75° E., 2 cables ...	2⅝ fms. distant 15·5 miles S. 52° E.
'Lawrence' ...	S. 20° E., 1·2 cables ...	1¾ fms. distant 12·6 miles S. 50° E.
'No. 2' ...	S. 79° W. 3 cables, (in line with inner bar buoy and No. 1 buoy).	1½ fms. distant 7·5 miles S. 64° E.

Position.—Fao Lights, lat. 29° 58′ 35″ N., long. 48° 29′ 25″ E.
Variation.—0° 10′ E.
Charts affected.—No. 1235, Shat-al-Arab and Bahmishir River.
„ 2837, Persian gulf, western sheet.
Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 208.
Authority.—H. M. S. "*Sphinx*" Hydrographical Note, No. 1.

CHINA SEA—Cochin China—Saigon river approach.

Cape Ti Wan—Shoals south-eastward of—.

No. 351 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1173 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned shoals exist to the south-eastward of Cape Ti wan, in the eastern approach to Saigon river.

Position.—Cape Ti wan, lat. 10° 22½′ N., long. 107° 15′ E.

Depths.	Bearing and distance from south extreme of Cape Ti wan.
4½ fathoms, sand ...	... S. 77° E., $2\frac{2}{10}$ miles.
3½ „ rock ...	... S. 40° E., $3\frac{3}{10}$ „
3 „ „ ...	... S. 30° E., 2 „

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1269, Approaches to Saigon river.
„ 1261, Saigon river to Kam ranh bay.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 416.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 1205 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—Sandwich islands, Hawaii and Maui islands.

Kailua bay and Nakalele head—Establishment of lights postponed.

No. 352 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1179 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The establishment of lights at the undermentioned places in Hawaii and Maui islands is postponed until further Notice.

(*a*) Hawaii island.

Position.—On Kukailimoku point, half a mile westward of Kaliliki point, Kailua bay.

Lat. 19° 38½′ N., long. 156° 0′ W., on plan No. 1377.

(*b*) Maui island.

Position.—On Nakalele head.

Lat. 21° 2′ N., long. 156° 37′ W.

Charts affected.—No. 1377, Plan of Kailua bay.
„ 1510, Sandwich islands.
„ 3102, Hawaii to lat. 6° 15′ N.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, page 117.

Pacific islands, vol. III, 1900, pages 205, 212.

Notices to Mariners Nos. 866, 868 of 1908. (*This office Nos. 281 and 283 of 3rd July 1908.*)

Authority.—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 2233, 2234 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Tasmania, west coast.

Macquarie harbour entrance—Lights and beacons established; Rock northward of Bonnet island.

No. 353 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1183 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned lights and beacons have been established in the entrance to Macquarie harbour, and a rock exists northward of Bonnet island.

Position.—Entrance island light, lat. 42° 12′ S., long. 145° 13½′ E.

1. Lights established.

(*a*) *Position.*—On west breakwater extension, about 25 yards within its outer end, at a distance of 1,500 yards N. 39° W. from Entrance island light.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Remarks.—The western breakwater has been extended 1,000 feet in a N. 32° W. direction.

(*b*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 1,100 yards N. 21° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*White fixed.*

(*c*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 1,235 yards N. 47° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*Red fixed.*

(*d*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 1,770 yards N. 78° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*White fixed.*

(*e*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 2,280 yards N. 83° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Remarks.—The beacon situated at a distance of 1,280 yards N. 80 E. from Round hill ▲ no longer exists.

2. Leading beacons.

Position.—On west entrance point of harbour:—

(*a*) Front beacon, situated at a distance of 520 yards S. 7° W. from Entrance island light.

(*b*) Centre beacon, situated at a distance of 440 yards S. 29° W. from Entrance island light.

(*c*) Rear beacon, situated at a distance of 430 yards S. 54° W. from Entrance island light.

Remarks.—These beacons in line, bearing N. 47° W., lead through the fairway above Bonnet island, in a least depth of 12 feet.

3. Telegraph cable beacons.

Position.—A submarine telegraph cable is laid across the channel about one cable above Bonnet island light, the ends of which are marked by a pair of beacons on either shore.

4. Rock northward of Bonnet island.

Position.—Situated at a distance of 1250 yards N. 5° E. from Bonnet island light.

Depth.—3 feet.

Remarks.—This rock has been named Bowra rock.

Remarks.—A new edition of chart No. 3531 will shortly be issued.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3531, Entrance to Macquarie harbour.

„ 1629, Macquarie harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 323.

Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 636, 637, 639.

Authority.—Marine Board, Strahan, May 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Newchwang approach.

Liau river entrance—Bar signals established.

No. 355 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1187 of 1908), are republished:—

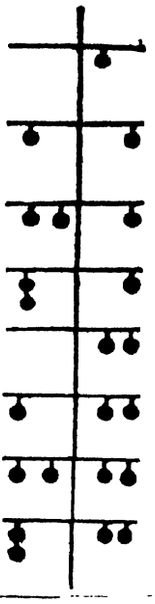
Subject.—The undermentioned signals to indicate the depths on the bar of Liau river, Newchwang approach, are shown from a mast 125 feet in height, the yard of which is 95 feet above high water.

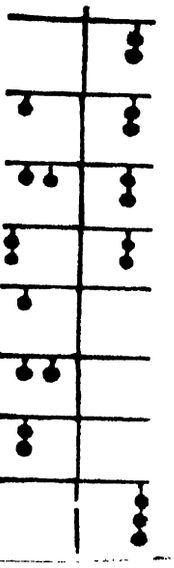
Position.—On eastern bank of river, near Nodding Tommy beacon.

Lat. 40° 40′ N., long. 122° 10¼′ E.

Signals:—

Depth on Bar.	West Yardarm.	East Yardarm.	Depth on Bar.	West Yardarm.	East Yardarm.
Feet.			Feet.		
8			16		
9			17		
10			18		
11			19		
12			20		
13			21		
14			22		
15			23		





Remarks.—A ball is hoisted at the masthead when the tide is rising.

Until further Notice, these signals will be shown in the daytime only.

Charts affected.—No. 2894, Liau river.

„ 1256, Gulfs of Pe Chili and Liau Tung.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 645.

Authority.—Newchwang Notice, No. 185, dated 15th June 1908.

CHINA SEA—Banka island, north-east coast.

Horse rocks—Reef northward of—.

No. 356 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1193 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A reef is reported by the Netherlands Government Steamer *Pharus*, to exist northward of Horse rocks, north-east coast of Banka island.

Position.—Lat. 2° 15¾′ S., long. 106° 31′ E.

Depth.— 6 feet.

Remarks.—This reef has been placed on the charts and marked "Pharus (1908)."

Charts affected.—No. 2137, Gaspar strait.

„ 2149, Banka and Gaspar straits.

„ 941*a*, Eastern archipelago, west.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 529.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1317 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, NORTH-EAST COAST—ARU BAY.

Sembilang channel—Depth.

No. 357 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1194 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The bar and other shoal places in the Sembilang channel have recently been dredged, and the least depth is now as undermentioned.

Position.—Pilot-vessel *Aroe Baai*, lat. 4° 11¼′ N., long. 98° 21¾′ E.

Depth.—From the Pilot-vessel to Pangkalan Susu, there is now a least depth of 16 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 3586, Aru bay.
,, 1353, Diamond point to Pulo Berhala.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 94.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1306 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—BANKA ISLAND, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Marawang road and approaches—Buoys established.

No. 358 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1198 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys have been established in Marawang (Pankal Pinang) road and its approaches.

Positions—

(*a*) *Position.*—On south side of Karang Pedis Selatan.

Lat. 1° 54′ S., long. 106° 15′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Black can buoy, with truncated cone topmark.

(*b*) *Position.*—On south-west side of Sullivan rocks.

Lat. 2° 1¼′ S., long. 106° 16¼′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Black can buoy, with truncated cone topmark.

(*c*) *Position.*—In Marawang road, to mark sunken wreck.

Lat. 2° 4¾′ S., long. 106° 15′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Small green buoy.

(*d*) *Position.*—North side of reef in approach to Koba.

Lat. 2° 26¾′ S., long. 106° 25½′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Black can buoy.

Charts affected.—No. 2597, Banka strait.
,, 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, pages 529, 532, 533.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1316 of 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA)—SIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Moji Ko—Buoys replaced by light-buoys.

No. 359 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1200 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned light-buoys have been established in Moji Ko, Simonoseki strait, to mark the limits of the First district in the harbour.

Position.—Harbour Office signal mast, lat 33° 56¾′ N., long. 130° 57½′ E.

(*a*) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of 7 cables, S. 70° W., from Signal mast at Harbour Office.

Description.—Iron truncated conical buoy, painted red, surmounted by a lattice-work structure carrying the lantern, exhibiting, at an elevation of 11 feet above the sea, a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
4 secs.	2 secs.

Remarks.—The red conical buoy formerly moored in this position has been withdrawn.

(*b*) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of $2\frac{2}{10}$ cables, N. 26° W., from the same Signal mast.

Description.—Iron truncated conical buoy, painted white, surmounted by a lattice-work structure carrying the lantern, exhibiting a *white fixed* light, at an elevation of 11 feet above the sea.

Remarks.—The white conical buoy formerly moored in this position has been withdrawn.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3114, Moji and Simonoseki Ko.

„ 1578, Approach to Simonoseki strait.

„ 532, Simonoseki strait.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 502; and Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 294 of 1908. (*This office No. 120 of 28th March 1908.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1195 of 1908.

CAUTION WHEN APPROACHING GERMAN COASTAL WATERS.

No. 360 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1202 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The German Government has given Notice that under certain circumstances, such as manœuvres, ordinary exercises, or for other causes, it may be necessary to prohibit free entrance into German harbours and river mouths by night.

Signals.—To indicate that entrance to a harbour is closed, or that obstructions exist therein, three red balls by day and three red lights by night, placed vertically one above the other, will be shown in a conspicuous position near the approach to the harbour.

Caution.—Vessels must then approach the harbour with the greatest caution. At night it is advisable, when possible, to anchor until daybreak outside the prohibited area.

The same course should be pursued if search lights are at work, or signals given, the meaning of which is not recognisable from the Sailing Directions or Light Lists.

Examination—

Service.—All merchant vessels desirous then to enter or leave these privileged harbours, must not enter or leave without a pilot, and must submit to examination if required.

The establishment of an Examination service will not be notified publicly, but, so far as possible, the requisite reports and directions will be given to approaching vessels by Patrol ships, which will also carry the abovementioned signals, viz., three red balls by day and three red lights by night, and also, under certain circumstances, the pilot flag.

The Examination commission (and pilots) are on board the Patrol ships; it is in the real interest of Masters of vessels to comply with all directions received from them.

Under all circumstances vessels are prohibited from passing the line of Patrol ships without communicating with them.

On a gun being fired or signal made from a Patrol ship, all merchant vessels must stop immediately.

Publications.—Baltic Pilot, part I, 1904, page 47.
Baltic Pilot, part II, 1904, page 4.
North Sea Pilot, part IV, 1901, page 3.
Africa Pilot, parts I, II, and III.
China Sea Directory, vol. III.
Pacific Islands, parts I and II.
Notice to Mariners No. 348 of 1907. (*This office No. 168 of 12th April 1907*).

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1584 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—FORMOSA (TAIWAN), EAST COAST.

So o wan (Suao bay)—Leading beacons established.

No. 361 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1206 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—Two pairs of leading beacons, as undermentioned, have been established in So o wan.

Position.—Chissennia ▲, lat. 24° 36¼′ N., long. 121° 51′ E.

1. Leading beacons on northern shore of bay.

(*a*) Front beacon.

Position.—Sauopia ▲ bearing N. 23° E., distant $\frac{9}{10}$ of a cable, and Chissennia ▲ S. 82° W.

(*b*) Rear beacon.

Position.—Situated at a distance of nearly $\frac{4}{10}$ of a cable, N. 3° W., from front beacon.

2. Leading beacons on western shore of bay.

(*a*) Front beacon.

Position.—Chissennia ▲ bearing N. 18° W., distant $4\frac{3}{10}$ cables, and Sauopia ▲ N. 35° E.

(*b*) Rear beacon.

Position.—Situated at a distance of nearly $1\frac{1}{10}$ cables, S. 86° W., from the front beacon.
Description.—Pole beacons, each surmounted by a diamond shape, painted white.
Remarks.—These beacons in line bearing respectively N. 3° W., and S. 86° W., indicate the anchorage.
Variation.—1° W.
Chart affected.—No. 3658, Plan of So o wan.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 235.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1189 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Mindoro island—Shoal southward of—.

Panay island—Shoals north-eastward of—.

No. 344 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1136 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal has been found to exist to the southward of Mindoro island, and several shoals exist off the north-eastern point of Panay island, as undermentioned.

1. Southward of Mindoro island.

Position.—North extreme of Semirara island bearing N. 59° E., distant 12¾ miles, and the S.E. entrance of Ilin island N. 13° W.

Lat. 12° 0½′ N., long. 121° 9′ E.

Depth.—3½ fathoms.

Remarks.—This shoal, which was reported by the lighthouse tender *Corregidor*, has been placed on the chart in the above position and marked "Corregidor 1908."

2. North-eastward of Panay island.

Position.—Gigantes island lighthouse, lat. 11° 39¼′ N., long. 123° 22′ E.

Depth.	Bearing and distance from Gigantes Lighthouse.
4¼ fathoms	N. 27° W. $4\frac{8}{10}$ miles.
4 „	N. 43° E. 11½ „
4 „	N. 62° E. $13\frac{8}{10}$ „
3½ „	N. 65° E. $10\frac{4}{10}$ „
3½ „	N. 68° E. $5\frac{1}{10}$ „

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 971, Semirara, Ilin, and Ambolon islands.
„ 2577, Philippine islands.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, pages 234, 263.

Authority.—Manila Notices, Nos. 39 and 42 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip entrance—Occasional use of search light.

No. 345 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1139 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—In connection with defence operations at Port Phillip heads, and in the South channel, an electric search light is occasionally used.

Caution.—Should the light be so powerful as to dazzle any person in charge of a vessel, and thus to render navigation of the entrance or South channel hazardous, he should exhibit a *blue* light, when the use of the search light will be discontinued until the vessel is beyond its influence.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 424, 439.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice, No. 16 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST—VICTORIA.

Geelong outer harbour—Beacons erected.

No. 346 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1152 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned beacons have been erected on the shores of Geelong outer harbour.

Position.—Point Wilson, lat. 38° 5½′ S., long. 144° 30½′ E.

1. On southern shore of harbour, with Point Wilson bearing N. 1° W., distant $4\frac{8}{10}$ miles, and Point Henry pier head N. 62° W.

2. Leading beacons.

(*a*) Front beacon, on southern shore of harbour, with the abovementioned beacon (1) bearing S. 80° W., distant 10 cables, and Point Wilson N. 14° W.

(*b*) Rear beacon, on southern shore of harbour, at a distance of 2½ cables, S. 53° E., from the front beacon

These beacons in line, bearing S. 53° E., lead through the fairway between the buoys southward of Wilson spit in about 25 feet at low water.

3. On Point Henry, with No. 4 beacon, Hopetoun channel, bearing N. 20° E., distant $3\frac{8}{10}$ cables, and No. 6 beacon N. 72° W.

Remarks.—The beacons are painted white.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.
„ 1171*b*, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 465 and 484.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Psyche*, Hydrographic Note, No. 1 of 1908.

COAST OF CHINA.

Typhoon Warning Code—Additional signals.

No. 347 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1156 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned signals have been added to the Typhoon Warning Code in use at Zi-ka-wei Observatory and the storm signal stations on the coast of China.

Signals:—

PART I.

THREE SYMBOLS.

(Representing approximate position of centre.)

SERIES I.

No.	Meaning.
111.	Yap.—Pelew Group. Centre between S. and W. (any distance).
112.	Guam (from Guam to Yap): „ S. „ W. within 240 miles.
113.	Bonin Group „ „ S. „ E. (any distance).
121.	Yap: Centre between S. and E. beyond 240 miles.
131.	„ „ S. „ E. within „ „
132.	„ „ N. „ E. within „ „
141.	„ N. „ W. beyond „ „
142.	„ N. „ W. within „ „
143.	Guam S. „ E. beyond „ „
151.	„ S. „ E. within „ „
152.	„ N. „ E. (any distance).
153.	„ „ N. „ W. within 240 miles.
154.	„ „ N. „ W. beyond „
161.	Pacific about lat. 15° to 20° N., long. 135° to 140° E.
162.	„ „ „ 15° „ 20° N., „ 130° „ 135° E.
163.	Bonin. Centre between N. and E. (any distance).
164.	„ „ „ N. „ W. „
165.	„ „ „ S. „ W. beyond 240 miles.
166.	„ „ „ S. „ W. within 240 „

Publications affected.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 26 to 29; and Supplement, 1907.

Notices to Mariners Nos. 1060 of 1905 and 399 of 1908. (*This office Nos. 444 of 13th November 1905 and 149 of 16th April 1908.*)

Authority.—Publication issued by the Zi-ka-wei Observatory.

CHINA SEA—PALAWAN ISLAND, EAST COAST.

Deep bay—Shoal eastward of—.

No. 348 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1162 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal is reported by the Master of the S.S. *Garcia Pitogo* to exist to the eastward of Deep bay, Palawan island.

Position.—From the south-west extremity of shoal, Reef island bears N. 66° W., distant 8¾ miles, and Bold (Acantilada) point, N. 38° E.

Lat. 9° 51′ N., long. 119° 0½′ E.

Depth, &c.—From the position given above, the S.S. *Garcia Pitogo* steered over the shoal in a N.E. by E. direction for a distance of 1½ miles, obtaining soundings of from 5½ to 11½ fathoms.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.

„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern position.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 284.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 40 of 1908.

CHINA, SOUTH COAST—Canton river.

Taimei point—Amendment to depths shown on charts.

No. 349 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1171 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The undermentioned depths shown on the chart to the south-eastward of Taimei point, Canton river, require amendment.

Position.—Taimei point ▲, lat. 23° 3¼′ N., long. 113° 17½′ E.

Amendment.—The three soundings of 4 feet, situated at distances of $1\frac{8}{10}$ cables S. 65° E., $1\frac{8}{10}$ cables, S. 48° E., and 1¼ cables, S. 29° E., respectively from Taimei point ▲, should be expunged, and replaced by depths of 9 feet.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 3647, Whampoa to Canton.

„ 1739, Canton river, sheet V.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 100.

Authority.—Coast Inspector, 12th June 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Victoria point, Mergui archipelago—Intended exhibition of light.

No. 333 (third publication).—

Particulars.—On or about the 1st November 1908 a light of the undermentioned description will be exhibited from Victoria point at the entrance of the Pakchan river.

Position (approximate).—Lat. 9° 59′ N., long. 98° 33′ E.

Description.—*White fixed*, dioptric.

Order.—6th order.

Visibility.—6 miles.

Charts affected (Admiralty).—No. 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang, &c.

„ 216*b*, Sayer islands to Lord Loughborough island

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1907, page 67.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, pages 420, 421.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, 28th July 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Bassein river—Purian bank buoy disappeared.

No. 334 (third publication).—In continuation of this Office Notice to Mariners No. 312, dated 31st July 1908, the following additional particulars, etc., relative to the above are published:—

Particulars.—The red conical buoy marking the edge of the shoal water that extends from the shore northward of Purian Point has disappeared.

Former position.—In 4¾ fathoms N. 41° W., 7 miles from Purian Point.

Variation.—1° E.

Remarks.—The above buoy will be replaced by another when the weather permits.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 834, Bassein River and Approaches.

Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, page 341.

Authority.—Port Officer, Bassein.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam.

Samit point—Shoal westward of—.

No. 335 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1113 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal or obstruction, on which the S.S. *Donai* touched, is reported to exist in the undermentioned position.

Position.—Lat. 10° 51′ N., long. 102° 50¼′ E.

Depth.—Not ascertained. A sounding of 18 fathoms was obtained immediately after touching.

Remarks.—This shoal has been placed on the charts and marked "Donai 1908. (Position approximate.)"

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2722, Koh Kut to Bay island.

„ 2414, Gulf of Siam.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages 368, 377.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 1098 of 1908.

JAPAN—Kiusiu, south coast.

Bono Misaki (Me saki)—Light established.

No. 336 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1114 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A lantern light of the undermentioned character has been established on Bono Misaki (Me saki), south coast of Kiusiu.

Position.—Lat. 31° 15′ 3″ N., long. 13° 12′ 37″ E. on chart No. 372.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Elevation.—70 feet.

Visibility.—8 miles.

Light power.—45 candles.

Structure.—Wooden staff, painted white.

Charts affected.—No. 372, Kagosima kaiwan.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Nipon.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
„ 1263, China sea.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 205.
Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 522.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1183 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—KWANG TUNG PENINSULA.

Ryojun Ko (Port Arthur) approach—Buoy established.

No. 337 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 1116 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A buoy of the undermentioned character has been established in the approach to Ryojun Ko (Port Arthur).
Position.—Situated at a distance of 4¾ miles N. 61° E. from Encounter rock.
Lat. 38° 37′ N., long. 121° 43¼′ E.
Description.—Red cylindrical iron buoy.
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1256, Gulfs of Pe Chili and Liau Tung.
„ 1262, Hong Kong to Gulf of Liau Tung.
Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 585.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1184 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Bluff harbour—Night signal established.

No. 338 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1123 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A signal of the undermentioned character has been established at Bluff harbour to warn vessels waiting to enter at night that an outward-bound vessel is in the channel.
Position.—At Stirling point lighthouse.
Lat. 46° 37′ S., long. 168° 23′ E.
Signal.—A *white fixed* light exhibited seaward, through the South channel, at about 7 feet below the *red fixed* light.
Visibility.—About 4 miles.
Remarks.—The day signal, a square flag shown from the flagstaff on Stirling point, is unaltered.
Chart affected.—No. 3484, Awarua or Bluff harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1689.
New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 312.
Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 35 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND, WEST COAST.

Greymouth harbour—Amended night tidal signals.

No. 339 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1124 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The night signals for crossing the bar at Greymouth have been altered and are now as follows :—
Position.—Lat. 42° 26½′ S., long. 171° 13′ E.

Signal.	Indication.
Signals.—*White* harbour light ...	Wait.
Red light under *white* harbour light	Bar unsafe.
Green light over *white* harbour light	Bar safe for vessels drawing 9 feet.
Green light under *white* harbour light	„ „ „ 11½ „
White light over *white* harbour light	„ „ „ 14 „
White light over, and *green* light under, *white* harbour light	„ „ „ 16 „

Remarks.—No vessel should enter the harbour until the signal lights are shown.
Chart affected.—No. 2591, River Waiau to cape Foulwind, with plan.
Publications.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 371, 472; and Revised Supplement, 1906.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 34 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Circular head—Light established.

No. 340 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1125 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character is exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected near Circular head, north coast of Tasmania.
Position.—Situated on a rocky point at a distance of about 1½ miles, N. 25° W., from the summit of Circular head.

Lat. 40° 44¼′ S., long. 145° 17½′ E.

Character — White and red fixed (unwatched).
Elevation.—49 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Sectors.—*Red* from S. 67° E. to S. 25° E., over the reef off North point.
White from S. 25° E., through south and west, to N. 65° W.
Structure.—White wooden hut.
Order.—6th (dioptric).
Remarks.—The exact position of this light is not stated. It has been marked on the chart "Position approximate."
Variation—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross island to Circular head.
„ 1695*b*, Bass strait.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 319.
Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 619.
Authority.—Hobart Notice, dated 27th May 1908.

CHINA SEA—PESCADORES (HOKO) ISLANDS, PONGHAU ISLAND.

Makung harbour (Bako Ko)—Wreck in entrance.

No. 341 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1130 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A wreck of the undermentioned description is situated in the entrance to Makung harbour (Bako Ko), Ponghau island.
Position.—Triumphant point bearing N. 59° W., distant 5 cables, and west extreme of North Fort point North.

Lat. 23° 32¼′ N., long. 119° 33′ E., on chart No. 1338.

Description.—The wreck of H.I.J.M.S. *Matsushima*, showing a mast and funnel above water.
Variation.—1° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1338, Pescadores islands, inner anchorages.
„ 1961, Pescadores islands.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 213.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1187 of 1908.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—GULF OF ADEN.

Aden outer harbour—Temporary light-vessel removed and replaced by light boat.

No. 342 (third publication).—With reference to this office Notice to Mariners No. 131, dated 3rd April 1908, the following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 79 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—On and after the 1st September 1908, the temporary Light-vessel moored 7½ cables west from the Residency flagstaff on Ras Tarshein (exhibiting two white fixed lights placed horizontally) will be removed, and will be replaced by a light boat of the undermentioned description, showing lights of the character given below.
Position.—7½ cables west from the Residency flagstaff on Ras Tarshein. Latitude 12° 46¾′ N.; Longitude 44° 57¾′ E.

Character of Lights.—Two red fixed, vertically placed 8 feet apart.
Description of Vessel.—Painted red, exhibiting by day a red ball at the masthead.
Variation.—1½° W.
Remarks.—The blue lights at present exhibited every half hour will be discontinued.
Charts affected.—No. 3660, Aden Harbour;
„ 7, Aden Harbour and Approaches.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 25.
Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 350; and Supplement, 1904.
Authority.—Port Officer, Aden.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Gulf of Aden.

Aden harbour—Intended light.

No. 343 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 80 of 1908), are republished :—

Particulars.—On and after the 1st September 1908, a light of the undermentioned character will be established on the summit of the headland which forms the western boundary of Conquest Bay.
Position.—Latitude 12° 45′ 50″ N.; Longitude 44° 59′ 20″ E.
Character.—White, revolving every 30 seconds.
Elevation.—180 feet.
Visibility.—15 miles from N. 62½ E. through North to N. 36½ W.
Order.—Catoptric 2nd order.
Description of light-house.—Wooden structure seven feet by six feet, painted in diagonal black and white stripes, and besides the structure stand two poles each thirty feet in height painted black and white in alternate bands.
Variation.—1½° W.
Charts affected.—No. 6B, Gulf of Aden, Sheet II.
„ 2523, Red Sea (General Chart).
„ 8E, Red Sea, Sheet V.
„ 7, Aden Harbour and Approaches.
„ 1012, Arabian Sea.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 25.
Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 5th edition, 1900, page 349.
Authority.—Port Officer, Aden.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1907.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.—POLICE.

Dated Calcutta, the 27th August 1908.

RESOLUTION No. 3074P.

READ—

The Report on the Administration of the Police Department for the year 1907.

Read also—

The Report for the year 1906 and the Resolution of Government thereon.

MR. C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE, I.C.S., held charge of the office of Inspector-General of Police for the first quarter of the year. Mr. A. V. Knyvett, C.I.E., officiated for him for the remainder of the year. The report has been written by Mr. L. F. Morshead, I.C.S., who relieved Mr. Knyvett on his retirement in March 1908.

2. Substantial progress was made during the year towards the reorganization of the staff in accordance with the proposals sanctioned by the Secretary of State in 1906. Nine Probationary Assistant Superintendents and eight Deputy Superintendents were added to the cadre. There was an increase in

the subordinate establishment of 20 Inspectors, 40 Sub-Inspectors, 150 Head-Constables and 792 Constables. The majority of this increased staff was appointed for investigation work. Three hundred and seventeen town chaukidars were replaced by Constables during the year. The replacement of the remaining 183 was left to be carried out on the arrival of recruits on completion of their training from the Constables' Training schools. A scheme is now under preparation for the reorganization of the River Police. New rules for the recruitment of Sub-Inspectors were introduced during the year. Under these rules candidates are nominated by District Committees, consisting of the District Magistrate, the Deputy Inspector-General of the Range and the Superintendent of Police. The nominees are then assembled for selection at different centres in the Province, the list of selected candidates being finally passed by the Inspector-General of Police. It would be premature at present to forecast the results which the new system of recruitment and the change in working practice will bring about. The investigating staff is passing through a transition stage, and the working of the new system will be watched with interest. It appears to be a defect in the rules that they do not provide for sufficient enquiry into the antecedents of candidates before they are registered as eligible. In a few cases candidates have been admitted into the force, who were afterwards found to be undesirable. This is especially likely to be the case when there is a difficulty in obtaining eligible candidates in any particular district and its vacancies have to be supplied from adjacent districts. The Lieutenant-Governor trusts that this defect will be speedily remedied.

Training Schools.

3. There was practically no change in the course of instruction prescribed at the Police Training College and the Constables' Training Schools. Good work was done at all these institutions. An interesting advance is being made in the introduction of a course of training in shorthand. Six selected cadets received training in shorthand at the Bhagalpur Church Missionary Society's Institution, but had not attained sufficient proficiency to be able to report at meetings. A special officer has recently been appointed to give instruction in this subject at the Training College and to work out a system of shorthand suitable to the Bengali language.

The Police Training College was removed to Ranchi at the close of the year. The Constables' Training School formerly at Purulia was removed to Berhampore in October.

Discipline.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor notices with satisfaction that the education of the force has been improved. Ninety per cent. of the officers and 32 per cent. of the men could read and write: in the previous year only 26·4 per cent. of the men were literate. The percentage of officers departmentally punished has, however, risen from 12·9 in 1905 and 17·5 in 1906 to 19 in the year under report. Thirteen per cent. of the men were departmentally punished as against 13·6 per cent. in 1906. The number of convictions under the Penal Code was 114, an increase of four over the figure for the previous year. Three charges of torture were brought against the police during the year, the same number as in each of the two preceding years. It is satisfactory to note that the number of charges of extortion brought against members of the force has steadily decreased. There were 37 such charges in 1905, 32 in 1906, and only 15 in 1907. The Lieutenant-Governor has no doubt that the improved pay and prospects of the police have already begun to lead to a steady improvement in morale. He agrees with the Inspector General that what is chiefly wanted at present is to instil into Inspectors a greater sense of their own responsibility; and he anticipates that the efforts which are being made in this direction will produce increasingly good results in the discipline and conduct of the force.

Health.

5. The average daily percentage of sick in hospital has fallen from 1·8 in 1906 to 1·6 in the year under review. The figures show that the Burdwan Division is the most unhealthy; but Purnea is the worst individual district with a percentage of 4·2. Hooghly and Angul are the next most unhealthy districts.

Town Police.

6. Further steps have been taken towards the reform of the Town Police. The full force sanctioned has not yet been provided, but is being gradually worked up to as funds permit. As stated above, further progress has been made towards the complete replacement of town chaukidars by Constables. The results so far are certainly satisfactory. The Town Police succeeded in effecting an increased number of arrests. A new scheme of patrol has been introduced in Patna City and is now under consideration for general adoption.

Rural Police.

7. It cannot be said that the new system of chaukidari administration, which has been introduced in several districts of the Province, has produced all the results that were anticipated from it. The success of the system depends mainly on the selection of suitable persons to be Presidents of panchayats. In districts where this has been effected, the system has worked satisfactorily; but it cannot be denied that in other districts it has resulted in a loss of touch between the regular and the rural police. In some cases it may not be possible to obtain suitable Presidents. But the Lieutenant-Governor acknowledges with pleasure the success which has attended efforts really made in certain districts. His Honour desires also to record his appreciation of the public spirit of some zamindars who have given themselves to this work with most valuable results. Wherever the Presidents of panchayats are not in full sympathy with the administration or do not realise their responsibility for the work of the chaukidars, there has been delay in reporting crime, and the usefulness of the village chaukidar, as far as the surveillance of bad characters and assistance in investigation are concerned, has been, to a certain degree, impaired. The system is at present only tentative, and its working will be very carefully watched. It must, however, be observed that the officers who were most sanguine as to the success of this system always regarded it as a necessary condition to success that a whole-time Deputy Magistrate should be employed to supervise the work of the panchayats, attend to their recruitment and verify the administration in each district. It has not been possible as yet to appoint these officers; and until this has been done, the system can hardly have a fair trial. Meanwhile the Lieutenant-Governor trusts that the greatest care and tact will be exercised by District Magistrates and Superintendents of Police not only in selecting panchayats, but in seeing that the orders which have been passed as to their treatment and their relations with the local police are properly carried out.

The total number of chaukidars in the Province has been reduced by 2,000. The Lieutenant-Governor is satisfied that care has been taken to see that the number employed does not exceed local needs. There is still great diversity in different districts in the system of rewarding and punishing chaukidars. The average fine imposed upon chaukidars in the district of Gaya was Rs. 3-3; in the district of Hazaribagh it was 2 annas. In the latter district the amount paid in rewards fell from Rs. 1,180 to Rs. 90 in 1907. The Lieutenant-Governor reiterates his opinion that in some districts the punishments are too frequent or too severe, while in other districts too little attention is paid to the granting of rewards. He trusts that this matter will receive the careful attention of the Inspector-General.

Cognizable Crime.

8. The total number of reported cognizable cases differs by 410 from the figures for 1906. The number is high, and the excess over the average for the past decade must undoubtedly be attributed to the high price of grain. Excluding public nuisances and offences under special or local laws, the percentage of police cases resulting in conviction to cases decided, rose from 77 in 1905 and 80 in 1906 to 82 in the year under review,—a fact which seems to denote a continued improvement in investigation work. The percentage of convictions in Sessions cases was nearly the same as in the previous year. The number of cases declared false decreased from 3,392 in 1906 to 3,210 in 1907. This represents a little over 2 per cent. of the total number of cases reported. Patna and Shahabad are the districts in which these cases are most numerous. The percentage of such cases in which prosecutions were instituted under sections 182 and 211 of the Indian Penal Code has again fallen from 15·7 in 1905 and 12·8 in 1906 to 10·9 in the year under review. The percentage of convictions in such

cases has also fallen from 39·5 in 1906 to 37·6 in 1907. These results are very unsatisfactory. The attention of Magistrates was drawn to this important subject in the Resolution on the report for 1906; but the results this year are no better than before. The worst results are reported from Darjeeling, Birbhum and Manbhum. In the first named district there were 37 false cases: only one prosecution was instituted; and that proved unsuccessful. The results in Saran were the best, where 16 prosecutions were instituted, of which eleven proved successful. In Hooghly there were 12 prosecutions and 8 convictions. It appears that Magistrates are too often unwilling to assume the full responsibility for the opinion they have given in declaring a case false by proceeding to direct a prosecution. The percentage of cases in which prosecutions are undoubtedly advisable, and convictions might be expected to follow, could never perhaps be very high, but might certainly be higher than at present. There has been a considerable fall in the number of cases in which compensation was awarded under section 250, Criminal Procedure Code. The Lieutenant-Governor has again to notice with regret that Magistrates do not as a whole make sufficient use of this valuable provision.

Remands.

9. His Honour desires again to draw the special attention of all Magistrates to the necessity for the speedy disposal of cases. One cause of delays is undoubtedly the frequent transfer of officers; but, even when this is taken into account, the figures for remands are still unsatisfactory. The percentage of cases disposed of at the first two hearings has remained practically stationary, while that of cases remanded more than six times has again risen. The worst results come from the Patna Division, particularly the Patna district, where no less than 123 cases of the 953 sent up were remanded more than six times. This compares unfavourably with the next heaviest district, Midnapore, where there were almost the same number of cases, but only 15 were remanded over six times. It would assist Government to a more just appreciation of the work of the police and magistracy if it were possible to discriminate remands occasioned by the difficulty of tracing the antecedents of unidentified prisoners from those due to delay in bringing forward and recording evidence locally available; but any attempt to do so would probably occasion great difficulties in compilation.

Serious Crimes: Murder, etc.

10. The number of serious crimes against the person fell from 3,555 in 1906 to 3,452 in 1907. The number of murders rose from 284 to 306. Of these 306 cases, only 180 came before the Courts, and of these only 43 per cent. ended in conviction. These results are disappointing. The proportion of undetected cases is high; and the judicial results in detected cases cannot be considered satisfactory. The most important cases under this heading were the murder of the Maharaja of Sonbursa in Bhagalpur, and the murder of a European girl at Darjeeling by a corporal of the Artillery at Katapahar.

Rioting, etc.

11. The total number of rioting cases has slightly decreased, the decrease being shared by every Division except Burdwan and Chota Nagpur. As the decrease has been progressive for three successive years and accompanies an increase of preventive action under section 107, Criminal Procedure Code, it is a satisfactory feature. The increase in the Midnapore district of the Burdwan Division is attributed to political unrest. The increase in the Chota Nagpur Division is accompanied by a decrease in the number of cases in which persons were bound down to keep the peace under section 107, Criminal Procedure Code. The Lieutenant-Governor sees reason to infer that where this section has been sufficiently utilised the results have been good, and that where rioting tends to increase, sufficient use has not been made of it.

Dacoity, etc.

12. The number of dacoities has steadily if slightly decreased; 247 such cases occurred in 1905, 228 in 1906 and 204 in 1907. This figure is much below the average for preceding years, and the police are to be congratulated upon their success in dealing with this form of crime. The decrease is most noticeable in the Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions, and is undoubtedly due to the successful prosecution of gang cases, and proceedings under section 110, Criminal Procedure

Code, particularly in Purnea and Manbhum. Purnea, however, still heads the list with 35 dacoities; but this figure is less by 17 than that for the previous year. The next worst districts are Shahabad with 21 and Midnapore with 17 cases. In Manbhum the number of dacoities decreased from 27 in 1906 to 7 in 1907. There was a brief outbreak of dacoity in Sambalpur, and in Hooghly the number of cases rose from 6 to 12, 11 out of which were undetected. The number of burglary cases remained practically unchanged; and the number of theft cases slightly increased. The figures for these forms of crime are, however, considerably above the average of preceding years, an unfortunate but inevitable result of the high price of grain. The Southal Parganas still heads the list for cattle-thefts. Nevertheless, the number of these cases in this district has decreased from 403 in 1906 to 224 in 1907, a result attributable to the successful prosecution of some notorious cattle-lifters.

The Lieutenant-Governor notices a rather remarkable increase in the number of cases of arson. There were as many as 432 cases of arson in the year under review, 87 of which, however, were declared false. Midnapore was responsible for about 10 per cent. of the total number of cases in the Province; but the worst Division is the Presidency where there were as many as 109 true cases, only one of which ended in conviction. Some part of the increase in this form of crime is attributable to political unrest. The difficulty of obtaining evidence in cases of this nature and the steps necessary for prevention, are engaging the serious attention of Government.

Railway Police.

13. There has been a general increase of crime on all the Railway systems in the Province. The total number of cases reported to the Railway Police has risen from 7,875 in 1905 and 8,658 in 1906 to 10,348 in the year under review. The increase is chiefly in cases of minor offences against property. The figures, however, are somewhat delusive. The division of the Railways into smaller police charges has undoubtedly resulted in the maintenance of closer supervision and less concealment of petty crime. The increase in the volume of traffic and the extensions of the Railway systems (notably the Grand Chord on the East Indian Railway and the Purulia-Ranchi branch of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway) are probably as much responsible for the increase in the number of cases as the prevailing scarcity. The percentage of convictions to cases decided was 89·5 per cent. against 88·9 in the previous year. The number of obstructions on the line fell from 63 in 1906 to 48 in the year under review. The most important of these was the attempt to blow up the Lieutenant-Governor's train on the 5th December. There were three or four strikes on the Railway during the year, the most serious being the strike of European and Eurasian guards and drivers on the East Indian Railway in November. It was found necessary to despatch a Company of European troops from Calcutta to Asansol to maintain order; and detachments of military and armed police were stationed at other centres on the line. It is satisfactory to record that these precautions prevented any serious disturbance.

Criminal Investigation.

14. Mr. C. W. C. Plowden was in charge of the Criminal Investigation Department throughout the year. The operations of the Department, of which an interesting account is given in the latter portion of the report, were remarkably successful. Valuable work was done in dealing with organized gangs of thieves and dacoits; and the Department undertook in addition the investigation of a number of incidental cases of murder, forgery, and other serious crimes. The most important of these investigations was the enquiry into the attempt to derail the Lieutenant-Governor's train at Naraingarh on the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, referred to above. The enquiry resulted in the conviction of some Railway coolies. A number of gang cases were prosecuted with uniform success. As many as 93 per cent. of the persons tried were convicted. An interesting description is given of the break-up of a number of wandering gangs of Haburahs who were responsible for a formidable outbreak of road dacoity at the beginning of the year. These Haburahs were old jail-birds who hailed from the United Provinces. They moved into Bengal where they represented themselves as Karwals and Naths of a comparatively harmless type, and by this means succeeded for a time in diverting the suspicions of the local police.

The Criminal Investigation Department started active enquiries into their character and methods, which resulted in the arrest, on a given date, of all gangs of Karwals and Naths then halting in the Province. The identity of a number of them as Haburahs was established by means of finger-prints, and the true Karwal gangs were released. The results were excellent. Nearly 300 cases of dacoity, robbery and theft were traced to the gangs, most of whom were convicted in specific cases or bound down under section 110, Criminal Procedure Code. A large number were found to have as many as five or more previous convictions. It appears to be the case that the professional and hereditary criminal classes are steadily making more and more use of modern improvements in communication, so that they now appear in and exploit districts which had never heard of them before. It is also a difficulty in dealing with them that knowledge of their history and habits is practically an exclusive possession of the Criminal Investigation Department. The ordinary police, magistracy and public know little more than that there are some tribes of which they can distinguish perhaps the names of Naths, Bhars and Maghya Domes, which are specially addicted to crime. A clear and simple account of the principal criminal tribes, their characteristics, *modus operandi*, and area of operation would be of great service to the public and to the administration, since anything that tends to expose these pests of society must render them less dangerous. Other important cases in which the services of the Department were employed with success were the case of Bamapada Mukharji, a notorious swindler who was arrested at Ratlam, and the break up of the Calcutta-Midnapore gang of blackmailers. An interesting description of the methods of this gang is given on page 33 of the Report.

Continued progress is being made in the classification of finger-prints, the preparation of history-sheets and the photography of notorious criminals. Six Sub-Inspectors are being yearly deputed from districts to undergo a course of training in the finger-print system. The Lieutenant-Governor observes with satisfaction that the relations between the Department and the Calcutta Police and those of other provinces continue to be cordial.

15. The Police Department is still to some extent in a state of transition. Great improvements have been made in many departments. The strength of all ranks has been increased; and simultaneously with increase of numbers there have for years been continuous efforts at improvement in recruitment and training. To those who are brought into contact with police work the results are already apparent in many ways. If they are not equally visible in statistical results, it is perhaps because the changes are still far from complete, and cannot have nearly produced their full effects. It is also to be remembered that, with the degree of scarcity prevailing in some parts of the province and with the high prices which are universal, it is much that crime has been kept within normal limits. Finally, too, the advances made by the criminal classes in the utilization of all the instruments of modern civilization are not a matter of yesterday, but the growth of years, although it was long before any attempt was made to meet them by similar action on the part of the police; so that there has been great leeway to make up.

16. The Lieutenant-Governor has much pleasure in acknowledging the thorough administration of the department by Mr. Knyvett, and in thanking Mr. Morshead for his interesting report. His Honour is pleased to notice the names of the officers who have been specially recommended for good work. His acknowledgments are also due to Mr. Plowden for his services in the Criminal Investigation Department and to Mr. K. B. W. Thomas, Principal of the Police Training College.

ORDER.—Ordered that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police, the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, and all Commissioners of Divisions for information.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON THE ROAD AND PUBLIC WORKS CESS OPERATIONS IN BENGAL DURING THE YEAR 1907-08.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 695R.P.—The 27th August 1908.—The following extracts from the Report of the Board of Revenue on the Road and Public Works Cess operations in Bengal for the year 1907-08 are published for general information.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 3517A., dated Calcutta, the 21st August 1908.

From—E. LISTER, Esq., Offg. Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed to submit the Board's Report on the administration of the Road and Public Works Cesses for the year 1907-08.

Member in charge:
THE HON'BLE MR. R. T. GREER, C.S.I.

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Rate, land-revenue demand and gross rental.

3. In the 30 districts in which the Act is in force, both cesses were, as in the preceding year, levied at the maximum rate of one anna in each rupee of the annual value of lands or annual net profits of mines and other immoveable properties. The Act is not in force in Angul, the Khondmals, Sambalpur and parts of the Sonthal Parganas, where it is being gradually introduced. The current demand of land revenue of the 30 districts was Rs. 2,84,13,360 and the valuation, or gross rental, amounted to Rs. 12,87,56,860.

Demands, collections, balances and remissions.

4. * * * * In the following table the demands, collections, balances, and remissions of the year are compared with the two preceding years:—

Year.	Demand.			Collections	Percentage of total collections on current demand	Balance.	Percentage of the balance on the total demand.	Remissions.
	Current.	Arrear.	Total.					
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
1905-06 ...	69,55,856	13,50,895	83,06,751	70,59,858	101·4	12,66,104	15·2	69,916
1906-07 ...	70,11,936	12,70,766	82,82,702	69,56,766	99·2	13,48,585	16·2	1,12,743
1907-08 ...	71,20,946	13,51,746	84,72,692	71,97,473	101·07	12,83,256	15·1	67,756

The increase of Rs. 1,09,010 in the current demand, as compared with the previous year, was mainly due to revaluations and to the revision of assessments of mines and forests in various districts. The valuation of profits derived by the owners and occupiers of coal mines lying in the Asansol subdivision, as well as the general revaluation in the district of Burdwan, yielded an increase of Rs. 52,900 in the current demand. In Manbhum, the old demand was enhanced by Rs. 43,584, owing partly to the rise in the price of coal and partly to the careful ascertainment of the actual profits of the colliery owners. It is noticeable that, with the large increase in the current demand, there was an increase in collections of Rs. 2,40,707, giving a percentage of 101·07, as against 99·2 in the preceding year. The year opened with a balance of Rs. 13,4[illegible],585, and the outstanding balance at its close was Rs. 12,83,256. The percentage of the balance on the total demand fell from 16·2 to 15·1, and was less than in the preceding three years The remissions and reductions amounted to Rs. 67,756 only, as against Rs. 1,12,743 in the previous year. The largest remissions were granted in Gaya (Rs. 16,005), Burdwan (Rs. 7,595), Muzaffarpur (Rs. 7,582) and Hazaribagh (Rs. 7,433). In Gaya

the remissions were due mainly to the revision of the assessment of Mahal Deokali (belonging to the 7-annas Tikari estate) and certain Government estates; in Burdwan to the exemption of certain coal mines from assessment; in Muzaffarpur to the revision of assessment and other causes; and in Hazaribagh to the acquisition of lands for the construction of the Gaya-Barakar Railway and to the revision of assessment of mines and forests under Chapter V of the Cess Act.

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Working of the certificate procedure.

7. The number of certificates filed for the realisation of cess arrears was 80,502, as against 78,609 of the previous year. There was a noticeable increase in the number of institutions in Midnapore (984), Hooghly, including Howrah (3,131), Bhagalpur (899) and Balasore (1,101). The increase in Midnapore was due to defaults in voluntary payments, and in Hooghly, including Howrah, to the filing of certificates for all arrears of rent-free lands, which had been amalgamated with their parent estates, the demands in these cases being non-recurring. The increase in Bhagalpur was chiefly due to the fact that in the previous year certificates were issued only for arrears exceeding Rs. 5, while, during the year under report, certificates for sums below Rs. 5 had also to be issued in order to avoid limitation. In Balasore the increase is attributed to the filing of a large number of certificates to avoid limitation in case of petty arrears due from revenue-free estates. The decrease in the number of institutions is most marked in Saran (1,481), Darbhanga (1,585) and Monghyr (1,522). The decrease in Saran was due to the issue of certificates for the kist of January 1908 after the close of the year. That in Darbhanga was due to larger voluntary payments owing to better harvests, the percentage of collections having risen from 86·09 in 1906-07, when famine prevailed, to 113·4 during the year under report. The decrease in Monghyr is reported to be due to the fact that a number of certificates for the arrears of the third *kist* could not be filed within the year.

8. Including 22,367 certificates pending from last year, there was a total of 102,869 cases for disposal. Of these, 82,040 were disposed of during the year, leaving 20,829 cases pending at the end. The disposals exceeded the institutions in all the Divisions, except the Presidency and Orissa, and they were in excess of institutions by 1,538. The total number of certificates pending at the close of the year was less than in the preceding year, the percentage on the total number for disposal being 20·2 as against 21·7.

Objections against certificates.

9. The total number of objections against certificate cases was 5,455, of which 5,336 were disposed of. In the previous year the number filed and disposed of came to 6,096 and 5,998, respectively. In 941 cases, as against 770 in the preceding year, the certificates were cancelled on account of the death or desertion of judgment-debtors, double assessments, the exemption of lands lying within municipal jurisdiction, non-registration of names of rent-free land-holders, and errors in the Land Registration registers and the cess ledgers. The number of cases in which reductions were made in the certificate demand was 146, as against 175 in 1906-07.

Stage of procedure at which demands were satisfied.

10. The mere issue of notices was sufficient to secure payment in 22,803 cases; in 30,387 cases payments were made on the issue of notice for the sale of the defaulters' moveable properties, and in 16,463 on the issue of notice for the sale of immoveable properties. Of the total number of sales, 1,893 (as against 2,169 in 1906-07), 932 (as against 1,160 in the preceding year) were set aside under sections 20 and 21 of the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, I of 1895, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1897.

Valuations and revaluations.

11. * * * * During the year valuations or revaluations, partial or complete, were in progress in 18 out of the 30 districts in which the Act is in force.

12. General revaluations on an extensive scale were completed in Burdwan, Bankura, Darbhanga, and Palamau. The revaluation of Burdwan

was completed on 31st March 1908, and resulted in a total increase of Rs. 5,32,134 in the valuation and of Rs. 27,948 in the cess demand, amounting in each case to about 8 per cent. The operations in Bankura were completed in July 1907, and resulted in a decrease of Rs. 5,070 in the cess demand. This decrease was anticipated before the revaluation was taken in hand, because, in the previous revaluation, simple raiyati holdings had been treated as tenures and the assessment thereby artificially inflated. The general revaluation of the district of Darbhanga, which was commenced in 1906, was completed during the year. The result is a decrease of Rs. 10,193 in the cess demand, which was due to a more correct assessment on the basis of the settlement records. Here too the decrease was anticipated. In Palamau the new assessment yielded an increase of Rs. 28,317 in the cess demand.

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Gross rental.

16. * * * * The gross rental of the Province shows an increase of Rs. 20,25,598 over that of the preceding year, the increase being derived mainly from valuations and revaluations and the annual revision of assessments of mines and forests.

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Amendment of the Cess Act.

18. The proposals for the amendment of the Cess Act have during the year been submitted to the Government of India and sanction has been asked for the introduction of the Bill in the Bengal Legislative Council.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 31st August 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	4·47	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Kalna 3·13, at Katwa 3·66 and at Raniganj 1·71 inches. Transplantation of winter rice over. Weeding of winter rice commenced. Condition of standing crops fair. Harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy going on. Jute damaged in places by excessive rain and insect-pests. Prospects of jute fair. 448 persons given gratuitous relief in the Katwa subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	4·43	7¼	7¼	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Rampur Hât 3·90 inches. Weeding commenced. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	3·24	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Vishnupur 2·25 inches. Prospects of crops good. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 235, women 679 and children 224—total 1,138—on the 28th August. Four test-works opened during the week. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 6 to 7 seers per rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE .	3·23	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 2·63, at Tamluk 2·96 and at Ghatal 2·51 inches. Transplantation nearly over. Prospects of winter rice good, of jute and *til* fair. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Contai, at 6 seers at Tamluk and at 7⅜ seers in Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	1·09	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall in the district general. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair. *Aus* and *aman* paddy improving. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. Cutting of jute going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	4·30	6½	6½	Weather cloudy. Rainfall general during the week. Rainfall at Uluberia 0·90 inches. Transplantation of paddy still continuing in the flooded tracts of both the Sadar and Uluberia subdivisions. Prospects of *aus* paddy fair and of jute not good. Fodder and water supply sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Uluberia. Prices stationary.
7	24-PARGANAS	5·93	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Prospects of jute not favourable. Paddy damaged considerably by insects in Barasat, and by recent heavy rains in Mograhat, Fulta, Vishnupur, Bhangor and Jaynagore thanas. Rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, at 7 seers at Diamond Harbour and at 6½ seers at Barrackpore. Basirhat report not received.
8	NADIA ...	5·22	6½	6½	Rainfall at Ranaghat 3·15, at Chuadanga 1·44, at Meherpur 2·59 and at Kushtia 0·50 inches. More rain wanted for *aman* paddy. Harvesting of *aus* paddy commenced. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of jute commenced in Kushtia. Prospects of jute not favourable in Meherpur and Ranaghat subdivisions. Price of common rice slightly falling. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity prevalent in Meherpur subdivision. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending test-works on 26th—3,045 men and 39 women—total 3,084. Gratuitous relief being discontinued.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
9	MURSHIDABAD	Inches. 1·38	7	7	Weather cloudy. Rainfall at Lalbagh 6·51, at Kandi 2·88 and at Jangipur 2·54 inches. More rain wanted. Prospects of *aman* paddy favourable. Transplantation almost over. Prospects of jute fair. Harvesting of *aus* paddy commenced at places. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains likely to be insufficient till next harvest in the Sadar and Kandi subdivisions.
10	JESSORE ...	2·40	7⅝	7⅝	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Jhenidah 1·65, at Magura 1·40, at Narail 1·31 and at Bangaon 2·71 inches. Rainfall general. Harvesting of *aus* paddy going on and that of jute commenced. Condition of jute not favourable. More rain urgently wanted. Stocks of food-grains being supplemented by imports of Burma rice. Condition of agricultural stock good on the whole. Fodder and water sufficient. High prices continuing. No cattle-disease. 3,610 persons given gratuitous relief. Price of common rice stationary.
11	KHULNA ...	1·40	8	8	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bagerhat 1·44 and at Satkhira 4·14 inches. Rainfall general. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. More rain wanted. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing food-crops fair, but of jute not favourable. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	6·74	6¾* / 10†	6¾* / 10†	Weather hot and cloudy. Much good done to the standing crops by the recent rain which has been most opportune. More rain still wanted for transplanting seedlings of winter rice on unirrigated areas. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops commenced in places. Sugarcane doing well. Prices almost stationary. Food-stocks being supplemented by importation from outside. Fodder and water supply available.
13	GAYA ...	4·78	8* / 9½†	8* / 9½†	Weather hot in the beginning and showery later on. The late rain throughout the district very beneficial to crops in the Jahanabad and Aurangabad subdivisions. Prices slightly fallen at Aurangabad. *Bhadoi* crops promising—about 12 annas. Transplantation of paddy going on briskly. More rain wanted for paddy transplantation in Nawadah. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. No cattle-disease.
14	SHAHABAD ...	8·61	8	8 / 9†	Rainfall at Buxar 4·84, at Bhabhua 4·50, at Sasaram 3·70 and at Dehri 3·60 inches. Rainfall general. Transplantation of paddy in progress. Sugarcane and *bhadoi* crops doing well. More rain wanted for transplantation of paddy in the non-irrigated area. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	2·60	8 / 9†	7½ / 8†	Weather cloudy. Rainfall at Siwan 2·77 and at Gopalganj 1·26 inches. Rain received throughout the district. More rain still wanted. *Bhadoi* crops in north-western half of the district are good, indifferent in southern half. Paddy transplantation continuing where rain fell sufficiently. Prices of staple food-crops almost stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	1·00	$7\frac{3}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{4}$*	$7\frac{3}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{4}$*	Weather cloudy. Rainfall at Bettiah 3·80 inches. Good rain received in most places, but more rain still wanted in south-east of the district. Harvesting of *kodo* and *bhadoi* paddy commenced in some places. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy resumed. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	1·58	$7\frac{1}{2}$ 10*	$7\frac{1}{2}$ $9\frac{1}{4}$*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Rainfall at Hajipur 6·33 inches. Transplantation of paddy recommenced in Hajipur. Condition of standing crops improved by the recent rain. Prospects of jute good in Hajipur. *Bhadoi* crops slightly damaged by floods in the Gandak river. *Marua* being harvested in Sitamarhi subdivision. Transplantation of paddy stopped for want of rain in the Sadar and Sitamarhi subdivisions. Labourers feeling the want of employment in certain parts of Sitamarhi subdivision. Condition of agricultural stock fair. *Bhadoi* crops improved by recent rain in the Sadar subdivision. Jute suffering for want of moisture in Sitamarhi. Common rice and maize selling at $7\frac{1}{2}$ and $9\frac{1}{4}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and at 7 and 9 seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. More rain very urgently wanted especially in the Sitamarhi subdivision. Prices slightly rising.
18	DARBHANGA ...	1·16	$6\frac{1}{2}$ $9\frac{1}{4}$*	7 $9\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather hot and cloudy. General rain received in the Samastipur subdivision and in Roserha thana of the Sadar subdivision which has been beneficial to the crops in these tracts. Rain urgently wanted in the Madhubani and Sadar subdivisions. Prospects of crops improved in the areas in which there has been rain, elsewhere suffering badly. Stocks sufficient. Fodder and water available. No cattle-disease. Prices rising.
19	MONGHYR ...	3·08	$6\frac{1}{2}$ $9\frac{1}{4}$*	$6\frac{1}{2}$ $9\frac{1}{4}$*	Weather hot and cloudy with occasional high winds and rain. Much-wished-for rain received and agricultural situation improved to a certain extent. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops commenced in certain places. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock good.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·64	$7\frac{9}{16}$ $10\frac{1}{8}$*	$7\frac{9}{16}$ $9\frac{1}{2}$*	Rainfall at Banka 0·23, Madhipura 2·10, Supaul 1·52 inches (subsequent to the period of report rainfall at Banka 1·20 inches). Weather hot and cloudy. Paddy seedlings and standing crops in Madhipura and Supaul much benefited by the recent rain. More rain wanted throughout the district. Transplantation of paddy at a standstill in the Sadar and Banka subdivisions except in places where there are *dams* and *bunds*. Condition of jute fair. No immediate apprehension of famine though the situation is critical. Prices of rice rising in Banka and Supaul and stationary elsewhere. Prices of *makai* in Sadar and of *marua* in Supaul falling.
21	PURNEA ...	1·28	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy at times. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy at a standstill for want of sufficient rain. Cutting of *bhadoi* paddy and jute going on. Prospects of jute fair. Stocks of food-grains and agricultural stock adequate. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Raniganj and Dhamadaha thanas. Common rice selling at $6\frac{1}{2}$ and 6 seers a rupee at Araria and Kishanganj, respectively.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	6·92	7 10*	7 10*	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Siliguri 16·40 inches. Hills—Maize and potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy being harvested and standing in some places. Winter rice and *bara marua* being sown. Terai—Transplantation of winter rice nearly finished. Jute being harvested. Prospects poor. Prospects of standing crops fair. Stocks of food-grains sufficient.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	3·04	8† 10*	8† 9*	Rainfall at Deoghur 0·61, Godda 1·60, Jamtara 2·07, Pakour 1·76 and Rajmahal 4·33 inches. More rain wanted in Deoghur, Pakour and Godda. Transplantation of paddy still retarded in north Godda, where crops have been damaged by drought. Prospects of maize and jute fair Prices of staple food-grains falling. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Small loans being given to poorer cultivators. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7 seers a rupee at the Sadar Subdivision and Burma rice at 8 sesrs at Deoghur.
24	CUTTACK ...	4·07	$7\frac{7}{32}$	$7\frac{35}{64}$	Rainfall general. *Bialí* paddy in ear and in some places ripening. *Saradh* paddy, sugarcane, turmeric, *arhar*, and cotton growing. Condition of jute fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Crops on low lands in flooded tracts still under water. 651 men, 1,797 women and 3,985 children—total 6,433—given gratuitous relief. 125 men, 203 women and 178 children—total 506— on test-works.
25	BALASORE ...	9·83	8	$7\frac{3}{4}$	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bhadrak 1·71 inches. Puddling closed. Transplanting and weeding of *saradh* paddy continuing. *Ashu* paddy maturing. Sugarcane and jute thriving. Prospects of jute fair. Vegetables doing well. Paddy plants of Chandbali. and Dhamnagar under flood water. Paddy plants on the banks of Burabalang, Jalka and Suberi narekha rivers under flood water. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some parts of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali. Bhadrak, Baliapal, Basta and Jellasore thanas. Common rice selling at $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee at Bhadrak, Fodder and water sufficient. 79 men, 385 women and 397 children—total 861—at Sadar, and 343 men, 2,167 women and 3,102 children—total 5,612—at Bhadrak receiving gratuitous relief. 6 men, 99 women and 12 children—total 117—attending test-works at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	1·60	5	5	Weather rainy. Rainfall at Phulbani 2·75 inches. Sowing of *biri* and *til* retarded for heavy rain and harvesting of millets continuing. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Cheapest rice selling at $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee at Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief—57 men, 127 women and 430 children—total 614—in Angul, and 113 men, 147 women and 62 children—total 322—in Khondmals. Persons on test-works—425 men, 163 women and 103 children—total 691—in Angul, and 546 men, 133 women and 86 children—total 765—in Khondmals.
27	PURI ...	7·39	$6\frac{9}{16}$	$6\frac{9}{16}$	*Bialí* paddy in ear. Weeding and transplanting of *saradh* paddy continuing. Miscellaneous crops getting on well. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending test-works—320 men, 133 women and 355 children—total 808. Recipients of gratuitous relief—351 men, 1,273 women and 1,118 children—total 2,742. 39 men on piece-works.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per r
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	6·05	9½	10	Transplantation, reploughing and weeding of winter and autumn rice in progress. *Til* and *urid* being sown. Reaping of *gulji* continuing in Bargarh Condition of standing sugarcane crop good; of *bhadoi til* fair. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Stocks of food-grains and fodder and water supply sufficient. Rinderpest in Bargarh tahsils.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	3 14	7½* 9†	7¼* 9†	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice almost finished. Cattle-disease in one thana. Rice selling at 5 seers to 8 seers per rupee in the interior and maize selling at 6 to 9 seers per rupee. New *marua* selling at 13⅜ seers and new *gondli* 24 seers per rupee. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 638, women 1,818 and children 1,139—total 3,596. 512 persons doing piece-works. No attendance on District Board works.
30	RANCHI ...	4·62	8*	7¼*	Weather rainy. Transplantation of paddy practically finished. Sowing of *sirguja*, *urid*, *kurthi*, etc., in progress. Condition of standing crops except that of paddy good. Cessation of rain wanted for the *gora* crop. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6¾ seers per rupee at Sadar. Persons attending test-works—men 230, women 231 and children 87—total 548. Persons gratuitously relieved in undeclared area—men 68, women 319 and children 9—total 396. Persons on famine relief-works in declared area—men 2,568, women 3,302 and children 2,171—total 8,041. On gratuitous relief in declared area—men 1,109, women 3,013 and children 1,969—total 6,091.
31	PALAMAU ...	2 61	7⅜	7⅜	Weather seasonable. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. Paddy transplantation continuing. Local grain stocks insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANBHUM ...	3·42	7½	8	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Gobindpur 4·74 inches. State of standing crops good. Transplantation of winter rice finished. *Til*, *gunja* and *kurthi* being sown. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate at present. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	3·67	6	6	Weather cloudy. Weeding operations of winter rice continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and 7½ seers at Seraikella
34	COOCH BEHAR	4·54	7 ⅓	7 3/21	Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of *haimantik* paddy and steeping of jute almost stopped for want of rain. Condition of jute not good. Prices of food-grains showing a tendency to rise. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Murua rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
35	Feudatory States, Orissa.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

	Inches.
Hindol ...	5·68
Keonjhar ...	7·79
Narsingpur ...	3·10
Daspalla ...	2·39
Kalahandi ...	4·93
Pal Lahera ...	8·83
Baramba ...	3·08
Bonai ...	10·87
Ranpur ...	3·61
Boad ...	4·40
Athgarh ...	8·81
Sonepur ...	7·28
Talcher ..	4·67
Dhenkanal ...	7·31
Patna ...	7·09
Nilgiri ...	2·65
Mayurbhanj ...	7·52
Gangpur ...	8·12
Rairakhol ...	4·74
Bamra ...	9·97
Nayagarh ...	3·69
Khondpara ...	Copious rain throughout the week.

Heavy rain in almost all States. Transplantation of paddy plants completed in Daspalla, Bonai, Talcher, Rairakhol, Nayagarh, Kalahandi, Boad, Athgarh and Mayurbhanj. Puddling completed in Nayagarh and continuing in Daspalla, Pal Lahera, Athmallik, Boad, Dhenkanal and Mayurbhanj. Weeding continuing in Keonjhar, Hindol, Daspalla, Pal Lahera, Baramba, Khandpara, Ranpur, Talcher, Dhenkanal, Nilgiri, Mayurbhanj and Rairakhol. Replougning (*behura* operations) completed in Bonai and in progress in Kalahandi, Rairakhol and Patna. Standing crops in good condition but in Khandpara some damage done by floods to early paddy plants on the banks of the Mahanadi and Kusmi rivers while the *bajra* and *juar* crops in Athgarh much damaged by heavy rains. *Gora* paddy being harvested in Keonjhar. *Biati* rice crops in ear in Baramba, Athgarh, Dhenkanal, Nilgiri and Mayurbhanj. Fodder and water sufficient and also the agricultural stock, except in Narsingpur and Pal Lahera. Price of rice fallen in Nilgiri from 8 to 8½ seers per rupee, risen in Pal Lahera from 8 to 7 seers and stationary in other States.

* The report is for the week ending the 22nd August 1908.

General Summary.—The rainfall was heavy in the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Patna, Shahabad, Darjeeling, alasore, Puri, Sambalpur and in parts of Murshidabad and Muzaffarpur, moderate in the Burdwan and hota Nagpur Divisions and also in parts of Khulna, Gaya, Champaran, Monghyr, the Sonthal Parganas d Cuttack and light in other districts. The rainfall during the week under report in South Bihar and in rts of Muzaffarpur, Champaran, Monghyr and Sonthal Parganas has done much good to the standing *adoi* crops and has enabled the raiyats to transplant some more *dhan* but more rain is urgently wanted in rth Bihar and in the Bhagalpur Division both for transplantation of paddy and for the standing crops. e transplantation of paddy is nearly over in Bengal Proper, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. Harvesting of e has commenced but steeping is being retarded in Cooch Behar for want of water. Harvesting of *bhadoi* ddy has commenced in some districts. Sugarcane is doing well. Prospects of jute are fair except in owrah, the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Jessore, Khulna, Darjeeling and Cooch Behar. Damage by insect-pests still reported from Burdwan and the 24-Parganas. Paddy plants on low lands in Cuttack and in andbali and Dham Nagar thanas of Balasore are still flooded. The price of common rice has risen in ran, Darbhanga, Cuttack, Sambalpur and Manbhum and fallen in Nadia, Balasore, Hazaribagh and nchi. Stocks of food-grain are insufficient in Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. Cattle-disease eported from Purnea, Hazaribagh, Ranchi und Palamau. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. t-works have again been opened in Bankura. The number of persons on test-works in Nadia, Cuttack, lasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi was 7,070. The number of persons on gratuitous relief was 362, of whom 16,584 are in Orissa. The number of persons on famine relief works in Ranchi was 8,041.

Department of Agriculture, Bengal,
Calcutta, the 1st September 1908.

W. R. GOURLAY,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 29th August 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 29th August 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 31st August 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
	No.	Mds.	Rs.	No.	Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	507	65,149	807	341	37,898	379
Jute	111	30,370*	461	190	42,114†	612
Firewood	49	28,400	434	33	20,820	305
Other articles	876	2,25,407	2,186	662	1,91,997	1,998
Total ...	1,643	3,49,326	3,888	1,226	2,92,829	3,294

* Weight by canal measurement, 34,312½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 50,037½ ,,

CALCUTTA,
The 1st September 1908.

A. N. DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 23rd to 29th August 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rains.	Weather
1908		°		Inches.	°	°	°		°	Inches.	°				Inches.	
Aug.	23rd	145·4	0·9	29·581	83·7	87·6	7·2	80·4	79·5	0·978	78·5	91	S by W, SSE and S.	52	0·06	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, g, p.
,,	24th	148·1	3·7	·576	82·8	88·3	10·5	77·8	78·7	·949	77·6	89	SW by W, SSW and S.	110	0·47	Partially cloudy, d, p.
,,	25th	155·[illegible]	7·2	·594	84·4	9[illegible]·8	12·3	78·5	79·9	·963	78·1	83	S and SSW ...	127	0·70	Partially cloudy, o, p.
,,	26th	138·6	0·2	·519	84·4	88·3	7·8	81·0	79·9	·972	78·4	85	SSW and NW by W.	44	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o.
,,	27th	150·7	5·5	·535	84·1	90·0	11·3	78·7	78·5	·943	77·4	89	ENE, E and S ...	77	1·21	Partially cloudy, o, d, g, p, t.
,,	28th	140·0	0·4	·573	81·2	85·4	7·8	77·6	78·7	·957	77·9	91	S, ENE and E ...	94	1·27	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, g, p, t.
,,	29th	140·9	2·4	·591	82·5	86·8	8·0	78·8	78·5	·947	77·6	91	E, SE and SSE ...	181	1·51	Partially cloudy o, d, p.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·567
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·621
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	20·3
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	58·7
The mean temperature of the seven days	83·3
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83·1
The extreme variation of temperature	13·2
The maximum temperature	90·8
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	13
	%
The mean relative humidity	88
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	86
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 23rd to 29th August 1908	5·21
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	2·71
The total fall from 1st January to 29th August 1908	69·65
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	48·40

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; d, drizzling rain; g, dark gloomy; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 31st August 1908.*

C. W. PEAKE,
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WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th August 1908 on 2,292·38 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	535,608	4,40,831 0 0	67,98,725 0	10,26,869 0 0	41,904 0 0	15,09,604 0 0	158,169	231,442	379,611
Or per mile of railway		192 4 10		447 15 2	18 4 6	658 8 6			
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	2,891,407	24 29,805 0 0	3,99,81,275 0	61,90,490 0 0	2,12,752 0 0	88,33,247 0 0	877,565	1,217,498	2,095,063
Total for 6½ weeks ...	3,427,015	28,70,726 0 0	4,67,87,904 0	72,17,259 0 0	2,54,856 0 0	1,03,42,851 0 0	1,035,734	1,448,940	2,474,674
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	498,772	4,12,177 13 6	60,80,703 3	8,81,095 9 6	40,171 2 6	13,13,444 9 6	145,685	168,751	314,436
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	180 5 9		376 12 9	17 9 3	574 11 9		...	
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year ...	3,563,634	31,38,009 2 2	4,44,33,453 0	67 64,368 1 9	2,73,057 0 9	1,01,75,434 1 8	1,015,857	1,303,240	2,319,097

(a) The increase is chiefly in coal and rice imported from Burmah and despatched from Howrah and E. P. Docks to famine district.

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,287·05	First 11 days of July ...	866,339	6,98,612	1,15,15,612	17,83,633	60,490	25,42,735	1,112	587,543	4 5 3
2,287·05	Week ended 18th ,, ...	541,092	4,27,776	79,08,427	11,31,240	38,716	15,97,733	699	381,276	4 3 1
2,287·05	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	498,542	4,30,595	70,02,290	11,07,537	37,798	15,84,730	693	376,446	4 3 4
2,287·05	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	487,175	4,16,784	70,56,847	11,12, 47	38,474	15,67,805	686	375,523	4 2 10
2,292·38	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	497,129	4,47,128	67,05,603	10,57,667	38,474	15,43,269	672	374,414	4 1 10
2,292·38	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	555,608	4,40,831	67 98,725	10, 6,869	41,904	15,09,604	658	379,611	3 15 8
	Totals up to date ...	3,427,015	28,70,726	4,67,87,904	72,17,259	2,54,856	1,03,42,851	687	2,474,674	4 2 10

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		No. of passengers	Rs	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,285·30	First 13 days of July ...	1,054,609	9,19,173	1,25,51,353	19,17,941	72,089	29,09,193	1,273	653,321	4 7 3
2,285·30	Week ended 20th ,, ...	578,105	5,02 675	69,30 747	10,77,517	38,702	15,68,894	686	344,103	4 8 0
2,285·30	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	510,984	4,56 049	69,96,859	10,14,350	40,325	15, 0,724	661	343,651	4 5 4
2,285·30	,, ,, 3rd Aug. ...	476,214	4,27,811	64,36,935	10,51,713	44,838	15,24,362	667	341,778	4 7 4
2,285·30	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	470,422	4,20, 8	56,78,676	8,32,152	36,902	13,49,287	590	315,637	4 4 5
2,285·30	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	498,772	4,12,178	60,80,704	8,81,095	40,171	13, 3,444	575	314,436	4 2 10
	Totals up to date	3,563,634	31,38 009	4,44,33,453	67,64,368	2,73,057	1,01,75 434	650	2,319,097	4 6 3

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th August 1908 on 22·21 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	21,042	4,615 0 0	10,003 0	241 0 0	5 0 0	4,861 0 0	1,342	154	1,496
Or per mile of railway		207 12 8	.....	10 13 7	0 3 7	218 13 10	...	...	
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	141,652	35,5 2 0 0	63,280 0	1,677 0 0	35 0 0	36,264 0 0	7,476	858	8 334
Total for 6½ weeks ...	162,694	38 167 0 0	73,286 0	1,918 0 0	40 0 0	40,125 0 0	8,818	1, 12	9,830
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	23,744	5,310 10 7	9,173 10	382 2 0	11 14 6	5,704 11 2	1,441	166	1,606
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	238 14 4	....	17 3 0	0 8 7	256 0 11	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year	173,311	41,079 10 8	77,145 20	3,149 5 0	93 14 3	44 272 13 11	7,549	1,431	8,980

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 11 days of July ..	53,003	13,183	12,835	524	13	13,720	617	2,850	5 13 6
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	29,374	6,979	11,109	267	7	7,253	326	1,496	4 13 7
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ..	20,572	4,345	11,544	255	5	4,605	207	1,486	3 1 3
22·23	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	18,711	4,074	11,594	308	5	4,387	197	1,196	2 14 11
22·21	,, ,, 8th ,, ..	19,794	4,971	16,808	323	5	5,299	239	1,496	3 8 8
22·21	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	31,092	4,615	10,006	241	5	4,861	219	1,496	3 4 0
	Totals up to date ...	162,094	38,167	73,236	1,918	40	40,125	275	9,830	4 1 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded 1907.

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 13 days of July ...	47,166	11,190	22,815	983	9	12,182	548	2,242	5 6 11
22·23	Week ended 20th ,, ...	24,067	7,120	12,949	510	6	7,635	343	1,2 4	6 3 0
22·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	33,20:	7,535	10,432	436	8	7,979	359	1,190	6 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 3rd Aug. ...	20 639	5,3 3	18,891	431	5	5,799	261	1,222	4 6 2
22·23	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	20,503	4,561	10,233	407	4	4,972	224	1,386	3 9 5
22·25	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	23,744	5,311	9,175	382	12	5,705	257	1,604	3 8 10
	Totals up to date	179,311	41,080	77,485	3,149	40	44,273	200	8,930	4 14 11

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th August 1908 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	31,423	21,161 0 0	201,463 0	14,436 0 0	54 0 0	35,651 0 0	11,750	4,466	16,216
Per mile of railway	.....	130 5 4	.....	88 15 7	0 5 4	219 9 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	178,275	1,38,204 0 0	1,238,962 0	81,8.0 0 0	236 0 0	2,20,260 0 0	65,286	27,830	93,116
Total for 6½ weeks ...	209,698	1,59,365 0 0	1,440,425 0	96,256 0 0	290 0 0	2,55,911 0 0	77,036	32,296	109,332
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	34,355	22,893 1 7	178,175 0	12,219 1 0	33 10 6	35,145 13 1	12,018	4,295	16,313
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	141 0 0	.....	75 4 2	0 3 4	216 7 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year.	225,772	1,56,703 13 9	1,389,892 20	1,02,120 7 0	280 13 6	2,59,105 2 3	80,836	32,346	113,182

1908 *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 11 days of July .	31 248	39 6 2	351,796	22,968	63	62,663	386	26,507	2 5 10
162·36	Week ended 18th ,, ...	33,068	27,700	208,512	15,301	40	43,041	265	16,569	2 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	33,480	26,730	224,845	14,530	41	41,301	254	16,677	2 7 7
162·36	,, ,, 1st August...	28,581	22,900	222,144	14,586	43	37,629	232	16,511	2 4 6
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	31,889	21,152	231,665	14,325	49	35,626	219	16,861	2 1 10
162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ..	31,423	21,161	2,01,463	14,436	54	3.,651	220	16,216	2 3 2
	Totals up to date ..	209 6.8	1,59,365	1,440,425	96,256	290	2,55,911	240	109,332	2 5 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. 1907.

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 13 days of July ...	63,583	41,371	339,389	20,568	85	71,624	441	30,244	2 5 11
	Week ended 20th ,, ...	32,013	23,660	271,498	18,075	47	41,782	257	17,623	2 5 11
162·36	,, ,, 27th ,, ..	31,359	24,109	2.8,109	16, 32	41	39,092	241	16,987	2 4 10
162·36	,, ,, 3rd August	31,445	23,140	175,107	13,486	42	36,866	227	16,030	2 4 10
162·36	,, ,, 10th ,, .	32,987	22,6.1	161,714	11,942	32	34,605	213	15,985	2 2 8
162·36	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	34 395	22,8 3	1,78,175	12,210	34	35,140	216	16,313	2 2 6
162·36	Totals up to date ..	225,772	1,56,704	1,3.0.8·3	1,02,120	281	2,39,105	233	1,13,182	2 4 8

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 15th August 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	49,000	29,500 0 0	2,91,500 0	48,500 0 0	5,000 0 0	83,000 0 0	15,456	20,045	35,501
Or per mile of railway ...	63·80	38·41	378·08	62 91	6·49	107·81	20·13	26·00	46 13
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	286,000	1,73,500 0 0	13,65,000 0	2,38,000 0 0	21,500 0 0	4,33,000 0 0	87,622	110,276	197,898
Total for 7 weeks ...	335,000	2,05,000 0 0	16,56,500 0	2,86,500 0 0	26,500 0 0	5,16,000 0 0	103,078	130,321	233,399
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	44,089	25,846 0 0	2,38,141 0	62,589 0 0	1,819 0 0	90,254 0 0	14,328	20,395	34,723
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	58 19	33·65	438·57	81·18	2 36	117·19	18·66	26·45	45·11
Total to corresponding date of previous year	324,438	1,87,491 0 0	21,88,195 0	4,03,040 0 0	26,295 0 0	6,16,823 0 0	97,792	133,567	231,359

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

Receipts for week ending 15th August 1908.			Receipts for week ending 17th August 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 15th August 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 17th August 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	83,000	107·61	771	90,254	117 19	771	16,16,885	...	771	17,23,352	...	.....	1,06,467

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 15th August 1908 on (e) 1,791 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. (a)	Mds.	Rs. (b)	Rs.	Rs.		(c)	
Total traffic for the week on (e) 1,791 miles open	350,670	1,35,570	7,91,540	83,020	19,550	2,38,040	57,167	40,161	97,328
Or per mile of railway	195·80	75·69	441·95	46·36	10·92	133·47	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	1,944,300	7,81,770	48,31,810	6,29,630	1,20,430	15,31,830	317,178	230,567	547,745
Total for 6½ weeks ...	2,294,970	9,17,340	56,23,350	7,13,650	1,39,980	17,70,870	374,345	270,728	645,073
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,705 miles open	290,477	1,17,429	9,63,727	1,02,702	19,918	2,40,049	53,952	(d) 40,334	94,286
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	170 37	68·87	565 23	60 24	11·68	140·79			.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,017,898	7,87,108	74,44,904	9,22,936	1,44,676	18,54,720	369,018	303,941	673,559
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		2·37		2 09	·20	2·46			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		2·18		2·54	·21	2·55			

(a) Increase chiefly under local and foreign outward, due to Jhulan mela at Ajodhya held earlier this year.
(b) Decrease mainly under foreign inward due to grain traffic to Bengal in 1907.
(c) Includes 7,396 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 8,466 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Revision.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	415,430	1,60,930 0 0	20,14,770 0	3,47,730 0 0	21,520 0 0	5,30,240 0 0	74,787	(b)48,069	122,806
Or per mile of railway ...	326	126 0 0	1,581 0	273 0 0	(a)3 0 0	(a)402 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	3,005,830	11,48,080 0 0	1,06,37,980 0	14,57,290 0 0	1,41,780 0 0	27,50,150 0 0	487,096	270,090	757,096
Total for 8 weeks	3,121,260	13,09,070 0 0	1,26,52,750 0	18,05,020 0 0	1,63,300 0 0	32,80,390 0 0	561,743	318,159	879,302
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	408,363	1,50,283 0 0	21,08,053 0	3,64,393 0 0	18,848 0 0	5,33,524 0 0	72,147	61,229	133,076
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,268 miles)	322	119 0 0	1,663 0	287 0 0	1 0 0	407 0 0	.....	...	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,473,815	12,83,482 0 0	1,41,08,545 0	20,01,894 0 0	1,82,788 0 0	34,74,164 0 0	561,967	425,386	990,353

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 17,770.
(b) Excluding ballast train-miles 11,128.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	52,650	14,650 0 0	68,480 0	4,220 0 0	140 0 0	19,010 0 0	5,656	(a)660	6,316
Or per mile of railway ...	612	170 0 0	796 0	49 0 0	2 0 0	221 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	227,080	82,570 0 0	2,41,660 0	18,100 0 0	2,270 0 0	1,02,940 0 0	37,168	10,200	47,368
Total for 8 weeks	279,730	97,220 0 0	3,10,140 0	22,320 0 0	2,410 0 0	1,21,950 0 0	42,824	10,860	53,684
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	32,533	10,905 0 0	95,697 0	6,555 0 0	95 0 0	17,535 0 0	5,140	1,562	6,702
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	378	127 0 0	1,113 0	76 0 0	1 0 0	204 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	244,102	84,589 0 0	5,10,477 0	31,773 0 0	1,191 0 0	1,17,553 0 0	33,457	10,137	43,594

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 500.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1908, on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	3,510	1,490 0 0	17 [illegible] 0	1,690 0 0	10 0 0	3,190 0 0	580	(a) 612	1,192
Or per mile of railway ...	104	45 0 0	500 0	50 0 0	.....	95 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	25,100	9,850 0 0	1,14,[illegible]0 0	9,510 0 0	70 0 0	19,430 0 0	2,812	9,380	12,192
Total for 8 weeks ...	28,610	11,340 0 0	1,31,[illegible]0 0	11,200 0 0	80 0 0	22,62[illegible] 0 0	3,392	9,992	13,384
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	3,204	1,337 0 0	18,289 0	1,805 0 0	15 0 0	3,157 0 0	483	1,672	2,155
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	95	40 0 0	544 0	54 0 0	.....	94 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	26,177	9,500 0 0	1,35,835 0	12,754 0 0	77 0 0	23,331 0 0	3,495	16,222	19,717

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 960.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd August 1908 on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	13,980	3,980 0 0	54,460 0	2,300 0 0	30 0 0	6,310 0 0	2,119	(a)431	2,550
Ditto per mile of railway	259	74 0 0	1,009 0	43 0 0	.....	117 0 0		...	
Ditto previous 7 weeks of half-year	75,450	25,940 0 0	1,69,500 0	9,040 0 0	210 0 0	35,790 0 0	14,015	2,285	16,300
Total for 8 weeks	89,430	29,920 0 0	2,23,960 0	11,940 0 0	240 0 0	42,100 0 0	16,134	2,716	18,850
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	13,569	3,310 0 0	58,178 0	2,669 0 0	233 0 0	6,212 0 0	1,028	535	2,461
Ditto per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	288	65 0 0	1,148 0	53 0 0	5 0 0	123 0 0			..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	77,737	26,316 0 0	2,54,476 0	13,476 0	1,872 0 0	41,664 0 0	15,352	3,532	

(a) Ballast train-miles *nil*.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 22nd August 1908 ...	Coaching ...	5,660 0 0	15,355 0 0
	Goods ...	10,263 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	32 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907 ..	Coaching ...	6,605 0 0	17,032 0 0
	Goods ...	10,399 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	28 0 0	
	Decrease ...		1,677 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 22nd August 1908			312 13 6
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907			333 15 4
	Decrease ...		21 1 10
Receipts from 1st July to 22nd August 1908			1,13,027 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907			1,23,704 0 0
	Decrease ...		10 677 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING SEPTEMBER 1908.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1908.			H. M.	
September 14th	Monday ...	Leave Calcutta ...	6 6	By special train.
„ 14th	Do. ...	Arrive Ranchi ..	18 0	

NOTE.—

(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—
Lady Fraser.
Captain H. L. Fraser, 10th Royal Hussars, Private Secretary.
Captain A. H. B. Foster, The King's Own, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain R. C. Dodgson, R.H.A., Aide-de-Camp
The Hon'ble Mr. F. W. Duke, Chief Secretary.

(2) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the Bengal Government Camp, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) The Lieutenant-Governor's departure from Calcutta and arrival at Ranchi will be private.

By order of the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal,

BELVEDERE,
The 8th September 1908.

H. L. FRASER, CAPT.,
Private Secretary.

No. 6227A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5867A.—The 2nd September 1908.*—Babu Rai Krishna Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gaya, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Nawadah subdivision of that district.

Gaya.

No. 6041A.—The 3rd September 1908.—Babu Nityananda Bhar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Surjya Kumar Agasti, or until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 6045A.—The 3rd September 1908.—Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Sambalpur district.

Nadia.
Sambalpur.

No. 6056A.—The 4th September 1908.—Mr. G. B. Mumford, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Giridih, Hazaribagh, is appointed to act as Deputy Commissioner of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. A. Radice, or until further orders.

Hazaribagh.

This cancels the order of the 27th July 1908, appointing the late Mr. V. B. Cobden-Ramsay, I.C.S., to act as Deputy Commissioner of Hazaribagh.

No. 6058A.—The 4th September 1908.—Mr. Debendra Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hazaribagh, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Giridih subdivision of that district, *vice* Mr. G. B. Mumford, on deputation.

Hazaribagh.

No. 6067A.—The 4th September 1908.—Babu Mano Mohan Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balasore, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Birendra Chandra Sen, or until further orders.

Balasore.

No. 6081A.—The 5th September 1908.—Babu Braja Durlabh Hajra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. Garrett, or until further orders.

Cuttack.

No. 6086A.—The 5th September 1908.—Babu Atal Bihari Maitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Puri, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. C. Hamilton, or until further orders.

Puri.

No. 6106A.—The 7th September 1908.—Mr. H. D. G. Law, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Shahabad district.

Shahabad.

No. 6113A.—The 7th September 1908.—Maulvi Muhi-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Nawadah subdivision of the Gaya district, on being relieved of his Settlement duties in Bihar.

Bihar.
Gaya.

No. 6126A.—The 7th September 1908.—Babu Hari Pada Bhattacharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. Johnston, or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 6152A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. H. F. E. B. Foster, District and Sessions Judge, Saran, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Gaya, Patna and Shahabad, during the ensuing Civil Court vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. A. W. Watson, H. W. C. Carnduff, C.I.E., and M. Smither.

Saran.
Gaya.
Patna.
Shahabad.

Mr. Foster is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Gaya, Bankipore or Arrah, for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 6154A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. H. E. Ransom, District and Sessions Judge, Darbhanga, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Muzaffarpur, during the ensuing Civil Court vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. D. H. Kingsford.

Darbhanga.
Muzaffarpur.

Mr. Ransom is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Darbhanga or at Muzaffarpur for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

No. 6156A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. F. S. Hamilton, District and Sessions Judge, Purnea, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Bhagalpur, during the ensuing Civil Court vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. J. C. Twidell.

Purnea.
Bhagalpur.

Mr. Hamilton is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Purnea or at Bhagalpur for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

No. 6158A.—The 8th September 1908.—The Hon'ble Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpur, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Cuttack, during the ensuing Civil Court vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. J. J. Patel.

Chota Nagpur.
Cuttack.

The Hon'ble Mr. Vincent is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Ranchi or at Cuttack for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

No. 6160A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. Barada Charan Mitra, District and Sessions Judge, Bankura, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Hooghly and Murshidabad during the ensuing Civil Court vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. Satyendra Chandra Mallik and C. W. E. Pittar.

Bankura.
Hooghly.
Murshidabad.

Mr. Barada Charan Mitra is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Bankura, Chinsura or Berhampore for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 6162A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. C. P. Beachcroft, Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Midnapore, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 25th September to the 11th October 1908. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. E. E. Forrester.

24-Parganas.
Hooghly.
Midnapore.

Mr. Beachcroft is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Alipore or at Midnapore for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

No. 6164A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. C. P. Beachcroft, Additional Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, from the 25th September to the 11th October 1908, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. F. R. Roe.

24-Parganas.

No. 6166A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. E. E. Forrester, District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of the 24-Parganas, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 12th to the 27th October 1908. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. F. R. Roe.

Midnapore.
24-Parganas.

Mr. Forrester is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Midnapore or at Alipore for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

No. 6168A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. A. Goodeve, District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Birbhum, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz.; from the 21st to the 27th October 1908. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. Kedar Nath Ray.

Burdwan.
Birbhum.

Mr. Goodeve is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Burdwan or at Suri for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

No. 6170A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. Kedar Nath Ray, District and Sessions Judge, Birbhum, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Burdwan during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 29th September to the 11th October 1908. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. A. Goodeve.

Birbhum.
Burdwan.

Mr. Kedar Nath Ray is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Suri or at Burdwan for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

No. 6172A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh, District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Jessore and Khulna, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 25th September to the 11th October 1908. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. Lokendranath Palit and Shashi Bhushan Chaudhuri.

Nadia.
Jessore.
Khulna.

Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Krishnagar, Jessore or Khulna for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 6176A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. Shashi Bhushan Chaudhuri, District and Sessions Judge, Khulna, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Nadia during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 12th to the 27th October 1908. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh.

Khulna.
Nadia.

Mr. Shashi Bhushan Chaudhari is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Khulna or at Krishnagar for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

No. 6180A.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Hem Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Balasore district, on being relieved of his settlement duties in Bihar.

Bihar.
Balasore.

No. 6184A.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Bamdeb Das Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balasore, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Angul district.

Balasore.
Angul.

No. 6199A.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Arun Nath Chakrabatti, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Palamau district.

Ranchi.
Palamau.

No. 6203A.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Narendranath Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Manbhum district.

Ranchi.
Manbhum.

No. 6219A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. J. T. Whitty, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Darbhanga district.

Darbhanga.

Mr. Whitty is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector, Darbhanga, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. Egerton, or until further orders, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

POLICE.—*No. 5963A.—The 2nd September 1908.*—Babu Bechu Narayan Lal, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Muzaffarpur, is appointed to hold charge of the Police of that district, during the absence, on leave, of

Muzaffarpur.

Mr. J. E. Armstrong.

No. 6207A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. J. C. Farmer, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Patna, is appointed to hold charge of the Patna City Police.

Patna.

CONFIRMATION.

EDUCATION.—*No. 6121A.—The 7th September 1908.*—Mr. W. H. Everett, Temporary Professor, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, is confirmed in the Indian Educational Service, with effect from the 29th November 1901.

Howrah.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5869A.—The 2nd September 1908.*—The following acting appointments are sanctioned in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges, until further orders:—

Mr. Shashi Bhushan Chaudhuri, with effect from the 29th July 1908, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, on deputation.

„ C. P. Beacheroft, with effect from the 3rd August 1908, *vice* Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh, on leave.

POLICE.—*No. 5971A.—The 3rd September 1908.*—The following promotions in the grades of Deputy Superintendents of Police, Bengal, are sanctioned with effect from the 1st April 1908:—

Rai Dinabandhu Bhaumik Bahadur is promoted to the first grade of Deputy Superintendents of Police on Rs. 500 per mensem.

Maulvi Masud-ul Husain is promoted to the second grade of Deputy Superintendents of Police on Rs. 400 per mensem.

Mr. W. E. Rees is promoted to the third grade of Deputy Superintendents of Police on Rs. 300 per mensem.

Babu Sakhi Chand is promoted to the third grade of Deputy Superintendents of Police on Rs. 300 per mensem.

Babu Lalit Mohan Gupta is promoted to the third grade of Deputy Superintendents of Police on Rs. 300 per mensem.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 5865A.—The 2nd September 1908.*—Babu Shyam Lal Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nawadah, Gaya, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Gaya.

No. 5956A.—The 2nd September 1908.—Babu Narendra Kumar Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may finish the special duty on which he is now employed.

No. 6034A.—The 3rd September 1908.—Babu Jitendra Nath Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may relinquish his charge of his special duty.

Calcutta.

No. 6038A.—The 3rd September 1908.—Mr. Surjya Kumar Agasti, Magistrate and Collector, Jessore, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Jessore.

No. 6047A.—The 3rd September 1908.—Babu Tribikram Pujari, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sambalpur, is allowed leave, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved, up to the 28th September 1908.

Sambalpur.

No. 6053A.—The 4th September 1908.—In modification of the order of the 27th July 1908, Mr. C. A. Radice, Deputy Commissioner, Hazaribagh, is allowed leave for twenty-two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Hazaribagh.

No. 6064A.—The 4th September 1908.—Mr. Birendra Chandra Sen, Magistrate and Collector, Balasore, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Balasore.

No. 6079A.—The 5th September 1908.—Mr. A. Garrett, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 18th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Cuttack.

No. 6083A.—The 5th September 1908.—Mr. R. C. Hamilton, Magistrate and Collector, Puri, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Puri.

No. 6123A.—The 7th September 1908.—Mr. J. Johnston, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Khulna, is allowed leave for eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Khulna.

No. 6186A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. George Chandra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Angul, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Angul.

No. 6216A.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. W. Egerton, Magistrate and Collector, Darbhanga, is allowed leave for twenty-two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Darbhanga.

No. 6222A.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Satyendra Nath Batabyal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave up to the 28th September 1908, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 28th July 1908.

POLICE.—*No. 5949A.—The 2nd September 1908.*—Mr. J. F. Dickinson, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Angul, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Angul.

No. 5930A.—The 2nd September 1908.—Mr. J. E. Armstrong, Superintendent of Police, Muzaffarpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Muzaffarpur.

EDUCATION.—*No. 6060A.—The 4th September 1908.*—Mr. J. V. Francies, Superintendent, Apprentice Department, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, is allowed combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for three months, of which one month and two days will be under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the rest under article 271 of the Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

Howrah.

POWERS.

No. 6210A.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Gyanada Prasad Ghose, Deputy Collector, Patna, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894 in that district.

Patna.

No. 6213A.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Surendra Lal Mitra, Deputy Collector, Balasore, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Balasore.

The following order is republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* to the 2nd September 1908 :—

No. 5424A.—The 28th August 1908.—Mr. Gopal Chandra Banarji, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed to officiate as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, Tippera and Sylhet.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 3474L.R.—The 2nd September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred in this behalf by the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as extended to the districts of Cuttack, Puri and Balasore by Government Notification No. 1142L.R., dated the 22nd February 1908, published at page 479 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to made the following rules.

Cuttack.
Puri.
Balasore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as extended to the districts of Cuttack, Puri and Balasore by Government Notification No. 1142L.R., dated the 22nd February 1908.

CHAPTER I.—GENERAL.

Regard to be had to instructions of Board of Revenue.

1. In carrying out the following rules, Revenue-officers shall have regard to the instructions of the Board of Revenue for the guidance of Revenue-officers, so far as such instructions are consistent with the rules herein prescribed under Act VIII of 1885.

Supervision and control of Board of Revenue.

2. Except where otherwise provided for by law or by these rules, all proceedings and orders of Revenue-officers, passed in the discharge of any duty imposed upon them by, or under, this Act, shall be subject to the supervision and control of the Board of Revenue; and the proceedings and orders of each Revenue-officer under this Act shall be subject to the supervision and control of the Revenue-officers to whom he may be declared by the Board of Revenue to be, for the purposes of the Act, subordinate.

The Collector and the Commissioner, in whose jurisdiction operations under these rules are in progress, shall be entitled to inform themselves of the nature and progress of such operations.

Service of notice where mode not prescribed by the Act or these rules.

3. Where no other mode of service of notice is prescribed by the Bengal Tenancy Act or by these rules, service shall be effected in the manner prescribed for the service of summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure, if the notice is addressed to one or more persons occupying or owning the same holding or tenure; and, if it is addressed to a number of persons occupying or owning different holdings in the same village, the notice shall be served in the manner prescribed for the service of summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure, or by proclamation and beat of drum, and by posting it, in the presence of not less than two persons, on some conspicuous place in the village, and also by fixing it up in the village office, if any, where the rent is usually paid.

CHAPTER II.—STAPLE FOOD-CROPS AND PRICE-LISTS.

Local areas.

4. *Section 39 (1).*—The local areas under sub-section (*1*) of section 39 shall be those entered in Schedule II annexed to these rules, and the mart specified in the same Schedule for each local area shall be that at which prices shall be recorded.

Specification of food-crops by Collector for each local area.

5. *Section 39 (7).*—The Collector, after such inquiry into the relative extent to which particular food-crops are grown in his district, as he may think necessary, shall cause a notice to be affixed in his office, and in the subdivisional office, specifying the food-crop or food-crops which, in his opinion, is or are most extensively grown in each local area.

The notice shall distinguish, as far as may be practicable, between crops grown on high lands and crops grown on low lands; and shall fix a day, not being later than fifteen days, after the publication of such notice, on which objections will be taken into consideration.

On the day so fixed the Collector shall take into his consideration the objections, if any, to the enumeration of staple food-crops proposed in the notice; and shall report his opinion thereon to the Board of Revenue.

The Board of Revenue shall submit the Collector's opinion to the Local Government, with such remarks as may seem to them necessary.

The Local Government, after considering the reports of the Collector and the Board of Revenue, shall determine and notify in the Calcutta Gazette what shall be deemed staple food-crops in each local area.

Until further orders the crops shown in column 3 of Schedule II hereto appended shall be deemed staple food-crops for the purposes of section 39.

Dates for preparation of price-lists.

6. Price-lists of staple food-crops shall be prepared on one market-day in the month at intervals of not less than twenty days. This market-day shall be selected by the Collector, subject to the control of the Board of Revenue.

Method of determining prices.

7. The price recorded for each staple food-crop shall be the prevailing retail price at which that crop was actually sold in the mart to which the price-list refers on the day selected under the last preceding rule.

Price-lists—by whom to be prepared.

8. (1) Price-lists shall ordinarily be prepared by a gazetted officer not below the rank of a Sub-Deputy Collector. But in special cases where a Sub-Deputy Collector is not available, the Collector may authorize a kanungo to prepare the lists.

(2) Where prices are recorded at marts, other than those at the head quarters of districts, the Collector may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, authorize a Sub-Registrar to prepare the lists on days when no gazetted officer or kanungo is available.

(3) One or two respectable inhabitants of the locality shall always be asked to assist in the preparation of price lists, and the list shall be signed by at least one of them as well as by the officer preparing it.

Record to be kept by officer preparing price-lists.

9. Every officer charged with the preparation of price-lists shall keep a record showing, as far as practicable,—

(*a*) the date of his visit to the mart at which prices are to be recorded;

(*b*) the names of vendors and purchasers, the quantities sold and the price thereof, for any sales effected in his presence.

Scrutiny and countersignature on price-lists prepared by subordinate officer.

10. When price-lists are prepared at the Sadar subdivision by an officer other than a Covenanted Deputy Collector, or at other subdivisions by an officer subordinate to the Subdivisional Officer, or by a Sub-Registrar, they shall be submitted to the Covenanted Deputy Collector, or to a Deputy Collector specially nominated by the Collector for the purpose, or to the Subdivisional Officer, as the case may be. Such officer shall scrutinize the lists; he may call for explanation and cause manifest errors to be corrected; and, having satisfied himself of the accuracy of the lists, he shall countersign them.

Publication of price-lists.

11. The price-lists shall be published for not less than one week at the marts to which they respectively refer, at the Collector's or Subdivisional Office, and at every police-station and munsifi in the local area.

Submission of price-lists to Board.

12. After the expiry of the term of publication of the price-lists in the mart to which they refer, as mentioned in the last preceding rule, the lists shall be submitted to the Board with any objections made to them, and with the opinions of the officers who prepared and countersigned them, and of the Collector, on such objections.

CHAPTER III.—LANDLORDS' IMPROVEMENTS.

Application for registration of improvement to whom to be presented.

13. *Section 80.*—An application for the registration of a landlord's improvement may be presented to the Collector of the district or to the officer in charge of the subdivision in which the land benefited by the improvement is situated, or to any

Assistant or Deputy Collector who may be specially appointed by the Government to receive such application It shall, as far as practicable, be in the form (Form 1) specified in Schedule I appended to these rules, and five copies shall be submitted in respect of each village benefited.

Procedure of officer application.

14. The officer receiving the application shall fix a date for hearing objections to the same. He shall send, by registered letter, copies of the application, with intimation of the date so fixed, to those of the tenants in each village whose names are mentioned in column 8 of the application. He shall also give notice to the tenants generally by beat of drum and by causing a copy of the application and notice of the date, fixed for hearing objections thereto, to be fixed up in the presence of not less than two persons in some conspicuous place in every such village.

The expenses of such service and publication shall be borne by the applicant for registration.

Local inquiry.

15. The officer may make over the application to any of his subordinates, not being below the rank of a Sub-Deputy Collector, for local inquiry and report, and shall in that case fix a date for hearing the report, and shall cause such date to be notified to the parties concerned in the manner set forth in rule 14. The inquiry shall be limited to the ascertainment of the fact whether the work in question is really an improvement; whether any enhancement of rent is being paid for the original improvement; and whether the cost of the improvement has been correctly stated in the application.

Hearing of application.

16. On the date so fixed, or on any date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the officer shall hear summarily such of the parties and their witnesses as may attend, and shall consider any report submitted to him under rule 15. He shall then decide whether the work is an improvement, and whether the landlord is entitled to register it, and shall accordingly order it to be registered with such modifications of the figure in column 6 of the application as he may deem fit, or shall refuse registration. If the work is fit to be registered as an improvement, the officer shall record whether any enhancement of rent is being paid for the original improvement, and, if so, how much.

Saving.

17. Nothing hereinbefore contained shall preclude the officer receiving the application from holding a local inquiry in person, and from ordering the improvement to be registered, or refusing registration in accordance with the result of the inquiry so held.

Confirmation of order passed by officer lower in rank than Collector.

18. If an order refusing to register an improvement is passed by an officer lower in rank than the Collector of the district, such order shall not take effect until confirmed by the Collector of the district.

CHAPTER IV.—RECORD OF PROPRIETORS' PRIVATE LANDS.

Application for record of proprietors' private lands, to whom to be made.

20. *Section 118.*—Applications under section 118 may be made to the Collector of the district, or to the officer in charge of the subdivision in which the land in question is situated, or to any Assistant or Deputy Collector specially empowered by Government to receive such applications. If the application is made to the Collector of the district, he may transfer it for disposal to any officer empowered by Government to receive it.

Signature of, and particulars to be contained in, application.

21. The application shall be signed by the party making it, and shall contain the following particulars, so far as the applicant is able to furnish them:—

(*a*) the name, tauzi number, and Government revenue of the estate;

(*b*) the names of the registered proprietors, and the share held by each;

(*c*) the specification of each plot of land referred to in the application, showing the village in which it is situated and the area and boundaries of each plot, if known;

(*d*) the names of the tenants (if any) in occupation of each such plot; and

(*e*) the grounds of the application.

Inquiry on receipt of application.

22. On receipt of the application the officer shall make such inquiry as he may think fit by examining the applicant or his agent, and may call for further particulars before ordering further proceedings.

Measurement of lands where necessary and deposit of cost thereof.

23. If the area of the lands has not been already ascertained by measurement made by competent agency under the authority of Government, or if for sufficient reason a further measurement is considered desirable, the officer shall order the lands to be measured and shall estimate the cost of measurement in accordance with the rules for the time being in force for the measurement of lands in partition cases, and shall require the applicant to deposit the amount either at once or in such instalments as he may deem fit.

CHAPTER V.—SERVICE OF NOTICES.

Filing and service of agreements under section 46 (2).

30. *Section 46 (2).*—The agreement under sub-section (2) of section 46 shall be filed in the Court having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for arrears of rent of the holding, and shall be served on the raiyat in the manner prescribed for the service of a summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure, on payment of the fee prescribed by the High Court.

Filing and service of notice under section 46 (4).

31. *Section 46 (4).*—The notice under sub-section (4) of section 46 shall be filed in the Court having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for arrears of rent of the holding, and shall be served on the landlord in the manner prescribed for the service of a summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure, on payment of the process-fee prescribed by the High Court.

Service of notice of receipt of deposit in cases (*a*), (*b*) and (*d*) of section 61.

32. *Section 63 (2).*—In cases (*a*), (*b*) and (*d*) of section 61 referred to in sub-section (2) of section 63, the notice of the receipt of the deposit shall be served by forwarding the notice by post in a letter registered under Chapter VI of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), or, where the Court may deem it necessary, in the manner prescribed for the service of a summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure.

Publication of general notice under section 72 (2).

33. *Section 72 (2).*—The general notice referred to in sub-section (2) of section 72 may be published by the transferee by fixing up a written notice to the tenants in the village office or in the presence of not less than two persons in some conspicuous place on the lands, and by proclaiming to the tenants by beat of drum, in every village to which the transfer extends, that the interest of the former landlord has passed to the transferee. The transferee may, if he thinks fit, apply for service of the notice to the Court having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for arrears of rent of the holding, and the Court shall thereupon serve the notice as hereinbefore prescribed, on payment of the process-fee prescribed by the High Court.

Notice under section 73.

34. *Section 73.*—Notice under section 73 shall be in writing and shall be delivered to the landlord or his agent, or, where two or more persons are joint landlords, to their common agent or to their common manager appointed under section 95, as the case may be, at the landlord's village office, or at such other convenient place as may be appointed by the landlord for the payment of rent under sub-section (2) of section 54. When there are two or more joint landlords without a common agent or manager, the notice shall be served at the village office of the principal co-sharer or at such other places as may be appointed by each of the landlords for payment of rent under sub-section (2) of section 54.

Service of such notice through Civil Court.

35. The raiyat may, if he thinks fit, cause the notice to be served, through the Civil Court having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for arrears of rent of the holding, in the manner prescribed for the service of a summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure, on payment of the process-fee prescribed by the High Court.

CHAPTER VI.

THE PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED BY REVENUE-OFFICERS IN REGARD TO THE RECORD-OF-RIGHTS AND SETTLEMENT.

Powers vested in Settlement and Assistant Settlement Officers.

40. (*a*) Every Revenue-officer appointed by the Local Government under the designation of "Settlement Officer" or "Assistant Settlement Officer" for the purpose of making surveys, records-of-rights, settlement of rents, determination of proprietor's private lands and such like proceedings, or any one or more of them, under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, is hereby vested with—

(*i*) all the powers exercisable by a Civil Court in the trial of suits;

(*ii*) power to enter upon any land and to survey, demarcate and make a map of the same;

(*iii*) all the powers of an Assistant Superintendent of Survey and a Deputy Collector under the Bengal Survey Act, 1875; and

(*iv*) power to cut and thresh the crops on any land and weigh the produce, with a view to estimating the capabilities of the soil.

(*b*) A Revenue-officer who, under the designation of "Settlement Officer," has been appointed by the Local Government for the purpose of making a survey and record-of-rights and settlement of rents under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, shall have power, by general or special order, to make over for disposal to any officer subordinate to him (who has been duly empowered, under the designation of Assistant Settlement Officer, to act as a Revenue-officer under the provisions of the same Chapter of the same Act)—

(*i*) objections preferred under section 103A,

(*ii*) the settlement of fair rents (including the preparation of a table of rates),

(*iii*) the preparation of a Settlement Rent-Roll, under Chapter X, Part II, of the Act, in any area,

(*iv*) applications for the settlement of fair rents under section 105,

(*v*) suits instituted for the trial of disputes under section 106, and

(*vi*) applications for the commutation of rents under section 40.

(*c*) A Revenue-officer so appointed under the designation of Settlement Officer shall, on the application of any person interested, and after giving notice to other persons interested and hearing any objections preferred, or of his own motion without giving such notice, have power to withdraw, from the file of any Assistant Settlement Officer subordinate to him, any of the matters specified in rule 40 (*b*) above, and to dispose of them himself, or to transfer them for disposal to any other Assistant Settlement Officer subordinate to him who has been duly empowered to act as a Revenue-officer.

(*d*) On the application of either party to a suit under section 106, after giving notice to the other party and hearing any objections preferred, or of his own motion without giving such notice, a Revenue-officer so appointed under the designation of Settlement Officer may transfer to such competent Civil Court as the District Judge may designate the trial of a suit or of any class of suits instituted for the decision of a dispute or disputes which involves or involve important and complicated questions of right and title or claims to be put in possession.

(*e*) In the case of an uninhabited village, any general notice to be served or publication to be made under the rules in this Chapter may be served or made in any inhabited village contiguous to that village, or, if there be no inhabited village contiguous to that village, in the inhabited village nearest to that village or in the village in which the tenants and occupants of the lands of the uninhabited village are believed by the Revenue-officer to reside.

Powers vested in Deputy Superintendents of Survey and Assistant Superintendents of Survey.

41. Deputy Superintendents of Survey and Assistant Superintendents of Survey employed in operations under these rules are hereby declared to be Revenue-officers for the purpose of performing any duty imposed upon them by these rules, or by instructions, consistent with these rules, issued by the Board of Revenue. They are hereby vested with the powers specified in section 189 (1) (*b*), provided that an Assistant Superintendent shall not exercise the powers vested in a Superintendent under the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Ben. Act V of 1875).

Procedure for Cadastral Survey, Record-of-rights and Settlement of Rents.

Procedure for Survey, Record-of-rights and Settlement of rents.

42. The processes shall be—

A.—Demarcation of boundaries.

B.—Measurement.

C.—Khanapuri, *i.e.*, preliminary preparation of the record.

D.—Attestation of the record.

E.—Publication of the draft record.

F.—Disposal of objections under section 103A.

G.—Settlement of fair rents in cases in which a settlement of revenue is being, or is about to be made.

H.—Final publication of the record-of-rights.

I.—Distribution of copies of the record-of-rights to parties interested.

J.—The settlement of fair rents on the application of the parties under section 105, and the trial of suits for the decision of disputes under section 106, in cases in which a settlement of revenue is not being, or is not about to be made.

K.—Correction of *bonâ fide* omissions or mistakes in the record-of-rights.

A.—Demarcation of Boundaries.

Demarcation of village boundaries, and determination of the unit of survey and record-of-rights.

43. (*a*) In the demarcation of village boundaries, the area contained within the exterior boundaries of the village maps of the revenue survey shall be preserved, as far as possible, as the unit of survey and record.

(*b*) Where there is no dispute, the boundary of the village, according to possession, shall be followed for the purposes of map and record.

(*c*) Where there is a dispute as to a village boundary, the Revenue-officer shall decide the dispute under the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Ben. Act V of 1875).

(*d*) Where the Settlement Officer is of opinion that the village maps prepared at the Revenue Survey are not suitable as the unit of survey and record he shall issue notice of the inquiry to all parties concerned in the manner prescribed, and after such local inquiry in the presence of the parties as he may consider necessary, shall determine the area to be included in the village. He shall then submit his proceedings to the Board, through such superior authorities as the Board may prescribe; and such area as the Board may, after such further inquiry as may be deemed necessary, declare to be included in a village shall be adopted as the unit of survey and record-of-rights:

Provided that in all cases where the Revenue Survey village is not adopted as the unit of survey, the Settlement Officer shall draw up a statement, in such form as the Board may prescribe, showing the areas adopted as the unit of survey as compared with the areas contained in the village maps of the Revenue Survey; and such statement shall be filed in the Collector's Office.

(*e*) Where no Revenue Survey maps have been prepared, the Revenue-officer appointed under the designation of Settlement Officer shall issue notice to all parties concerned, in the manner prescribed; and, after such local inquiry in the presence of the parties as he may consider necessary, shall determine the area to be included in the village. He shall then submit his proceedings to the Collector; and such area as the Collector, after such further inquiry as he deems necessary, and with the sanction of the Board of Revenue, by general or special order, declares to constitute a village shall be adopted as the unit of survey and record-of-rights.

(*f*) In cases where the procedure prescribed in sub-clauses (*d*) and (*e*) have been adopted, the Board of Revenue shall submit a report to Government for issue of the notification prescribed by section 3 (10) (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act.

(*g*) The notice under rule 43 (*d*) and (*e*) of the inquiry to be held shall be given by proclamation and beat of drum and by posting it, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some convenient place or places in the lands to which it refers.

Erection of boundary pillars.

44. Boundary pillars of a permanent nature shall be erected at every point where the boundaries of three or more villages meet, and may be erected wherever the Revenue-officer considers it necessary to define by pillars the boundaries of estates or tenures, or of lands which have been the subject of dispute.

B.—Measurement.

Field maps.

45. A field map of every village shall be prepared. It shall show the boundaries of every field separately held, or of such plot of land as the instructions of the Board of Revenue for giving effect to these rules may lay down.

C.—Khanapuri, i.e., *Preliminary Preparation of the Record.*

Documents to be prepared in course of survey and preparation of record-of-rights.

46. The following are the principal documents to be prepared in the course of a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 :—

Village map.	Khewat.
Khasra.	Khatian.
Parcha.	Terij.

These and any other papers prescribed by the Board of Revenue shall be prepared in such manner as the Board may prescribe.

Record-of-rights.

47. The record-of-rights, which shall be published under section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, shall be contained in the khewat and the khatian and such other papers as may be specified by general or special order of the Board of Revenue in the case of any local area.

Proprietary khewat.

48. (*a*) The proprietary khewat shall show the character and extent of proprietary interests. It shall be first drawn up with reference to the registers maintained by the Collector under the provisions of the Land Registration Act, 1876 (Ben. Act VII of 1876). As the record-writing proceeds, the proprietary khewat shall be altered in accordance with the facts of possession. The Settlement Officer shall, from time to time, under such instructions as the Board of Revenue may prescribe in this behalf, give information to the Collector of all alterations made in the khewat, and the Collector shall thereupon take action to make such corrections as may be necessary in his registers prepared under the Land Registration Act. If the Collector, after inquiry under the Land Registration Act, finds that any entry in the khewat is incorrect, a note shall be made in the khewat of his finding.

(*b*) A khewat shall ordinarily be prepared to show the character and extent of the interest of tenure-holders, such of their interests as are of a raiyati nature being also recorded in the khatian.

Khatian.

49. (*a*) The khatian shall show in detail for all the lands of the village, estate by estate, landlord by landlard, tenant by tenant, and occupant by occupant, the lands included in each estate owned by each landlord and occupied by each tenant or occupant, with particulars of rent and area and of the incidents of each tenancy.

(*b*) Lands cultivated or otherwise held direct by the proprietor shall be shown in detail in the khatian, and shall be entered either as proprietor's private land within the meaning of section 120 of the Bengal Tenancy Act or as land held by the proprietor, but not private land, within the meaning of that section.

D.—Attestation of the Record.

Attestation.

50. (*a*) When the map, khasra, khewat and khatian for a village have been prepared in the manner prescribed by these rules and by instructions of the Board of Revenue consistent with

them, the Revenue-officer shall issue a notificatoin in the form (Form 10) given in Schedule I, fixing a day, which shall be not less than a week from the date of publication of the notification, on which he will be present at some place to be specified at or near the village, for the purpose of attesting and completing the record-of-rights.

(*b*) The notification shall further state that on the day so fixed, or on any other day to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the Revenue-officer will record rents and status and deal with objections relating to entries in the record or omissions therefrom; and it shall require all parties interested in the subject-matter of the inquiry to attend at the time and place specified, with their *parchas*, and with such evidence as they have to offer in connection with the proceedings.

(*c*) Such notification shall be published by proclamation and beat of drum, and fixed up, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some conspicuous place in the village to which it refers.

Measures to procure attendance of parties.

51. The Revenue officer may also, if he deem fit, take such additional measures under the powers conferred on him by rule 40, as he may deem desirable to procure the attendance, at the place specified in the notification issued under the last preceding rule, of the occupants, under-raiyats, raiyats, tenure-holders, landlords and proprietors or their authorized agents.

Inquiry as to correctness of entries.

52. On the date specified in the notification issued under rule 50, or on any other date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the entries which have been made in the khewat and in each khatian shall be read out in the presence of such of the interested parties as are in attendance.

If the correctness of any entry is questioned, the Revenue officer shall dispose of the objection after local inquiry or otherwise:

Provided that if the correctness of the measurement be objected to, and a fresh measurement be demanded, the Revenue officer may require the cost of the re-measurement to be deposited.

If the measurement shows the original measurement to have been inaccurate, the amount deposited, or any portion of it, may, if the Revenue officer thinks fit, be refunded to the objector.

Inquiry as to fixed rates or fixed rents.

53. The Revenue officer shall ascertain what tenants claim the right to hold at fixed rates or fixed rents, explaining, as far as may be necessary, the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in this respect. If the right claimed is disputed by the landlord, the Revenue officer shall call on the claimants for proofs of such right. If on the evidence produced the Revenue officer is satisfied that the tenants have the rights they claim, he shall record them as raiyats at fixed rates of rent, or a fixed rent, as the case may be.

Inquiry as to settled and occupancy raiyats.

54. The Revenue officer shall ascertain which of the raiyats are settled raiyats, or occupancy raiyats, as the case may be, and shall record them as such, having regard to the presumption of section 20 (7) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Inquiry as to non-occupancy raiyats.

55. The Revenue officer shall ascertain what raiyats are non-occupancy, and to this end he shall be entitled to call upon the landlord or his agent to produce a statement showing the names of the raiyats alleged by him to be non-occupancy raiyats. On the production of such statement, the Revenue-officer shall explain to the raiyats whose names are entered in the statement, and who have not already been recorded as occupancy or settled raiyats, the nature of the presumption raised by section 20 (7) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. If, after such explanation, a raiyat admits himself to be a non-occupancy raiyat, he shall be recorded as such. If he does not admit himself to be a non-occupancy raiyat, the Revenue officer shall call on the landlord to prove the allegation made by him in regard to such raiyat.

Abwabs and cesses.

56. Abwabs shall not be recorded. Cesses which are authorized by law shall be recorded separately from the rent in the khatian, or, in the case of tenure-holders, in the khewat.

Ascertainment and record of rent at present payable.

57. The Revenue-officer shall summarily ascertain the rent at present payable by the tenant, and record it in the appropriate column of the khatian as the rent payable in respect of the land held by the tenant.

Agreement between landlord and tenant as to rent to be recorded.

58. If, while the record is being prepared, the landlord and tenant agree as to the rent which shall be recorded as payable, the Revenue-officer, if he has been vested with powers under section 109 C of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907, may, if he is satisfied that the rent agreed upon is fair and equitable, but not otherwise, settle such rent as a fair and equitable rent, although the terms of the agreement are such that, if they were embodied in a contract, they could not be enforced under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Procedure where Revenue-officer not vested with powers under section 109C.

59. If the Revenue-officer has not been vested with powers under section 109C, he may, if he considers that the provisions of that section should be applied in respect of the rent of any tenure or holding, submit a report to any Revenue-officer who has been vested with powers under section 109C in the local area for which the record-of-rights is being prepared; and such Revenue-officer, after giving notice to the landlord and tenant, and after such further inquiry as he may deem necessary, may, if he is satisfied that the rent agreed upon by the landlord and tenant is fair and equitable, but not otherwise, settle such rent as a fair and equitable rent, although the terms of the agreement are such that, if they were embodied in a contract, they could not be enforced under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Form of proceedings and entry of rents settled or revised.

60. Proceedings for the settlement of rents under section 109C shall be drawn up in such form as the Board of Revenue may prescribe; and all rents settled under clause (*1*), section 109C, or revised by the Board of Revenue under clause (*3*), section 109C, shall be entered in the record-of-rights.

Proceeding on completion of attestation and publication of draft record.

61. When the record-of-rights has been prepared and attested in the manner prescribed in Rules 50 to 57, and when the record shall have been arranged and corrected in accordance with the orders which the Revenue-officer may have passed, he shall record a proceeding in which he shall state that attestation of the records of the village has been completed, and shall then cause the draft record-of-rights to be published in the village in the manner provided in Rule 62.

E.—Publication of the Draft Record.

Publication of draft record and hearing of objections.

62. (*a*) As soon as the record-of-rights has been prepared and attested, a notice in Form 11 in Schedule I shall be posted up at the landlord's office in the village, and, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some other conspicuous place in the village, or, where the village is uninhabited, in the village in which most of the cultivators of the uninhabited village reside, stating that the draft of the record will be published in the village on a day to be specified, not less than a week from the date of the posting of such notice, and calling on all persons interested to attend on the date so specified:

Provided that the draft of the record shall not be published until the proceeding under Rule 61 has been recorded.

(*b*) On the date fixed for the publication of the draft record, the Revenue-officer shall either proceed to the village himself and read the contents of the record in the presence of the parties who attend, or he shall depute an officer who shall read out the contents of the record in the presence of as many of the parties as attend; and the Revenue-officer, or the officer deputed by him, as the case may be, shall at the same time inform the parties who attend that the draft record will be open for inspection for not less than one month in the office of the Revenue-officer, or in such other convenient place as the Revenue-officer may determine.

Any objection which may be made to any entry during the period named shall be received and considered by the Revenue-officer.

Objections shall, as far as practicable, be made in Form 12 given in Schedule I.

F.—Disposal of Objections under section 103A.

63. When an objection is made within and before the expiry of the period of publication of the draft record prescribed under Rule 62 (*b*), regarding the correctness of an entry, or as to the propriety of any omission, notice of the objection (in Form 13,

Schedule I), shall be served on all persons whose interest may, in the opinion of the Revenue-officer, be affected thereby, and they shall be called upon to attend at such time and place as the Revenue-officer may fix for the disposal of the objection.

If no person attends to contest the objection, and the Revenue-officer is satisfied that the notice of the objection has been duly served on all persons interested, the objection may be allowed and the record amended accordingly, or the person who made the objection may, if the Revenue-officer thinks fit, be called upon to produce evidence in support of his objection.

All such objections shall be dealt with summarily, under such instructions as the Board of Revenue may prescribe.

G.—Settlement of Fair Rents in cases in which a Settlement of Revenue is being, or is about to be, made.

Report to Government where it is not necessary to settle rents of all classes of tenants in a Government Estate.

64. If it does not appear to the Revenue-officer expedient to settle the rents of tenants of every class in an estate or tenure belonging to the Government, the Revenue-officer shall submit a report for the orders of the Government under the proviso to section 104 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907.

Service of notice of settlement of rents.

65. In the case of a settlement of fair rents under Part II of Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, when a settlement of revenue is being, or is about to be, made, the Revenue-officer shall serve a notice by proclamation and beat of drum, and by posting it, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some conspicuous place in the village comprising the lands under settlement.

The notice shall be in Form 14 in Schedule I and shall set forth that, on a date named and at a place named, the Revenue-officer will settle fair rents in respect of all estates, tenures or holdings, and for unsettled lands included in such village. A schedule may, when the Revenue-officer thinks fit, be appended to the notice, giving such particulars as he may think necessary relating to the names and numbers of all estates, tenures, and holdings paying revenue or rent to Government, and of unsettled lands for which rent will be settled. Such notice shall be served at least one week previous to the date fixed for settlement of fair rents. When such notice has been served, it shall be held that all persons have, subject to the provisions of Rule 73, been sufficiently warned of the date fixed:

Provided that in cases in which a table of rates is prepared under the provisions of section 104B, the notice shall not be published until the table of rates has been confirmed under sub-section (5) of that section.

Table of rates where necessary.

66. A table of rates shall not ordinarily be prepared when it is found that the tenants of the local area in question hold their lands at lump rentals, and no rates actually exist, or when the rates are so numerous and varied, and are so little dependent on the class of soil, that no table of existing rates can be prepared. When the above conditions do not obtain, and it is possible to prepare a table of existing rates which are generally of a uniform character and in accordance with certain ascertainable classes of soil, a table of rates may be prepared in accordance with the provisions of section 104A (*c*):

Provided that when the Revenue-officer is of opinion, for reasons to be recorded by him in writing, and submitted to, and approved by, the authority empowered to confirm the table of rates, that the rents stated as the existing rents by the landlord and tenants are not the rents that are legally payable, and that it is impossible to ascertain those rents, a table of rates fairly and equitably payable may be prepared and shall be based on the rates or rents payable in those neighbouring villages, the lands of which are fairly comparable with the lands of the village.

Preparation of table of rates.

67. When the Revenue-officer has decided to settle rents in any local area on the basis of a table of rates, under section 104A (*c*), he shall first prepare a table of existing rates and shall then either maintain those rates or shall proceed to enhance or reduce them, having regard to the general principles laid down

n the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, for the enhancement or reduction of rents, and especially to section 30 (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*).

Contents of table of rates.

68. The table of rates finally prepared by the Revenue-officer and published by him under section 104B (*2*) shall contain the particulars noted in section 104B (*1*), and shall show—

(*a*) the classes of land, as locally known, that have been adopted in the fixation f rates;

(*b*) the area, expressed in local measure, for which each rate is fixed;

(*c*) the existing rates, if any, taken as the basis of the table of rates; and

(*d*) the rates of rent fixed as fairly and equitably payable by tenants holding land of each class whose rent is liable to alteration.

Publication of table of rates.

69. (*a*) When a table of rates has been prepared under section 104B, a notice in Form 15 in Schedule I shall be posted up in the landlord's office in the village or, in the presence of not less than two persons, in some conspicuous place in the village, stating that the table of rates will be published in the village on a day to be specified, not less than a week from the date of the posting of such notice, and calling on all persons interested to attend on the date so specified.

(*b*) On the date fixed for the publication of the table of rates, the Revenue-officer shall proceed to the village and shall explain to so many of the parties as attend, the proposed rates and the grounds on which they are based and shall hear and consider any objections that may be raised to any entries in the table. He shall at the same time inform the parties who attend that the table of rates will be open to inspection for not less than one month in the office of the Revenue-officer or in such other convenient place as the Revenue-officer may determine, and that any person who objects to any entry in the table of rates may present a petition to him on the subject, within one month of the date of the publication of the table of rates, which will be duly considered under section 104B (*3*).

Record of grounds of order.

70. The Revenue-officer shall record the grounds of his final order in every case in which he disposes of an objection to a table of rates under section 104B (*4*).

Submission of proceedings to confirming authority.

71. In submitting his proceedings to the confirming authority under section 104B (*4*), the Revenue-officer shall describe the land classification adopted by him for the purposes of his table of rates, and shall show in tabular form the rates which were found by him to exist for the classes of land described, and the rates he proposes to substitute for the existing rates, explaining in each case his grounds for maintaining, enhancing or reducing the rates

Confirming authorities.

72. (*a*) The following Revenue Authorities are empowered, under section 104B (*4*), to confirm tables of rates prepared under the Bengal Tenancy Act:—

(*i*) when the total rents to which the table of rates is to be applied will not, in the opinion of the Revenue-officer, exceed Rs. 1,000 the Collector of the District;

(*ii*) when the total rents in question will, in the opinion of the Revenue-officer, exceed Rs. 1,000, but will not exceed Rs 5,000, the Commissioner of the Division; and

(*iii*) when the total rents in question will, in the opinion of of the Revenue-officer, exceed Rs. 5,000, the Board of Revenue.

(*b*) The following Revenue Authorities are empowered under section 104B (*4*), to confirm Settlement Rent-rolls prepared under the Bengal Tenancy Act:—

(*i*) in all cases in which the Settlement Rent-roll has been prepared by an Assistant Settlement Officer, and the Settlement Officer is of the rank of a Collector, the Settlement Officer, and

(*ii*) in all other cases the Collector or other Revenue Authority to whom the Settlement Officer is declared by the Board of Revenue to be immediately subordinate.

Settlement of fair rents.

73. On the date fixed in the notice issued under rule 65 above, or on any subsequent date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the Revenue-officer shall read, or cause to be read aloud in his presence, the name of each tenant whose rent has to be settled, the area of his tenancy, and the existing rent, and shall proceed to settle a fair rent for every such tenant under the previsions of section 104A (*1*), (*a*), (*b*), (*d*) or section 104C :

Provided that when a Revenue-officer proposes to alter an existing rent, and the parties have not attended in compliance with the general notice prescribed in rule 65 above, the Revenue-officer shall serve each person interested with a special notice, and the fair rent shall not be settled in the absence of such person until after due service of such special notice has been proved.

Contents of Settlement Rent-roll.

74. The Settlement Rent-roll shall contain the particulars prescribed in section 104A (*2*), and the fair rent settled for each tenant shall be entered in it by the Revenue-officer himself at the time that such rent is settled.

Publication of Settlement Rent-roll and filing of objections.

75. As soon as the Settlement Rent-roll has been prepared, it shall be published by a notice in Form 16 in Schedule I in the manner prescribed for the publication of the Draft Record in rule 62, and the Revenue-officer or the officer deputed by him to read out the contents of the Settlement Rent-roll, as the case may be, shall at the same time inform the parties who attend that the Settlement Rent-roll will be open to inspection for not less than one month in the office of the Revenue-officer, or in such other convenient place as the Revenue-officer may determine, and that any person who objects to any entry in the Settlement Rent-roll or omission therefrom may present a petition to the Revenue-officer on the subject within one month of the date of the publication of the Settlement Rent-roll, which will be duly considered under section 104E.

Method of dealing with objections. Appeal.

76. All objections presented under rule 69 or rule 75 shall be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of rule 63 in the same way as objections presented under section 103A. An appeal presented under section 104G (*1*) shall lie to the officer to whom the Revenue-officer who has passed the order appealed against is immediately subordinate:

Provided that a second appeal shall lie from any order on appeal settling the amount of a fair rent passed by a Settlement Officer or Collector under this rule to the Commissioner of the Division, and that, when the proposed annual rental of any tenancy exceeds 100 rupees *per annum*, a final appeal shall, in all such cases, lie to the Board of Revenue.

Incorporation of Settlement Rent roll in record-of-rights.

77. As soon as the Settlement Rent-roll has been sanctioned by the Confirming Authority, it shall be incorporated in the record-of-rights by the entry of the fair rents settled in a column of the khatian to be set apart for that purpose.

Rules 65 to 77 to apply to a settlement of rents under section 112 of the Bengal Tenancy Act.

78. Rules 65 to 77 (both inclusive) shall apply, so far as may be, to a settlement of rents under section 112 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907.

H.—Final publication of the Record-of-rights.

Final publication of record-of-rights.

79. When all objections under section 103A have been disposed of, as provided for in rule 63 above, and, in cases in which a settlement of revenue is being, or is about to be, made, the settlement Rent-roll has been incorporatd in the record-of-rights, as provided in rule 77, and the Revenue-officer has corrected the draft record in accordance with the orders passed by him on such objections or in the course of the preparation of the Settlement Rent-roll, he shall finally frame the record and cause it to be published by notifying, in the form shown in Form 17 in Schedule I, that its contents will be read out in the village, or, when the village is uninhabited, in the village in which most of the cultivators of the uninhabited village reside, on a date to be

specified, not less then a week from the date of the publication of such notice, and by reading it out himself or causing it to be read in the village on the date so specified, in the manner prescribed in rule 62, in the presence of the parties or of as many of them as attend.

Report to Local Government after final publication.

81. When all the records-of-rights in any local area have been finally published, the Revenue-officer shall submit a report to the Local Government, containing such particulars as may be necessary, in order to enable the Local Government to issue a notification under sub-section (*2*) of section 103B of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907.

I.—Distribution of copies of the record-of-rights to parties interested.

Distribution of copies of record-of-rights to parties interested.

81. (*a*) The Revenue-officer shall cause to be made a copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights as finally published in accordance with rule 70, and this copy or extract shall bear a certificate, under the Revenue-officer's signature and seal, that it is a copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights as finally published. The copy or extract shall be made over to the landlord concerned, or, where there are more landlords than one, to their common agent or common manager, as the case may be, or, if there be no common agent or common manager, to such person among the landlords as the Revenue-officer may think fit.

(*b*) The finally published record itself shall be made over to the Collector of the district, and shall bear a certificate that it is the finally published record, under the Revenue-officer's signature and seal.

(*c*) An extract from the record-of-rights as finally published under rule 79 relating to his tenancy shall be given to every tenant, under the signature and seal of the Revenue-officer, and shall bear a certificate that it is an extract from the record-of rights as finally published.

(*d*) Copies of records, or of extracts from them, supplied to landlords and tenants under this rule shall be given free or on payment according as, in the case of each local area, the Local Government may direct. When payment is required, the sums so recovered shall be adjusted against the expenses incurred on account of survey and settlement.

(*e*) If the Local Government so directs, copies of the maps shall be prepared and distributed to the landlords and tenants concerned, and in such a case the foregoing rules regarding copies of, or extracts from, the record shall apply to such copies of the maps.

J.—The settlement of Fair Rents on the application of the Parties under section 105, and the trial of suits for the decision of disputes under section 106, in cases in which a settlement of revenue is not being, or is not about to be, made.

Proceedings for settlement of fair rents.

82. When the landlord or tenant applies for the settlement of a fair rent, he shall be considered as plaintiff and the oposite party as defendant. The proceedings shall be dealt with as suits and, subject to the directions contained in rules 84 to 87 of this Chapter, the Revenue-officer shall adopt, as far as it is applicable, the procedure laid down in the Code of Civil Procedure for the trial of suits.

Record and settlement of rents in estates under management of Court of Wards or Manager appointed under section 95.

83. When the estate or tenure is managed by the Court of Wards or by a Manager appointed by the District Judge under section 95 of the Act and a settlement of revenue is not being, or is not about to be, made, the procedure laid down in these rules for recording or settling rents shall be followed, the Manager of the estate or the tenure being regarded as the landlord.

Notice of application for settlement of fair rent.

84. When a landlord or tenant applies for the settlement of a fair rent, notice in Form 18 in Schedule I shall be served on every person interested in the application, together with a copy of the application, or extract therefrom, or summary thereof, so far as the application concerns such person.

Joint application for settlement of rents in certain cases.

85. With the consent of the Revenue-officer, any number of tenants occupying land under the same landlord, whose interest is recorded in the same khewat entry in the same village, may make a joint application for the settlement of rents or may be joined as defendants in the same proceeding on a similar application by the landlord:

Provided that, if at any time it appears to the Revenue-officer that the question between any two of the parties, of whom one is so joined with others, cannot conveniently be so jointly tried, he may order a separate trial to be held of that question, or he may pass such order, in accordance with the Code of Civil Procedure, for the joint or separate disposal of the application as he may think fit.

Inquiry and settlement of fair rents.

86. (*a*) On the date fixed for the settlement of fair rents, or any subsequent date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, the Revenue-officer shall read aloud, or cause to be read aloud in his presence, the name of each tenant whose rent has to be settled, the area of his tenancy, and the existing rent, and shall then proceed to settle a fair rent under the provisions of section 105.

(*b*) Where a landlord or tenant does not attend, after due service of notice has been proved, the procedure may be *ex-parte*.

(*c*) Where a landlord or tenant appears and the fair rent is not settled under sub-section (*5*) or sub-section (*6*) of section 105, that is, by the acceptance by the parties of a rent proposed by the Revenue officer, or compromise, the Revenue-officer shall record evidence in the manner prescribed in clause (*f*) of section 148 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, for the trial of rent-suits, and shall settle a fair and equitable rent according to law:

Provided that in important cases the Revenue-officer may, in his discretion, record evidence at length.

(*d*) When a fair rent has been settled under these rules, it shall be entered in the khatian as the rent payable in respect of the holding from the date prescribed by section 110.

Entry of fair rent to be held to be decree.

87. It shall not be necessary for a Revenue-officer to draw up a separate decree with regard to the fair rent settled; but the entry made in his decision or schedule attached thereto with regard to the fair rent settled shall be held to be a decree.

Manner of dealing with proceedings under sections 105A and 106.

88. Proceedings under sections 105A and 106 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907, shall be dealt with in all respects as suits between the parties.

K.—Correction of bonâ-fide *omissions or mistakes in the record-of-rights.*

Applications for corrections of errors.

89. Applications for the correction of *bonâ-fide* omissions or mistakes in the record-of-rights after its final publication under Rule 79, where such applications bear on the body of them the admission of the party or parties affected, shall be received and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of section 108A. If the Revenue officer receiving the application has not been specially empowered under that section, he shall forward the application for disposal, with his report thereon, to the Revenue-officer so empowered. The court-fee payable on such applications shall be eight annas.

Final Reports.

Final report and particulars thereof.

90 The Local Government may, if it thinks fit, direct that a final report be written, in English, for each village and each local area under survey.

The report for the village shall show—

(*a*) the number of tenants of each class, with the area held and rental paid by them;

(*b*) the area and classification of the village lands;

(*c*) the rental before settlement, and according to settlement, and the number of fair rents settled, with explanation of increase or decrease;

(*d*) when settlement of land-revenue is being made, the amount of Government revenue before and after re-settlement, grounds of assessment, and comparison of gross assets with new assessment;

(*e*) the rates of rent prevailing before settlement, and the rates settled, if any;
(*f*) proximity to markets, and facilities for irrigation;
(*g*) village customs, including customs as to payment of village officials;
(*h*) arrangements made for maintenance of records, and
(*i*) other matters deserving of notice which have been excluded from the record-of-rights.

The report for the whole area under survey shall contain the following particulars:—

(*i*).—General description of the tract.
(*ii*).—Its fiscal history.
(*iii*).—Statistical results.
(*iv*).—Comparison of condition of the tract as regards rentals before and after survey.
(*v*).—Financial results, including approximate division of expenses under the heads—
(*a*) Survey.
(*b*) Record-of-rights, and
(*c*) Preparation and distribution of records.

Applications under section 103 for Survey and Record-of-Rights.

Applications under section 103 to be made to Collector.

91. These applications shall be made to the Collector of the district.

Particulars to be specified in such applications.

92. The application shall specify—
(*a*) the status of the applicant, viz., whether he is a proprietor or a tenure-holder;
(*b*) the particulars specified in section 102 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of which the application is made; and
(*c*) the number of tenants occupying the estate or tenure or part thereof in respect of which the application is made, the total rent payable by them at the time, and the estimated area covered by the application (so far as the applicant is able to give these particulars).

Further particulars in applications by proprietors and tenure-holders.

93. (*a*) If the application is made by a proprietor, it shall not be admitted unless the name of the applicant and the extent of his interest are registered under Bengal Act VII of 1876.

(*b*) If the application is made by a tenure-holder, it shall not be admitted unless the right of the tenure-holder and the extent of his interest is admitted by the superior landlord or is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector.

Submission of application to Commissioner.

94. On receipt of the application, the Collector shall forward it to the Commissioner with any remarks which he may think necessary.

Power of Commissioner to call for further particulars or amendment.

95. The Commissioner may call for further information or may require the application to be amended.

Procedure of Commissioner. Reference to Board.

96. If the Commissioner considers that the application cannot be granted with advantage to the interests of all persons concerned, he may reject it. If he approves it, he shall forward the application, with an expression of his opinion, for the orders of the Board of Revenue.

Record of reason for rejection of application. Appeal to Board.

97. A Commissioner rejecting an application shall record his reason for doing so, and the applicant, if dissatisfied with the order, may appeal within one month to the Board of Revenue.

Procedure and powers of Board.

98. When an application is referred to the Board under rule 96, or an appeal is preferred under rule 97, the Board may call for further information, if necessary, and shall pass such orders as it may think fit for allowing or rejecting the application.

Procedure of Collector where application allowed. Deposit of costs.

99. As soon as an application is allowed, the Collector shall call upon the applicant to deposit 8 annas *per* acre of the estimated extent of the estate or tenure or part thereof in respect of which the application has been allowed. If the Collector is unable to estimate the area, he shall require a deposit at the rate of Rs. 2 for each tenant. If the amount does not exceed Rs. 500, the applicant must deposit the whole amount in advance. If it exceeds Rs. 500, the applicant shall deposit the sum of Rs. 500 and shall give such security as the Collector may require

for the payment of the balance of the deposit in such instalments as the Collector may from time to time demand.

If the amount deposited as above proves more than sufficient to cover the cost of the proceedings, the unexpended balance will be refunded on their termination.

If the amount deposited proves insufficient to cover the cost, the applicant shall, when required by the Collector, deposit from time to time such further sums as the Collector may think necessary for the completion of the proceedings. If he shall fail to do so, the proceedings may be stopped and the order allowing the application cancelled.

Revenue-officer to follow rules framed for guidance of officers acting under section 101.

100. In conducting the operations, the Revenue-officer shall proceed in accordance with the rules for the guidance of officers acting under orders made under section 101.

CHAPTER VII.—GENERAL SCALE OF FEES.

Fees for service of notice.

101. *Service of Notices.*—For the service of every notice under this Act, not being a notice issued by any Revenue or Civil Court [fees for serving which are regulated by the Court Fees Act, 1870 (VII of 1870)], and not being provided for by any other rule made under this Act, a process-fee of 12 annas shall be levied, if the notice be directed to one or more persons residing in the same village.

Fees where notice directed to several persons in different villages.

102. Where such notices are directed to several persons resident in different villages, a fee of 12 annas shall be levied for service in each village.

Additional charges for railway, boat or ferry charges, etc.

103. In addition to the above fee, the actual charge which must be incurred, if it is necessary to travel by railway or boat, or cross ferries, shall be levied from and paid by the person at whose intance the process is issued, before issue of the process. If a peon carries more than one process involving charges for railway-fare, boat-hire, etc, the sum leviable shall be charged, in equal shares, upon all the processes so carried. The rates at which such boat-hire is to be charged shall be the same as those fixed for criminal processes under Rule VII of the rules prescribed by the High Court under clause (2) of section 20 of Act VII of 1870, and shall be sufficient only to cover, on the whole, the actual cost of hiring boats, or of such boat establishment as it may be necessary to maintain for the purpose of serving processes of these classes.

Demurrage for detention of peon.

104. If a peon is detained at the place of service for more than 24 hours at the request of the person at whose instance the process was issued, or of his agent, such person or agent shall then and there pay demurrage at the rate of 5 annas a day and obtain a receipt from the peon. Unless this demurrage is paid, the peon shall decline to wait. No demurrage shall be charged if the delay was not due to the person requiring the process or to his agent.

Fees for deposits of rent.

105. *Deposits of Rent.*—For deposits of rent under section 61 (2), fees shall be levied according to the following scale:—

	Rs.	A.
On any sum not exceeding ...	5	1
On any sum exceeding ... but not exceeding ...	5 / 10	2
On any sum exceeding ... but not exceeding ...	10 / 25	
On any sum exceeding ...	25	4

for each complete sum of Rs. 25, and 4 annas for the remainder, provided that, if the remainder does not exceed Rs. 10, the charge for it shall be only 2 annas.

Provided, also, that in no case shall the fee exceed the sum of Rs. 5.

NOTE.—The numbering of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), published in Notification No. 2705T.—R., dated the 31st October 1907, has been followed in the above rules. Such rules as are not applicable to Orissa have been omitted.

SCHEDULE I.

FORM 1.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 80 OF ACT VIII OF 1885.
(See Rule 13.)

To

THE COLLECTOR OF

The application of , son of , resident of , for registration of an improvement under section 80 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885).

Name of pargana and estate in which improvement has been effected.	Names of villages in which improvement effected.	Nature of applicant's interest in land improved.	Nature of improvement.	By whom executed and at whose expense.	Cost of improvement.	When executed.	Names of all tenants benefited in each village.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

A. B.,
Landlord.

FORM 10.

Notice of Date of Attestation of the Records. [*See Rule 50 (a).*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats, under-raiyats and occupants of—

Village . | Pargana .
Thana | District
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that under the powers vested in me by the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), and the rules made thereunder, I shall, on the day of 190 , at , proceed to attest and complete the record-of-rights in the abovementioned village.

You are hereby required to attend before me at the abovementioned time and place, or at any other time and place to which the proceedings may be adjourned, and to produce such evidence, written or oral, as you may have to offer on the subject-matter of the proceedings.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 11.

Notice for draft publication of the record. [*See Rule 62 (a), Chapter VI of the Rules.*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats, under-raiyats and occupants of—

Village | Pargana
Thana | District
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that as the attestation of the record of the abovementioned village has been completed, the Draft Record will be published by its contents being read out in the village on the . All persons interested are called on to attend on this date.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 12.

Objection under section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act.
[*See Rule 62 (b), Chapter VI, of the Rules.*]

Village . | Pargana .
Thana . | District . .
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Name of objector, with father's name, caste and address.

Name, father's name, caste and address of person in whose khatian the entry objected to has been made, and number of khatian, if known.

Statement of entry objected to, with details of objection.

Statement of relief sought.

Signature of objector, with date of filing.

FORM 13.

Notice fixing the date for the hearing of an objection under Section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act. [*See Rule 63.*]

By order of the Settlement Officer at
District
CASE No. of 190 .
IN THE COURT OF

Objector.

Notice to

WHEREAS an objection (copy of which is annexed) under section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act has been filed, and the date of its disposal has been fixed for the 190 , you are hereby informed that you should, on the day fixed, appear personally or by agent in this Court at at o'clock to produce any evidence you have. In case of your failing to appear at the time fixed, orders will be passed according to law.

Dated Month 190 .

FORM 14.

Notice for settlement of Fair Rents in connection with a settlement of the land revenue. [*See Rule 65.*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats under-raiyats, and occupants of—

Village . | Pargana .
Thana | District
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that on at I shall proceed to fix fair and equitable rents for all the tenants of the above-mentioned village. All persons interested or concerned are called upon to attend at the place named above or the date specified.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 15.

Notice for publication of a Table of Rates. [*See Rule 69 (a).*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats under-raiyats, and occupants of—

Village . | Pargana .
Thana | District
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that a table of rates for the above-mentioned village has been prepared, and that it will be published in the village on the day of .
All persons interested are called upon to attend on the date specified.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 16.

Notice for the publication of a Settlement Rent-roll. [*See Rule 75.*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats, under-raiyats and occupants of—

Village . | Pargana .
Thana | District
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that fair rents having been settled for all tenants in the above-mentioned village, a Settlement Rent-roll has been prepared, and that this Rent-roll will be published by its contents being read out in the village on the .
All persons interested are called upon to attend.

Revenue-officer.

FORM 17.

Notice for final Publication of the Record. [*See Rule 79.*]

NOTICE to the proprietors, tenure-holders, landlords, raiyats, under-raiyats, and occupants of—

Village . | Pargana .
Thana | District
Thana No. or Revenue Survey No.

Take notice that all objections under section 103A of the Tenancy Act having been decided by the Revenue-officer *and the Settlement Rent-roll having been incorporated in the record-of-rights*, the record of the above-mentioned village has been finally framed and will be published by its contents being read out in the village on the .
All persons interested are called on to attend on this date.

Revenue-officer.

[The words in italics are to be omitted in cases in which a settlement of land revenue is not being made.]

FORM 18.

Notice for service on Persons interested in an application made by Landlord or Tenant for Settlement of Fair Rents. [*See Rule 84.*]

To

WHEREAS (here state name, description and address of applicant or applicants) landlords / tenants have made an application, in which you are interested, for the settlement of a fair rent for lands in villlage , a copy of the application / an extract containing such parts of the application as concern you is hereby served on you, and you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by duly authorized agent at o'clock on the at for final disposal of the application. In default of your appearance on the day mentioned, the application will be heard and determined in your absence. You should bring or send by your agent on the day fixed any document or evidence on which you intend to rely.

SCHEDULE II.

(*Referred to in Rule 4*).

ORISSA DIVISION.

CUTTACK ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Rice ...	Cuttack town. Charchika Hât.
	Jajpur ditto ...	Do. ...	Jajpur town.
	Kendrapara ditto ...	Do. ...	Kendrapara town
BALASORE ...	Balasore Sadar subdivision	Rice ...	Balasore.
	Bhadrak ditto	Do. ...	Bhadrak. Chandbali.
PURI ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Rice ...	Puri. Banamalipur.
	Khurda ditto ...	Do. ...	Khurda.

No. 3545—L.R.—The 4th September 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883 (XIX of 1883), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following amendment in the Special Rules for tracts affected by distress, under the said section, which were published with Government Notification No. 1286—L.R., dated the 28th February 1908, at pages 554-557 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1908:—

In sub-rule (2) of rule 23 *for* the words "six months before" *substitute* the word "on."

No. 3590 L.R.—The 4th September 1908.—Mr. P. W. Murphy, I.C.S., Settlement Officer of Bihar, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-two days, from the 7th September 1908.

Bihar.

No. 3594 L.R.—The 4th September 1908.—Mr. C. L. Philip, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in Bihar, with effect from the 15th September 1908.

Bihar.

No 3600 L.R.—The 4th September 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, Nadia, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Murshidabad.

Nadia.
Murshidabad.

No. 3651 L.R.—The 7th September 1908.—The undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the districts of Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Patna, with effect from the 25th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which they may join their settlement duties:—

Monghyr.
Bhagalpur.
Purnea.
Patna.
Khulna.

(1) Babu Amarnath Chatarji, Munsif of Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna.
(2) ,, Jatindra Chandra Basu, Munsif of Monghyr.
(3) ,, Akhauri Nityananda Singh, Munsif of Patna.
(4) Maulvi Usman Ali, Munsif of Kishanganj, in the district of Purnea.

No. 3662 L.R.—The 7th September 1908.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Superintendents of Survey in the districts of Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Patna:—

Monghyr.
Bhagalpur.
Purnea.
Patna.

(1) Babu Amar Nath Chatarji, Munsif.
(2) ,, Jatindra Chandra Basu, ,,
(3) Akhauri Nityananda Singh, ,,
(4) Maulvi Usman Ali, ,,

No. 3663 L.R.—The 7th September 1908.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the undermentioned officers are authorised to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purpose of a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in the districts of Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Patna.

Monghyr.
Bhagalpur.
Purnea.
Patna.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer in those districts under rule 40 (Chapter VI) of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

(1) Babu Amar Nath Chatarji, Munsif.
(2) ,, Jatindra Chandra Basu, ,,
(3) Akhauri Nityananda Singh, ,,
(4) Maulvi Usman Ali, ,,

No. 3664 L.R.—The 7th September 1908.—The undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the districts of Ranchi, Singhbhum and Manbhum, with effect from the 25th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which they may join their settlement duties:—

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.
Manbhum.
Nadia.
Sambalpur.
Balasore.

(1) Babu Radha Kanta Ghosh, Munsif of Ranaghat, in the district of Nadia.
(2) ,, Lakshmi Narayan Patnaik, Munsif of Sambalpur, at present on deputation to Balasore.

No. 3671L.R.—The 7th September 1908.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint the undermentioned officers to be Assistant Superintendents of Survey in the districts of Ranchi, Singhbhum and Manbhum :—

Ranchi
Singhbhum.
Manbhum.

(1) Babu Radha Kanta Ghosh, Munsif.
(2) „ Lakshmi Narayan Patnaik, Munsif.

No. 3672L.R.—The 7th September 1908.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Superintendents of Survey in respect of that portion of the Dhalbhum estate, bearing tauzi No. 1 on the revenue-roll of the district of Singhbhum, which lies in the district of Midnapore :—

Singhbhum.
Midnapore.

(1) Babu Radha Kanta Ghosh, Munsif.
(1) „ Lakshmi Narayan Patnaik, Munsif.

No. 3673L.R.—The 7th September 1908.—The undermentioned officers are authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act, as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 1379L.R., dated the 5th March 1908, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purpose of carrying out they survey and record-of-rights in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer in these districts, under rule 1, Chapter II, of the Rules made under the Bengal Tenancy Act for the Chota Nagpur Division (except the district of Manbhum), published under Government Notification No. 3395L.R., dated the 24th November 1903 :—

(1) Babu Radha Kanta Ghosh, Munsif.
(2) „ Lakshmi Narayan Patnaik, Munsif.

No. 3674L.R.—The 7th September 1908 —Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to authorise the undermentioned officers to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, in respect of that portion of the Dhalbhum estate, bearing tauzi No. 1 on the revenue-roll of the district of Singhbhum, which lies in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.
Singhbhum.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer in respect of the same area under rule 40 (Chapter VI) of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

(1) Babu Radha Kanta Ghosh, Munsif.
(2) „ Lakshmi Narayan Patnaik, Munsif.

No. 3675L.R.—The 7th September 1908.—With reference to the provisions of section 3 (1) (*a*) of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897 (Bengal Act IV of 1897), as amended by Bengal Act V of 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to authorise the undermentioned officers to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer for the purpose of commuting predial conditions and services under section 9A of that Act, in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum :—

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

(1) Babu Radha Kanta Ghosh, Munsif.
(2) „ Lakshmi Narayan Patnaik, Munsif.

No. 3691L.A.—The 7th September 1908.—In the 4th and 10th lines of the Declaration No. 4021L.R., dated the 22nd January 1906, published at page 111 of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated 24th January 1906, *for* "village Baruna Kalan" *read* "villages Baruna Kalan and Chowsalpore."

No. 3693L.R.—The 8th September 1908.—The officers named below are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the districts of Monghyr, Patna, and Shahabad, with effect from the 15th September 1908 :—

Monghyr.
Patna.
Shahabad.

(1) Mr. Charu Chandra Chakrabatti, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Contai, Midnapore.
(2) „ J. McPherson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhum.

Monghyr. Patna. Shahabad.

No. 3701L.R.—The 8th September 1908.—The officers, named below, are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the districts of Monghyr, Patna and Shahabad, with effect from the 15th September 1908:—

(1) Pandit Lakshmi Misra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Monghyr.

(2) Maulvi Muhammad Sahabuddin Khan, Sub-Deputy Collector, Godda, Sonthal Parganas.

(3) ,, Saiyid Amanat Husain, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jahanabad, Gaya.

(4) Babu Surjya Narayan Singh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Vishnupur, Bankura.

(5) ,, Abinash Chandra Banarji, Sub Deputy Collector, Burdwan.

(6) ,, Atul Bihari Gosain, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hooghly.

(7) Maulvi Muhammad Tahir, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Sasaram, Shahabad.

(8) Babu Atul Gopal Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, Madhubani, Darbhanga.

(9) Mr. H. J. B. Le Patourel, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Jajpur, Cuttack.

Ranchi.

No. 3727L.R.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. H McPherson, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officer, Chota Nagpur Settlement.

Ranchi.

No. 3732L.R.—The 8th September 1908.—The officers, named below are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers, Chota Nagpur Settlement, with effect from the 15th September 1908:—

(1) Babu Satkari Pati Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, Contai, Midnapore.

(2) ,, Sharbari Kanta Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector Hazaribagh.

(3) ,, Amulya Chandra Dutt, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rampur Hât, Birbhum.

(4) ,, Amulya Krishna Dutt, Sub-Deputy Collector, Midnapore.

(5) Mr. Jamini Mohan Chatterji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Uluberia, Howrah.

Ranchi.

No. 3742L.R.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Iswari Prasad Singh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officer, Chota Nagpur Settlement.

Manbhum.

No. 3747L.R.—The 8th September 1908.—The undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Manbhum (Barabhum), with effect from the 15th September 1908.

(1) Mr. Alfred Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Narail, Jessore.

(2) Babu Akhauri Gopi Kishore Lal, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Palamau.

Manbhum. Murshidabad.

No. 3755L.R.—The 8th September 1908.—Mr. J. F. Gantzer, Sub-Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is appointed Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Manbhum (Barabhum), with effect from the 15th September 1908.

Singhbhum. Ranchi.

No. 3761L.R.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Chakrabatti, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is appointed Assistant Settlement Officer, Singhbhum (Dhalbhum), with effect from the 15th September 1908.

Monghyr. Patna. Shahabad.

No. 3771L.R.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Mukutdhari Singh, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Palamau, is appointed Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Monghyr, Patna and Shahabad, with effect from the 15th September 1908.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3583L.A.—The 4th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for staff quarters etc., at Manjhi, in the village of Manjhi, pargana Manjhi, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 44 bighas 7 cottahs 1 chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Saran.

BLOCK No. 1.

North—By the fields of Shio Gulam and Digamar Ahir and Balchand,
South—By the Railway fencing,
East—By the ditto,
West—By the fields of Gulam Nabi, Khairati, Pukar Lal, Yakub Khan, Ram Pat Sah, Gyan Mian and Raghuni Sah;

BLOCK No. II.

North—By the fields of Barma Singh and bamboo clumps of Ram Gobind Singh and Jeo Bodhan Singh,
South—By the Railway fencing,
East—By the fields of Ram Gobind and Barmdeo Singh,
West—By the Railway fencing,

is required within the aforesaid village of Manjhi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Saran.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3585L.A.—The 4th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Purulia-Ranchi extension of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the village of Seram, pargana Khukra, zilla Ranchi, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 7·14 poles being equivalent to 2 cottahs 11·5 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Seram.

Ranchi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

The plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Purulia-Ranchi District, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Ranchi.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION

No. 3623L.A.—The 5th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for raising the site of the Pursurah outpost, in the village of Pursurah, pargana Bhurshit, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Hooghly.

North—By the Shadhan Chakravarti, Tincouri Samanta and Bepin Addy's lands,
East—By the Tincouri Samanta's land,
South—By the outpost, and
West—By the Damodar band.

is required within the aforesaid village of Pursurah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3625L.A.—The 5th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for town constable's barrack, Buxerbazar, in the village of Buxerbazar, pargana Bhojpur, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 16 dhurs (local), corresponding to 19 poles, bounded on the—

Shahabad.

North—By the road,
East—By the house of Chooni Lal Singh,
South—By the houses of Chooni Lal Singh,
West—By the lane,

is required by the Superintendent of Police, Shahabad, within the aforesaid village of Buxerbazar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894.

The plan of the land to be acquired may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Shahabad.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3627L.A.—The 5th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway for a public purpose, viz., for Dharmuband Colliery for Babu A. K. Ghosh by Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company, in the village of Dharmuband, pargana Jherria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 18 cottahs 5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

North—By the rice field of Mukri Mahato,
East—By the rice field of Haru and Bhiku Mahato,
South—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway main line land,
West—By Fagu, Bhawani, Gobinda Mahata's rice field,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dharmuband.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Adra.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3645L.A.—The 7th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Dantun Inspection Bungalow, in the village of Banguria, pargana Dantunchar, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 18 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

North—By the drain of the District Board Feeder Road,
East—By the lands of Janardan Sing,
South—By the lands of Janardan Sing and Behari Lal Jit,
West—By the lands of Janardan Sing, Behari Lal Jit and Shrinath Chandra,

is required within the aforesaid village of Banguria.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

This cancels Declaration No. 2339L.R., dated the 31st July 1905, published at page 1348, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd August 1905.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Cossye Division, Midnapore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3719L.A.—The 8th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for additional quarters for guards and loco. native staff at Ondal, in the villages of Ram Pershadpur, Bhalooksunda and Baksa, pargana Shergurh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose 3 pieces of land measuring, more or less, 45 bighas 2 cottahs 0·88 chitak of standard measurement, equivalent to 14·91 acres, bounded as follows:—

Burdwan.

PLOT No. I.

On the north and west by the East Indian Railway Company's land, on the south by the paddy lands of Kangal Seal, Surjya Mitra, Mohananda Bhalook, Mukun Sadhu and others and the khas patit land, and on the east by the East Indian Railway Company's land and the cultivated land of Kangal Seal;

PLOT No. II.

On the north, east and west by the East Indian Railway Company's land, and on the south by the paddy lands of Dinoo Das, Gonesh Majhi, Gonesh Mondal, Gour Goswami, Bam Mandal and others;

PLOT No. III.

On the north, south and east by the East Indian Railway Company's land, and on the west by the paddy and waste lands of Kedar Nath Mondal, of Baktarnagore, and Durgadas Banerji, of Searsol;

are required within the aforesaid villages of Ram Pershadpur, Bhalooksunda and Baksa.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, H. K. Railway, Hooghly, as also in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

No. 3721L.A.—The 8th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for Hatnal siding No 8A, in the villages of Sanctoria and Hatnal, pargana Shergurh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 29 bighas 11 cottahs 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the dry crops and paddy lands of Sudan Chatterjee, Kangal Banarji, Ananta Banerji, Ashu Chatterji, Braja Ghose, Kali Das Laik, Makunda Lall Laik, Kulada Prosad Bandey, Bengal Coal Company and Pathuriagaria tank, on the south by the paddy lands of Sudan Chatterji, Meghu Roy, Kangal Banarji, Ananta Banarjee, Ashu Chatterjee, Kali Das Laik, Mukunda Lall Laik, Kedar Mukharji, Kulada Prosad Bandey and Bengal Coal Company, on the east by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company's land, and on the west by the paddy lands of Sudan Chattarji, is required within the aforesaid villages of Sanctoria and Hatnal.

Burdwan.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan and also in that of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Adra.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3724L.A.—The 8th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Assistant Block Signal Inspector's quarter at Kushtia, in the village of Bahadurkhali, pargana Mahammadshahi, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 5 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north, east and south by the land belonging to Raja Pramatha Bhusan Dev Roy, and on the west by the land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway, is required within the aforesaid village of Bahadurkhali.

Nadia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Rajbari District, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3767L.A.—The 8th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bhadreswar Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for widening the Telinipara Ferry Ghat road within the Bhadreswar Municipality, in the village of Telinipara, pargana Boro, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the lands of Lokhimoni Devi and Soudamini Devi, on the east by the river bank, and on the south and west by the Telinipara Ghat road, is required within the aforesaid village of Telinipara

Hooghly.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3768L.A.—The 8th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Assistant Block Signal Inspector's quarters and rest-houses at Sonarpur, in the village of Sonarpur, pargana Medanmolla, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 11 chitaks and 21 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land belonging to the Eastern Bengal State Railway, on the east by the land belonging to the Public Works Department, Eastern Bengal State Railway, and Gobinda Kumer Ray Chowdhuri and others, on the south by the land belonging to Bhut Nath Ghose, Behari Lal Daw, Gobinda Kumer Ray Chowdhuri and others and private passage, and on the west by public road and land belonging to Bepin Chandra Ghose and others, is required within the aforesaid village of Sonarpur.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta District, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 4184.—The 3rd September 1908.—The following is published for general information:—

HANDLOOM COMPETITION IN NAGPUR.

RULES FOR THE IMPROVED HANDLOOM COMPETITION, CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR EXHIBITION, NAGPUR, 1908.

WEAVING COMPETITION.

1. A weaving competition will be held at Nagpur, at the Central Provinces and Berar Exhibition, on Tuesday and Wednesday, 1st and 2nd December 1908. The weavers will be required to work for two days, viz., from 8 A.M. on the 1st December to 12 noon, and from 1 P.M. to 5 P.M. On the 2nd December they will be required to work from 10 A.M. to 12 noon and from 1 P.M. to 5 P.M.

2. Intending competitors must make applications for the sections and classes they wish to enter for on the form provided for the purpose, which will be supplied on application to the Secretary, Central Provinces and Berar Exhibition, Nagpur.

Such applications must reach him before the 1st of October. Every competitor will be required to fix up his own loom, and as far as possible indigenous handlooms will be located in a shed with an earthen floor to facilitate erection of the framework that may be necessary.

3. Shelter from rain over a space of 17′ × 6′ will be provided for each loom. Each competitor will be allowed to fix his own warp, supplied in the manner provided by these rules, in the loom beforehand, and to weave a length not exceeding two yards before the competition commences. At the end of each interval of work, the length woven during that interval will be marked off by a thin band of red.

Competitors must supply their own pirns and have a sufficient supply for the competition.

All competitors must use warps provided by the Committee. Warps for looms that have beam attachment will be supplied wound on beams that must be provided by the competitors. Warps for other looms will be sent sized in hanks, and competitors must set them up themselves.

The warps will be prepared in uniform style with 30 per cent. sizing by the Empress Mills, Nagpur. Competitors must inform the Secretaries of the counts and numbers of ends required (any of those prescribed below will be available) and prepay the price, which will be as noted against each:—

Sizing, and sizing and warping.

Count.		Charge per lb.
20s	...	... 18 pies.
30s	...	... 21 „
80s	...	... 32 „

Yarn as per market price which may be ascertained on enquiry.

Yarn in hanks for pirns can be supplied on the same conditions. Yarn and warps for the competition can be obtained on application between 1st and 15th November. Yarn and warps for trial purposes may be obtained on application to the Secretary.

The competition will be under the following heads:—

Medals.		Warp.	Weft.	Reed.	Picks.	Width.
Gold.	Silver.					
3	3	20s	20s	44	44	36″
3	3	30s	40s	52	48	36″
3	3	80s	100s	72	72	44″

There will be three classes of looms—(*a*) not exceeding Rs. 50 in selling price, (*b*) not exceeding Rs. 125, (*c*) exceeding Rs. 125. In case of any dispute as to the selling price the Committee's opinion will be final.

Special Prize.

(*a*) A special prize of Rs. 500 will be placed at the disposal of the judges to be awarded to the best loom entered for any of the competitions, provided that such loom is well suited to the requirements of Native hand-weavers and is capable of doing satisfactory work on both fine and coarse counts. The judges will be required to satisfy themselves that the initial cost of the loom is reasonable, that it is not likely to get out of order, that it can be easily repaired, that with but slight modifications it is capable of being worked on both fine and coarse counts, that it requires no uncommon dexterity to obtain good results from it, and generally that its adoption by the weaving community would enable them largely to increase their output.

A second special prize will be awarded to the loom that best fulfils the above conditions in respect of the coarse counts.

(*b*) Additional prizes will be given at the discretion of the Committee for looms or weaving accessories not specially contemplated in the above conditions, provided that they are worked during the Exhibition.

General.

Any number of looms of the same make may be entered for any competition, but only one prize will be awarded in each competition, to one particular make of the loom. Special weavers' prizes of Rs. 25 each will be awarded to the weavers themselves. Three such prizes will be awarded in each competition by the judges, who will only take into account the skill and dexterity of the weaver independently of the merits of the loom.

Intending competitors should send their looms so as to reach the Secretaries to the Exhibition Committee before the 1st November 1908. They should send in their entries from 1st to 15th October in the form attached.

The workmen should report themselves to the Secretaries at least two days before the date of the competition.

The exhibitors will have to make their own arrangements, at their own cost, for setting up their looms.

Competitors entering a number of looms will, as far as space permits, be allowed to make arrangements for winding pirns on the premises.

Looms may be worked as a practical exhibit or kept on view during the whole of the Exhibition in the shed where the competition will be held.

Arrangements will be made to bring in parties of weavers to see the looms from the most important weaving centres of the Provinces.

Form of application.

No.	Name of applicant.	Residence.	Section of competition.	Class of section.	Number of looms entered.	Names of weavers who will work the looms.	Description of loom.	Selling price of loom.			Length of warp entered for competition.	Number of ends per inch.	Actual count of yarn used in work.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9			10	11	12	13
								Rs.	A.	P.				

No. 4346.—The 8th September 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that—

(*a*) immigration into Canada, otherwise than by a continuous journey from the immigrant's native country, and upon a through ticket purchased in that country, has been prohibited by the Dominion Government; and that

(*b*) every Asiatic immigrant, other than those with whose countries the Government of Canada has special arrangements or those concerning whose countries special statutory regulations exist on the part of Canada, must have in his possession a sum of at least 200 dollars.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Midnapore. Bankura. *No. 4160.—The 2nd September 1908.*—Babu Akshay Kumar Ghose, District Sub-Registrar of Midnapore, is transferred to Bankura.

Bankura. Birbhum. *No. 4162.—The 2nd September 1908.*—Babu Abinash Chandra Mitra, District Sub-Registrar, Bankura, is transferred to Suri, in the district of Birbhum.

Birbhum. Midnapore. *No. 4164.—The 2nd September 1908.*—Babu Srish Chandra Chakrabatti, District Sub-Registrar, Birbhum, is transferred from Suri to Midnapore.

No. 4214.—The 4th September 1908.—Babu Narayan Prasad, Sub-Registrar, Madhipura, in the district of Bhagalpur, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 1st August 1908.

Bhagalpur.

No. 4216.—The 4th September 1908.—Babu Haripada Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Madhipura, in the district of Bhagalpur, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of that place, with effect from the 1st to the 4th August 1908.

Bhagalpur.

No. 4218.—The 4th September 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Sabir Husain, Sub-Registrar, Chapra, Saran, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Madhipura, in the district of Bhagalpur, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Saran.
Bhagalpur.

No. 4222.—The 4th September 1908.—The order of the 13th August 1908, transferring Babu Shachis Chandra Chatarji, Sub-Registrar, Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, to Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, is cancelled.

Murshidabad.
Burdwan.

No. 4224.—The 4th September 1908.—The order of the 13th August 1908, transferring Babu Bir Singh Ray, Sub-Registrar, Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, to Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, is cancelled.

Burdwan.
Murshidabad.

No. 4226.—The 4th September 1908.—Babu Akshay Prasad Das, Sub-Registrar, Gop, in the district of Puri, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one week, with effect from the 9th August 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Puri.

No. 4228.—The 4th September 1908.—Babu Nitya Nando Nag, Head Clerk, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Gop, in the district of Puri, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Puri.

No. 4232.—The 4th September 1908.—Babu Krishna Kumar, Sub-Registrar, Warisnagard in the district of Darbhanga, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and two weeks, with effect from the 11th June 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Darbhanga.

No. 4234.—The 4th September 1908.—Babu Singheswar Prasad Singh, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Bankipore, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar, Warisnagar, in the district of Darbhanga, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

Bankipore.
Darbhanga.

No. 4280.—The 5th September 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Reza Karim, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Arrah, in the district of Shahabad, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for a fortnight, with effect from the 1st July 1908.

Shahabad.

No. 4282.—The 5th September 1908.—Maulvi Majib-ur-Rahman, Probationer, Alipore, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Dumuria, in the district of Khulna, with effect from the 16th August 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 4288.—The 7th September 1908.—Babu Jyan Chandra Gupta, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Dumka, Sonthal Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Govindpur, in the district of Manbhum, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Sonthal Parganas.
Manbhum

No. 4290.—The 7th September 1908.—Babu Kishori Mohan Bose, Probationer, Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Paikgacha, in the district of Khulna, during the absence, on deputation, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Khulna.

No. 4340.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Anish Chandra Mitra, fifth grade Sub-Registrar, Matla, in the district of 24-Parganas, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 11th August 1908.

24-Parganas.

No. 4342.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Sita Nath Bose is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Matla, in the district of 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of the Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 4344.—The 8th September 1908.—In modification of the Government Notification No. 2685, dated the 25th May 1908, Babu Jyotish Chandra Sil, Sub-Registrar of Labpur, in the district of Birbhum, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 17th June 1908

Birbhum.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 734-O.—The 1st September 1908.—Mr. A. W. Ross, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, a further extension of two months' leave on medical certificate, in continuation of that granted to him in Notification No. 225-O., dated the 2nd March 1908.

No. 771-O.—The 5th September 1908.—Mr. P. W. Singleton, Assistant Opium Agent attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 24th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Benares Agency.

No. 772-O.—The 5th September 1908.—Mr. P. P. Donlea, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Bihar Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for a fortnight, with effect from the 11th October 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Bihar Agency.

No 777-O.—The 7th September 1908.—The following promotions are ordered owing to the retirement of Maulvi Abdul Majid, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay, with effect from the 2nd July 1908 :—

Mr. A. H. Biss, Assistant Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay, is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay.

Mr. G. W. Murphy, Assistant Opium Agent, substantive *pro tempore*, is confirmed as Assistant Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay.

Mr. D. G. Harris, Probationary Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to be an Assistant Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay, substantive *pro tempore*.

No 780-O.—The 7th September 1908.—Mr. R. W. Pyne, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Etawah, is transferred to Bara Banki.

Etawah.
Bara Banki.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1654Medl.—The 2nd September 1908.—Major B. H. Deare, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of Hazaribagh, is allowed privilege leave for five weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Hazaribagh.

No. 1656Medl.—The 2nd September 1908—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Suresh Chandra Mitra, attached to the Hazaribagh Charitable Dispensary, is appointed to have temporary medical charge of the Civil station of Hazaribagh, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Major B. H. Deare, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Hazaribagh.

No. 1670Medl.—The 4th September 1908.—Babu Jyotilal Sen and Babu Saileswar Mukharji, two passed students of the Medical College, Calcutta, are admitted into the service of Government as Assistant Surgeons with effect from the forenoon of the 3rd August 1908.

Calcutta.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 726Medl.—P.—The 5th September 1908.—The following notification issued by the Government of Madras, prohibiting pilgrimage from certain plague-infected parts to the Brahmotsavam festival of Sri Venkateswaraswami at Tiruputi, in the North Arcot district, is republished for general information.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Notification.

WHEREAS the Governor in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Tirumalai, Tirupati, and Tiruchanur, in the Chendragiri taluq of the North Arcot district, if pilgrims from the infected taluqs of the Salem and Coimbatore districts and other parts in the Madras Presidency and outside the Presidency declared to be infected with plague are permitted to visit those places on the occasion of the ensuing Sri Venkateswaraswami Brahmotsavam festival:

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, the Governor in Council is pleased to prohibit the attendance at the said festival and at Tirumalai, Tirupati, and Tiruchanur, of persons from the said parts from the 22nd September to the 5th October 1908, and further directs that between the said dates no tickets to travel by railway shall be sold at the stations of Gudupalli, Kuppam, Mulanur and Patchur on the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway, for the stations of Pakala, Panapakam, Chendragiri, Tirupati West, Tirupati East, Reniginta, Yerpedu, Kalahasti, Yellakaru, Puttur, Taduku, Pudi, Mamandura, Settigunta and Koduru on the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway to any person intending or believed to be intending to be present.

All persons proceeding to the said festival in contravention of this notification will be turned back.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6228A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6116A.—The 7th September 1908.—Babu Satya Charan Mukharji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Khulna, to be ordinarily stationed at Bagerhat, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Amar Nath Chatarji, or until further orders.

Khulna.

LEAVE.

No. 6071A.—The 29th August 1908.—Mr. Saiyid Nasir-ud-din Ahmad, Munsif of Siwan, in the district of Saran, is allowed leave for one day, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 3rd June 1908.

Saran.

No. 6206A.—The 7th September 1908.—Babu Amar Nath Chatarji, Munsif of Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd September 1908.

Khulna.

POWERS.

No. 6069A.—The 4th September 1908.—The Deputy Magistrates, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class:—

Mr. Nabaratna Misra, Khulna.
Babu Srimanta Kumar Das Gupta, 24-Parganas.
„ Anadi Nath Sen, Jessore.

No. 6102A.—The 7th September 1908.—Babu Nabagauranga Basak, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Champaran, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Champaran.

No. 6104A.—The 7th September 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers the officers, named below, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language:—

Babu Jogesh Chandra Chaudhuri, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Nadia.
„ Nritya Lal Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Nadia.

No. 6111A.—The 7th September 1908.—Mr. Sankara Balaji Dhavle, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Patna, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Patna.

No. 6113A.—The 7th September 1908.—Maulvi Muhi-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Nawadah subdivision of the Gaya district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Gaya.

No. 6118A.—The 7th September 1908.—Babu Rajendra Lal Sadhu, Munsif of Kushtia, in the district of Nadia, is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Kushtia Munsifi.

Nadia.

No. 6180A.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Hem Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Balasore district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Balasore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3106J.—The 4th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. Gowan Wilson Steward to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Naxalbari Independent Bench, in the district of Darjeeling.

Darjeeling.

No. 3143J.—The 4th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Abinash Chandra Ray Chaudhuri to be a Magistrate of the second class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Bongaon Independent Bench, in the district of Jessore. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Bongaon subdivision of that district.

Jessore.

No. 3145J.—The 4th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Sarada Charan Ray Chaudhuri to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Bongaon Independent Bench, in the district of Jessore.

Jessore.

No. 3156J.—The 5th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Babu Raj Mohan Mukherjee to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Koteehandpur Municipal Bench, in the district of Jessore.

Jessore.

No. 3205J.—The 8th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Maulvi Mahamad Abdus Samad to be a Magistrate of the second class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sadar (Balasore) Bench, in the district of Balasore. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the district of Balasore. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Balasore.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 3094J.—The 4th September 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Singheswar Prasad Singh of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Barh Independent Bench, in the district of Patna.

Patna.

No. 3104J.—The 4th September 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. Tomyns Reginald Browne of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Jamalpur Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr.

Monghyr.

No. 3141J.—The 4th September 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignations tendered by Babu Srigopal Chatarji and Babu Rai Nath Ghose of their appointments as Honorary Magistrates of the Bongaon Independent Bench, in the district of Jessore.

Jessore.

POWERS.

No. 3152J.—The 5th September 1908.—Babu Audh Bihari Sharan Misra, an Honorary Magistrate of the Chapra Independent Bench, in the district of Saran, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Saran.

H. C. STRKATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3158P.—The 3rd September 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Sanyasi Charan Patra, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. VII—Khuar, in thana Jellasore, in the district of Balasore, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Balasore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Sanyasi Charan Patra for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 3185P.—The 2nd September 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of panchayats, in the district of Khulna, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by the said officers within the limits of the Unions noted against their respective names.

Khulna.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

THANA KHULNA.

Name of President.	Name and number of Union.
Maulvi Esmail	... Boyra, I.
Babu Nibaran Chandra Mazumdar	... Pabla, II.
„ Mahananda Mazumdar	... Moheswarpasa, III.
Munshi Gulzar Khan ...	... Barakpur, IV.
Babu Debendra Nath Singh ...	... Aichganti, VII.
„ Basanta Kumar Ghosh ...	... Srifaltala, VIII.
„ Girish Chandra Banarji	... Naihati, IX.
„ Tarak Nath Nandi ...	... Salpo-Bahirdia, X.
„ Trailokya Nath Chatarji	... Ghatbhog, XI.
„ Bidhu Nath Ghoshal ...	... Ajogora, XII.
Munshi Ghairat-Ullah Sirdar	... Barasat, XIII.
„ Abdul Ghaffur Kazi ..	... Chhagladaha, XIV.
„ Badon Sikdar ...	... Chachiadaha, XV.
Maulvi Hatem Ahmad ...	... Atlia, XVI.
Babu Rai Charan Karmakar ...	... Gazirhat, XVII.

PHULTALA OUTPOST.

Babu Dwijabar Nandi ...	... Gilatala, I.
Maulvi Gulzar Ahmad ...	... Damodar, II.
Babu Santo Nath Biswas ...	... Jamira, III.
„ Jadu Nath Sen Gupta ...	... Poygram, IV.

No. 3226P.—The 5th September 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Ashutosh Mazumdar, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XI—Khadimpur, in thana Alamdanga, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Debesh Chandra Gangali, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Ashutosh Mazumdar for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 3227P.—The 5th September 1908.—The Notification No. 1286P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1362 to 1365, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as its relates to the investment of Babu Debesh Chandra Gangali, as President of the panchayat of Union No. XI—Khadimpur in thana Alamdanga, in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 3229P.—The 5th September 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Sachindra Kumar Sarkar, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. II—Narainpur, in thana Jibannagar, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Bama Charan Chandra, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Sachindra Kumar Sarkar for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 3230P.—The 5th September 1908.—The Notification No. 1132P.D., dated the 25th June 1906, published at pages 1328 to 1331, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th July 1906, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Bama Charan Chandra, as President of the panchayat of Union No. II—Narainpur, in thana Jibannagar, in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 3232P.—The 5th September 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Surendra Nath Mazumdar, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. VI—Khaskhora, in thana Alamdanga, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Munshi Tasim Biswas *alias* Tasim-ud-din Khan, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Surendra Nath Mazumdar for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 3233P.—The 5th September 1908.—The Notification No. 1286P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1362 to 1365, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Munshi Tasim Biswas *alias* Tasim-ud-din Khan, as President of the panchayat of Union No. VI—Khaskhora, in thana Alamdanga, in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 3292P.—The 8th September 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Basudeb Das, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XIV—Pipli, in Pipli police-station, in the district of Puri, *vice* Babu Bouribandhu Naik, *removed*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Puri.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Basudeb Das for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 3293P.—The 8th September 1908.—The Notification No. 1284P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1359 to 1361, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Bouribandhu Naik, as President of the panchayat of Union No. XIV—Pipli, in Pipli police-station, in the district of Puri, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Puri.

No. 3295P.—The 8th September 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Subal Narindra, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. VII—Sirai in Konas outpost, in the district of Puri, *vice* Babu Madan Mohan Patnaik, *removed*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Puri.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Subal Narindra for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 3296P.—The 8th September 1908.—The Notification No. 1284P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1359 to 1361, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Madan Mohan Patnaik, as President of the panchayat of Union No. VII—Sirai, in Konas outpost, in the district of Puri, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Puri.

Leave.

No. 3252P.—The 7th September 1908.—Mr. G. Bowen, Superintendent of Police Calcutta, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 8th September 1908.

No. 165.—The Pusa Division is abolished with effect from the 1st October 1908.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 5th September 1908.

No. 20R.—Babu Sarat Chandra Sen Gupta, Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector employed in acquiring lands needed for the purposes of railways in the districts of Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Southal Parganas, is transferred, in the interest of public service, to Champaran for the purpose of acquiring lands required for the Tirhoot State Railway and for Tribeni and Dhaka Canals in the district of Champaran.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 8th September 1908.

No. 99Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 51 of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884 (VI of 1884), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the carriage of passengers in inland steam-vessels, in supersession of the rules sanctioned under Notification, dated the 24th January 1888, and published in page 25 of the Appendix to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th January 1888.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Power to refuse admission of passengers to vessel.

1. The master, or any employé authorised in this behalf by the owner or master, of any inland steam-vessel may refuse to admit any person to the vessel as a passenger—

(*a*) if he has not paid his fare, or
(*b*) if he is insane, or
(*c*) if he is suffering from an infectious or contagious disease, or
(*d*) if he is drunk and incapable of taking care of himself, or
(*e*) if he is disorderly, or if he is otherwise in such a state, or is conducting himself in such a manner, as to cause or to be likely to cause annoyance to other passengers, or
(*f*) when the vessel, or the part thereof to which such persons seeks admission, already contains the maximum number of passengers which may lawfully be carried therein.

Payment of fares, and use of tickets.

2. (*1*) No passenger shall—

(*a*) travel or attempt to travel in an inland steam-vessel without having previously paid his fare, or
(*b*) travel or attempt to travel in accommodation of a higher class than that for which his fare has been paid, or
(*c*) travel beyond the place to which his fare has been paid, without previously paying the additional fare in respect of the additional distance, or
(*d*) use or attempt to use a ticket on any day for which such ticket is not available, or
(*e*) transfer or attempt to transfer a ticket, or
(*f*) take or attempt to take luggage with him without having previously paid the freight (if any) payable in respect thereof.

(*2*) Every passenger by an inland steam-vessel shall, when required by the master or any person authorised in this behalf by the master or owner,—

(*i*) pay his fare, if not already paid,
(*ii*) present his ticket for examination, and
(*iii*) at or near the end of the journey for which his ticket was issued, deliver up such ticket.

(*3*) No passenger shall alter or deface his ticket so as to render illegible the date or number or any other material portion thereof.

Conduct of passengers.

3. (*1*) No passenger shall take or keep on board an inland steam-vessel any decayed meat, fish or vegetable, or any other offensive article.

(*2*) No passenger by an inland steam-vessel shall—

(*a*) obstruct or impede the master or any other officer of the vessel in the discharge of his duties, or
(*b*) in any way obstruct or interfere with the loading or unloading of luggage or cargo, or
(*c*) damage or attempt to damage the vessel or any article on board thereof, or
(*d*) enter or leave orattempt to enter or leave, any inland steam-vessel when such vessel is in motion, or
(*e*) without lawful excuse, enter a compartment or place reserved for the use of another passenger or refuse to leave it when required to do so by the master or any other officer of the vessel, or
(*f*) smoke, or be in possession of a fire or light, in any part of the vessel where smoking or the possession of a fire or light is not permitted by the master thereof, or
(*g*) be drunk and disorderly, or drunk and incapable of taking care of himself, or
(*h*) commit any nuisance or act of indecency, or use obscene or abusive language, or
(*i*) without lawful excuse, molest or interfere with the comfort of any other passenger.

(*3*) No male passenger by an inland steam-vessel, knowing that a compartment or place has been reserved for the exclusive use of females, shall enter such compartment or place without lawful excuse, or, having entered it, shall remain therein after being required by the master or any other officer of the vessel to leave it.

4 The master, or any employé authorized in this behalf by the owner or master, of any inland steam-vessel may require the following passengers to leave the vessel, namely:—

Power to require passengers to leave vessel.

(*a*) insane passengers, and their attendants (if any), when they have embarked without the special permission of the master or of some employé authorized as aforesaid,

(*b*) passengers suffering from an infectious or contagious disease, when they have embarked without the special permission of the master or of some employé authorised as aforesaid, and are not subject to the rules made under sections 51 and 51A of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884, and published under Notification No. 16Marine, dated the 5th March 1907,

(*c*) passengers who are drunk and incapable of taking care of themselves,

(*d*) passengers who are disorderly, or are otherwise in such a state, or are conducting themselves in such a manner, as to cause or to be likely to cause annoyance to other passengers,

(*e*) any passengers who have embarked in excess of the maximum number of passengers which may lawfully be carried in the vessel or in the part thereof in which they propose to travel, and

(*f*) passengers who have not paid their fare.

5. A person who has, under rule 1, been refused admission to an inland steam-vessel shall not embark thereon; and a person who is required under rule 4 to leave an inland steam-vessel shall leave at such convenient time and place as the master may direct:

Obligation to obey direction under rule 1 or rule 4.

Provided that any person who is refused admission under clause (*f*) of rule 1 or is required under clause (*e*) of rule 4 to leave shall be entitled to have his fare returned to him.

6. Any passenger who, with intent to defraud, commits any breach of rule 2, and any person who commits any breach of rule 3 or rule 5, shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

Penalty.

The 8th September 1908.

No. 100Marine.—It is hereby notified that, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 1 of the Bengal Steam Boilers and Prime Movers Act, 1879, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend the Act to the Pusa Estate, which is bounded as follows:—

In the North—By the Ganduck River.
In the East— Ditto ditto.
In the South—By Harpur Bhuskal village.
In the West—By Mohamadpur Depar village.

2. The Act will come into force from the 15th September 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 8th September 1908.

No. 101Marine.—In supersession of the notification of this Department, dated the 20th December 1881, the Lieutenant-Governor, under the power vested in him by section 73 of the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1880 (Act VII of 1880), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, appoints the Commissioners of the Port of Calcutta to be "Receivers of Wreck" within the limits of their jurisdiction as Conservators of the navigable river and channels leading to the Port of Calcutta, and along the seaface and channels of the Sunderbans as far as the longitude of the Haringhata river in the Backergunge district and along the coast of the Hooghly as far as the estuary of the Subarnarekha river in the Balasore district.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6229A.

No. 6093A.—The 5th September 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Upadhyay, Sub-Deputy Collector, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 6128A.—The 7th September 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Khalil-ur-Rahman, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Saran, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Saran.

No. 6197A.—The 8th September 1908.—The order of the 24th August 1908, transferring Babu Labanya Mohan Sanyal, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Supaul, Bhagalpur, temporarily to the headquarters station of the Purnea district, is cancelled.

Bhagalpur.
Purnea.

No. 6201A.—The 8th September 1908.—Babu Tarakeswar Bhattacharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kandi, Murshidabad, is transferred to the Narail subdivision of the Jessore district.

Murshidabad.
Jessore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7393, dated Calcutta, the 4th September 1908.—Major J. Mulvany, I.M.S., made over charge of the Presidency Jail to Captain I. G. P. Murray, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 28th August 1908.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2496D., dated Darjeeling, the 7th September 1908.—Third-grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Rajendra Nath Chakrabatti, Teacher of Materia Medica, Chemistry, Physics and Therapeutics, Temple Medical School, Patna, is granted privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he wa relieved of his duties.

No. 2498D., dated Darjeeling, the 7th September 1908.—Third-grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Debendra Nath Mukharji is appointed, with effect from the 8th August 1908, to act as Teacher of Materia Medica, Chemistry, Physics and Therapeutics, Temple Medical School, Patna, during the absence, on leave, of third-grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Rajendra Nath Chakrabatti, or until further orders.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned Mukhtar having withdrawn the security deposited by him under the rules of the Court has ceased to be a Mukhtar of the High Court on its Appellate Side. His certificate has been cancelled and his name removed from the roll :—

Name.	No. in the Register.
Giris Chandra Roy.	No. 3 of 1906.

By order of the High Court,
A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
The 2nd September 1908.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

UNDER section 7 of Act IX of 1887 (The Provincial Small Cause Court Act), notice is hereby given that in the months of November and December 1908, the Judge of Small Cause Courts, Hooghly, Serampore and Howrah, will hold his sittings at—

Hooghly Court—From 1st to 12th November and from 1st to 8th December 1908.
Serampore Court—From 13th to 21st November and from 9th to 16th December 1908.
Howrah Court—From 22nd to 30th November and from 17th to 23rd December 1908.

Sundays and holidays excepted.

SURJO NARAIN DAS, *Judge*.

CHINSURA, *the 7th September 1908*.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 28th August 1908.—Pending the arrival of Babu Kali Charan Mukerji, B.A., Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master, Taki Government School, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment, during the deputation of Babu Benwari Lal Ray to the David Hare Training College.

The 1st September 1908.—Babu Mohini Mohan Datta, 2nd Clerk, office of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division (class V of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), acted as Head Clerk of that office and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service for 15 days, from the 24th June 1907, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Mahadeo Prasad.

The 3rd September 1908.—Babu Jadu Nath Ghosh, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Khulna class VII), is allowed leave of absence, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eight days, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 13th May 1908.

Babu Upendra Nath Banerjea, M.A., Assistant Head Master of the Uttarpara Government School (class VI), is allowed combined leave for six months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz, privilege leave for one month and twenty-eight days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate under article 336 of the Regulations, with effect from the 21st July 1908.

Babu Sibnath Bhattacharjea, Laboratory Assistant, Patna College (class VII), is allowed leave of absence, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and eighteen days, from the 12th October 1908.

He is permitted to prefix the ensuing Pooja holidays to his leave under article 220 of the Regulations.

An exchange of appointments is sanctioned between the following officers:—

(1) Babu Baidya Nath Muherji, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Jessore, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), and
(2) Maulvi Manikulla, temporary Sub-Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII).

This cancels the orders of the 23rd November 1907, appointing Babu Madhu Sudan Sanyal, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Jessore (class VI), to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of 24-Parganas.

In modification of the orders of the 24th July 1908, Babu Madhu Sudan Sanyal, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Jessore, under orders of transfer to 24-Parganas (class VI), is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th Augnst 1908.

The 5th September 1908.—Babu Balun Kiswar Misra, Assistant Master, Sambalpur High School (class VII), is allowed leave, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 1st September 1908.

Babu Bhagwat Chandra Patnaik, substantively *pro tempore* Assistant Master, Sambalpur High School (substantively *pro tempore* in class II of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Babu Balun Kiswar Misra, on leave.

Babu Joy Mangal Prasad, B.A., Assistant Master, Arrah Zilla School (on probation), and substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, is allowed two days' leave, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd July 1908.

Babu Satya Das Banerjee, 4th Assistant in the office of the Bengali Translator to the Government of Bengal (class VIII), is allowed leave, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for four months, with effect from the 17th August 1908.

Babu Kamala Prasad, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Monghyr, and now Officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hazaribagh (class VI), is confirmed in his latter appointment, *vice* Babu Trisuldhari Singh, retired.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that for the ensuing half-yearly departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others to be held at 11 A.M. on the 21st October 1908 and the two following days, a Local Examination Committee will be convened in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at No. 3, Charnock Place, Calcutta, for the conduct of the examination of officers employed in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

M. N. GHOSH, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 4948B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of 1,867 chests of season 1905-06 and 83 chests of season 1906-07 ...	1,950
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of season 1906-07	1,950
Total ...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 19th and 29th October 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 19th October 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 29th October 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Wednesday, 4th November 1908	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December ,,	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total	3,900	3,900	7,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

R. B. MISRA, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 7th September 1908.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 31st day of August 1908, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 31st August 1908.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 31ST AUGUST 1908 INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	.....	55,621	3,25,564	3,81,185	11,632	3,92,817	89,030	1,26,046	66,230	65,434
Other European countries—										
Spanish salt	.....	6,23,869	87,964	7,11,833	34,158	7 45,991	75,932	1,02,083	33,065	29,867
Hamburg- Bremen salt	.....	3,48,090	3,950	3,52,040	.....	3,52,040	60,672	364	28,635	43,825
Hamburg rock	.....	1,079	.....	1,079	.....	1,079	.....	.....	.....	.....
Port Said salt	.....	85,102	.....	85,102	81,167	1,66,269	24,309	83,406	.....	7,406
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	94,514	13,350	1,07,894	.....	1,07,894	69,158	.....	.....	37,446
Salif salt	.....	2,97,746	.....	2,97,746	59,814	3,57,560	54,977	1,51,083	9,650	43,576
Do. rock salt	.....	3,505	.....	3,505	.....	3,505	600	.....	.....	1,100
Kawayah salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Haujam salt.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto ditto rock salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British India—										
Bombay salt	.....	1,31,855	957	1,32,812	.....	1,32,812	20,415*	.....	.....	37,157
Madras salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coconada salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vizagapatam salt —	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other places—										
Phoree salt	.. ...	46,962	.....	46,962	.....	46,962	290	.....	.....	440
Total ...	.....	16,88,378	4,31,785	21,20,168	1,86,771	23,06,929	3,95,402	4,62,982	1,37,480	2,66,253

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	...
Ditto in Sulkea golas	2,042
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	2,466
Abandoned and destroyed	46

Quantity in transit—

	Mds.
Liverpool and other Panga salt	35,280
Sahf salt	10,640
Spanish salt	4,880

* This quantity includes 20,340 maunds Bombay karkach salt on which the duty was paid in Bombay.

R. F. L. WHITTY.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 8th September 1908.* for *Collector of Custom*

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

EXCISE NOTIFICATION.

THE Government of India in their Resolution No. 2995Exe., dated the 16th May 1907, having accepted the suggestion of the Indian Excise Committee that the Bengal rule requiring foreign liquor in transit from a wholesale to a retail dealer to be covered by a pass should be abrogated, the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, in their Circular Order No. 3332B., dated the 29th June 1908, have, with the approval of the Government of Bengal, directed that the system of granting passes for the transport of such liquor shall be abolished in the case of all liquor that has paid the full tariff duty.

J. T. BABONEAU,

Superintendent of Excise Revenue,

Calcutta, the Suburbs, Howrah and Bali.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 3rd September 1908.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on Monday, the 12th October 1908, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended by Act IV (B.C.) of 1894, in Ward No. I of the Dumraon Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, for the election of a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Nalin Behari Gupta, resigned.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, for *Addl. Commr. of Patna.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 1st September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 16 of the Election Rules, Babu Nilmoni Das has been duly elected a Commissioner in Ward No. IV of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, in the place of Babu Karuna Nidhan Sinha, removed.

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28th August 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Basudebpur, in the district of Balasore:—

1. Babu Durga Charan Mahanty, of Bhairpur.
2. „ Bhaskar Chandra Mahapatra, of Ertal.
3. „ Birbhadra Pattanaik, of Basudebpur.
4. „ Hara Prasad Parhi, of Makhalpur.
5. „ Mathura Mohan Behera, Head Pandit, Girls' School.
6. „ Chintamoni Parhi, of Narsinghpur.
7. The Sub-Inspector of Police, Basudebpur police-station, *ex-officio.*

E. V. LEVINGE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, ORISSA DIVN., *the 5th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, Babu Dharam Chand Boyed has been appointed member of the Committee for the management of the Jangipur Charitable Dispensary, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Babu Dal Chand Chhajalani.

M. N. GHOSH, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the Notification, dated the 8th July 1908, it is hereby notified for general information that in the exercise of the powers delegated to Commissioners of Divisions by the Bengal Government Notification No. 1095T.M., dated the 12th June 1903, the exclusion of (1) the Barhampura road, a distance of 2,409 feet from the second milestone to the north end of the Daudpur Factory, and the present limit of the District Board, Tajpur Ghat Road No. 50, and (2) the Kalan Bagh road, 6,780 feet in length, from the Race Course road up to the Hajipur road, from the operation of section 69 (1) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended, so far as it relates to the repairs and maintenance of the roads, is sanctioned.

The transfer of the said roads to the charge of the District Board of Muzaffarpur is also authorised.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Addl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 27th August 1908.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 5th September 1908.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 4th September 1908.

No. 1027.—With reference to the Home Department Notification No. 635, dated the 6th July 1904, Major J. A. Black, M.B., I.M.S., is appointed to be Chemical Examiner, Bengal, and Professor of Chemistry in the Medical College, Calcutta, substantively *pro tem.*, with effect from the 29th July 1907.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 4th September 1908.

No. 455.—The Reverend G. J. Chree, Presidency Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, Bengal, is permitted to avail himself of the combined leave which was granted to him in the Home Department notification No. 308, dated the 21st June 1908. The Home Department notification No. 380, dated the 31st July 1908, is hereby cancelled.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 1st September 1908.

No. 8152—7.—For Notification by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 7991—7, dated the 26th August 1908, *substitute* the following, namely:—

No. 7991—7.

Dated Simla, the 26th August 1908.

In exercise of the power conferred by sections 8A and 8B of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased

to direct that the duties leviable in pursuance of the said sections shall be remitted, with effect from the 1st September 1908, in respect of sugar produced in Russia, provided that such sugar is imported into British India—

(*a*) direct from the country of production; or

(*b*) through another country which is also a party to the Brussels Sugar Convention of 1902, without having been transhipped at, or unloaded in, or carried through, any country which is not a party to the said Convention;

and provided also that it is accompanied by a certificate of origin, such as is required in respect of sugar produced in other countries which are parties to the Brussels Sugar Convention of 1902.

No. 8172—C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that, for the corresponding item of entry No. 15 in the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 10889-37, dated the 20th December 1907, the following shall be substituted with effect from the 5th September 1908, namely :—

No.	Name of article.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty.
			Rs. A. P.	
15	* * * * * * * * * * * * Tin, block	Cwt.	125 0 0	Five per cent.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 4th September 1908.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMOTIONS.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 740.—Surgeon-Lieutenant William Willoughby Kennedy, M.D, to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 21st July 1908.

A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1471L.S.-G.—The 2nd September 1908.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Khulna Local Board, in the district of Khulna, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Bipin Bihari Sen to be their Chairman.

Khulna.

No. 1473L.S.-G.—The 2nd September 1908.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Bagerhat Local Board, in the district of Khulna, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Bipin Bihari Banarji to be their Chairman.

Khulna.

No. 1475L.S.-G.—The 2nd September 1908.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Satkhira Local Board, in the district of Khulna, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Charu Chandra Chatarji (No. I) to be their Chairman.

Khulna.

No. 1479L.S.-G.—The 3rd September 1908.—It is hereby notified that under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Khulna:—

Khulna.

Local Boards by which elected.		Names of Members.
Sadar	...	Babu Bipin Bihari Sen. Kazi Muhammad Hazbulla. Rai Sahib Bankim Chandra Mazumdar.
Bagerhat	...	Babu Satindra Nath Sen. „ Bisweswar Chakrabatti.
Satkhira	...	Babu Charu Chandra Chatarji. „ Lakshman Chandra Ray. „ Hari Nath Mazumdar.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board:—

The Civil Surgeon, Khulna ...
„ Superintendent of Police, Khulna ...
„ Subdivisional Officer, Bagerhat ...
„ Deputy Inspector of Schools, Khulna ...
Ex-officio.

Maulvi Ghulam Kasim, Khan Bahadur.
Babu Amrita Lal Raha.
Kazi Safiuddin Ahmad.
Maulvi Sakhawat Husain.

No. 1492M.—The 7th September 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under sections 23 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Asansol to be the *ex-officio* Chairman of the Asansol Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Mr. P. W. G. Scott, resigned.

Burdwan.

No. 1497L.S.-G.—The 7th September 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Gopal Chandra Paharaj to be a member of the District Board of Cuttack, *vice* Rai Jagyeswar Chandra Chandra Bahadur, deceased.

Cuttack.

No. 1499L.S.-G.—The 5th September 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor intends to make the following amendments in the rules framed under clauses (*i*) and (*t*) of the said section, and published with Notification No. 2009T.—M., dated the 9th November 1901, at pages 217—73 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th December 1901. These amendments will be taken into consideration, with a view to their final adoption on the 1st November 1908, when any objection or suggestion which may be made by any person and received before that date will be considered.

2. *Rule 13.—For* "15th October," "1st November" and "1st December," *substitute* "15th December," "15th January," and "15th February," respectively.

3. In the form of the estimate (D. F. No. I) in the heading of the third money column, *for* the word "four," *substitute* "six."

Expunge from the two sides of the forms for estimates and accounts of District Boards the heads "Allotments from Provincial to Local" and "Contributions to Provincial."

4. *Rule 74—For* the last sentence of this rule, *substitute* the following:—"The monthly account in Form No. IX shall be compiled from the registers of monthly receipts and expenditure, and shall be filed in the Board's office; but a copy of the face-sheet containing the statement of balances and the audit certificate, together with the Treasury Officer's abstract account in original, shall be despatched to the Accountant-General, Bengal, by the 25th of the month following that to which the account relates."

5. *Rule 76.—Add* at the end "A copy of the annual account shall at the same time be despatched to the Accountant-General Bengal."

6. *Rule 88.—In* line 2, *omit* the words "before they are submitted to the Accountant-General." Omit also the second sentence of this rule.

7. In forms Nos. VII and VIII (Registers of monthly receipts and expenditure) *add* the following foot-note:—

"All grants from or to Government that were hitherto adjusted under the heads "Allotments from Provincial to Local" and "Contributions to Provincial" shall in future be shown under the heads which are most appropriate to the nature of the transaction.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that on the publication of the results of the Entrance Examination of 1909, the 12 third grade junior scholarships allotted to the Patna Division will be distributed as follows :—

Patna	2
Gaya	1
Shahabad	2
Saran	2
Champaran	1
Muzaffarpur	2
Darbhanga	2
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A. EARLE, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 1st September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in the knowledge of English idiom and in pronunciation for teachers of English in Native schools will be held at the office of the Inspector of European Schools, 12, Dalhousie Square, East, on Monday, the 21st of September 1908, at 11 A.M.

Teachers who intend to present themselves for examination should send at least a week before the examination a statement containing the following information, and should also *bring* with them their University certificates on the day of the examination :—

Name in full.
Name of father in full.
Name of native village and district.
Last University examination passed.
Year of passing.
Signature of the applicant.
Designation and full address.

Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and, if so, how often, giving dates.

CALCUTTA,
The 7th September 1908.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June. / To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops:—

Carpenters'; Blacksmiths';	Fitters'; Turners';	Machine, and Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 12th July 1907.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

NOTIFICATION.

ENGLISH TEACHARSHIP EXAMINATION, 1908.

THE examination will be partly written and partly oral and practical.

2. The written examination will be held at the Training School at Calcutta on the 1st December 1908 and the two following days. Three papers will be set, as shown below:—

				Marks.
I.—Art of teaching,	1st December,	10 A.M. to 2 P.M.	... ...	100
II.—Discipline,	2nd ,,	10 ,, 2 ,,	...	100
III.—Organisation,	3rd ,,	10 ,, 2 ,,	... ...	100

3. The oral and practical examination will be in actual class teaching and in notes of lessons. The necessary arrangements for holding this examination will be made by Inspectors of Schools. One hundred marks will be assigned to this examination.

4. In the case of a candidate who is a teacher, the Inspector may, at his discretion, conduct the practical examination at the candidate's own school. This examination may be conducted any time in the month of December 1908.

5. Candidates obtaining 50 per cent. of the marks or upwards in each of the subjects, both written and practical, will be declared to have passed, and will be granted English Teachership Certificates, under the signature of the Director of Public Instruction.

6. Candidates for first grade certificates must have passed the B. A. examination. Candidates for second-grade certificates must have passed the F. A. examination, and served as teachers for at least three years. Candidates for third-grade certificates must have passed the Entrance examination, and served as teachers for at least three years.

A teacher who has held a certificate of a certain grade with credit for five years, will also be permitted to compete for the next higher grade of certificate, if his capacity as a teacher and his knowledge of the subjects of examination are certified as satisfactory by the Inspector of Schools

7. Candidates for the examination should apply, on or before the 7th November 1908, to the Head Master of the Training School at Calcutta, and should send a fee of Rs. 5 at the same time.

8. Candidates who have failed at a previous examination will be admitted to the examination, if they have worked as teachers for at least six months since their failure.

9. Further particulars regarding the examination will be supplied on application by Head Masters of Training Schools.

CALCUTTA;
The 5th September 1908.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1869, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
17	Kugas, pargana Mourreswar saiek.	Rs. A. P. 17,182 13 0	.....	Residuary share:— 8 ganda 3 cora 5 canti share of mauza Amdahara chuk, Alaibandi, Ishabpur, Ishanpur *alias* Ienakpur, Uttarmath chuk, Ekuti, Kolyanpur, Kagas, Karticgunge, Kaipur, Kuchunghata, Kusumjatra kismat, Kusaipur, Krishnapur, Khaticpur, Khagra chuk, Khirija, Chandpur, Jamkola, Jalla Jhikardaha chuk, Thakurgram chuk kismat, Tikardaha, ikpara chuk, Dari-baje-jami-baje-apti, Dhobakaon chuk, Dhabajol, Nawapara, Nanas chuk, Nirisha, Paikpara, Parzaan, Piashala, Behara chuk, Rolia, Bipra-salgora, Baicha chuk, Bhagabatipur, Moydipur, Malbaty, Mahabatpur chuk, Mohidipur chuk, Mohespur, Maligaon chuk, Metary, Rasulgunj, Rajballav chuk, Ropaajhi, Salgerya, Sibpur, Solamath, Harikora, Harispur, Hazrapur and 3 anna 3 cara 1 kranti share of mauzas Bansra and Bahadurgunj excepting separate account Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Asu Tosh Mukerjee and others.	Rs. A. P. 719 15 2	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 194 14 10

Birbhum Collectorate, the 10th August 1908.

R. A. N. SINGH, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the brick-field near Adra-Midnapur-Jharia Extension, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Thursday, the 24th September 1908, corresponding with the 8th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Raghunathpur Dâk Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Banchha, mauza Digtila.	346 and 347	South of the railway line.	25 12 10	8 1 35·71	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

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Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Bhuin... mauza Jharria.	174½ in sheet No. 4.	West of the Railway line.	8 5 10	3·74	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908

H. COUPLAND Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jheria Coal line, siding No. 1, Messrs. Khanga & Co, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile in which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Barugarh.	130 to 131, sheet No. 5.	South and north side of the Railway line.	9 3 11·60	3 0 5·87	.....	.....	...	
2	Ditto ...	Jharria pargana, Gopalchak mauza	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7 13 13	2 2 4·13	.....	.....	...	
		Total	.. ..	.....	16 16 6·50	5 2 10				

Land Acquisition Office, Manbhum, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Jealgora siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 22nd September 1908, corresponding with the 6th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Bhuiambarri.	177	South of the railway line.	7 7 0	2·43	.....	.....	...	
		Total ...	.....	.....	7 7 0	2·43				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, village Paddogora.	Between miles 135-137.	On the north side of the Railway line.	12 15 5	4 1 1	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 8·77	3 1 27	A plot 100×100' required for pump-house, etc.	0 0 37	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Muchiaiah.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...	.....	.....	24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Ladna.	176½ sheet No. 6.	West of the Railway line	0 16 16	0·28	.....	.....	.....	
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, mauza Paddadih.	Ditto ...	East of the Railway line.	2 15 9	0·92	.....	.....	.....	
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	176½ sheet No. 7.	Ditto ...	3 11 7	1·18	.....	.....	.....	
		Total ...		.....	.....	2·38				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the siding No. 1, Ghoorkhuntee-Bhowrah Branch, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 26th October 1908, corresponding with the 10th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Jharia pargana, Ghoorkhuntee village.	Miles 3 and 4 of the Bhowra Branch.	South of the railway line.	21 10 178	7 0 17·44	.....	...	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Hariharpur-Dhanbaid Section, Gaya-Barakar Project, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Thursday, the 29th October 1908, corresponding with the 13th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbaid Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each plot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acres.		
1	Manbhum	Dhurria pargana, Dhanbaid village.	At mile 120 of the main line.	South of the main line.	23 0 6	7·71	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894. Manbhum

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
271	Taraf Bansi-Badanpur, pargana Luskarpur.	2,246 5 8	Whole estate.	.....	1. Rani Sarna Moyee Debya (proprietress) of Putiya, thana Valukgachi in Rajshahi. 2. Girish Narain Rai (proprietor) of Srimantapur, thana Dewansarai, and others.	.....	Revenue— 4 6 7 Cesses (Maldah)— 35 1 2 39 7 9	.....
397	Rasulpur, pargana Sherpur.	2,516 4 6	.....	5a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. ojmali	Chowdhury Buzlur Rahim Abul Mustafa of Salar, thana Bharathpur. Chowdhury Ehasanul Huq of Margram, thana Rampurhat in Birbhum, and others.	851 13 9	.....	Revenue 0 8 6
561	Char Kantalia, pargana Fatesing.	1,325 0 0	Whole estate.	.....	Dwijendra Narain Rai of Jemua, thana Kandi (proprietor and farmer). Manobendra Narain Roy and others of Bagdanga, thana Kandi, (proprietors and farmers).	.....	Revenue— 73 8 10 Cesses— 6 3 10 79 11 8	.....

Berhampur, the 12th August 1908. M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the ber 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land

in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
62	Ramjangal, pargana Mandalghat.	15,342 4 9	.....	esiduary share consisting of as. share of the estate.	R. Belchambers, Esq., Administrator, *pendente lite* to the estate of late Babu Gopal Lall Seal of Calcutta.	8,407 1 9	.....	113 11 2
4082	Kalupukuria, pargana Jahanabad.	13,526 1 1	.....	Residuary share consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesna, Ghosepur, Debkhanda, Basantapore, Mamudpore, kt. Joykristopore.	Behari Lall Rai and seven others.	2,253 9 5	.....	141 15 2
4082 ..	Ditto ...	13,526 1 1	.....	Separate account marked "B" consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesna, Ghosepore, Debkhanda, Basantapur, Mamudpore, kt. Joykristopore.	Barodasundari Dasi and five others.	2,254 8 0	.....	206 4 5
	Ghosepore, pargana Bajra.	10,437 9 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of the estate.	Abinash Chandra Ghose.	1,735 2 8	.....	227 2 11
4082	Dewa land of Damodar River, mauza Nar Gobindapur, pargana Arsha.	522 0 0	16as. share	.....	Suresh Chandra Mukherjee.	.....	522 0 0	.....
4082	Damodar char land, mauza Arpur, pargana Mandalghat.	3,021 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Manik Lall Seal and others of Calcutta.	.....	4,532 0 0	.....

ly Collectorate, the 14th August 1908. B. DE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1908 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2760	Bharondha, pargana Kutumba.	768 9 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Rampur ... 16 2. Bharondha 16 3. Rahuli dakhli Bharondha ... 16 4. Mirzapur ... 16 5. Barahi *alias* Jarahi 16 6. Ratanpura ... 16 7. Parsarmoin ... 16 8. Paras Khajuria ... 8 9. Kandhwa ... 16 10. Sareya ... 16	Raghubans Pratap Singh and others.	639 9 0	.....	3 7 6
4284	Sughri garandi Wagairah, pargana Pachrukhi.	2,934 6 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Bhadaur ... 16 2. Kuriona ... 16 3. Thah Khurd ... 16 4. Aethua ... 8	Musst. Ram Koer *alias* Lacho Koer and others.	943 7 0	.....	340 14 0
4579	Jaipur Dumrawan and Shahar Kuas, pargana Sherghatti.	1,898 8 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, consisting of— As. 1. Deoghar Khap ... 2 2. Basir Khap ... 2	Sayed Nooruddin Ahmad Balkhi.	827 0 0	.....	353 4
579	Ditto ...	4,898 8 0	.....	Separate account No. I, consisting of— As. P. 1. Jairur Dumrawn 5 4 2. Bagha Khap ... 5 4 3. Badar Khap ... 5 4 4. Zare Khap ... 5 4 5. Deogaur Khap ... 5 4 6. Doraimpur ... 5 4 7. Hardia ... 5 4 8. Kolhua ... 5 4 9. Makhdumpur ... 5 4 10. Sahdeo Khap ... 5 4 11. Basir Khap ... 5 4 12. Aishdadpur *alias* Pasoni ... 5 4 13. Ambadih ... 5 4 14. Sugras ... 5 4 15. Deodpur *alias* Pandoul ... 5 4	Sheikh Nazir Ali and others.	821 15 0	.....	371 3 9
58	Tarwan taluqa, pargana Sherghatti.	2,303 5 0	Entire ...	.....	Musst. Bhawani Koer	.....	303 12 0	.....
40	Adopur, pargana Kabar.	1,196 0 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares to the extent of 10 annas.	Parayag Singh and others.	748 12 0	.....	65 2 0

Gaya Collectorate, the 15th August 1908.

T. S. MACPHERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th September 1908 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2598	Baghant, pargana Gopalpur.	589 8 3	Whole ...	.....	Mussammat Manjhari Kuer.	.....	139 10 9	.....

Laheriasarai, the 13th August 1908.

DURGA PRASAD, *for* Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in t district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 19 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share or shares are excluded from the sale.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold,	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is be sold, t arrears d from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	2 R. S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Kangonbaria and others.	2,828 3 0	.....	Excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 3½ct., remaining 4a. 5g. 2k. 5½dt. share in all the mauzas except mauzas Cuetla and Alipore.	Romanath Burmon ...	738 9 4	... ..	46 7
2	5-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Lashurpore and others.	8,289 3 0	.....	Excluding 10a. share remaining 6a. share.	Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhri.	3,168 6 11½	... ..	258 11
	8-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpia.	3,480 1 0	.....	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,306 11 5½	.....	65 10
4	10	Pargana Magura, kismat Cheila and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry and others.	.....	26 13 10	.....
	36	Pargana Magura, mauza Dhaynamore.	741 13 0	Ditto ...	...	S. M. Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhry.	.....	167 1 4	... ..
6	101	Pargana Magura, kismat Shanpore and others.	1,076 3 6	Ditto ...	...	Kumar Monmoth Nath Mutter.	.....	63 3 9	.....
7	315-11	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Raghunathpore.	10,199 4 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 1 g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Kali Krishna Chakravarti	716 9 0	.....	134 11
8	323 R. S.	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Kantapukuria and others.	1,038 5 9	...	Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k 2kt. share, remaining 10a. 14g. 15. 1kt. share.	Rama Prosad Ray Chowdhry and others.	652 8 10	... ..	96
9	326	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Bistopore and others.	2,443 3 0	.....	Excluding 8a. share, remaining 8a. share.	Jatindra Nath Ray Chowdhry and others.	1,212 2 2½	.....	85
10	385-9	Pargana Azimabad and others Hooghly Khali and others.	12,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 13a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagtamuri.	Kali Krishna Chakravarti ...	1,392 8 7½	... ..	142
11	437	Pargana Panchakuli, Abad Sumulberia and others.	530 3 6	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry.	.....	47 8 8	.....

Alipore, the 14th August 1908.

A. MOOKERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1908 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8930	Newri Chaturi Singh, pargana Tarkani.	600 6 3	Entire.	.....	Lalji Lall and others ...	.....	17 0 2	.....
				Temporarily-settled estate.				
11920 R. S.	Sukwarpur, pargana Hajipur.	2,048 0 6	.....	Residuary share 14a. 19d. 1c. 6o. 13ph. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	B. Nand Keswar Lall and others.	1,034 1 0	.....	9 6 1

ROWLAND CHANDRA, *for* Collector.

Muzaffarpur, the 4th August 1908.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1908 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
330	Mahal Durgapore, 2a. 5g. share, ph. Bircool.	1,686 8 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Chowdhurani Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	367 0 2	.....
1101	M. Kia, ph. Kurulchore.	503 2 7	Do. ...	.....	Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	54 13 0	.....
				Government Khas Mehal.				
2880	Alma Haristara, ph. Balarampore.	638 10 0	Entire ...	.....	Kisori Mohan Mitra and three others ...	.....	49 8 9	.....

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Permanently-settled estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
336	Bisthazari, pargana Bisthazari.	61,809 11 0	...	Ijmali	Baijnath Goenka and others.	4,313 4 0	...	3,299 0 9
336	Ditto ...	61,809 11 0	...	S. A. 103 of Isa Khan, etc.	Jaimangal Singh and others.	605 1 0	...	78 5 0
336	Ditto ...	61,809 11 0	...	A. G. 1. Talsaharsa ... ... 8 5 2. Achari ... ... 8 5 3. Bhaswana ... ... 8 5 4. Khokanna ... ... 8 5 5. Boria Bandh ... 8 5 6. Jamoa ... ... 8 5 7. Amrah Nim. 7 14 Nawada. 8. Bardokhar Oraia 3 12½ S. A. 135 of Beni Singh and others. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Girwardhari Lal and others.	1,249 11 0	...	4,161 15 0
830	Rasulpur Bhatowni, pargana Pharkia.	910 15 0	...	12 annas ijmali share ... ... All other shares han that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mosst. Anupwati and others.	854 0 0	...	51 0 9
815	Sihanwan Qarari, pargana Malki.	1,130 7 0	...	Ijmali	Kali Prasad Singh and others.	597 15 0	...	73 3 6
8162	Taluqa Ram Nathpur Panadeh Nim Anna and Bishanpur Permanandpur Terah Nim Anna, pargana Masjidpur.	2,790 8 0	...	3a. 2g. 1c. 2kt. 2dt. 16rn. 1p. ijmali share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosst. Bibi Sayida and Bibi Halahi under the guardianship of Bibi Baisa and others.	544 0 0	...	107 13 3
				Temporarily-settled estate.				
9607	Rahatpur, Arazi Rahatpur, pargana Malki (Rahatpur Register D).	923 10 0	...	13a. 15g. 6c. 8b. as per S. A. record. Ijmali. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ghanshyam Singh and others.	536 9 0	...	26 1 2

Monghyr, the 13th August 1908.

H. F. SAMMAN, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bettiah-Bagaha Railway, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Saturday, the 17th October 1908, corresponding with the 8th Kartik 1316 Fusli at the Narkatiganj Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Hardia, pargana Majhowa.	23	South ...	7 14 4	2 2 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land of Bettiah-Bagaha Extension. *East*— Ditto ditto. *South*—Rup Kaun, Pirthwi Nath Misra, Naresh Tewari and Sam Behari Misir. *West*—Sam Behari Misir.
2	Ditto ...	Mauza Shikarpur, pargana Majhowa.	23	Do. ...	2 8 6	0 3 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *East*— Ditto. *South* Sathi Factory land. *West*—Railway land.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Patahi Branch of the Dhaka Canal, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, corresponding with the 4th Kartik 1316 Fusli, at the Chainpur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Malconia, pargana Semrown.	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 0 8	.....	.....	.....	*East*—Patahi Branch, Dhaka Canal. *North*—Motia Diversion. *West*—Mango tope of Chathara Singh, Janki Singh, Rajkumar Singh and Bheo Nandan. *South*— Ditto ditto.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1908 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

uzi e.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
15 96	Aamrpur Raghunath *urf* Kewai, pargana Balia.	607 12 2	Entire ...	.....	Nauratan Lal ...	.....	8 3 6	.....
35 7	Manaura, pargana Phulwari.	3,702 5 10	.....	Makhdumpur, 16 annas, separate account. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mr. Patric Stephen ...	1,199 11 0	.....	1 3 1

Patna, the 22nd August 1908.

F. W. WARD, Collector of Patna.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1908, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1908 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mehal Logun, ph. Shipore.	2,619 5 3	.....	S. A. No. XXII— Mauza—	Sreemati Tilottama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	1,376 15 6	.....	150 9 8	Revenue— 150 9 8 Road Cess— 60 10 3 Embankment Cess— 50 2 0

	A.	G.	K.	KG.
Akbarpore ...	10	0	3	0
Aulda	7	0	3	0
Barandia	10	0	3	0
Behalia	10	0	3	0
Brindabanpore ...	7	0	3	0
Chaulda	6	1	3	0
Dubda	10	0	3	0
Dubda Ratitaki ...	10	0	3	0
Dhusarda	7	0	3	0
Gobrachak ...	10	0	3	0
Godeichak	7	0	3	0
Gopalpore	6	1	3	0
Jagulia ..., ...	10	0	3	0
Canongoebar ...	3	10	1	2
Kanuprojapati Kist	8	10	1	2
Kuarpore	10	0	3	0
Kristapore	10	0	3	0
Khagda	10	0	3	0
Khurutia	10	0	3	0
Khodevool ...	10	0	3	0
Madhab Chandra chak ...	10	0	3	0
Logun	6	1	3	0
Panchrool	8	10	1	2
Satkhanda	10	0	3	0
Shiporebar	10	0	3	0
Takapore	10	0	3	0

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

idnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st September 1908, corresponding to 5th of Ashin 1315 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of petty Government Estates of the Arambagh Subdivision to be sold on the 21st September 1908.

Serial No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Tauzi No.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	Remarks.
			A. R. P. B. K C.	Rs. A. P.	
1	Kumarhat Nirbhoypur, police-station Khanakul ...	4057	0 1 30 1 6 10	2 5 0	
2	Satheria, police-station Goghat	4232	0 0 32 0 12 3	1 8 0	
3	Bangalpur, police-station Goghat	4358	8 1 32 25 11 1	56 15 0	
4	Gouranga *alias* Mandaran, police-station Khanakul	4589	3 3 3 11 8 3	28 5 0	
5	Chota Dangal *alias* Shambullubpur, police-station Goghat.	4605	3 0 36 9 15 5	9 5 0	
6	Panchra, police-station Goghat	4611	2 0 6 6 3 6	13 14 0	
7	Balarampur, police-station Goghat	4613	3 3 17 12 0 15	27 9 0	
8	Damodarpur, police-station Goghat	4615	0 2 38 2 4 11	4 3 0	
9	Hatbasantapur, police-station Goghat ...	4633	4 1 27 13 7 4	43 0 0	
10	Damodarpur, police-station Goghat	4634	0 3 29 2 16 7	7 1 0	
11	Niranjanbati and Basantabati, police-stations Khanakul and Arambagh.	4636	2 3 15 8 12 1	17 0 0	
12	Choto Dangal and Panchra, police-station Goghat...	4637	2 3 38 9 0 10	18 1 0	
13	Kamchey and Kurmana, police-station Goghat ...	4650	4 0 38 12 16 8	25 5 0	
14	Dighri and Chak Madul, police-stations Goghat and Arambagh.	4656	2 2 26 8 1 3	22 3 0	
15	Kurmana, police-station Goghat	4657	6 0 24 18 11 15	43 9 0	
16	Dwaripur, police-station Goghat	4662	4 3 23 14 16 1	48 10 0	
17	Beurgram, police-station Arambagh	4675	4 1 4 12 18 11	22 10 0	
18	Solepur *alias* Kurmana, police-station Arambagh ...	4693	4 1 15 13 2 14	19 11 6	
19	Betra, police-station Arambagh	4697	5 0 38 15 16 12	38 6 0	
20	Amarpur, police-station Goghat	4700	2 1 15 7 1 12	12 6 0	
21	Balarampur, police-station Goghat	4708	5 3 0 17 7 14	36 15 6	
22	Chak Ghola, police-station Arambagh	4726	1 3 21 5 13 13	17 1 0	
23	Kurmana *alias* Solepur, police-station Goghat ...	4728	3 2 27 11 1 13	19 12 0	
24	Pantahori, police-station Khanakul	4732	0 2 3 1 11 4	5 0 0	
25	Arjungari, police-station Goghat	4737	4 1 31 13 8 13	20 3 0	
26	Chandoor, police-station Arambagh	4739	7 2 15 22 19 8	68 15 0	
27	Bharasola, police-station Goghat	4742	4 0 33 12 14 5	28 10 0	

Serial No	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Tauzi No.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	Remarks.
			A. R. P. B. K. C.	Rs. A. P.	
28	Damodarpur, police-station Goghat	4743	1 1 7 3 18 4	4 14 0	
29	Kurmana *alias* Solopur, police-station Goghat ...	4744	1 3 20 5 13 4	9 12 0	
30	Kamchey, police-station Goghat	4745	4 3 16 4 12 15	29 5 0	
31	Panchra, police-station Goghat	4746	1 0 1 3 0 14	3 13 0	
32	Niranjanbati and Basantabati, police-stations Khanakul and Arambagh.	4751	4 2 29 14 3 3	23 14 0	
33	Mirzapur, police-station Goghat	4754	1 3 36 5 19 8	9 0 0	
34	Bhatsala, police-station Arambagh	4788	3 0 7 9 4 4	20 12 0	
35	Mirzapur, police-station Goghat	4807	3 1 12 10 1 1	15 12 0	
36	Seora and Gholepur, police-station Goghat ...	4817	8 1 7 25 1 10	64 12 0	
37	Mominpur, police-station Arambagh	4818	4 1 25 15 11 7	12 12 0	
38	Arjungari and Dumarpara, police-station Goghat ...	4823	7 0 8½ 21 6 12	30 14 0	
39	Gholepur, police-station Khanakul	4150	1 2 32½ 5 2 15	5 7 0	
40	Jajoor, police-station Khanakul	4384	0 2 21 1 18 2	3 13 10	
41	Pantahori, police-station Khanakul	4840	3 0 5 9 3 6	36 11 0	

Chinsurah, the 25th August 1908.

MIRZA SHEGUFTA BUKHT, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Grand Chord Line, mile 141, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday the 10th November 1908, corresponding with the 25th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Gomo.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Nawagarh pargana, Jayramdih mauza.	141	South ...	2 0 8	0 2 27 2·25 yds.	.....	...		
2	Do. ...	Nawagarh pargana, Dumra mauza.	141	Do. ...	8 2 12	2 2 30 14·50 yds.	.....	...		
					10 3 4	3 1 17 16·75 yds.				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 4th September 1908.

C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st September 1908, corresponding to 5th of Ashin 1315 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force; and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of petty Government estates of the Hooghly Sadar Subdivision to be sold on the 21st September 1908.

Serial No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Tauzi No.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P. B K. C.	Rs. A. P.	
42	Horibati, thana Pandua	1998	0 3 14 2 10 10	7 4 0	
43	Ditto ditto*	2009	0 0 9 0 3 6	0 8 0	*To be sold revenue-free.
44	Musuria, thana Balagore	4071	0 0 19½ 0 7 5	4 13 0	
45	Toregram, thana Pandua	4626	1 1 10 3 19 6	20 12 0	
46	Telipara, ditto	4640	0 1 7 0 17 12	5 6 0	
47	Guptiparah, thana Balagore ...	4658	0 1 29 1 6 0	2 15 6	
48	Pandua, thana Pandua	3032	0 1 2½ 0 16 1	2 0 0	
49	Kanoor, ditto	1041	0 1 32½ 1 7 5	1 3 0	
50	Pandua, ditto	3060	0 0 39 0 14 10	1 3 0	

Chinsurah, the 26th August 1908. MIRZA SHEOUFTA BUKHT, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the east bank of Bhagirathi in village Beliapukhur, manza Kallyanpur Chandipur, thana Manullabazar, in the district of Murshidabad, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 19th October 1908, corresponding with the 3rd Kartick 1315 Fusli at the old Jeaganj Inspection Bungalow by the Subdivisional Officer of Lalbagh.

The purchaser of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavation on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt of the Divisional Commissioner's order confirming the sale.

Boundaries.

North.—Kalu Chand Bothra's land.
East.—Lalgola cutcha road.
South.—Village road.
West.—Kalu Chand Bothra's land.

The plot measures about 1 bigha 2 cottahs and 8 chitaks of land appertaining to the old Inspection Bungalow at Jeaganj.

M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Berhampore, the 1st September 1908.

District Charitable Society.

Abstract of Cash Accounts of the Central Office for the month of July 1908.

Budget for 1908.	Receipts.	July 1908.	From 1st January to 31st July 1908.	Budget for 1908.	Payments.	July 1908.	From 1st January to 31st July 1908.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Subscriptions—			14,946	Grant to District Committees ...	1,236 0 0	8,762 0 0
14,400	From Government	1,200 0 0	8,400 0 0	4,500	,, to Commissioner of Police for Casual relief	272 13 3	2,329 6 6
9,260	,, the public	770 0 0	6,519 0 0		Establishment	75 0 0	525 0 0
7,516	Donations and new subscriptions ...	*3,347 4 10	**5,898 7 4	27,818	Grant to Indian Committee	2,233 0 0	15,697 8 0
	Allowances towards cost of establishment—			10,740	Pensions paid through Central Office	813 0 0	5,791 0 0
3,000	From Government	250 0 0	1,750 0 0	1,020	Schooling-fees ditto ...	86 0 0	443 0 0
500	Interest on General Reserve Fund ...	.....	420 0 0	2,500	Special Relief (on private orders) ...	203 6 0	1,240 3 6
42,439	,, on Trust Funds	392 4 0	26,750 2 11	3,204	Alms House:—Establishment ...	267 9 0	1,869 0 0
537	Bakery proceeds	†771 7 8	††407 14 8	9,500	Dieting	†849 1 3	††5,634 14 9
3,000	Workshed proceeds	§650 11 0	§§2,684 0 3	1,000	Contingencies ...	157 8 0	1,001 8 0
1,850	Refund on Casual Relief account ...	68 8 0	811 7 6	300	Clothing and bedding ...	.....	203 7 0
2,500	,, on Special ,, ,, ...	137 4 6	1,316 5 9	150	Repairs	.....	195 1 0
...	Legacies	.....	.....	...	Poultry yard ...	.....	125 3 0
2	Miscellaneous accounts	.....	.....	2,650	Bakery	317 0 9	2,432 6 9
...	Deposits	17 8 0	94 14 0	4,145	Workshed	§512 4 0	§§3,400 15 6
500	X'mas dinner account	.....	.....	7,536	Central Office:—Establishment ...	628 0 0	4,389 15 6
...	G. P. Notes withdrawn from Bank's safe custody.	.....	.....	360	Commission on collections.	29 8 0	223 12 4
...	G. P. Notes by Corpus of Trust Funds ...	.....	.....	500	Auditing fees ...	.....	250 0 0
...	,, by Security Deposit	.....	.....	735	Rent (nett)	59 11 6	312 11 6
200	Donation to Indian Committee ...	.....	61 0 0	600	Contingencies ...	36 12 0	251 3 9
...	Govt. grant for Alms House repairs ...	.....	.....	750	Printing and advertising.	52 4 0	658 15 9
...	Cash towards Corpus of Trust Funds ...	.....	.....	70	Bank's commission	1 11 4	52 10 1
				...	Law charges	.....	.....
				450	E. I. Railway Co. for passes ...	.....	‡122 0 0
				...	Deposits	43 1 0	367 9 7
				500	X'mas Dinner account	.....	201 12 0
				...	Safe custody deposit of G. P. Notes	.....	.....
				...	Security refunded	.....	.....
				...	Investment	.....	.....
				...	Interest on Overdraft	.....	.....
98,764	Total ...	6,905 0 0	55,132 4 5	94,604	Total ...	7,873 1 1	56,183 11 8

Excluding cost of bread from Bakery for A. H. Dieting, † Rs. 383-7-0 ; ‡ Rs. 2,573-6-0 ; Budget being Rs. 3,896.
Ditto cost of flour from Workshed to Bakery, § Rs. 106-15-10 ; §§ Rs. 617-11-11 ; Budget being Rs. 650.
New Subscriptions * Rs. 35 ; ** Rs. 150. ‡ Special Relief 30-3-9 ; Casual Relief, etc., Rs. 82-12-3.

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts as above	.....	55,132 4 5	Payments as above	.....	56,183 11 8
Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 1st January 1908	5,115 0 6		Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 30th June 1908	4,492 12 2	
Opening cash balance on that date	771 5 9		Cash balance in hand on that date	342 3 3	
		5,886 6 3			4,834 15 5
Total ...		61,018 10 8	Total ...		61,018 10 8

CALCUTTA,
The 15th August 1908.

K. C. GANGULY.
Cashier.

H. S. CASHMAN,
Secretary.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 1st September 1908.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,62,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 90,42,293 6 11			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,31,02,010 7 4	2,21,44,303	14	3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	16,97,36,825	14	4
Bank Post Bills, &c	10,70,496	10	5
Sundries	12,15,452	2	10
Rupees ...	23,05,87,078	9	10

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	3,39,76,006	0	6
Other authorised investments	31,67,015	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,37,40,139	4	11
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,64,51,911	11	0
Bills discounted and purchased	2,41,24,713	9	4
Balances with other Banks	16,29,309	8	8
Buildings	4,953	0	0
Bank Stock	16,66,625	8	2
Stamps	15,585	0	1
Sundries	2,65,497	10	1
	15,20,12,856	4	3
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs. 3,44,74,001 3 1			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... †,, 4,38,70,221 2 6	7,85,44,222	5	7
Rupees ...	23,05,87,078	9	10

* Includes Govt. 3 ½ Govt. value Rs. 50,700 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 2,34,540 0 0
,, 2,93,330 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 3rd September 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 40·35.
C. M. EASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.
(1060—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st August 1908.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—						4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—			GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.	Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.	Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 15th August 1908 ...	72,81,500	1,50,25,700	9,07,26,300	2,16,24,100	1,13,33,500	18,81,300	14,05,94,500	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,79,66,633
ADD—																		
Amount of Loan Certs transferred to stock in London	.....	.....	67,400	..	.....	...	67,400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	67,400
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	... ..	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 15th August 1908 ..	25,000	....	45,000	....	.....	..	45,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st August 1908 ...	.....	.....	22,000	.....	... ..	81,000	1,03,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,03,000
	73,06,500	1,50,25,700	9,08,60,700	2,16 28,100	1,13,33,500	19,62,300	14,08,10,300	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,82,07,033
DEDUCT—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	57,500	6,63,300	2,67,000	1,34,310	78,000	12,00,100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,00,100
Balance on 31st August 1908	73,06,500	1,49,68,200	9,01,97,400	2,13,61,100	1,11,99,200	18,84,300	13,96,10,200	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,70,06,933

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th June 1908—Enfaced from India, 11,712 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,560 lakhs.

,,	1st July 1908 ,,	15th July ,,	,,	,,	,,	...	,,	,,	,,	10	,,
,,	16th ,, ,,	31st ,,	,,	,,	,,	3 lakhs	,,	,,	,,	2	,,
,,	1st August ,,	,, 15th August ,,	,,	,,	,,	...	,,	,,	,,	9	,,
,,	16th ,, ,,	31st ,,	,,	,,	,,	2 lakhs	,,	,,	,,	12	,,
						11,717 lakhs.				11,602	,,
						11,602 ,,					
					Balance against India ...	115 ,,					

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 1st September 1908.

(1064—1)

T. BRUCE,
Superintendent.

L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

NOTICE.

In the Court of the 1st Subordinate Judge, Jessore.

PRESENT:

Babu Radhanath Sen, 1st Subordinate Judge, Jessore.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 45 OF 1908.

Sarat Chandra Mullick and others, decree-holders, *versus* Miss Elizabeth Christianna New house and others, judgment-debtors.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned properties of the abovenamed judgment-debtors will be sold for the realization of Rs. 58,905-5-9 in execution of the mortgage decree by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Jessore, on the 21st September next (1908) at 12 A.M. within the precincts of the court-house :—

EXHIBIT "ক"

Plot and mauza.	Boundaries.	Name of malik.	Annual rent.	District and Sub-District, Thana and Sub-Registration Office.
Solemanpur, pargana Shahoo Jeal, known as Gopalgunj Bazar.	The piece of land bounded on the north by Kotechandpore police-station and a Khal; on the east by the road leading to Chandpur Bazar; on the south by Saintsbury's lands; on the west by Bhairav river, containing thirty bighas and fifteen cottahs with the following :— Two-storied ballakhana ... ... 1 Cook-house ... ... 2 Stable ... ... 1 Cowshed ... ... 1 Pucca store-godown ... ... 1 Flower garden and graveyard ... ... 1 Engine-house ... ... 1 Engine ... ... 1 Factoy godowns Liquor-house ... ... 1 Boiling house ... ... 1 Pump ... ... 1 Steam-boilers ... ... 4 Iron tanks ... ... 9 Copper pan ... ... 1 Receiver ... ... 1 Iron moulds ... ... 700 Centrifugal machines ... ... 3 Oil machine and seed presses tin-sheds ... 4 Office ... ... 1 Tin-shed for weighing bags ... ... 1 Chimneys 2	Denonath Mukerjee and others of Mahespur. Jay Kally Chawdhrani and others.	Mdft. B. Newhouse. Rs. A. 25 10 Mdft. ditto. 35 14 61 8	District Jessore, subdivision Jhenidah, thana Kotechandpore, Registration Office Kotechandpore.
	Brass utensils for making sugarcandy Dobara house with godowns and gadighar. Engine for working the oil-mills and sugar-cutting knife.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
2 Ditto ...	On the west by Newhouse street; on the north by Ram Krishna Paramanik's karkhana; on the south and east by nij lands; area three cottahs with one two-storied place and one carpenter's shop.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto
3 Ditto ...	East by Ramgoti Paramanick's karkhana; west by Solemanpur road; north by a lane; on the south by nij land; tenant Rashik Lall Paramanik; area twelve cottahs.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Solemanpur ...	On the west by the Sudder street; on the south by Mryan Biswas's karkhana; on the east by Bindu Peshakar's land purchased by me; on the north by Kritarta Boisnavi's house, lately purchased by Mr. A. H. Newhouse with mango and jack garden; area four cottahs.	Brojoraj Mukerjee, Girija Prosonno Mukerjee. Nuller Chunder Pal Choudhery and others.	2 0	Ditto.
Ditto ...	On the south by the house and homestead lands of Madhu Soodan Byeti; on the east by the Solemanpur road, on the north by Moti Mozumdar's house; on the west by Madhub Mozumdar's garden; tenant Meesir and Shonai Dhobbie's area: seventeen cottahs, purchased from Kaylash Chandra Pal by a private deed of sale. All these the undermentioned thirteen plots of land in mauza Solemanpur containing in all by estimation about forty-eight bighas of land be the same a little more or less and the total annual rent payable in respect of which to Denonath Mukerjee and others is Rs. 20-0-5½.	.....	Mahatram land.	Ditto.
Solemanpur, Plot 1 Dohee Ballawah included in tauzi No. 5035.	The piece of land called by the name Mat Boga Para is bounded on the west by Kalam Daffadar's land, on the south by Kalam Daffadar, Habulla Mullah, Kartic Ghosh and Bholai Mondle's lands; on the east by Jamir Nekari's land; on the north by Krishna Karmakar's land containing eleven bighas; purchased from Karim Mondle and Pachoo Mondle.	Denonath Mukerjee and others. Promoda Prosanno Mukerjee. Nrityasharan Mukerjee and others.	5 5 9¾ 5 5 7¼ 2 15 19½	Ditto.
Plot 2	Mt. Idga on the south by Golak Karmakar's land; on the west by the chakran lands of Nazir and Asip Mandle; on the north by the land of Kartic Chandra Ghosh and Jamir Shardar; on the east by the land of Krishna Chandra Mozumdar and Asim Sardar containing 8 bighas (eight).	Joykali Choudherani and others. Patnidar Sm. Susimukhi Dasi and others and Ramkrishna Chuckerbutty.	5 0 1½ 3 5 7½ 20 0 5½ 3 8 0 25 8 5½	Ditto.

Plot and mauza.	Boundaries.	Name of malik.	Annual rent.	District and Sub-District, Thana and Sub-Registration Office.
			Rs. A. P.	
Plot 3	Mt. Ustyas Khal. On the north; west and south by Garibulla Kahar's Chakran land; on the east by Radhanath Shaha's land containing five bighas and ten cottahs.			District Jessore, subdivision Jhenidah, thana Kotechandpore, Registration Office Kotechandpore.
Plot 4	Mt. Badoor Gari. On the south by Hishabdi Mollah's land; on the east by Ram Hari Chakerbutty's land; on the north by the bought land of Asimuddin Shardar; on the west by the land of Jamir Nokari and Nizamdi Pazar containing two bighas.			Ditto.
Plot 5	Mt. Badoor Gari. On the south by the land of Ramhurry Chakerbutty; on the east by the land of Mathuranath Acharjee of Sadhuhaty; on the north by Jamir Shardar's land; on the west by Bholai Mondle's land, containing two bighas and five cottahs.			Ditto.
Plot 6	Mt. Lukhi Billa. On the west by the purchased land of Mandhari Shaha and Sreemaity Sosimukhi Dassee; on the south by Ramhurry Chakerbutty's land; on the east by Asimaddin Shardar's land; on the north by the Chakran land of Arip Moudle, containing four bighas.			Ditto.
Plot 7	On the east side of the above land known as Mt. Luckhi Billai is situate the piece of land which is bounded on the south by Asim Shardar and Jamir Shardar's land; on the east by the land of Gazi Mondle; on the north by the land of Kartick Chandra Ghosh; and on the west by the said Luckhi Billai; containing one bigha and ten cottahs.			Ditto.
Plot 8	Kunapookoor. On the east by Asimuddin Shardar's land on the north by the land of Haree Mondle of Baze-Bamanda; on the west by Prollad Chander Ghosh's land; on the south by Jamir Shardar's land containing two bighas and five cottahs.			Ditto.
Plot 9	Mt. Ali Mridah's Jot. On the west by Kata Bagan and Prollad Ghose's land; on the south and east by Madhoo Soodan Ghosh's land; on the north by date garden and Ratan Sarkar's land, containing three bighas and fifteen cottahs.			Ditto.
Plot 10	In the middle of village. On the south and west by Kalam Dafadar's land; on the north by Kartic Chander Ghosh's land; on the east by the landed house of Garibulla Kahar, containing four bighas and ten cottahs.			Ditto.
Plot 11	All that the kutcha dwelling-huts, bounded on the south by Nafar Mondole's dwelling-house; on the east by Asimuddin Shardar's land; on the north by Kalam Dafadar's land, and on the west by the burial-ground, containing one bigha and fifteen cottahs.			Ditto.
Plot 12	On the south by Gopal Chander Ghose's land; on the west by Ram Krishna Chakerbutty's land; on the north by Bhagar (waste land); on the east by ruj dwelling-house, containing one bigha and five cottahs.			Ditto
Plot 13	On the south by Kadir Munshi's house; on the west by Gopal Chunder Ghose's land; on the north by Jamir Shardar's land; on the east by Asim Shardar's land, containing ten cottahs. All these the undermentioned two plots, being plot 14 and 15 of land in the said mauza Solemanpur, containing in all by estimation two bighas and ten cottahs of land, be the same a little more or less, and the annual rent payable in respect whereof to Ramkristo Chuckerbutty is Rs. 5-8.			Ditto
Plot 14	In the middle of village Solemanpur. On the south by Garibulla Kahar's dwelling-house; on the west and north by bangar (waste land); on the east by Kartic Chunder Ghose's land, containing one bigha and ten cottahs.	Ramkristo Chuckerbutty.		Ditto
Plot 15	On the west by bhagar (waste land); on the north and west of the land of Ramhury Chuckerbutty, on the south by Ramkrishna Bhattacharjee's land, containing one bigha.	Ditto		Ditto
Mauza Solemanpur, Dehee Bollawa, pargana Shahoojal.	All that the piece of land purchased by Mr. A. H. Newhouse from Kannye Missir, and bounded on the east by the road leading to Solemanpur; on the south by Kalakhali and half of its bed, on the west by Bhairavi river; on the north by Kooti Bari flower garden and burial-ground with trees, etc., containing seven bighas and fifteen cottahs.	Ram Lal Chukerbutty	21 14 0	District Jessore, sub-division Jhenidah, thana Kotchandpur, Sub-Registration Office Kotchandpur.
Kotechandpur Plot 1, pargana Shahoojal, Dehee Suruppur.	All that the piece or parcel of land purchased by A. H. Newhouse benami in the name of Jeberuddin Medda, in suit A. H. Newhouse *versus* Jadunath Shadkhan and others instituted in the Subordinate Judge's Court at Jessore, and being bounded on the north by a piece of bare land belonging to Mogai Moochi; on the west by Gour Jeatur's Lane; on the east by Mogai Moochi's jote land; on the south by Municipal Street with building pucca walls, etc., containing sixteen cottahs.	Haran Chandra Mitra, Sasibusan Mitra, Chandrakanta Mitra and others.	12 0 0	Ditto
Plot 1, Kotechandpur	The piece of land bounded on the east by Sadoy Hari Koondoo's karkhana recently in possession of F. N. McLeod; on the south by Ranjadu Biswas' karkhana; on the north by main road; on the west by Bhagwan Kundu's and Jugalhari Kundu's karkhana, with pucca building and chimney, pucca walls thereon, containing seventeen cottahs, being the property of Umanath Sadkhan and others, purchased by me at a public auction, held on the 1st March 1892, in an Execution Case No. 6 of 1891, in suit A. H. Newhouse *versus* Umanath Sadkhan and others.	Denenath Mukerjee and others and Joodisteo Shahu.		Ditto

Plot and mauza.	Boundaries.	Name of malik.	Annual rent.	District and Sub-District, Thana and Sub-Registration Office.
			Rs. A. P.	
Plot 1, Solemanpur known as Gopalgunge Bazar in Debee Ballawa.	All that the two-storied brick-built dwelling-house with all its appurtenances thereto, and bounded on the west by the road leading to Kotechandpur Bazar; on the east by Koylash Chandra Nundi's karkhana; on the south by Arjoon Paramanic's karkhana; on the north by Municipal Street, containing seven cottahs purchased by me by a kobala from Hari Charan and Sadoy Hari Kundu and others.	Bridget Newhouse ...	8 0 0	District Jessore, subdivision Jhenidah, thana Kotechandpore, Sub-Registration Office Kotechandpore.
Plot 1, Solemanpur	All those the pieces or parcels of lands containing in all one bigha and four cottahs of which were purchased from Rakhal Dutt one cottah from Jogi Peshkar and the remaining fifteen cottahs from Ram Sing and Chandi Kant Mitter, and bounded on the north by Arjoon Paramanik's karkhana; on the east by Ramjiban Paramanik's kharkhana; on the west by Solemanpur Municipal Street; on the south by Mango lane.	Denonath Mukerjee and others.	0 12 6	
		Joykali Choudhurani and others.	1 1 6	
			1 14 0	
			Rs. A. G. K. KR	
		Denonath Mukerjee and others.	3 0 6 3 0	
		Joykali Choudhurani and others.	4 0 13 1 1	
			Rs. A. P.	
		Denonath Mukerjee and others.	4 0 0	
Plot 1, Solemanpur, pargana Shahoojol known as Gopalgunge Bazar.	On the west by Kritarta Baishnavi's house; on the north by Mango Lane; on the south by Bhaba Baishnavi's house; on the east by Barada Peshkar's house containing one cottah and purchased by me under a kobala from Hari Charan Shi.	Denonath Mukerjee and others, Brite Shahaih, Ramkrishna Chakrabutty.	1 0 0	Ditto.
Plot 1, Solemanpur	All that the piece of land containing four cottahs purchased by Mr. A. H. Newhouse from Sambal Dobay and bounded on the west by Amrita Peshkar's house purchased by me and my sister, Miss E. C. Newhouse; on the north by Hari Charan's house purchased by me; on the east by the dwelling-house of Kripa Baishtami and Basha Mohun Poddar's mango garden and the house of Ananga Peshkar and Meajan Majhi.	Ditto ...	2 0 0	District Jessore, subdivision Jhenidah, thana Kotechandpore, Registration Office Kotechandpore.
Plot 1, ditto	On the north by Boydipara Road; on the west by Puri Bagdini's house; on the south by Banachari Shaha's land and Mano Peshkar's house; on the east by Hari Peskar's garden and the lane containing one bigha purchased by me by a kobala from Mongala Bagdini and Basanta Bagdini who purchased it from Daya Peshkar.	Ditto	2 0 0	Ditto.
Plot 1, ditto	On the east by Hari Charan's house purchased by me; on the north by my Chetta Bari and the lane; on the west by Shabait Bati and the Municipal Street; on the west and south by Amrita Peshkar's house with building thereon containing six cottahs purchased by me from Sudhodas Boiragi who inherited it from Kritarta Baishnavi, his daughter.	Ditto	0 0	Ditto.
Plot 1, ditto	On the west by my niz land and date garden; on the north by Ramkrishna Chakarbutty's land; on the east by Ishwar Moochi's house, and on the south by Golok Moochi's house containing sixteen cottahs.	Kartic Chandra Ghose	1 0 0	Ditto
Plot 1,	The piece of land bounded on the north by the dwelling-house of Barada Peshkar and Kally Peshkar; on the west by the house of Bhabo Baishnabi and Hari Charan Jin; on the south by the house of Kropoy Boishnabi, and on the east by the house of Icha Peshkar containing two bighas ten cottahs.	Doochiram Sen	0 0	Ditto.

Jessore, the 17th August 1908. (1017—1—1008)

RADHANATH SEN,
Subordinate Judge, 1st Court, Jessore.

In the Court of Munsif at Benares.

SUIT No. 264 OF 1908

Sahu Ram Saran Lal, son of Sheonandan Sahu, caste Kalwar, resident of mahalla Kamalpura, Benares City, plaintiff, *versus* Mahubir Singh and others, defendants.

To Tirlok Singh, son of the late Ramjag Singh, caste Chhattri, dwelling at Court Diwani No. 3, Gargen Dulin Mohammad ka Mani Gaon, Rangoon City.

WHEREAS the plaintiff has instituted a suit in this Court against you for Rs. 167, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a duly authorized pleader of the Court duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some other person able to answer all such questions, on the 21st day of September 1908 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the abovenamed plaintiff; and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce all your witnesses on that day; and you are hereby required to take notice that, in default of your appearance on that day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 15th day of August 1908

HIRA LAL SINHA, Munsif.

The 3rd September 1908. (1066—1)

In the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge of 24-Parganas.

MORTGAGE SUIT No. 152 OF 1907.

Uma Charan Dey, decree-holder, *versus* Iswar Chandra Panja, judgment-debtor.

THE following properties of the judgment-debtor will be sold by the Nazir, Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, on the 14th September 1908 at 12 noon for the realization of Rs. 7,888-7-3 :—

One bigha one cottah of land with one-storied building tank, &c., being Holding No. 75, Division I, Subdivision 6, in khas mahal No. 1068, pargana Calcutta, mauza, and thana Barahanagore, Sub-Registry Cossipore in district 24-Parganas, bounded as follows:—

North, Holding No. 74, being the dwelling house of Iswar Chandra Dalui, deceased; east, public road; south, drain further south, land of Bani Madhab Mukerjee; west, land of Iswar Chandra Dalui. The annual revenue payable at the 24-Parganas Collectorate is Rs. 3-6.

MAHIM CHANDRA SIRKAR, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd September 1908.

(1063—1)

In the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge of 24-Parganas.

MORTGAGE SUIT No. 112 OF 1907.

Upendro Nath Saw, decree-holder, *versus* Upendro Nath Nag Choudhuri, judgment-debtor.

THE following properties of the judgment-debtor will be sold by the Nazir, Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, on the 14th September 1908 at 12 noon for the realisation of Rs. 1,24,609-12-3:—

The right, title and interest of the judgment-debtor in

I. Undivided half share in taluq Abad Chaital, being tauzi No. 1825 of 24-Parganas Collectorate in district 24-Parganas, Sub-Registry Basirhat, Baduria, the annual Government revenue payable for the same being Rs. 341-12-3.

II. Taluq No. 633, taraf Nehalpur, &c., in district 24-Parganas, Sub-Registry Baduria and Basirhat, Chawki Basirhat, the annual Government revenue payable for the entire taluq being Rs. 4,324-14-6.

III. Taluq No. 314, Kalikapur, &c., in district 24-Parganas, Chawki Basirhat, Sub-Registry Baduria and payable Basirhat, the annual Government revenue for the same being Rs. 584-7-7.

IV. Undivided half share in taluq No. 592, taraf Biswanathpur, &c., in district 24-Parganas, pargana Balanda, Chawki Barasat, Sub-Registry Deganga, the annual Government revenue payable for the same being Rs. 62-4-3.

MOHIM CHANDRA SIRKAR, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd September 1908. (1062—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Hakim Biswas, son of Waresh Biswas, of Patibila, thana Kotwali, district Jessore, has been admitted, and that the 18th September 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

L. PALIT, District Judge.

Jessore, the 3rd September 1908. (990—1—1002)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Waresh Biswas, son of late Chaudhuri Biswas, of Patibila, thana Kotwali, district Jessore, has been admitted, and that the 18th September 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

L. PALIT, District Judge.

Jessore, the 3rd September 1908. (991—1—1003)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas, at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 56 OF 1908.

Shashi Bhusan Roy, son of Krishna Mohan Roy, deceased, of Raipur, station Budge-Budge, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

2. (1) Shib Chandra Das, (2) Kaherode Nath Das, (3) Nava Kishore Mandal, (4) Kanai Lal Panday, (5) Rung Bahadur Sing, (6) Mathur Das, (7) Pran K. Ganguly, (8) Guni Lal Panchali, (9) Lahary Panday, (10) Karunamaya Ganguli, (11) Ram Brahma Mandal, (12) Nil Kamal Chakraburty, (13) Ram Kumar Das, opposite party, creditors.

ON the 24th day of August 1908, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said applicant insolvent be heard summarily on the 21st day of September 1908, and that the said insolvent do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE,

District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 1st September 1908. (1061—1—1001)

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 14 OF 1908.

WHEREAS Haru Bag, of Bengrali, pargana Barada, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 29th August of 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and the following names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 30th day of October 1908 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. Those who desire to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due are as follows:—

		Rs.
Kaji Majahar Ali	... ...	428
Kaji Amanattulla	... ...	65
Abinash Ghaneswari	... ...	30

J. BYRNE, Offg. District Judge.

Midnapore Judge's Office, the 2nd September 1908. (1065—1—1004)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 60 OF 1908.

Nidhiram Das, son of late Panch Kari Das, by caste Kaibarta, repairer of old tin goods, of Dum-Dum, thana Dum-Dum, applicant.

To (1) Burn & Co., (2) Sham Lal Shaha, (3) Nabo Kissore Sen, (4) Nando Lal Shaha, creditors.

ON the 31st August 1908, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said applicant be heard on the 21st September 1908, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE,

District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 4th September 1908. (1070—1—1007)

NOTICE

(Under Section 16, Sub-section 7 of Act III of 1907).

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 29 OF 1908.

Kedar Nath Mandal, son of late Iswar Chandra Mandal land-owners of Madhaingram, station Barasat, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 1st day of August 1908. Six months are allowed for the discovery of property, the application be put up and the applicant be discharged on the 9th November 1908.

F. R. ROE,

District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 4th September 1908. (1071—1—1005)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 57 OF 1908.

Shaikh Derajtullah, son of late Shaikh Buxi, by caste Muhammadan, occupation labour, of Hazi Nagar, station Naihati, chowki Baraset, applicant, insolvent, *versus* Jeeban Sha and others, opposite party, creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed applicant was declared an insolvent by this Court on the 24th August 1908, and creditors are directed to prove their debts by the 21st September 1908.

F. R. ROE,

District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 4th September 1908. (1072—1—1006)

BABU KUNJO BEHARI SEN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.
(1022—4—913)

BABU SRIS CHANDRA BOSE, B.L., wishes to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.
(987—4—905)

KHAJA M. ISMAIL, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.
(1001—4—909)

MITHILA SARAN SINHA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.
(1075—4)

SYED ZAINUDDIN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.
(1002—4—908)

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Sarafat Ali Serang, late of No. 81, Wellesley Street, Calcutta, who was employed as Serang in the service of Messrs Kilburn & Co., Calcutta, and died at Calcutta on 20th April 1908, intestate, has been granted to Abdul Sobhan, of No. 81, Wellesley Street, as son of the deceased to enable him to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said Abdul Sobhan.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

No. 3, Council House Street, Calcutta, the 3rd September 1908. (1058—1)

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Mary Harman, late a Nurse, who died intestate at Calcutta, on 23rd March 1908, has been granted to Albert Birmingham Miller, Esq., of No. 8, Strand Road, Calcutta, on behalf of Betsy Harman, the sister and sole next of kin of the deceased, to enable him to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said Mr. Albert Birmingham Miller.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General, Bengal.

3, Council House Street, Calcutta, the 8th September 1908. (1074—1)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908:—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add	880
3.	Balia	...	„	889
4.	Bhimpore	...	„	1982
5.	Munair	...	„	2458
6.	Masandha	...	„	4368
7.	Phulwari	...	„	5058
8.	Sunda	...	„	5859
9.	Shahjehanpore		„	7305
10.	Ghyaspur	...	„	7692
11.	Beswak	...	„	9898
12.	Bihar	...	„	10516
13.	Maldah	...	„	11771
14.	Narhat	...	„	11772
15.	Pillich	...	„	11823
16.	Raggir	...	„	12561
17.	Samai	...	„	12585
18.	Sanaut	...	„	12605
19.	Telhara	...	„	12606
20.	Ukri	...	„	13670

(To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.)

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that all Exhibits filed in cases in the Courts of the Presidency Magistrates in the years 1905 and 1906 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before the 31st December 1908.

T. THORNHILL,
Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta.

The 4th September 1908.

WANTED in the office of the Inspectress of Schools, Calcutta, a Clerk who must have a good knowledge of Urdu. Salary Rs. 40. Candidates must be either graduates, or have passed the F.A. Examination. A good knowledge of office work desirable. Apply first by letter to the office of the Inspectress of Schools, 22, Ezra Mansions, 10, Government Place, Calcutta.

WANTED at once a Clerk on Rs. 30 for the Pusa subdivision. Those having previous experience as apprentices in Public Works Department, Roads and Buildings subdivisions, will be preferred. The post is a permanent one. The selected candidate will be on probation for six months. Applications with copies of testimonials must reach the undersigned on or before the 13th instant.

SAILENDRA NATH BANARJI, B.A., B.E.,
Offg. Executive Engineer, Pusa Division.

Pusa, the 5th September 1908.

WANTED a Muhammadan Teacher at present temporarily for the Barasat Government School on a salary of Rs. 20—1—25 a month. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received in this office up to the 18th September 1908. None need apply who has not passed the F.A. Examination.

P. MUKERJI,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 25th August 1908.

WANTED for the North Bihar Famine Surveys Surveyors on a salary of Rs. 80 per month and downwards according to qualifications and one Draftsman on a salary of Rs. 50 per month.

Applications will be received up to 30th September 1908 by the undersigned.

G. W. DISNEY,
Superintendent, Famine Surveys.

Kurseong, the 15th August 1908.

Notice.

WANTED a Sarishtadar for the Collector's Office, Bhagalpur, on a salary of Rs. 120 rising to Rs 200 by annual increment of Rs. 8. None need apply who has not already had 15 years' experience of Revenue work and who has not a very thorough knowledge of English, Hindi and Urdu languages. Applications will be received up to 20th September 1908.

F. F. LYALL, Collector.

Bhagalpur, the 31st August 1908.

Notice.

WANTED four Amins for four months at Rs. 20 per month from November next for survey and record-of-rights of certain private estates in the Vishnupur subdivision under the Bengal Tenancy Act. None need apply who has no experience of Settlement work. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to 25th September 1908.

RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJEE.
Subdivisional Officer.

Vishnupur Subdivisional Office, the 4th September 1908. (1069—3)

WANTED an Accountant for the Malda District Board's Office for 8 months on a salary of Rs. 55 a month. The applicant is likely to become permanent as the permanent incumbent has been appointed Accountant of the Dinajpur Board on a higher pay on probation for 6 months.

None need apply who is not duly qualified under the rules. The pay attached to the post is Rs. 55 to Rs. 65 on an annual increment of Rs. 2. Applications will be received up to 15th September next.

KADER BAKHSH, Vice-Chairman.

Malda, the 26th August 1908. (1046—2)

WANTED a passed Accountant of experience for the post of Head Clerk and Accountant of the office of the District Road Committee of the Santhal Parganas on a monthly salary of Rs. 75.

Applications with particulars of age, qualifications, etc., and accompanied by copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than 20th September 1908.

H. W. SCROOPE,

Chairman, District Road Committee.

Dumka, the 2nd September 1908 (1059—1)

WANTED an experienced Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 by annual increments of Rs. 5. No one need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1906 and is not thoroughly acquainted with the District Board Office work.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 27th September 1908.

W. D. RITCHIE,

Vice-Chairman, District Board.

District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, the 5th September 1908. (1067—2)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Head Clerk and Accountant for the office of the District Board, Bakarganj, on a salary of Rs. 100 rising to Rs. 150 by annual increment of Rs. 5. Applicants who must be qualified under Rule 9 of Part IX of the Rules under the Local Self-Government Act, published under Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 21st December 1901, should state their age and residence and enclose verified copies of testimonials.

The selected candidate will have to produce a certificate of good health from a Civil Surgeon and join at once to relieve the present Head Clerk and Accountant who is about to retire.

Applications will be received up to the 15th September 1908.

R. B. HUGHES-BULLER, Chairman.

Bakarganj District Board's Office, Barisal, the 25th August 1908. (1048—2)

WANTED an experienced Draftsman and Estimator for the Public Works Department office, Sikkim, on a salary of Rs. 40 per month. The appointment, though temporary, is expected to continue from year to year for approved service.

Apply with testimonials to the State Engineer, Sikkim. (993—4)

WANTED Sub-Overseers on Rs. 50 and Rs. 45 *plus* fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15 per month. None need apply who is not qualified to draw pay as above under Government Notification No 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901. Also a Draftsman and Estimator on Rs. 45 per month.

A. C. BANERJEE,

District Engineer, Palamau.

Daltonganj, the 22nd August 1908. (1030—3)

WANTED for the Bhairab Drainage Scheme Surveys a Surveyor on a salary of Rs. 80—10—100 for two years with chances of being made permanent as Overseer in charge of a subdivision.

Applications will be received up to the 25th September 1908.

A. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer.

Jessore, the 4th September 1908. (1008—3)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act of 1882, and

In the matter of the Commercial Bank of India, Ld.

BY an order made by the abovenamed Court in the above matter, dated 27th day of August 1908, on petition of the abovenamed Company, dated the 13th day of August 1908, and on further petition of E. E. Mengens, G. P. Nelson and H. W. Hailes, the Joint and several Liquidators of the abovenamed Company appointed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company held on the 22nd day of August, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up shall continue subject to the supervision of the Court And it was further ordered that any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up may be adopted as this Court shall think fit and the creditors, contributories and Liquidators of the said Company and all other persons interested were to be at liberty to apply to this Court as there may be occasion.

ORR, DIGNAM & Co.,

Attorneys for the Petitioners,
Standard Buildings, Dalhousie Square.

(1057—1—1060)

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

Mails for	Date of closing.	Latest hour of posting. General Post Office. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.	Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, Fort William Outram and Wellesley Street Post Offices. Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa and East Africa, and also South Africa if superscribed on the cover *viâ* United Kingdom or Aden.	Sept. 10	8 P.M.	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	5 P.M.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.		Parcels 5 P.M. M. O. 4 P.M.			5 4
Australasian Colonies.	14	5-45 P.M.	4-30	4-45 P.M.	2-45 ,,
*Straits Settlements, China and Japan, per S.S. *Kutsang*	11	8-30 ,,	6	6-45 ,,	
Burma ...	10, 14	7-30	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	12	7-30		6-45 ,,	5
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	11	7-30		6-45	5
Port Blair, *viâ* *Rangoon*.	12	7-30	6	6-45	5

* On other days correspondence for China, Japan and Australian Colonies is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

Late Fee.

1. Late letters bearing a late fee are received at the General Post Office at the following hours on the days on which direct mails are closed :—

For Burma and Port Blair from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Homeward English mail on Thursday from 8 P.M. to 8-45 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails by Sea from 8-30 P.M. to 9 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails *viâ* Madras or Tuticorin from 5-45 P.M. to 6-15 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

For Foreign mails *viâ* Bombay from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

Late registered articles for Burma and Port Blair are received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 2 annas.

Late registered articles for the Australasian Colonies, Mauritius and South Africa *viâ* Madras or Tuticorin are received from 4-45 P.M. to 5-15 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas and for Ceylon with a late fee of 2 annas.

Late registered articles for the Homeward English mail are received on Thursday from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 4 annas.

DESPATCH OF PRINCIPAL INLAND MAILS.

Mails for	Latest hour of posting. General Post Office. Ordinary articles.	Registered letters.	Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, (*b*) Fort William, Outram and Wellesley Street (*b*) Post Offices. Ordinary articles.	Registered letters.
1. Arracan and Chittagong	4-30 A.M.	6 P.M. (*a*)	6-45 P.M. (*a*)	5 P.M. (*a*)
2. Bombay, Central Provinces, Midnapur, Purulia, Chaibassa, *viâ* Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	1-15 P.M.		11-45 ,,	11-30 A.M.
3. Places on the East Indian Railway (Loop Line).		1-30	12-45	12 noon.
4. Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Lower Assam.	3-55	3-25	2-45	2-30 P.M.
5. Orissa and Madras Presidency.	5-45	4-30	4-45	
6. Cuttack, Midnapur, Punjab, United Provinces, Bombay Presidency, Central India, Sind and Baluchistan, Eastern Bengal, Central Bengal and Murshidabad.	7-30	6	6-45	

(*a*) Previous day.

(*b*) Latest hour of posting articles in the Newmarket and Theatre Road Post Offices are 30 minutes earlier than the hours shown for Dharamtola and Wellesley Street Post Offices.

Late fee

1. Late letters bearing a fee of half anna are received at the General Post Office at the following hours:—

For the Bombay mail *viâ* Bengal-Nagpur Railway from 1-15 P.M. to 1-35 P.M.

For the Loop mail from 2 P.M. to 2-40 P.M.

For the Darjeeling and Assam mails from 3-55 P.M. to 4-15 P.M.

For the Madras mail from 5-45 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.

For the Punjab, Bombay *viâ* Jubbulpur and Eastern Bengal mails from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of one anna from 8 P.M. to 8-45 P.M.

2. Late registered letters bearing a fee of 2 annas are received at the General Post Office from 4-30 P.M. to 5-15 P.M. for the Madras mail and from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. for the Punjab, Bombay *viâ* Jubbulpur and Eastern Bengal mails.

GENERAL POST OFFICE, C. H. STUART,
Dated Calcutta, the 7th September 1908. *Presidency Postmaster.*

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

Name.	Post Box No.
Abrecht & Co.	19
Arracan Co., Ld.	28
Agelasto & Co., A	37
Alliance Bank of Simla, Ld.	43
Army Department, Government of India	62
Allen Brothers & Co.	77
Atherton & Co., G.	98
Assmann & Co., F. A. D.	103
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Atlas Assurance Co., Ld.	128
Apcar & Co.	130
Acerboni & Co., F.	135
Anderson Wright & Co.	140
Andrew Yule & Co	150
Allahabad Bank, Ld.	165
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Army & Navy Co-Operative Society, Ld.	232
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Austro-English Trade Association	251
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British India Marine Service Club	35
Becker Gray & Co.	41
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Barry & Co.	50
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Calcutta Tramways Co., Ld.	32
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	40
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ld.	59
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Cohn Bros. & Fuchs	91
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Accounts of the External Land Trade of British India for October and November 1907. Nos. 7 and 8. Royal 8vo. Stitched. 8a. 9d. (2a.) each.

Indian Cotton seed: its industrial possibilities. By Frederick Noël Paton, Esq. Super Royal 8vo. Paper cover. 12a. or 1s. (2a.)

Accounts relating to the Trade carried by Rail and River in India in the quarter ending June 1907, compared with the corresponding periods of the years 1905 and 1906. No. 1 of 1907-08. Foolscap. Paper cover. 8a. or 9d. (2a.)

Accounts relating to the Trade carried by Rail and River in India in the quarter and in the six months ending September 1907, compared with the corresponding periods of the years 1905 and 1906. No. 2 of 1907-08. Foolscap. Paper cover. 8a. or 9d. (2a.)

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Statistics of Cotton Spinning and Weaving in the Indian Mills in February 1908 and in the eleven months, April 1907 to February 1908, compared with the corresponding period of 1905-06 and 1906-07. No. 11 of 1907-08. Royal 8vo. Stitched. 2a. or 2d. (1a.)

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Papers and Maps set for the Examination in subjects (d) to (i) for promotion held in India in October 1907 with remarks by the Examiners. Royal 8vo. Board. Re. 1-2 or 1s. 9d. (2a.)

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Roorkee Treatise on "Railways," 4th Edition, revised by F. Wolly Dod, F.C.H. Price, Rs. 8 per copy.
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Pamphlet on Examination for Acid Radicals: Tables giving Analysis of Acids. Price per copy, 8a.
Pamphlet on Examination for Acid Bases: Tables giving Analysis of Metallic Bases. Price, 8a. per copy.
Military Works Handbook, 4th edition. Price Rs. 4.

A list of new books and periodicals for sale at the Library of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57 Park Street, Calcutta.

SOCIETY'S PUBLICATIONS.

Journal and Proceedings, Vol. IV, Nos. 1 to 3 at Rs. 2 each.
Ditto ditto, Vol. IV, Extra No., 1908, at Rs. 2 each.
Ditto ditto, Vol. LXXIV, Part 2, 1908, at Rs. 3 each.
Ditto ditto, ditto, Part 3, 1908, at Rs. 2 each.
Memoirs, Vol. II, No. 6. "Tarikh-i-Nusratjangi," By Harinath De, at Re. 1 each.

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Catapatha Brahmana, Vol. 6, Fasc. 1, By Acharya Satyabrata Samasrami, at Re. 1-4.
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Samaraiccakaha. Fasc. 1. By Dr. Hermann Jacobi, at As. 10.

List of books published by the Meteorological Department from 1st January to 30th June 1908.

Monthly Weather Review, February to July 1907. (Illustrated by 7 plates.) 4to. Paper cover. Re. 1 per month.
Annual Summary of Monthly Weather Review, 1906. (Illustrated by 6 plates.) 4to. Paper cover. Rs. 3.
Memoirs of the Indian Meteorological Department, Vol. XVIII, Part II. By Sir John Eliot. 4to. Paper cover. Rs. 2.
Ditto ditto, Vol. XX, Part II. By J. H. Field, Esq., M.A. 4to. Paper cover Re. 1.

List of Books published by the Meteorological Department during the Current Quarter.

Monthly Weather Review, August and October 1907. (Illustrated by 7 plates.) 4to. Paper cover. Re. 1 per copy.
Monthly Weather Review, September 1907. (Illustrated by 7 plates.) Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1.
Monthly Weather Review, November 1907. (Illustrated by 7 plates.) Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1.
Monthly Weather Review, December 1907. (Illustrated by 7 plates.) Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1.
Monthly Weather Review, January 1908. (Illustrated by 7 plates.) Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1.

List of new books published by the Geological Survey of India during the week ending 30th July 1908.

Memoirs of the Geological Survey of India, Palæontologia Indica, Series XV, Vol. I, Part I. By Carl Diener, PH.D. Rs. 4-4.

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal on the 5th September, 1908, and is hereby published for information, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons.

CALCUTTA :
The 8th September, 1908.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

THE BENGAL REPEALING BILL, 1908.

A

BILL

to repeal the Howrah and Suburban Municipal Police Act, 1884.

WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal the Howrah and Suburban Municipal Police Act, 1884 ; It is hereby enacted as follows :— Ben. Act, IV of 1884.

Short title. 1. This Act may be called the Bengal Repealing Act, 1908.

Repeal of Bengal Act IV of 1884. 2. The Howrah and Suburban Municipal Police Act, 1884, is hereby repealed.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The Howrah Municipality has been relieved by the Government of India, with effect from the 1st April, 1908, of all liabilities formerly imposed on it on account of police charges, and the Suburban Municipality was abolished in the year 1888.

It is, therefore, unnecessary to retain the Howrah and Suburban Municipal Police Act, 1884 (Ben. Act IV of 1884), on the Statute Book, and it is accordingly proposed to repeal it.

C. A. OLDHAM.

The 24th August, 1908.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1908.

PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

The Council met in the Council Chamber on Saturday, the 5th September, 1908, at 11 A.M.

Present:

The Hon'ble SIR ANDREW FRASER, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.

The Hon'ble MR. R. T. GREER, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. E. W. COLLIN.

The Hon'ble MR. F. W. DUKE.

The Hon'ble MR. W. A. INGLIS, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. H. C. STREATFEILD.

The Hon'ble MR. C. E. A. W. OLDHAM.

The Hon'ble SIR CHARLES ALLEN, KT.

The Hon'ble MR. E. P. CHAPMAN.

The Hon'ble MR. W. H. H. VINCENT.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble IHTISHAM-UL-MULK RAIS-UD-DOWLA AMIR-UL-OMRAH NAWAB ASEF KUDR SYUD WASIF ALI MEERZA KHAN BAHADUR MAHABUT JUNG, Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad.

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble MAHARAJADHIRAJA BIJAY CHAND MAHTAB BAHADUR, OF BURDWAN.

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD.

The Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble MR. F. A. LARMOUR.

The Hon'ble MR. W. BROWN.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

STATE TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIPS.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL said:—

In the Gazette of India of the 23rd January, 1904, in paragraph 6 of the Despatch No. 8, dated Simla, the 9th October, 1902, from the Government of India, Home Department, to His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, it is stated that "the Local Governments and Administrations will be required to bear in mind the importance of ensuring that the returned scholar shall find scope for his skill and ability * * * * * * * If the early results of the scheme are successful, we think that the services of the returned scholars are sure to be in good demand, and that, failing private employment, Government will be glad to turn their abilities to account as teachers in industrial schools or in other capacities connected with the improvement of local industries."

Will the Government be pleased to state whether any of the returned scholars have been taken into the Government service?

In paragraph 3 of the same Despatch it is stated that "they proposed to give two (scholarships) to the Madras Presidency, two to the Bombay Presidency, two to Bengal and to distribute the remaining four among the other provinces."

Subsequently in paragraph 2 of the Government Notification published in the Statesman of the 20th March, 1908, it is stated that the Government of India have now decided to award during the year 1908 and the following years one scholarship annually to each province, * * *

Will the Government be pleased to state the cause of reduction in the number of scholarships from two to one?

It is stated in the Government Notification (published in the Statesman of the 20th March, 1908) that "as far as Bengal was concerned, it was decided that the mining industry offered the most * * * * * favourable field, * * * * * and the scholarships hitherto awarded on the recommendation of the Government of Bengal have been utilized for the encouragement of that industry. Eleven State Technical scholars have been sent from Bengal in the four years, 1904 to 1907."

Will the Government be pleased to state how many of the said scholars have returned after completing their period of scholarships, with what qualifications, and how they have been employed?

Since the institution of the said scholarships, rules under section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), fixing qualifications for Mine Managers, were published in the Gazette of India, dated 21st April, 1906, and came into operation from 21st October, 1906.

Will the Government be pleased to state whether such rules have facilitated the employment of the scholars in any way; if so, what steps have been taken to ensure the success of the scheme and to turn the ability of the returned scholars into practical utility?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied:—

"Since 1904 ten scholars have gone to England, where seven are still pursuing their studies. One scholar threw up his work with the object of being called to the Bar. Two scholars have obtained the degree of B. Sc. in Mining. One has not yet reported his arrival in India to Government. The second returned to India last November and has lately applied to Government for employment. This is therefore the only case coming under Part I of the Hon'ble Member's question.

"The Government has been informed that this last gentleman failed to pass the recent examination held by the Mining Board under the rules made by the Government of India under section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, VIII of 1901. This result is surprisingly unsatisfactory and careful inquiry will be made into all the facts of the case. The Government is anxious to give all possible help to deserving scholars on their return to India, but it certainly does not propose to provide employment in all cases irrespective of merit. It is moreover eminently desirable that the services of returned scholars should be utilized as far as possible in private employment.

"There is no reason to doubt the value of the examination prescribed by the rules framed under section 20 of the Indian Mines Act. The object of this examination is not to facilitate the employment of scholars, but to prevent the employment as Mine Managers of persons who are not reasonably qualified for such employment. The examination is understood to be such as any mining scholar should pass without difficulty.

"Formerly two scholarships were awarded to each of the Governments of Madras, Bombay and Bengal, the remaining four being distributed among other Local Governments. The Government of India considered that this arrangement was unfair, as it did not give every province an opportunity of nominating a scholar every year. The ten scholarships have therefore been re-distributed and one scholarship has been made available annually for each province. There has been no reduction in the total number of scholarships. It has been decided that this re-distribution shall not prevent any Local Government from receiving more than one scholarship in any year if there is a dearth of eligible candidates in other provinces. Two scholars from this province have been accepted this year by the Government of India. One is to undergo a course of training in mining and the other in leather industries."

TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MINING.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is under contemplation in any Department of Government, or it has been recommended, to abolish the present system of Technical scholarships for Mining study on the ground that a course of Mining training has recently been introduced in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur; whether the course of education in Mining training in the Sibpur College includes practical training in any up-to-date collieries; and whether the Sibpur College Laboratory has been well-equipped with up-to-date Mining Machinery, Experimental Mine, etc., Electrical Machinery, Metallurgical Laboratory with furnaces and Geological Laboratory necessary for Mining study similar to what are provided for in the University of Birmingham, where such Technical scholars are usually sent?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied:—

"This Government is not aware of any proposal to abolish the present system of Technical Scholarships for mining. The Sibpur course includes a period of practical surveying in a mining district with actual underground work. The College has been well equipped, as far as is practicable and as far as funds permit; but it cannot pretend to an equipment equal to that of the Birmingham University."

OVERFLOW OF THE RIVER BODAI.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the condition of the ancient and populous villages of Hadal, Narayanpore and others situated within thana Vishnupore in the district of Bankura, which are every year under water on account of the overflow of the waters of the River Bodai and have become all but deserted in consequence? Will the Government be pleased to inquire and to take steps to remedy this state of things?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"The attention of Government has not been drawn to this matter, and there is no present information in respect to it. An inquiry will be made."

BABU DURGA CHARAN SANAYAL'S CASE.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

(*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the observations of the Indian Daily News, the Empire, the Capital, and all the Indian papers of Bengal regarding the conviction and sentence of Babu Durga Charan Sanyal? Does the Government intend to take any steps in the matter?

(*b*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the observations in the judgment of the High Court in the above case describing the pitiable condition of the accused, an old pleader of over 60 years, who has lost many children and whose bereavements and disappointments in life have told seriously on his health and mind? Will the Government be pleased to remit his sentence on the above considerations?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to consider whether the said old prisoner should not be treated with kindness and not required to undergo hard labour as long as his matter is under consideration and also as long as he is in jail?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied:—

"The prisoner in question is being carefully observed, and his case is receiving due attention. As the offence for which he has been convicted was committed within the province of Eastern Bengal and Assam, this Government is not in a position to deal finally with the matter except in consultation with the Government of that province. It is impossible to express any opinion on this case at present."

SCARCITY IN BIHAR.

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD asked:—

Is the Government aware that on account of drought, *bhadoi* crops in Bihar are almost destroyed and the prospects of paddy there are quite gloomy? If so, will it please the Government to take the necessary measures for the relief of the people of Bihar?

The Hon'ble MR. DUKE replied:—

"Government is aware that owing to failure of the rains the crop prospects are very gloomy in certain districts of Bihar. It is hoped that the situation has been improved in the south and west by recent heavy rain. The local officers have already been addressed with a view to action being taken as soon as it may become necessary. They have applied for *takavi* loans to be distributed as soon as rain makes the cultivation of the *rabi* crop possible and these have been arranged for."

THE CHOTA NAGPUR TENANCY BILL, 1908.

The Hon'ble Mr. Vincent presented the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend and consolidate certain enactments relating to the law of Landlord and Tenant and the settlement of rents in Chota Nagpur.

The Hon'ble Mr. Vincent also moved that the Bill, as amended by the Select Committee, be taken into consideration by the Council on the 19th instant.

The motion was put and agreed to.

THE BENGAL REPEALING BILL, 1908.

The Hon'ble Mr. Oldham moved for leave to introduce a Bill to repeal the Howrah and Suburban Municipal Police Act, 1884. He said:—

"The Howrah Municipality has been relieved by the Government of India of all liabilities formerly imposed on it on account of police charges, and the Suburban Municipality was abolished in the year 1888. It is unnecessary therefore to retain the Howrah and Suburban Municipal Police Act, 1884 (Bengal Act IV of 1884), on the Statute Book, and it is accordingly proposed to repeal it."

The Hon'ble Mr. Oldham also introduced the Bill, and moved that it be read in Council.

The motion was put and agreed to, and the Secretary accordingly read the title of the Bill.

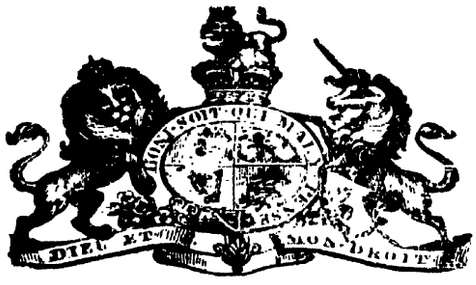
The Hon'ble Mr. Oldham also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration by the Council on the 19th instant.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Council was then adjourned to Saturday, the 19th September, 1908.

CALCUTTA;
The 7th September, 1908.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.



APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1908.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th September 1908.*

The 26th August 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—TASMANIA, WEST COAST.

Macquarie harbour entrance—Tidal signals amended.

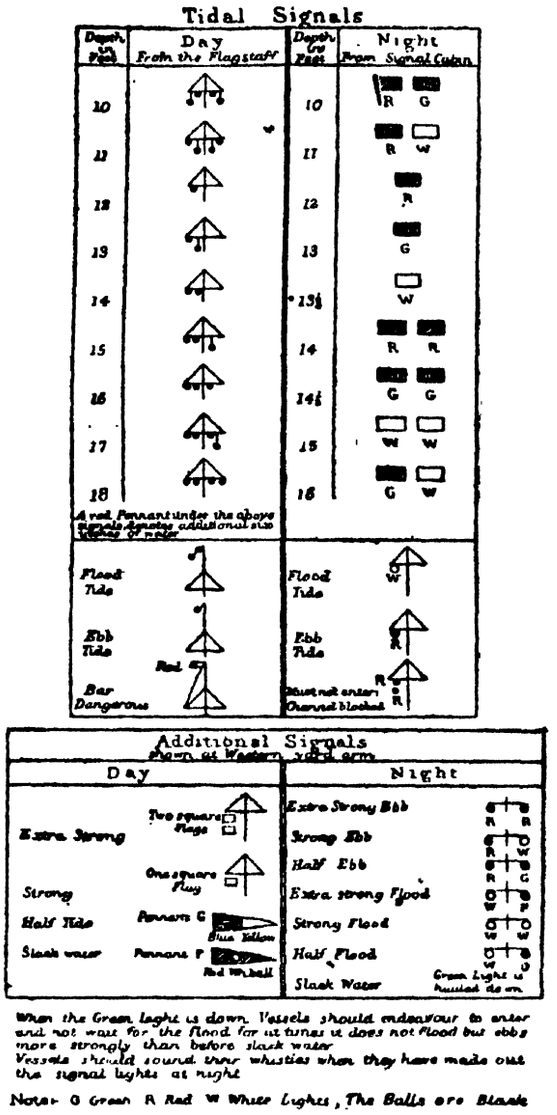
No. 354 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1184 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The tidal signals at the entrance to Macquarie harbour have been amended and are now as undermentioned.

Position.—The signals are shown from a flagstaff on west entrance point of harbour, at a distance of 185 yards, S. 62° W., from Entrance island light.

Lat. 42° 12′ S., long. 145° 13½′ E.

Amended Signals :—



Remarks.—A new edition of chart No. 3531, will shortly be issued.
Variation.—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3531, Entrance to Macquarie harbour.
„ 1629, Macquarie harbour.
Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 638.
Authority.—Marine Board, Strahan, May 1908.

The 7th September 1908.

JAPAN.

System of Typhoon signals established.

No. 362 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1212 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A system of Typhoon Warning Signals has been established in Japan as undermentioned.

Signals.—By day, the signals are made from a mast with yard by means of shapes, coloured red, used as symbols, having numbers corresponding to them as follows :—



1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.

By night, the signals are made by means of coloured lights—*See* Table I.

These shapes have the following significance:—

3 shapes at one yardarm, placed vertically.
- The two upper indicate the position of the storm centre, *see* Table I, given below.
- The lowest shows the probable progress of the storm centre, *see* Table II, given below.

2 shapes at the other yard-arm, placed vertically. — The upper one indicates the velocity with which the storm centre is moving; the lower one, the barometric pressure of the depression for the time being, according to the values given in Table II.

1 shape at the masthead ... Indicates the time for which the position of the storm centre is given.

TABLE I.

(*Representing approximate position of centre.*)

Day Signals (Symbols).	Position of Centre.	Night Signals (Lights, placed vertically).	Day Signals (Symbols).	Position of Centre.	Night Signals (Lights, placed, vertically).
No.					
11	West of the Philippines	*Red* light. *Red* ,, *Red* ,,	14	Hongkong and vicinity	*Red* light. *Green* ,, *Red* ,,
12	Luzon island ...	*Red* light. *Red* ,, *Green* ,,	15	Formosa	*Red* light. *Green* ,, *Green* ,,
13	Eastward of Luzon ...	*Red* light. *Red* ,, *White* ,,	16	Yayeyama group ...	*Red* light. *Green* ,, *White* ,,
21	Southward of Liu kiu group.	*Red* light. *White* ,, *Red* ,,	43	Tokyo and vicinity ...	*White* light. *Red* ,, *White* ,,
22	Between Liu kiu group and the Bonin islands.	*Red* light. *White* ,, *Green* ,,	44	Central Nipon and Noto peninsula.	*White* light. *Green* ,, *Red* ,,
23	Bonin islands and vicinity.	*Red* light. *White* ,, *White* ,,	45	Northern Nipon, lat. 36° to 40° N., long. 139° to 144° E	*White* light. *Green* ,, *Green* ,,
24	Liu kiu, Amami o sima, and vicinity.	*Green* light. *Red* ,, *Red* ,,	46	Eastward of Nipon (districts Nos. 43 and 45).	*White* light. *Green* ,, *White* ,,
25	Off south coast of Japan	*Green* light. *Red* ,, *Green* ,,	51	Shantung peninsula, Yellow sea, and Kwang tung peninsula.	*White* light. *White* ,, *Red* ,,
26	South of Hachijo Fatsizio sima).	*Green* light. *Red* ,, *White* ,,	52	Korea	*White* light. *White* ,, *Green* ,,
31	South of the Yangtse kiang valley.	*Green* light. *Green* ,, *Red* ,,	53	Southern part of the Sea of Japan.	*White* light. *White* ,, *White* ,,
32	China sea, westward of Liu kiu islands.	*Green* light. *Green* ,, *Green* ,,	54	Northern China, Lat 40° to 45° N., long. 114° to 120° E.	*Red* light. *Red* ,,
33	North of Yangtse kiang valley.	*Green* light. *Green* ,, *White* ,,	55	Western Manchuria ...	*Red* light. *Green* ,,
34	Shanghai and vicinity	*Green* light. *White* ,, *Red* ,,	56	Northern Korea and Eastern Manchuria.	*Red* light. *White* ,,
35	Southward of the Korea	*Green* light. *White* ,, *Green* ,,	61	Vladivostok and vicinity	*Green* light. *Red* ,,
36	Gulf of Pe Chili, &c., lat. 35° to 40° N., long. 114° to 120° E.	*Green* light *White* ,, *White* ,,	62	Central and northern part of Sea of Japan.	*Green* light. *Green* ,,
41	Kiu siu	*White* light. *Red* ,, *Red* ,,	63	Tsugaru strait, and western part of Yezo.	*Green* light. *White* ,,
42	Shikoku, Inland sea, Kii peninsula.	*White* light. *Red* ,, *Green* ,,	64	Eastern Yezo, and southward of Kuril islands.	*White* light. *Red* ,,
			65	Gulf of Tartary ...	*White* light. *Green* ,,
			66	Southern part of Sakhalin and vicinity.	*White* light. *White* ,,

TABLE II.

(Representing probable direction and velocity of progress of centre.)

Signal (Symbol).	Direction of movement.	Rate of Progression.	Barometer Pressure.
No.			
1	N. E.	Stationary or very slow	Below 28·74 inches.
2	E.	About 5 miles per hour	28·74 to 28·94 inches.
3	S. E.	„ 10 „ „	28·98 to 29·13 „
4	W.	„ 15 „ „	29·17 to 29·33 „
5	N. W.	„ 25 „ „	29·37 to 29·53 „
6	N.	Re-curving	Above 29·57 inches.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 16; and Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Berlin Annalen, Heft VII, 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Pekalongan river entrance—Lights established.

No. 363 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1213 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—Lights of the undermentioned character have been established at the entrance to Pekalongan river, north coast of Java.

Position.—Pekalongan river entrance, lat. 6° 51½′ S., long. 109° 41½′ E.

(*a*) *Position.*—On head of East mole.

Character.—*Red fixed*, visible all round.

(*b*) *Position.*—On head of West mole.

Character.—*Green fixed.*

Visibility.—From the bearing S. 22° E., through south, to West.

Variation.—1° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 99.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, 1904, page 105.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1327 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.—SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Pulo Nias—Reef eastward of.

Tanjong Tuan—Reefs in approach.

No. 364 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1214 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A recent survey has revealed the existence of a reef eastward of Pulo Nias, and of several reefs in the approach to Tanjong Tuan.

1. Reef eastward of Pulo Nias.

Position.—Lat. 0° 50¼′ N., long. 98° 15¼′ E.

Description.—Three cables in extent in a north and south direction and one cable wide.

Depth.—5½ fathoms.

2. Reefs in approach to Tanjong Tuan.

(*a*) Labuang Lulu reef.

Position.—Situated about one mile eastward of position shown on chart.
Lat. 0° 10¼′ N., long. 99° 9¾′ E.

Description.—Very small in extent.

Depth.—3 fathoms.

(*b*) *Position.*—Lat. 0° 15¾′ N., long. 99° 3½′ E.
Depth.—4½ fathoms.
Remarks.—This reef is the southernmost of the Bayam reefs.
Two reefs, with depths of 7 and 6½ fathoms over them respectively, lie about one mile S. 70° E., and 2$_{10}^{1}$ miles N. 76° W. respectively from the above position.

(*c*) *Position.*—Lat. 0° 17′ N., long. 99° 0½′ E.
Depth.—3 fathoms.
Variation.—Nil.
Charts affected.—No. 2760, Sumatra, west coast.
,, 748*b*, Indian ocean, northern portion.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, pages 317, 370, 323, 322.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1326 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Strait of Malacca—Klang strait.

Glamorgan shoal, depth—Caution with regard to chart.

No. 365 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1217 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A survey, now in progress, has ascertained the depth on Glamorgan shoal to be as undermentioned; also, that the present chart is incorrect in many particulars.

1. Glamorgan shoal.

Position.—Situated at a distance of 2$_{10}^{6}$ miles, N. 7° W., from Pulo Angsa lighthouse.
Lat. 3° 13¾′ N., long. 101° 12¾′ E.
Depth.—14 feet.

2. Caution with regard to chart.

Caution.—Until a complete survey has been made of Klang strait and approaches, Admiralty chart No. 3453 should be used with caution. A note to the above effect should be placed on this chart.

Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3453, Klang strait and approaches.
,, 794, Pulo Berhala to cape Rachado.
,, 1355, Malacca strait.
Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, page 191.
Notice to Mariners No. 232 of 1907. (*This office No. 131 of 23rd March 1907.*)
Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Waterwitch*, Hydrographic Note, No. 3 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Nam Kwan harbour approach.

Incog islands—Light established.

No. 366 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1222 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established on the western island of the Incog group, Nam Kwan harbour approach.
Position.—On western extremity of western island.
Lat. 26° 59¼′ N, long. 120° 27¾′ E.
Character.—*White group flashing*, showing *two* flashes *every twenty seconds.*
Elevation.—149 feet.
Visibility.—18 miles. Obscured on various bearings by the adjacent islands, especially by the eastern islands of the Incog group between the bearings of S. 71° W., through west, and N. 46° W.
Structure.—Steel tower, painted white, 61 feet in height.
Order.— 4th (dioptric).
Variation.—2° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1754, Tung Yung to Wen Chau bay.
,, 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
,, 1262, Hong Kong to Gulf of Liau Tung.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 167.
China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 294.
Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 315, dated 19th June 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Cobrador island light—Details of Batag island light—Character altered.

No 367 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1224 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The details of the *white occulting* light recently established on Cobrador island are as undermentioned, and the white occulting light on Batag island, Samar island, has been replaced by a light of the undermentioned character.

1. Cobrador island light.

Position.—On western extremity of island.

Lat. 12° 40′ N., long. 122° 15′ E.

Character.—*White occulting every sixteen seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
12 secs.	4 secs.

Elevation.—172 feet

Visibility.—15 miles, from the bearing N. 4° W., through north, east, and south to S. 45° W.

Structure.—Concrete house, 16 feet in height.

Order.—6th.

2. Batag island light.

Position.—Lat. 12° 40′ N., long. 125° 4′ E, on chart No 2395.

Character.—Altered from white occulting to *white group flashing* showing *three* flashes *every ten seconds*, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse,	flash,	eclipse,	flash,	eclipse,
2 secs.		2 secs.		6 secs.	

Elevation.—318 feet.

Visibility.—25 miles.

Structure.—Cylindrical concrete tower, 101 feet in height, the dome of the lantern is painted white and its lower part red. Concrete dwellings are situated close southward of the lighthouse.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2395, Plan of Port Palapag, &c.
„ 2577, Philippine islands.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 133, and No. 642.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, pages 247 and 355

Authority.—United States Hydrographic Office Notices, Nos. 1232 and 1230 of 1908.

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Beira harbour—Buoys withdrawn.

No. 368 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1229 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The following black buoys marking the old entrance to Rambler channel have been withdrawn.

Position.—Chiveve Pt. Port Office F. S., lat. 19° 49½′ S., long. 34° 49¾′ E.

(*a*) Black spherical buoy C., situated 8½ miles, S. 21° E., from Chiveve Pt. Port Office F. S.

(*b*) Black spar buoy B, situated just over $1\frac{3}{10}$ miles, N. 83° E. from buoy C.

Variation—15° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1003, Beira harbour.

Publications.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 225.

Notice to Mariners No 456 of 1908. (*This office No. 162 of 16th April 1908.*)

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1702 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA—SURABAYA STRAIT.

Ujung Panka—Buoy replaced by light-buoy.

No. 369 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1232 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The red conical buoy with staff and ball, marking the northern edge of the bank off Ujung Panka, north coast of Java, at the northern entrance to Surabaya strait, has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted white, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
10 secs.	10 secs.

Position.—Lat. 6° 51′ 20″ S., long. 112° 33′ 50″ E.
Charts affected.—No. 934, Surabaya, Bali, and Sapudi straits, etc.
„ 941*b*, Eastern Archipelago, western portion.
„ 1654, Island of Java.
Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 119; and Supplement, 1906.
Notice to Mariners No. 276 of 1908. (*This office No. 115 of 24th March 1908.*)
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1383 of 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—ORISSA COAST.

Puri port—Boundary pillars newly painted.

No. 370 (first publication).

Particulars.—Puri port boundary pillars painted black and white horizontally.
Position.—Lat. 19° 48′ N., long. 85° 49′ E.
Chart affected.—No. 1425, Gopalpur to False Point.
Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, pages 192, 193.
Authority.—Port Officer of Cuttack and Balasore Ports, Chandbali.

The 26th August 1908.

PERSIAN GULF.

Shat-al-Arab river, western entrance—Alteration in buoyage.

No. 350 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 82 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—With reference to Admiralty Notice to Mariners, No. 1163 of 1908 two new buoys have been laid down to mark the deepest channel now existing, and the positions of the undermentioned buoys in the Western entrance to the Shat-al-Arab River have been altered as follows:—

Name of buoy.	Distance moved.	Depth now moored in and position from Fao Lights.
A new black conical buoy.		1 fm. distant 12·8 miles S. 55° E.
A new red cask buoy ...	.....	1 fm. distant 12·9 miles S. 57° E.
'Outer bar' ...	S. 75° E., 2 cables ...	2¾ fms. distant 15·5 miles S. 52° E.
'Lawrence'	S. 20° E., 1·2 cables ...	1¾ fms. distant 12·6 miles S. 50° E.
'No. 2'	S. 79° W. 3 cables, (in line with inner bar buoy and No. 1 buoy).	1½ fms. distant 7·5 miles S. 64° E.

Position.—Fao Lights, lat. 29° 58′ 35″ N., long. 48° 29′ 25″ E.
Variation.—0° 10′ E.
Charts affected.—No. 1235, Shat-al-Arab and Bahmishir River.
„ 2837, Persian gulf, western sheet.
Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 208.
Authority.—H. M. S. "*Sphinx*" Hydrographical Note, No. 1.

CHINA SEA—Cochin China—Saigon river approach.

Cape Ti Wan—Shoals south-eastward of—.

No. 351 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1173 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned shoals exist to the south-eastward of Cape Ti wan, in the eastern approach to Saigon river.

Position.—Cape Ti wan, lat. 10° 22½′ N., long. 107° 15′ E.

Depths.	Bearing and distance from south extreme of Cape Ti wan.
4½ fathoms, sand ...	... S. 77° E., $2\frac{5}{10}$ miles.
3½ „ rock ...	... S. 40° E., $3\frac{3}{10}$ „
3 „ „ ...	... S. 30° E., 2 „

Variation.—2° E.
Charts affected.—No. 1269, Approaches to Saigon river.
„ 1261, Saigon river to Kam ranh bay.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 416.
Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 1205 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—Sandwich islands, Hawaii and Maui islands.

Kailua bay and Nakalele head—Establishment of lights postponed.

No. 352 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1179 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The establishment of lights at the undermentioned places in Hawaii and Maui islands is postponed until further Notice.

(*a*) Hawaii island.

Position.—On Kukailimoku point, half a mile westward of Kaliliki point, Kailua bay.

Lat. 19° 38½′ N., long. 156° 0′ W., on plan No. 1377.

(*b*) Maui island.

Position.—On Nakalele head.

Lat. 21° 2′ N., long. 156° 37′ W.

Charts affected.—No. 1377, Plan of Kailua bay.
„ 1510, Sandwich islands.
„ 3102, Hawaii to lat. 6° 15′ N.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, page 117.

Pacific islands, vol. III, 1900, pages 205, 212.

Notices to Mariners Nos. 866, 868 of 1908. (*This office Nos. 281 and 283 of 3rd July 1908.*)

Authority.—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 2233, 2234 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Tasmania, west coast.

Macquarie harbour entrance—Lights and beacons established; Rock northward of Bonnet island.

No. 353 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1183 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned lights and beacons have been established in the entrance to Macquarie harbour, and a rock exists northward of Bonnet island.

Position.—Entrance island light, lat. 42° 12′ S., long. 145° 13½′ E.

1. **Lights established.**

(*a*) *Position.*—On west breakwater extension, about 25 yards within its outer end, at a distance of 1,500 yards N. 39° W. from Entrance island light.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Remarks.—The western breakwater has been extended 1,000 feet in a N. 32° W. direction.

(*b*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 1,100 yards N. 21° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*White fixed.*

(*c*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 1,235 yards N. 47° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*Red fixed.*

(*d*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 1,770 yards N. 78° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*White fixed.*

(*e*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 2,280 yards N. 83° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Remarks.—The beacon situated at a distance of 1,280 yards N. 80 E. from Round hill ▲ no longer exists.

2. Leading beacons.

Position.—On west entrance point of harbour:—

(*a*) Front beacon, situated at a distance of 520 yards S. 7° W. from Entrance island light.

(*b*) Centre beacon, situated at a distance of 440 yards S. 29° W. from Entrance island light.

(*c*) Rear beacon, situated at a distance of 430 yards S. 54° W. from Entrance island light.

Remarks.—These beacons in line, bearing N. 47° W., lead through the fairway above Bonnet island, in a least depth of 12 feet.

3. Telegraph cable beacons.

Position.—A submarine telegraph cable is laid across the channel about one cable above Bonnet island light, the ends of which are marked by a pair of beacons on either shore.

4. Rock northward of Bonnet island.

Position.—Situated at a distance of 250 yards N. 5° E. from Bonnet island light.

Depth.—3 feet.

Remarks.—This rock has been named Bowra rock.

Remarks.—A new edition of chart No. 3531 will shortly be issued.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3531, Entrance to Macquarie harbour.

„ 1629, Macquarie harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 323.

Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 636, 637, 639.

Authority.—Marine Board, Strahan, May 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Newchwang approach.

Liau river entrance—Bar signals established.

No. 355 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1187 of 1908), are republished:—

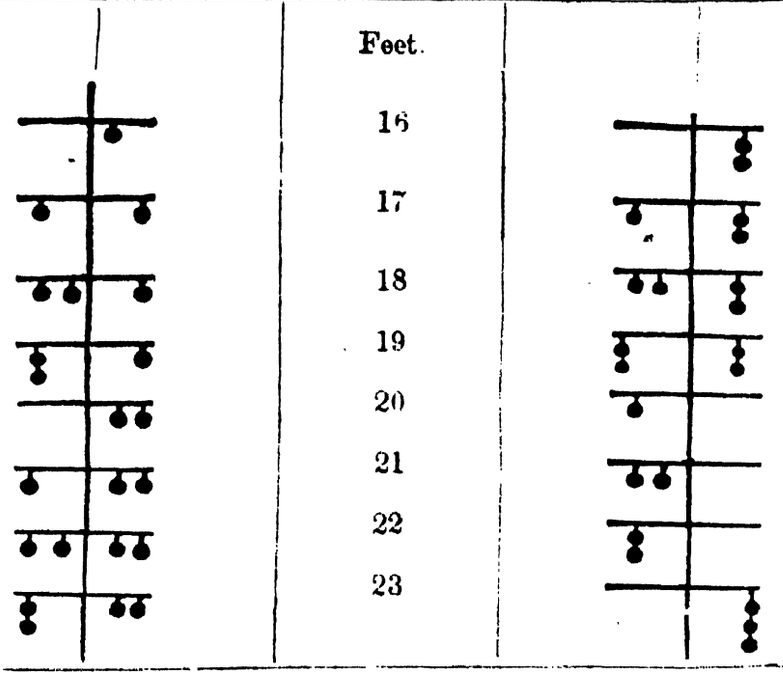
Subject.—The undermentioned signals to indicate the depths on the bar of Liau river, Newchwang approach, are shown from a mast 125 feet in height, the yard of which is 95 feet above high water.

Position.—On eastern bank of river, near Nodding Tommy beacon.

Lat. 40° 40′ N., long. 122° 10¼′ E.

Signals:—

Depth on Bar.	West Yardarm.	East Yardarm.	Depth on Bar.	West Yardarm.	East Yardarm.
Feet.			Feet.		
8			16		
9			17		
10			18		
11			19		
12			20		
13			21		
14			22		
15			23		



Remarks.—A ball is hoisted at the masthead when the tide is rising.

Until further Notice, these signals will be shown in the daytime only.

Charts affected.—No. 2894, Liau river.

„ 1256, Gulfs of Pe Chili and Liau Tung.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 645.

Authority.—Newchwang Notice, No. 185, dated 15th June 1908.

CHINA SEA—Banka island, north-east coast.

Horse rocks—Reef northward of—.

No. 356 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1193 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A reef is reported by the Netherlands Government Steamer *Pharus*, to exist northward of Horse rocks, north-east coast of Banka island.

Position.—Lat. 2° 15¾′ S., long. 106° 31′ E.

Depth.— 6 feet.

Remarks.—This reef has been placed on the charts and marked "Pharus (1908)."

Charts affected.—No. 2137, Gaspar strait.

„ 2149, Banka and Gaspar straits.

„ 941*a*, Eastern archipelago, west.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 529.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1317 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, NORTH-EAST COAST—ARU BAY.

Sembilang channel—Depth.

No. 357 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1194 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The bar and other shoal places in the Sembilang channel have recently been dredged, and the least depth is now as undermentioned.

Position.—Pilot-vessel *Aroe Baai*, lat. 4° 11¼′ N., long. 98° 21¾′ E.

Depth.—From the Pilot-vessel to Pangkalan Susu, there is now a least depth of 16 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 3586, Aru bay.

,, 1353, Diamond point to Pulo Berhala.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 94.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1306 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—BANKA ISLAND, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Marawang road and approaches—Buoys established.

No. 358 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1198 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys have been established in Marawang (Pankal Pinang) road and its approaches.

Positions—

(*a*) *Position.*—On south side of Karang Pedis Selatan.

Lat. 1° 54′ S., long. 106° 15′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Black can buoy, with truncated cone topmark.

(*b*) *Position.*—On south-west side of Sullivan rocks.

Lat. 2° 1¼′ S., long. 106° 16¼′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Black can buoy, with truncated cone topmark.

(*c*) *Position.*—In Marawang road, to mark sunken wreck.

Lat. 2° 4¾′ S., long. 106° 15′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Small green buoy.

(*d*) *Position.*—North side of reef in approach to Koba.

Lat. 2° 26¾′ S., long. 106° 25½′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Black can buoy.

Charts affected.—No. 2597, Banka strait.

,, 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, pages 529, 532, 533.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1316 of 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA)—SIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Moji Ko—Buoys replaced by light-buoys.

No. 359 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1200 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned light-buoys have been established in Moji Ko, Simonoseki strait, to mark the limits of the First district in the harbour.

Position.—Harbour Office signal mast, lat. 33° 56½′ N., long. 130° 57½′ E.

(*a*) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of 7 cables, S. 70° W., from Signal mast at Harbour Office.

Description.—Iron truncated conical buoy, painted red, surmounted by a lattice-work structure carrying the lantern, exhibiting, at an elevation of 11 feet above the sea, a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
4 secs.	2 secs.

Remarks.—The red conical buoy formerly moored in this position has been withdrawn.

(*b*) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of $2\frac{3}{10}$ cables, N. 26° W., from the same Signal mast.

Description.—Iron truncated conical buoy, painted white, surmounted by a lattice-work structure carrying the lantern, exhibiting a *white fixed* light, at an elevation of 11 feet above the sea.

Remarks.—The white conical buoy formerly moored in this position has been withdrawn.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3114, Moji and Simonoseki Ko.

„ 1578, Approach to Simonoseki strait.

„ 532, Simonoseki strait.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 502; and Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 294 of 1908. (*This office No. 120 of 28th March 1908.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1195 of 1908.

CAUTION WHEN APPROACHING GERMAN COASTAL WATERS.

No. 360 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1202 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The German Government has given Notice that under certain circumstances, such as manœuvres, ordinary exercises, or for other causes, it may be necessary to prohibit free entrance into German harbours and river mouths by night.

Signals.—To indicate that entrance to a harbour is closed, or that obstructions exist therein, three red balls by day and three red lights by night, placed vertically one above the other, will be shown in a conspicuous position near the approach to the harbour.

Caution.—Vessels must then approach the harbour with the greatest caution. At night it is advisable, when possible, to anchor until daybreak outside the prohibited area.

The same course should be pursued if search lights are at work, or signals given, the meaning of which is not recognisable from the Sailing Directions or Light Lists.

Examination—

Service.—All merchant vessels desirous then to enter or leave these privileged harbours, must not enter or leave without a pilot, and must submit to examination if required.

The establishment of an Examination service will not be notified publicly, but, so far as possible, the requisite reports and directions will be given to approaching vessels by Patrol ships, which will also carry the abovementioned signals, viz., three red balls by day and three red lights by night, and also, under certain circumstances, the pilot flag.

The Examination commission (and pilots) are on board the Patrol ships; it is in the real interest of Masters of vessels to comply with all directions received from them.

Under all circumstances vessels are prohibited from passing the line of Patrol ships without communicating with them.

On a gun being fired or signal made from a Patrol ship, all merchant vessels must stop immediately.

Publications.—Baltic Pilot, part I, 1904, page 47.
Baltic Pilot, part II, 1904, page 4.
North Sea Pilot, part IV, 1901, page 3.
Africa Pilot, parts I, II, and III.
China Sea Directory, vol. III.
Pacific Islands, parts I and II.
Notice to Mariners No. 348 of 1907. (*This office No. 168 of 12th April 1907*).

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1584 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—FORMOSA (TAIWAN), EAST COAST.

So o wan (Suao bay)—Leading beacons established.

No. 361 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1206 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—Two pairs of leading beacons, as undermentioned, have been established in So o wan.

Position.—Chissennia ▲, lat. 24° 36¼′ N., long. 121° 51′ E.

1. Leading beacons on northern shore of bay.

(*a*) Front beacon.

Position.—Sauopia ▲ bearing N. 23° E., distant $\frac{9}{10}$ of a cable, and Chissennia ▲ S. 82° W.

(*b*) Rear beacon.

Position.—Situated at a distance of nearly $\frac{4}{10}$ of a cable, N. 3° W., from front beacon.

2. Leading beacons on western shore of bay.

(*a*) Front beacon.

Position.—Chissennia ▲ bearing N. 18° W., distant $4\frac{3}{10}$ cables, and Sauopia ▲ N. 35° E.

(*b*) Rear beacon.

Position.—Situated at a distance of nearly $1\frac{1}{10}$ cables, S. 86° W., from the front beacon.
Description.—Pole beacons, each surmounted by a diamond shape, painted white.
Remarks.—These beacons in line bearing respectively N. 3° W., and S. 86° W., indicate the anchorage.
Variation.—1° W.
Chart affected.—No. 3658, Plan of So o wan.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 235.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1189 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Mindoro island—Shoal southward of—.

Panay island—Shoals north-eastward of—.

No. 344 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1136 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal has been found to exist to the southward of Mindoro island, and several shoals exist off the north-eastern point of Panay island, as undermentioned.

1. Southward of Mindoro island.

Position.—North extreme of Semirara island bearing N. 59° E., distant 12¾ miles, and the S.E. entrance of Ilin island N. 13° W.

Lat. 12° 0¼′ N., long. 121° 9′ E.

Depth.—3½ fathoms.
Remarks.—This shoal, which was reported by the lighthouse tender *Corregidor*, has been placed on the chart in the above position and marked "Corregidor 1908."

2. North-eastward of Panay island.

Position.—Gigantes island lighthouse, lat. 11° 39¼′ N., long. 123° 22′ E.

Depth.	Bearing and distance from Gigantes Lighthouse.
4¼ fathoms	N. 27° W. $4\frac{8}{10}$ miles.
4 „	N. 43° E. $11\frac{1}{2}$ „
4 „	N. 62° E. $13\frac{8}{10}$ „
3½ „	N. 65° E. $10\frac{4}{10}$ „
3½ „	N. 68° E. $5\frac{7}{10}$ „

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 971, Semirara, Ilin, and Ambolon islands.
„ 2577, Philippine islands.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, pages 234, 263.

Authority.—Manila Notices, Nos. 39 and 42 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST—Victoria.

Port Phillip entrance—Occasional use of search light.

No. 345 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1139 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—In connection with defence operations at Port Phillip heads, and in the South channel, an electric search light is occasionally used.

Caution.—Should the light be so powerful as to dazzle any person in charge of a vessel, and thus to render navigation of the entrance or South channel hazardous, he should exhibit a *blue* light, when the use of the search light will be discontinued until the vessel is beyond its influence.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 424, 439.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice, No. 16 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST—Victoria.

Geelong outer harbour—Beacons erected.

No. 346 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1152 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned beacons have been erected on the shores of Geelong outer harbour.

Position.—Point Wilson, lat. 38° 5½′ S., long. 144° 30½′ E.

1. On southern shore of harbour, with Point Wilson bearing N. 1° W., distant $4\frac{3}{10}$ miles, and Point Henry pier head N. 62° W.

2. Leading beacons.

   (*a*) Front beacon, on southern shore of harbour, with the abovementioned beacon (1) bearing S. 80° W., distant 10 cables, and Point Wilson N. 14° W.

   (*b*) Rear beacon, on southern shore of harbour, at a distance of 2½ cables, S. 53° E., from the front beacon.

   These beacons in line, bearing S. 53° E., lead through the fairway between the buoys southward of Wilson spit in about 25 feet at low water.

3. On Point Henry, with No. 4 beacon, Hopetoun channel, bearing N. 20° E., distant $3\frac{9}{10}$ cables, and No. 6 beacon N. 72° W.

Remarks.—The beacons are painted white.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.
„ 1171*b*, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 465 and 484.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Psyche*, Hydrographic Note, No. 1 of 1908.

COAST OF CHINA.

Typhoon Warning Code—Additional signals.

No. 347 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1156 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned signals have been added to the Typhoon Warning Code in use at Zi-ka-wei Observatory and the storm signal stations on the coast of China.

Signals:—

PART I.

THREE SYMBOLS.

(Representing approximate position of centre.)

SERIES I.

No.	Meaning.
111.	Yap.—Pelew Group. Centre between S. and W. (any distance).
112.	Guam (from Guam to Yap): „ S. „ W. within 240 miles.
113.	Bonin Group „ „ S. „ E. (any distance).
121.	Yap: Centre between S. and E. beyond 240 miles.
131.	„ „ „ S. „ E. within „ „
132.	„ „ N. „ E. within „ „
141.	„ N. „ W. beyond „ „
142.	„ N. „ W. within „ „
143.	Guam „ „ S. „ E. beyond „ „
151.	„ „ „ S. „ E. within „ „
152.	„ „ „ N. „ E. (any distance).
153.	„ „ „ N. „ W. within 240 miles.
154.	„ „ „ N. „ W. beyond „ „
161.	Pacific about lat. 15° to 20° N., long. 135° to 140° E.
162.	„ „ „ 15° „ 20° N., „ 130° „ 135° E.
163.	Bonin. Centre between N. and E. (any distance).
164.	„ „ „ N. „ W. „
165.	„ „ „ S. „ W. beyond 240 miles.
166.	„ „ „ S. „ W. within 240 „

Publications affected.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 26 to 29; and Supplement, 1907.

Notices to Mariners Nos. 1060 of 1905 and 399 of 1908. (*This office Nos. 444 of 15th November 1905 and 149 of 16th April 1908.*)

Authority.—Publication issued by the Zi-ka-wei Observatory.

CHINA SEA—PALAWAN ISLAND, EAST COAST.

Deep bay—Shoal eastward of—.

No. 348 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1162 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal is reported by the Master of the S.S. *Garcia Pitoyo* to exist to the eastward of Deep bay, Palawan island.

Position.—From the south-west extremity of shoal, Reef island bears N. 66° W., distant 8¾ miles, and Bold (Acantilada) point, N. 38° E.

Lat. 9° 51′ N., long. 119° 01½′ E.

Depth, &c.—From the position given above, the S.S. *Garcia Pitogo* steered over the shoal in a N.E. by E. direction for a distance of 1¼ miles, obtaining soundings of from 5½ to 11½ fathoms.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.

„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern position.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 284.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 40 of 1908.

CHINA, SOUTH COAST—CANTON RIVER.

Taimei point—Amendment to depths shown on charts.

No. 349 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1171 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned depths shown on the chart to the south-eastward of Taimei point, Canton river, require amendment.

Position.—Taimei point ▲, lat. 23° 3¼′ N., long. 113° 17½′ E.

Amendment.—The three soundings of 4 feet, situated at distances of $1\frac{3}{10}$ cables, S. 65° E., $1\frac{3}{10}$ cables, S. 48° E., and 1½ cables, S. 29° E., respectively from Taimei point ▲, should be expunged, and replaced by depths of 9 feet.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 3647, Whampoa to Canton.

„ 1739, Canton river, sheet V.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 100.

Authority.—Coast Inspector, 12th June 1908.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 5th September 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 5th September 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 7th September 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
	No.	Mds.	Rs.	No.	Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	440	40,971	608	303	25,899	316
Jute	85	27,171*	419	169	32,900†	606
Firewood	25	19,725	311	42	30,395	452
Other articles	778	2,06,705	1,971	605	1,87,362	1,810
Total ...	1,328	2,94,573	3,309	1,119	2,76,556	3,184

* Weight by canal measurement, 32,200 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 42,102½ ,,

CALCUTTA,
The 8th September 1908.

A. N. DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 7th September 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	BURDWAN ...	Inches. 0·72	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Kalna 1·39, at Katwa 0·31 and at Raniganj 1·53 inches. Harvesting of jute and of *aus* paddy continuing. Condition of sugarcane fair and of winter rice good. 431 persons given gratuitous relief in the Katwa subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Prospects of jute fair.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·80	7¼	7¼	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Rampur Hât 0·73 inches. Weeding going on. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	2·00	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Vishnupur 2·17 inches. Prospects of winter rice good. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 230, women 681 and children 213—total 1,124. People attending 5 test works—468 men, 389 women and 26 children—total 883—on the 4th September. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 6 to 7 seers per rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	1·39	6	6	Sky overcast. Rainfall at Contai 1·40, at Tamluk 3·97 and at Ghatal 3·92 inches. Prospects of autumn rice fair and of winter rice good. Jute and early cotton damaged by heavy rain. Sowings progressing. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Contai, 6 seers at Tamluk and 7½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	2·71	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall in the district general. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair. *Aus* and *aman* paddy doing well. Cutting of jute going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	1·81	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Uluberia 0·87 inch. Transplantation on low lands still continuing. Prospects of rice fair, those of jute not good. Harvesting of *aus* paddy commenced at Uluberia. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Prices of food-grains generally stationary. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Uluberia.
7	24-PARGANAS	1·79	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rain sufficient everywhere. Prospects of jute not favourable. Paddy damaged considerably by insects in Barasat, and Basirhat, and by excessive rain in Mograhat, Fulta, Vishnupur and Jaynagar thanas. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 6¾ seers at Basirhat, 7 seers at Diamond Harbour and at 6½ seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	1·36	6¾	6½	Rainfall at Ranaghat 1·29, at Chuadanga 0·24, at Meherpur 0·40 and at Kushtia 0·01 inches. More rain wanted for *aman* paddy and for steeping of jute. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute continuing. Prospects of standing crops fair. Prices of common rice falling. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity still prevailing in Meherpur subdivision. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending test works on 31st August—men 3,664 and women 31—total 3,695. Distribution of regular gratuitous relief stopped. Casual relief still being given.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	0·90	7	7	Weather cloudy. Rainfall at Lalbagh 0·55 and at Kandi 1·13 inches. Rainfall during the week fair, but more rain still wanted in the Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions. Condition of *aus* and *aman* paddy fair. Harvesting of *aus* paddy progressing. Condition of jute fair. No cattle-disease. Jangipur report not received.
10	JESSORE ...	0·55	8*	7⅝	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Jhenidah 0·22, at Magura 0·16, at Narail 1·47 and at Bangaon 1·51 inches. Rainfall general. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute going on. Heavy rain urgently wanted for *aman* paddy. Stocks of food-grains being supplemented by imports of Burma rice. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. High prices continuing. 3,404 persons given gratuitous relief.
11	KHULNA ...	0·82	8	8	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Rainfall at Bagerhat 1·87 and at Satkhira 0·81 inches. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. More rain wanted. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing food-crops fair, but those of jute not favourable. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	1·22	7 12†	6¾* 10†	Weather hot and cloudy. Rainfall general, but not sufficient for transplantation of paddy seedlings on unirrigated areas. Heavy showers urgently needed. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Sugarcane doing well. Prices slightly decreased. Food-stocks being supplemented by importation from outside. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	0·85	8¼* 9½†	8* 9½†	Weather seasonable in the beginning of the week and showery later on. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy continuing but more rain wanted for this operation. Sugarcane doing well. *Marua* and *makai* being harvested. Rainfall during the week almost general, but scanty everywhere. Prices almost stationary with a slight fall at the Sadar subdivision. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. No cattle-disease.
14	SHAHABAD ...	0·96	7¾ 10†	8	Rainfall at Bhabua 1·48, at Sasaram 0·09 and at Dehri 0·37 inches. Sugarcane doing well. Transplantation of paddy in progress, but more rain badly wanted. *Bhadoi* crops being harvested. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	0·87	9 10¼†	8 9†	Weather hot. Rainfall at Siwan 0·43 and at Gopalganj 1·12 inches. More rain wanted. Prices of staple food-crops slightly fallen. Scarcity apprehended in the northern half of the Sadar subdivision. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	4·11	$7\frac{1}{2}$ $10\frac{1}{4}$*	$7\frac{3}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{4}$*	Rainfall at Bettiah 2·74 inches. Prospects of early and winter rice much improved by good and general rain. Maize doing well. Transplantation of winter rice continuing. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	1·35	8 $10\frac{1}{4}$*	$7\frac{1}{2}$ 10*	Weather gloomy. Rainfall at Sitamarhi 0·35 and at Hajipur 0·21 inches. More rain reported subsequently at Sitamarhi and in varying degrees at other places in the district. Condition of standing crops much improved by rain. Prospects of jute favourable. Harvesting of *marua* commenced in Sitamarhi subdivision, and that of *makai* and *china* going on in places in Hajipur subdivision. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Heavy rain urgently required for transplantation of paddy. Common rice and *makai* selling at $7\frac{1}{2}$ and $9\frac{1}{4}$ seers per rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and at $7\frac{1}{2}$ and $10\frac{1}{4}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
18	DARBHANGA ...	2·84	7 $9\frac{3}{4}$*	$6\frac{1}{2}$ $9\frac{1}{4}$*	Weather hot and cloudy. Good rain received yesterday and this morning, which will be very beneficial if general. Transplantation of paddy retarded everywhere for want of rain. *Bhadoi* crops and seedlings suffering greatly. Rain urgently wanted, especially in Madhubani subdivision, and in Bahera and Rosera thanas. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Fodder and water available. No cattle-disease.
19	MONGHYR ...	3·13	$6\frac{3}{4}$ $9\frac{1}{2}$*	$6\frac{1}{2}$ $9\frac{1}{4}$*	Weather cloudy and rainy. Prospects of crops improved by the recent rain. In Jamui more rain urgently wanted, without which the agricultural situation will be serious. Stock of food-grains sufficient. Prices of food-grains almost stationary. Cattle-disease reported from four villages in the jurisdiction of Bakhtiarpur thana.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	1·11	$7\frac{2}{3}$ $10\frac{1}{3}$*	$7\frac{9}{16}$ $10\frac{1}{3}$*	Weather hot in the beginning of the week, but cloudy later on. Rainfall at Banka 3·57, at Madhipura 0·55, and at Supaul 0·08 inches. Paddy seedlings in the Banka and Sadar subdivisions much benefited by the recent rain. Transplantation of paddy in progress where there are *dams*, *bunds* and sufficient water. More rain wanted throughout the district. Harvesting of *marua* begun in Supaul. No cattle-disease reported. Condition of jute not favourable in Supaul, fair elsewhere. No immediate apprehension of famine, though the situation still critical.
21	PURNEA ...	0·41	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy almost at a standstill for want of sufficient rain. Reaping of *bhadoi* paddy and jute going on. Condition of jute fair. Prospects of standing crops fair. Stocks of food-grains and agricultural stock adequate. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Dhamdaha, Forbesganj and Raniganj. Common rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Kishanganj and Araria.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
22	DARJEELING ...	Inches. 9·16	7 11†	7 10†	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Siliguri 6·01 inches. Hills—Maize and potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi dhan* being harvested and growing in some places. Winter rice and *bara marua* being sown. Terai—Transplantation of winter rice still going on in some places. Harvesting of jute in progress. Some good done to the standing crops by the recent rain. Food-grains and agricultural stock sufficient.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	1·34	8* 10¼†	8* 10†	Rainfall at Deoghur 1·68, at Godda 1·15, at Jamtara 2·75, at Pakour 2·58 and at Rajmahal 0·75 inches. More rain urgently wanted in Godda and Rajmahal. Transplantation of paddy still retarded in north Godda, where crops have been damaged by drought. Prospects of maize fair and of jute indifferent. Prices of staple food-grains falling. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Small loans being given to poorer cultivators. Burma rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Deoghur and common rice selling at 7¾ seers per rupee at Dumka and Deoghur.
24	CUTTACK ...	3·13	6⅞	7⅞	Rainfall general. *Biali* paddy being harvested. *Saradh* paddy, sugarcane, turmeric and *arhar* growing. *Mandia* in ear. Condition of jute fair. Condition of cattle generally good. Fodder and water sufficient. Prospects of standing crops good except in flooded tracts. 659 men, 1,797 women and 3,859 children—total 6,315—given gratuitous relief. 108 men, 181 women and 158 children—total 447—on test-works.
25	BALASORE ...	0·90	8	8	Weather hot and cloudy. Transplanting and weeding of *sarnah* paddy continuing. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy commenced in places. Sugarcane and jute thriving. Prospects of crop fair. Miscellaneous crops getting on well. Paddy plants on low lands in Chandbali and Dhamnagar under flood water for a long time and probably destroyed entirely over about 150 square miles. Less damage done in other parts. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Scarcity existing in some parts of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal, Basta and Jellasore thanas. Common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee at Bhadrak. Prices stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. 80 men, 429 women and 388 children—total 897—at Sadar, and 367 men, 2,351 women and 3,330 children—total 6,051—at Bhadrak receiving gratuitous relief. Test-works all closed.
26	ANGUL ...	4·46	5	5	Weather showery. Rainfall at Phulbani 2·25 inches. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy commenced at certain places. Sowing of *rabi* crops in progress. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee in the Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief—63 men, 159 women and 472 children—total 694—in Angul, and 125 men, 177 women and 74 children—total 376—in the Khondmals. Persons on test-works—319 men, 104 women and 77 children—total 500—in Angul, and 330 men, 80 women and 84 children—total 494—in the Khondmals.
27	PURI ..	3·29	6⅞	6⅞	Rainfall at Khurda 3·14 inches. Transplantation and weeding of *saradh* paddy continuing. Sugarcane in Khurda being damaged by a pest locally called *manjakila*. Vegetables doing well. Paddy plants in the east of Kakatpur largely ruined for having been under flood water for a long time. *Biali* paddy and *mandia* on high grounds ripening. Other miscellaneous crops doing well. Common rice selling at 7½ seers at Khurda. Persons attending test-works—210 men, 85 women and 241 children—total 536. Recipients of gratuitous relief—359 men, 1,402 women and 1,257 children—total 3,018. 12 men attending piece-works.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	4·37	9½	9½	Transplantation and reploughing of winter rice nearly completed. Weeding of winter rice and sowing of *til*, *urid* and *kulthi* still continuing. Reaping of *guiji* continuing in Bargarh. Condition of standing crops, sugarcane and autumn rice good. Cotton and *bhadoi til* fair. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Stocks of food-grains and supply of fodder and water sufficient. Rinderpest in two villages of the Bargarh tahsils.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	2·37	8* 10†	7½* 9†	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *surguja*, *urid*, *kurthi*, etc., going on. Paddy transplantation finished. Cattle-disease in one thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice selling at 5 ¾ to 9 seers per rupee and maize selling at 9 to 12 seers per rupee in the interior. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 650, women 1,813 and children 1,193—total 3,656. Persons on District Board works—men 6, women 7, children 9—total 22.
30	RANCHI ...	2·15	7 1/16*	8*	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Harvesting of *gondli* continuing. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6¼ seers per rupee at Sadar. Persons attending test-works—men 270, women 250 and children 103—total 623. On gratuitous relief in undeclared area—men 199, women 722 and children 36—total 957. Persons on famine relief-works in declared area—men 2,362, women 3,130 and children 1,808—total 7,300. On gratuitous relief in declared area—men 1,169, women 3,312 and children 1,982—total 6,463.
31	PALAMAU ...	0·28			Weather seasonable. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. Paddy transplantation continuing. *Kurthi* and *til* being sown. Local grain stocks insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle disease.
32	MANBHUM ...	0·84	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Gobindpur 1·36 inches. State of standing crops good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	2·71	6	6	Weather generally cloudy and rainy. Weeding operations continuing. Harvesting of maize commenced. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water ample. Rice selling at 6 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and 7½ seers at Seraikella.
	COOCH BEHAR	15·38	6¾		Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *haimanti* paddy and cutting and steeping of jute going on. Prospects of jute improved. Prices of food-grains showing a tendency to rise. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Murua rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches			
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

	Inches.	
Gangpur ...	...	2·63
Rairakhol ...	...	3·30
Patna ...	...	1·81
Bamra ...	...	9·59
Sonepur ...	...	3·67
Bonai ...	...	3·39
Kalahandi ...	...	6·85
Baramba ...	...	2·67
Talcher	...	2·49
Dhenkanal ...	...	3·25
Ranpur ...	...	3·92
Boad ...	...	1·59
Nayagarh ...	...	5·24
Mayurbhanj	...	4·03
Nilgiri ...	...	4·27
Narsingpur...	...	2·67
Daspalla ...	...	5·77
Keonjhar ...	...	1·02
Athgarh ...	...	5·01
Hindol ...	...	3·29
Pal Lahera...	...	7·75
Khondpara	...	Copious rain throughout the week.
Tigaria	...	Rain for 5 days in the week.

Heavy rain in Bamra, Kalahandi and Pal Lahera Transplantation completed in Patna, Ranpur, Nilgiri, Hindol and Pal Lahera and also puddling in Nayagarh and Mayurbhanj. Weeding in progress in all States. Sowing of *til* commenced in Kalahandi and Keonjhar, while lands being prepared in Boad, Dhenkanal, Hindol and Baramba. Standing crops in good condition. Sugarcane growing well. Cotton flowering in Nayagarh. Some damage done to paddy plants in the riparian tracts in Baramba, Narsingpur, Tigaria and Athgarh. *Bhadoi* rice crops in Baramba, *gora* paddy in Keonjhar, maize in Keonjhar and Dhenkanal and *bari* rice crops in Athgarh being harvested. Fodder and water sufficient and also the agricultural stock, except in Narsingpur and Pal Lahera. Price of rice fallen from 9 to 10 seers per rupee in Patna, 8 to 8¼ in Boad, 7 to 8 in Mayurbhanj, 8½ to 9 in Nilgiri, 5¼ to 5½ in Keonjhar and stationary in other States.

* The report is for the week ending the 29th August 1908.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—The rainfall was general this week, but there is still a tract in North Bihar stretching across the north of Champaran, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga where rain is still required and transplantation of paddy is retarded throughout North Bihar and the Bhagalpur Division. The recent rains in Patna, Gaya, Shahabad and the south of Champaran have rendered transplantation possible and improved the prospects of the *bhadoi* crops. The prospects of the *aman* crop are fair throughout the province (except in the portion of North Bihar referred to above), but some tracts in Puri and specially in Balasore have suffered from floods. The harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy is going on: the prospects of the jute crop are fair in Murshidabad and Purnea, but are not good in the other main jute-growing districts. Insect-pests are still causing some damage in the 24-Parganas and Puri. Prices have risen in Shahabad, Champaran, Cuttack, Ranchi, Palamau and Cooch Behar. The stock of food-grains is reported to be insufficient in Nadia, Balasore and Palamau, and it is reported that scarcity is apprehended in a portion of the Saran district. Cattle-disease is reported from Shahabad, Monghyr, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau. The test-works in Balasore have been closed, but there are still large numbers of people receiving gratuitous relief. Test-works in Bankura, Nadia, Cuttack, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 7,212, while gratuitous relief was given to 33,366, of whom more than half are in Orissa. The famine relief works in Ranchi were attended by 7,300 persons

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 8th September 1908.

W. R. GOURLAY,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, Common — Average.			Rice, Common — Cheapest.			Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Burdwan Division.	1	Burdwan ..	...	...	...	...	..	...	7 0	7 0	...	7 8	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	..	...	...
	2	Birbhum	7 8	7 8	9 0	...	...		6 12	7 2	...	6 12	7 2	7 4	...	..		...	...	...
	3	Bankura	7 0	8 0	11 8	.	.	.	7 4	7 4	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	..	...	..	...	...
	4	Midnapore ...	10 0	10 0	10 0				6 9	6 8	...	6 14	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooghly	...	...	..	...			6 0	6 4	..	6 4	6 8	6 10	...		...	...	.	...
	6	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...		6 8	6 0	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	...		...	...	...	...
Presidency Division.	7	24-Parganas ...	7 12	7 12	9 8	..			6 12	6 12	...	7 0	7 0	7 0 to 7 8	...		..	...	...	...
	8	Calcutta	7 6	7 6	9 2	10 0	10 0	12 4	6 6	6 6	...	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	9	Nadia	8 0	7 8	12 6	11 0	10 8	16 0	6 4	6 2	...	6 8	6 4	7 6	...	..	...	...	..	...
	10	Murshidabad	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	13 0	6 8	6 4	...	7 0	7 0	7 12	...	..	..	...	...	...
	11	Jessore	6 8	6 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 2	7 4	..	9 6	7 4	8 0	...	...	...	.	..	..
	12	Khulna	...	..		...	...	.	7 0	7 0	...	8 0	8 8	8 8	...	...	..	...	..	...
Patna Division.	13	Patna ..	8 8	8 8	10 8	12 0	12 0	14 0	6 12	6 11	...	8 4	8 4	8 2	Not sold.	9 0	12 12	...	...	...
	14	Gaya .	7 12	7 8	10 6	11 0	10 0	12 8	6 8	6 8	...	7 0	7 4	8 0	9 8	10 8	12 5	...	...	...
	15	Shahabad .	7 1	8 0	12 8	12 8	10 8	24 0	7 5	7 8	...	8 0	8 0	9 4	...	...		...	..	...
	16	Saran .	8 8	8 8	11 0	12 9	11 8	24 0	7 0	7 0	...	8 0	8 4	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Champaran ...	8 0	8 8	9 8	11 8	12 0	24 0	6 8	7 0	...	7 12	8 6	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18	Muzaffarpur ...	7 12	7 8	10 6	11 0	11 8	20 0	6 0	6 0	...	7 8	8 0	8 4	0	...	...	...	...	...
	19	Darbhanga ...	7 11	7 11	9 14	12 4	11 0	24 0	6 8	6 9	...	6 8	8 4	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kalna 18½ seers (karkatch); Asansol 20 seers; Kalna 22½ seers (karkatch); Bolpur 20 seers.

B. At Rampurhat the retail price of salt is 19 seers per rupee.

C. At Nalhati the retail price of salt is 22½ seers per rupee (karkatch).

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 25 seers; Tamluk 29 seers; Ghatal 21½ seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Kamarpukur 15 seers.

F. At Lohardaga the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).

G. In the rural tracts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chotia 20 seers (karkatch); Barsaut 16 seers Baghuria 21½ seers; Mograhat 18½ seers; Barrackpore 16 seers (karkatch); Baliapur 16 seers.

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 16 seers (panga) Chuadanga 16 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers, Ranaghat 16 seers (crushed).

tion Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 31st August 1908.

RS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*)			KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dál*) OR TUR, CAJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*)			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS. SALT.			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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	...	...	...	...	.	8 0	8 0	11 4		..	...	6 0	6 0	7 8	B 10 0	18 0	16 0	1 15 0	2 0 0	2 5 6	2
	...	...	..	.	...	8 4	8 0	11 0	...		...	7 8	7 8	8 0	C 20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3
	...	...	.	...	...	7 0 to 8 0	8 0	10 0 to 11 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	7 0	D Bombay 18 8	18 8	...	Bombay 2 0 0	2 0 0	...	4
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	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 6	11 0	...	...	..	6 4	6 8	7 0	E 17 0	16 0	17 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 3 0	5
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	...	...	..		...	8 8	8 8	12 0	...	..	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	G 25 0	25 0	22 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 12 0	7
	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	12 4	8 10	9 0	...	7 0	7 0	7 8	18 0	18 0	20 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	8
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4 12 1	15 6	...	...	...	...	8 4	9 14	13 3	9 4	9 14	14 4	6 9	7 11	8 12	R 19 12	19 12	15 6	2 0 3	2 0 3	2 9 0	19

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 20 seers; Lalbagh 16 seers; and Kandi 18 seers.
J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 18 seers; Magura 16 seers; Bangaon 18 seers; and Narail 14$\frac{2}{16}$ seers (panga).
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 20 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinapore 17 seers; and Bihar 18 seers (panga).
M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 20 seers; Jehanabad 20 seers; and Nawadah 19 seers.
N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhabhua 19 seers; and Sasaram 20 seers.
O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20$\frac{1}{16}$ seers (panga); Gopalganj 21$\frac{2}{16}$ seers (panga).
P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 18$\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.
Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 18 seers; Hajipur 18 seers.
R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 20 seers; Madhubani 18$\frac{7}{8}$ seers

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Division	Number	Districts	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice Common. Average.			Rice Common. Cheapest.			Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*)			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BIHAR—*concluded.*																				
Bhagalpur Division	20	Monghyr ...	8 6	9 0	11 0	10 0	12 4	13 8	6 13	5 13	...	7 0	7 0	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Bhagalpur	8 4	8 6	10 1	10 12	11 6	13 4	6 10	7 2	...	7 10	8 3	7 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Purnea ...	8 8	9 8	10 0	...	...	...	6 11	7 0	...	7 0	7 8½	New *bhadoi* 9 8 Old 7 8	...	...	..	...	..	...
	23	Darjeeling ..	6 0	6 0	5 8	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	.	...	...	...
	24	Sonthal Parganas.	7 0	6 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	13 0	7 0	6 0	...	7 6	6 4	8 4	...	...	.	...	...	...
ORISSA.																				
Orissa Division.	25	Cuttack ..	7 14	7 14	11 13	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	7 8½	7 8½	9 3	...	..	..	...	...	...
	26	Balasore ...	7 2	7 0	11 0	...	...	...	8 0	7 8	...	8 8	8 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Angul ...	5 0	5 0	6 0	...	...	...	5 0	6 0	...	5 0	6 0	10 0		..	..	...	...	...
	28	Puri ...	7 3	7 8	10 8	..	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	7 3	7 3	9 13	...	...	..	...	...	...
	29	Sambalpur...	8 0	8 0	11 12	...	...	...	8 8	9 0	...	9 8	10 0	10 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR																				
Chota Nagpur Division.	30	Hazaribagh*	...	7 0	8 12	...	9 0	11 0	...	6 0	...	...	7 8	8 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	31	Ranchi ...	6 10 to 7 0	6 8 to 7 4	8 14 to 9 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	6 12	6 8	...	8 0	7 4	8 0	..		.	...	...	...
	32	Palamau ...	7 14	7 14	11 4	11 4	10 11	...	6 12	7 14	...	7 11	8 2	8 7	..	..	...	...	...	...
	33	Manbhum ..	7 8	7 8	10 8	10 0	9 0	11 8	6 8	6 8	...	7 8	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	34	Singhbhum	7 0	7 0	10 8	...	...	...	5 0	6 0	...	6 0	6 8	8 0	...	..	...	...	...	...

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai not received ; Jamui 20 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 16¼ seers, Madhupura 13 seers ; Supaul 20 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers ; Basantpur 16 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 14 seers ; Siliguri 16 seers
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara 18 seers ; Godda 16 seers ; Deoghur 20 seers ; Pakour 20 seers ; and Rajmahal 20 seers.

* Hazaribagh report not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 7th September 1908.

tion Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 31st August 1908—concld.

SS OF EIGHTY TOLAHS.

ARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dál*) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS. SALT.			Number.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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														U			Panga.			
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					Biri.															
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					Biri									Z			Karkatch.			
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																	Panga.			
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X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga); Jajpur 18 seers (panga).
Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 21 $\frac{5}{16}$ seers (panga).
Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 10½ seers (karkatch); Phulbani report not received.
a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 24 seers
b. The retail price of salt at Bargarh is 13 seers (Bombay).
c. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbaid 16 seers; Jhalda 16 seers.

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Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

PRICE PER MAUND OF

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common Rice.						Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	7 2 0	7 2 0	7 0 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	4 2 0
2	Burdwan ...	6 10 0	6 14 0	6 2 0	5 13 0	5 13 0	...	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 10 0	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	7 2 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	...	5 13 0	5 4 0	5 1 0	...	...	...
4	Patna ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	6 4 0	5 14 0	5 12 0	...	4 15 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	3 11 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 3	6 10 6	6 10 6	...	5 5 0	5 0 0	4 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 10 0
6	Bhagalpur ...	7 0 0	6 5 0	6 5 9	6 1 0	5 9 0	...	5 4 0	4 14 0	5 1 0	4 13 0	4 12 3	3 15 0
7	Cuttack ...	7 3 0	7 3 0	6 1 6	5 5 0	Not reported.	...	5 4 9	5 1 9	4 0 0	5 1 3	5 1 3	3 4 0
8	Sambalpur ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 3 0	...	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 12 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	3 5 0
9	Ranchi ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	6 2 6	5 12 0	6 4 0	...	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 10 0 to 5 12 0	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	4 7 0 to 4 8 0

No.	Marts.	Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	Calcutta ...	4 8 0	4 4 0	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 1 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	6 0 0
2	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	5 10 6	6 1 9	4 11 0	..	..	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 6 0
3	Midnapore ...	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	Not reported.	5 1 0	4 12 0	Black mustard. 7 0 0 Rapeseed. 6 8 0	7 0 0 6 8 0	6 8 0 5 14 0
4	Patna ...	3 15 0	3 15 0	3 0 0	4 13 0	Not sold	3 12 0	5 14 0	Not sold	5 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	4 0 0	3 11 6	2 15 3	5 11 6	5 0 0	4 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	3 15 0	3 15 0	3 0 0	5 8 3	5 8 3	4 14 0	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 1 0	Mustard. 6 3 0 Rapeseed. 6 8 0	6 3 0 6 8 0	6 4 0 6 8 0
7	Cuttack ...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 0 9	...	...	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	6 4 0
8	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	6 10 0	6 4 0	5 2 6	...	...	...	8 0 0	7 4 0	6 0 0
9	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	5 10 0 to 9 0 0	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	5 0 0 to 7 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	4 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	6 0 0 to 7 0 0

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 31st August 1908.

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

BARLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*).			JUAR OR CHOLUM (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 12 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 0 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 11 0	4 14 0	3 4 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0 to 5 0 0	5 0 0	3 6 0 to 3 12 0	3
3 4 0	3 4 0	2 12 0	Not sold	1 6 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	3 15 0	3 0 0	4
3 10 0	3 8 0	2 13 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 1 3	5
3 12 0	3 8 3	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 2 9	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 3 4	1 3 4	3 4 6	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 3 0	8
4 8 0	5 0 0	3 5 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	9

TIL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
6 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 12 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	6 8 0	5 8 0	7 12 0	1
...	...	...	6 3 0	5 12 0	5 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	4 12 0 to 5 0 0	12 0 0 to 25 0 0	12 0 0 to 25 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	...	...	...	3
7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 0 0	18 8 0	18 8 0	16 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	4
...	...	...	5 0 0	3 10 0	3 5 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	19 0 0	...	...	...	6
6 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	3 13 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	...	...	...	7
6 8 0	6 8 0	5 10 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	8
...	...	...	7 0 0	6 12 0	5 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	26 10 0	...	...	...	9

[*Continued overleaf*

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

	Marts.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.									HIDES (COW)			GRASS.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF.											
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.				Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Calcutta ...	43 0 0	46 0 0	18 0 0	8 4 0	8 0 0	8 0 0				390 0 0	390 0 0	500 0 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0
	Burdwan ...	40 0 0	42 0 0	50 0 0	...	..	...				...	...	...	...	—	—
	Midnapore ...	37 0 0 to 40 0 0	37 0 0 to 40 0 0	15 0 0 to 17 8 0	Madhukhali. 12 8 0	12 0 0	8 8 0	Pulta. 14 0 0	13 8 0	9 10 0	Uncleaned per piece. 2 4 0 to 3 0 0	2 0 0 to 2 12 0	2 8 0 to 3 8 0	...	—	—
											Cleaned per piece. 2 8 0 to 3 4 0	2 4 0 to 3 0 0	2 12 0 to 3 12 0			
4	Patna ...	36 0 0 to 38 0 0	36 0 0 to 38 0 0	11 0 0	2 0 0 to 4 0 0	2 0 0 to 4 0 0	2 6 0				30 0 0	30 0 0	..	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 4 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	35 9 0	35 9 0	12 10 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0				...	...	—	—	...	—
6	Bhagalpur ...	43 0 0	43 0 0	37 2 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0				...	...	...	...	...	—
											Per maund.					
7	Cuttack ...	47 9 0	47 9 0	41 14 6	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 0 0				30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
											Per maund.					
8	Sambalpur ...	39 0 0	39 0 0	43 8 0	16 0 0	18 0 0	20 0 0				30 0 0	30 0 0	40 0 0	..	...	...
											Per piece.		Per lb.			
9	Ranchi ...	40 0 0	40 0 0	46 0 0 to 52 0 0	10 0 0 to 16 0 0	13 0 0 to 16 0 0	10 0 0 to 18 0 0				2 0 0 to 2 8 0	2 4 0 to 2 12 0	0 8 0 to 0 12 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 4 0

CALCUTTA,

The 4th September 1908.

...rmentioned Marts of Bengal on the 31st August 1908—concld.

Straw.		Juar stalks.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.									Number.
					Iron.			Firewood.			Salt.			
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1 0 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	1 15 0	Panga. 1 15 0	1 10 0	1
0 10 0	0 12 0	—	...	...	...	...	...	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	1 12 0	Panga. 1 11 6	1 13 6	2
0 5 0	0 7 0	—	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 12 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 0 0 Bombay. 1 12 0 Crushed.	2 0 0 1 12 0	... 1 12 0	3
0 12 0	0 9 0	0 6 0	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	2 0 0	Panga. 2 0 0	2 0 0	4
...	...	—	—	—	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 3	2 0 0	Panga. 2 1 6	2 1 6	5
...	...	...	—	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	0 6 6	0 6 6	0 5 0	1 14 6	Panga. 1 14 2	1 14 6	6
0 9 0	0 8 6	—	—	—	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	1 7 0	Karkatch 1 7 0	1 7 0	7
...	...	...	—	—	...	...	...	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 4 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 4 0	8
1 8 0	1 8 0	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 8 0	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	9

W. R. GOURLAY,

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No.

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block

Whence imported	Food-grains								Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Rape and Mustard
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Nos.	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	13,389	10,346	19,855	.....	.....	1,660	.....	21,515	7,077	60,305	350	673
Birbhum	25,437	3,024	27,327	42	11	2,131	.....	29,511	46	3,290	3,085	.....
Bankura	56	.....	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	56	1,150	4,725	.....	.....
Midnapore	202,567	1,585	203,548	24	181	2,287	.....	206,040	3,697	67,032	4,834	7
Hooghly	190,083	8,583	195,447	6	539	6,836	185	202,813	112,661	9,868,632	1,938	1,985
24-Parganas	494,859	35,049	519,265	.. ..	99	1,170	4	520,529	464,723	25,813,085	530	437
Nadia	1,489	530	1,820	13,472	258	102,786	88,808	207,004	115,192	59,144	21,608	443
Murshidabad	19,321	.....	19,321	3,840	.....	30,607	3,968	56,936	47,906	12,075	2,549	784
Jessore	581	1,125	1,284	169	.....	17,192	220	18,865	62,142	4,060	1,355	1,104
Khulna	3,486	13,480	14,911	.....	.....	1,574	40	16,525	65,102	5,075	873	330
Total Bengal	951,238	77,722	999,834	17,553	879	256,283	92,325	1,366,874	879,762	35,909,373	37,182	5,713
BIHAR												
Patna	1,676	10	1,682	566	.....	131,611	53,834	190,693	.....	2,240	103,465	43,603
Gaya	30	.....	30	70	.....	14,904	...	15,103	.....	3,815	78,814	2,346
Shahabad	657	.....	657	96	.....	60,256	2,076	63,085	.....	1,365	83,064	1,125
Saran	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,088	405	8,493	.....	5,145	21,842	11,069
Champaran	7	.....	7	.....	.....	9,960	2,176	12,143	.....	3,640	143,780	38,147
Muzaffarpur	272	.....	272	2,139	.....	19,089	2,514	24,014	164	3,045	227,490	25,577
Darbhanga	33	.....	33	2,614	63	33,708	1,850	58,068	.....	3,610	221,897	19,785
Monghyr	12	... ..	12	8,906	386	213,705	13,422	236,141	184	10,150	123,311	91,336
Bhagalpur	162	.....	162	29,581	150	45,089	31,308	106,290	51,949	1,359	138,791	117,298
Purnea	5	1,017	641	5,501	.....	1,615	3,068	11,125	185,651	9,485	4,161	55,266
Santhal Parganas	314	.....	314	30,057	.....	14,709	4,274	58,994	24,553	10,590	20,240	38,894
Darjeeling	12	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	... ..	12	12,758	63,805	149	.....
Cooch Behar	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	112,416	175	1,629	9,504
Total Bihar	3,160	1,027	3,802	88,839	599	556,284	116,427	765,531	387,675	118,325	1,258,598	453,950
ORISSA												
Cuttack	4	.....	4	.....	.....	2,827	595	3,426	3,405	9,730	.....	.....
Balasore	565	.....	565	.....	.....	... ..	.....	565	49,870	16,220	229	.....
Puri	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	141	... ..	.....
Sambalpur	17	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	849	....	... ..
Mayurbhanj State	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	105	... ..	.....
Total Orissa	586	.....	586	.....	.....	2,927	595	4,008	53,292	27,035	229	.....
CHOTA NAGPUR												
Hazaribagh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	111	235	346	.....	7,175	772	.....
Manchi	... ..	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	.....	... ..	.....	...	280	.....	.....
Ranchi	... ..	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,190	408	.....
Manbhum	12	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	... ..	2,050	110	.....
Singhbhum	13	.....	13	... ..	67	384	14	478	.....	3,500	232	.....
Gangpur (Tributary State)	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	.....	.....	.....
Total Chota Nagpur	25	.....	25	.....	67	495	249	836	80	21,175	1,542	.....
Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	955,029	78,749	1,004,247	106,392	1,545	815,869	209,596	2,137,649	1,320,809	36,075,818	1,297,551	459,663
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
E. B. and Assam	233,911	17,711	244,580	27,505	1,203	51,016	15,544	341,238	2,188,007	357,885	78,800	317,657
Burma	3,148,571	2,211,731	4,530,903	.....	.....	50,913	59,375	4,641,191	.....	20,378	.....	.....
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	171	.....	171	717,011	5,689	124,961	26,706	874,518	1,264	15,050	217,561	494,875
Punjab	380	5	383	153,930	11,304	8,674	2,580	176,861	.....	18,800	.....	3,125
Sind and British Baluchistan	15	.....	15	31,844	.. ..	.....	.....	31,859	.....	70	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	3,384	419	3,646	97,298	38	9,888	303	71,173	.....	3,935	3,096	143
Bombay	34	5	37	3,554	.....	4	202	3,897	.....	.....	.....	612
Madras	38,205	.....	38,205	.....	.....	47,483	46,026	132,314	.....	7,907	.....	1,034
Rajputana and Central India	.....	... ..	.....	1,611	.....	.....	3	1,614	.....	3,465	424	3,638
Nizam's Territory	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	1,406	1,406	... ..	35	.....	.....
Pondichery	... ..	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1908	4,379,700	2,308,620	5,822,587	1,099,145	19,989	1,109,708	362,431	8,413,810	3,510,170	36,500,603	1,597,422	1,280,728
GRAND TOTAL 1907	3,427,850	1,419,300	4,314,912	1,790,078	37,105	1,544,010	283,837	7,970,002	1,933,601	40,886,533	2,972,678	1,409,048
GRAND TOTAL 1906	3,302,670	764,339	3,780,351	987,200	31,241	1,376,171	151,954	6,300,947	1,587,414	37,884,395	1,504,720	1,204,497

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag

by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the three months of April to June 1908

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO		Whence imported
					Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	
									BENGAL
.....	14	.....	14,724,363	.....	52	69	152	2	Burdwan
.....	102	144	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.8	.....	Birbhum
.....	251	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	633	Bankura
.....	1,351	51	805	.....	20	19,626	2	53	Midnapore
.....	1,223	.....	21,370	.....	340	11,540	17 30.1	1,024	Hooghly
...	4,568	.....	18,649	.....	96,914	21,021	6,099	1,757	24-Parganas
.....	2,073	.....	.....	25	[illegible]	15,006	5,047	.....	Nadia
.....	433	2,105	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Murshidabad
.....	2,576	.....	.....	.....	.....	48,649	2,889	.....	Jessore
.....	1,412	.....	.....	.....	200	1,175	124	.....	Khulna
.....	14,803	2,300	14,768,187	25	97,6 8	117,086	31,655	3,4.9	Total Bengal
									BIHAR
4	23	.....	.....	.....	210	.....	2.937	4,099	Patna
.....	276	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	3,006	Gaya
.....	145	.....	.....	.....	900	373	70	.....	Shahabad
.....	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,720	22	.....	Saran
.....	...	1,064	.....	.....	.....	475	.....	.....	Champaran
.....	1,095	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,486	3,675	31	Muzaffarpur
.....	139	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	5,588	.....	Darbhanga
.....	610	.....	.....	.....	.....	267	417	729	Monghyr
.....	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	41	619	.....	Bhagalpur
.....	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	51,5 2	309	Purnea
.....	2	9	1,606	.....	.....	.....	27	9	Santhal Parganas
27,321	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	478	58	Darjeeling
2,205	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,218	.....	Cooch Behar
29,530	2,429	1 073	1,606	3	1,110	13,362	68,422	8,261	Total Bihar
									ORISSA
.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	Cuttack
.....	189	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	237	.....	Balasore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Puri
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sambalpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mourbhanj State
.....	239	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	237	8	Total Orissa
									CHOTA NAGPUR
.....	13	.....	518,734	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Hazaribagh
320	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Ranchi
.....	2	.....	1,252	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Palamau
.....	.....	.....	19,013,789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Manbhum
.....	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Singhbhum
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Gangpur (Tributary State)
320	384	...	20,462,775	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Total Chota Nagpur
29,850	17,955	3,373	35,232,568	28	98,728	130,448	100,310	11,708	Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
									OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
121,471	54,002	879	1,214	.....	.....	124	58,136	.....	E. B. and Assam
.....	7,510	.....	1,561	.....	6,743	.....	3,156	3:3	Burma
318	20,107	.....	.....	.....	543	3,729	194	67	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
199	8,368	.....	.....	.....	.....	426	8	24	Punjab
.....	322	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9:6	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	29,306	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	965	19	Central Provinces and Berar
104	33,175	5	.....	.....	956	.....	633	113	Bombay
18	12,238	5[illegible]	...	.....	19,576	.....	373	226	Madras
.....	2,887	.....	45,291	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rajputana and Central India
1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Pondicherry
1,51,061	186,739	4,273[illegible]	35,280,434	28	126,546	134,727	162,975	18,386	1908 } GRAND TOTAL
1,89,045	355,768	4,110	33,186,549	478	116,427	108,166	205,735	12,358	1907
1,68,755	258,389	3,849	40,449,606	24	49,980	130,049	200,570	9,095	1906

No. II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the three months of April to June 1908

Routes		Food-grains						Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
		Rice	Paddy*	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Rape and Mustard
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.	Mds	Mds
By boat		737,510	40,543	3,514	804	54,825	351	646,767	34,664,881	16,883	4,970
„ river steamer ...		2,779	311	400	27	9,024	1,563	408,345	47,050	30,455	272,802
„ rail	E. I. Railway	55,864	15,374	967,276	17,675	658,266	145,607	268,954	246,015	1,478,059	931,168
	E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	178,416	18,341	35,518	1,548	275,349	166,169	2,006,484	1,985,245	65,519	60,055
	A.-B. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,055	1,715	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway	36,832	950	57,093	185	19,685	25,672	7,803	64,715	5,358	143
	D.-S. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,085	.....	.....
	B. P. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,170	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways	860	64	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	10,360	148	
„ road ...		209,419	14,525	.....	.....	670	.....	104,651	344,482	.....	665
„ sea		3,158,020	2,212,512	35,344	.....	92,383	82,769	49,131	32,285	.....	1,925
Total ...	1908 ...	4,379,700	2,308,620	1,099,145	19,939	1,101,705	362,431	3,510,170	36,509,603	1,597,422	1,280,728
	1907 ...	3,427,850	1,419,300	1,790,078	37,165	1,544,010	283,837	1,939,691	40,886,535	2,072,678	1,499,048
	1906 ...	3,302,670	764,329	987,200	31,241	1,376,171	131,954	1,587,411	37,884,395	1,564,720	1,204,497

Routes		Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
							Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactures
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Md	Mds
By boat		.....	5,753	.....	1,316	.....	1,394	64,297	18,695	54
„ river steamer ...		61,195	18,261	317	1,214	.....	.....	1,262	2,822	4,705
„ rail	E. I. Railway	555	34,164	416	25,685,973	3	1,697	13,577	14,560	5,366
	E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	81,747					..	34,080	113,839	284
	A.-B. Railway	6,736	2,059	.....	.....				.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway	295	38,283	16½	9,553,494				1,004	793
	D.-S. Railway	1,229							.....	.....
	B. P. Railway	.....							.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways	.....						16	7	2
„ road		.....	3,601		33,268	.....	96,180	21,585	8,657	2,755
„ sea		204	74,182	5	1,361	.....	27,275	.....	3,391	1,437
Total ...	1908 ...	151,061	186,739	4,273½	35,280,434	28	126,546	134,727	162,975	13,386
	1907 ...	189,045	355,768	4,110	33,186,549	478	116,427	108,166	205,735	12,358
	1906 ...	168,755	258,339	3,849	40,449,606	24	49,080	130,049	200,570	9,095

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunnycloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No. III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the three months of April to June 1908

	Cotton piece goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
From Foreign Countries—	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom	3,11,84,654	.....	24,673	.....	1,186,220	..
Other countries	5,51,419	.....	11,039	.....	2,042,241	629,012
Total	3,17,36,073	.....	35,712	.....	3,228,461	629,012
Coastwise—						
From British ports in—						
Bengal	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....
Eastern Bengal and Assam	930	720	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	.....	24,62,901	152	30,769	271,301	.....
Madras	892	1,43,529	.....	.....	709	.....
Burma	13,218	24,040	...	19	.....	542,187
Total	15,060	26,37,190	132	30,798	272,010	542,187
Total 1908	3,17,51,133	26,37,190	35,844	30,798	3,500,471	1,071,199
Total 1907	5,29,34,996	24,01,104	37,444	35,622	3,643,285	1,276,687
Total 1906	4,57,12,510	13,23,31	36,276	34,101	3,632,387	1,060,892

No. IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the three months of April to June 1908

	Food-grains								Jute, raw	Gunny bags
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total		
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
To British ports in—										
Bengal	84,146	83,673	136,143	.....	54	60	.....	136,557	.....	2,350
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	4	.....	4	20	2,332	2,147	.....	4,503	.....	33,785
Bombay . .	15,570	.....	15,570	144	.....	.....	.....	15,714	.....	5,739,650
Sind and British Baluchistan.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,899,170
Madras	.....	1	1	2,837	5,069	31,515	699	40,121	.....	3,957,782
Burma	7,237	....	7,237	10,513	48,967	110,796	10,906	188,419	125	6,470,103
To Indian ports not British—										
Kathiawar ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Pondichery ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	99	.....	99	.....	116,500
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,500
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	24,500
Total ...	106,957	83,678	159,255	13,514	56,422	144,617	11,605	385,413	138	18,750,350
To Foreign countries—										
United Kingdom	61,495	.....	61,495	.....	.....	13,502	..	74,997	1,137,705	13,268,815
Other countries	630,821	17	630,838	3,845	11,490	55,175	13,692	715,041	2,062,080	114,532,800
Total ...	692,316	17	692,333	3,845	11,490	68,677	13,692	790,038	3,199,785	127,801,615
Total ... 1908 ...	799,273	83,695	851,588	17,359	67,912	213,292	25,297	1,175,442	3,199,923	146,702,965
Total ... 1907 ...	1,314,512	.....	1,314,512	109,714	123,547	306,252	23,372	1,937,197	1,943,215	18,207,020
Total ... 1906 ..	1,979,503	908	1,980,560	51,535	197,374	323,333	25,314	2,480,516	1,108,067	1,636,332

	Oilseeds		Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
	Linseed	Rape and Mustard						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British ports in—											
Bengal ..	.....	.....	5	1	.....	2,803	... ..	856	27	122	41
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	....	... ...	.....	.....	.....	63,265	... ..	4,548	30	15	.....
Bombay ..	... ..	498	3,270	... ..	... ..	6,242,544	.....	955	.....	.....	38
Sind and British Baluchistan.	.....	... ..	57	.....	.....	4,665,449	.....	.....	.....	.....	9
Madras	.....	9,878	466	... .	.....	3,097,484	.....	705	50	... ..	330
Burma	61	... ..	2,105	220	61	3,085,937	3	2,868	4,126	25,356	714
To Indian ports not British—											
Kathiawar ...	...	.....	.....	....	.....	154,500	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....
Pondichery ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,722	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa	.....	...	... .	.....	.....	36,750	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	82	.....	.	.	.....	16
Total ..	61	10,286	5,902	221	61	16,661,386	3	9,870	4,233	25,793	1,148
To Foreign countries—											
United Kingdom	472,953	29,526	69,475	10,323	492	.....	1,956	.....	.....	.....	142
Other countries	324,068	365,806	22,633	57,395	2,654	4,719,544	1,671	2,073	.....	5,316	591
Total .	797,021	394,332	92,108	67,718	3,146	4,719,544	3,627	2,073	... ..	5,316	733
Total ... 1908 ..	797,082	404,618	98,020	67,939	3,207	21,380,930	3,630	11,943	4,233	31,109	1,881
Total ... 1907 ...	1,875,793	422,159	99,671	297,186	5,209	17,631,482	2,310	20,832	9,800	45,304	5,355
Total ... 1906 ...	1,115,587	126,190	122,873	189,837	3,761	24,222,088	2,890	11,186	4,330	16,905	1,766

No V

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the three months of April to June 1908

Whither exported	Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny bags‡
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
Bengal	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Bardwan	6,22,675	36,389	271	2,751	83,733	1,013	39,987	33,090
Birbhum	4,46,788	19,360	198	3,885	66,695	81	10,490	18,165
Bankura	1,16,026	1,898	.....	2,814	11,899	1	.....	3,675
Midnapore	6,41,858	2,08,920	2,019	4,922	128,903	1,312	31,231	12,302
Hooghly	3,46,163	1,96,005	1,411	260	76,051	3,170	26,595	58,907
24-Parganas	4,80,906	2,29,161	845	54	12,528	35,153	36,175	30,040
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	178,011	.....
Nadia	10,72,182	1,03,331	1,606	3,510	30,318	3,655	25,838	185,194
Murshidabad	4,21,096	10,615	6	1,051	60,061	154	18,382	46,960
Jessore	23,730	2,07,915	45	2,531	14,055	6,328	11,308	8,120
Khulna	61,001	2,03,890	325	161	23,083	9,561	11,523	840
Total Bengal	42,52,989	14,01,514	6,726	21,709	621,714	59,837	384,876	458,423
Bihar								
Patna	10,01,280	5,737	709	1,944	67,254	32	52,327	73,697
Gaya	5,75,812	5,225	33	5,807	51,810	26	19,777	40,857
Shahabad	25,92,158	9,955	19	1,105	62,462	18	11,622	119,190
Saran	12,18,088	2,097	13	447	40,882	41	3,858	120,525
Champaran	15,10,676	6,230	54	387	75,206	78	11,573	242,570
Muzaffarpur	19,54,296	3,110	7	622	118,571	235	21,187	215,650
Darbhanga	17,79,009	26,135	8	1,140	125,188	51	21,206	242,790
Monghyr	10,63,567	4,895	27	3,117	122,569	28	29,647	702,040
Bhagalpur	17,16,704	41,158	140	5,554	134,440	101	14,319	206,500
Purnea	12,37,655	29,645	202	2,350	171,205	144	24,508	117,675
Santhal Parganas	5,28,510	21,360	170	4,257	48,021	91	24,231	127,085
Darjeeling	3,07,041	30,585	65	85	23,240	103	7,117	16,005
Cooch Behar	2,10,771	20,815	.....	750	15,307	156	1,248	17,137
Total Bihar	1,50,17,623	2,10,105	1,527	27,917	1,009,161	1,433	247,996	2,450,750
Orissa								
Cuttack	1,73,191	4,785	.....	2,958	5,040	67	.....	1,447
Balasore	1,15,013	1,750	371	6,741	6,917	6	35	3,075
Puri	23,146	178	.....	1,200	20	21	.....	.....
Sonepur	7,960	220	.....	44	476	52	.....	3,420
Mourbhanj State	35,117	.....	.....	22	3,211	40	.....	70
Total Orissa	1,16,115	7,253	371	11,17	7,500	194	35	10,000
Chota Nagpur								
Hazaribagh	1,08,058	5,043	4	1,1	40,861	119	5,766	2,775
Ranchi	57,402	5,886	.....	12	68,356	50	.....	2,025
Palamau	1,26,...	1,3,0	1	3	1,,22	20	2,568	10,350
Manbhum	2,11,80...	1,37...	.....	5,8...	93,760	636	11,796	15,010
Singhbhum	51,...	350	.....	.....	30,242	72	1	3,050
Gangpur (Tributary State)	12,408	.....	.....	.....	254	18	.....	3,885
Total Chota Nagpur	5,46,561	14,901	5	1,...	235,165	355	20,145	40,77
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	2,07,32,691	16,33,780	8,629	61,...	1,...,172	71,...	651,110	2,965,...
Other Provinces and Places								
E. B. and Assam	97,14,234	19,02,119	22,882	21,...	1,091,161	58,217	305,501	660,6.0
Burma	2,40,536	80,2.8	1,389	18,...	20	....	1	6,470,104
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,11,71,077	9,...,...	1,...	1,...	117,...	1,191	155,26...	962,885
Panjab	24,43,863	8,758	1,500	...84	...83	881	8,289	1,097,07...
Sind and British Baluchistan	812	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	1,015,250
Kashmir Territory	331	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,003	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	3,14,753	5,396	145	... 81	3,188	380	.....	210,...
Bombay	3,...,689	7,...2	... ..	• 5...	.....	.....	19	6,394,295
Madras	3,01,080	12,...	40	...86	100	108	3,251	4,251,1...
Rajputana and Central India	4,71,...3	5,...	158	1	.....	12	.....	54,5...
Nizam's Territory	12,805	...	19	11	.....	.....	.....	6,...
Mysore	.....	223	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	110,2...
Alleppey	... ..	.....	.....	.....	...	... ..	.....	24,...
Goa	.....	... ..	... ..	... ..	.....	... ..	... ..	37,500
Pondichery	3,...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110,500
Port Blair	...	.....	1	118	.....	.....	86	.....
Grand Total 1908	4,...,...,...	37,...,...	31,398	1...,...	5,...,...	112,207	1,...,...	25,608,...
1907	1,...,...,...	2...,...	...,...	...,...	5,...,...	12...,...	1,085,...	31,...,...
1906	4,...,...,...	13,...,...	61,202	16,...	5,...,...	12...,...	1,...,...‡	22,...,...

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag
‡ Represents the trade registered at the traffic registering stations only

No. VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. V were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the three months of April to June 1908

Routes		Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny-bags†
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
By boat		2,00,900	3,70,400	2,443	.....	310,063	56,074	80,394	79,426
„ river steamer		52,96,376	3,70,195	20,591	6,873	674,006	6,004	299,730	282,870
„ rail	E. I. Railway	1,45,84,058	1,47,657	2,004	26,068	536,460	1,014	288,338	2,137,485
	E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	82,82,747	16,32,345	4,226	20,745	686,106	5,936	365,562	739,025
	A.-B. Railway	3,75,171	7,71,640	1,117	5,675	2,159	952	976	38,675
	B.-N. Railway	12,99,328	41,402	151	18,773	333,186	1,351	2,177	316,295
	B. and N.-W. Railway	1,07,32,441	83,454	496	5,117	617,155	979	115,101	1,448,720
	O. and R. Railway	25,00,631	16,360	96	19	.....	139	54,123	156,340
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways	1,05,159	.....	388	.....	3,985	653	.....	2,765
	Minor Railways	14,05,274	41,275	1,551	3,112	19,346	853	5,882	3,048,480
„ road		4,27,672	2,35,765	1,304	273	27,187	36,952	3,132	58,089
„ sea		3,71,144	65,618	1,941	23,031	12,652	.....	106	18,301,320
Total	1908	4,57,60,901	37,83,811	36,398	1,09,736	3,209,605	112,207	1,215,521	25,608,372
	1907	4,28,86,097	22,37,073	53,087	99,617	3,140,713	123,830	1,085,313	31,548,060
	1906	4,56,04,700	13,66,450	61,202	96,820	3,507,150	120,997	1,094,365	22,961,830

* The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of July 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1908-09.						1907-08.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Orissa Canals.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.
Taldanda Canal System ...	5,390	13,320	22,955	88,132	994	4,959	3,175	8,265	5,808	29,056	1,092	3,708
Kendrapara ditto ...	3,495	13,476	1,490	39,407	2,968	8,816	2,419	9,241	1,005	91,156	1,732	7,343
High Level, Range I	1,602	5,040	.....	24,894	930	2,834	1,104	3,015	120	17,568	658	2,078
High Level, Range II	429	1,013	1,290	5,742	91	257	1,113	2,498	516	17,278	241	641
High Level, Range III	6	61	2,090	3,765	5	31	132	352	3,281	5,870	41	97
Jajpur Canal ...	325	778	.....	2,058	54	143	206	492	6,954	25,168	84	218
Total Orissa Canals	11,247	33,688	27,825	163,998	5,042	17,040	8,149	23,863	17,684	186,096	3,848	14,085
Midnapore Canal ...	9,888	34,264	3,737	9,560	3,313	12,325	9,900	34,818	1,825	12,462	4,333	15,062
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	4,205	21,657	60	1,670	3,295	16,687	10,377	39,703	25	3,212	7,361	28,789
Sone Canals.												
Patna Canal System ...	1,558	2,196	11,000	286,599	1,255	2,132	1,455	6,278	11,615	485,310	1,577	7,209
Arrah ditto ...	328	601	22,944	612,348	469	1,847	187	740	534	824,407	398	2,726
Buxar ditto ...	341	612	12,975	99,509	325	678	1,475	5,356	6,370	233,025	1,272	4,837
Total Sone Canals ...	2,227	3,409	46,919	998,456	2,049	4,657	3,117	12,374	18,449	1,542,742	3,247	14,772
Grand Total ...	27,567	93,018	78,541	1,173,684	13,699	50,709	31,543	110,758	37,983	1,744,512	18,789	72,708

Calcutta,
The 5th September 1908.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of July 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1908-09.						1907-08.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tolbage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C ft.	Rs	Rs.	Tons.	Tons	C. ft.	C. ft	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	30,984	130,948	1,015	11,995	20,200	86,154	27,273	117,591	4,651	16,121	17,704	75,870
Tolly's Nala	19,695	76,938	1,852	4,786	6,555	24,153	25,911	77,772	4,648	5,873	7,778	23,077
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	9,993	13,072	1,392	2,694	3,497	4,853	30,682	35,242	98	140	11,065	13,100
Total ...	60,672	220,958	4,259	19,475	30,252	115,160	83,866	230,405	9,397	22,134	36,547	112,047
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,175	10,209	.....	6,520	984	4,111	5,779	23,343	870	10,433	2,177	8,966
Nadia Rivers ...	11,333	20,450	39,124	42,539	2,017	4,815	17,588	33,028	16,723	18,855	2,158	6,733
Grand Total ...	74,180	251,617	43,383	68,534	33,253	124,086	107,233	286,776	26,990	51,422	40,882	127,746

Calcutta,
The 5th September 1908.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORT OF THE PROVINCES OF BENGAL AND OF EASTERN BENGAL AND ASS[AM] FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1908.

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	Representative Stations.	Air Pressure.					Wind.		Temperature.						Humidity.		Cloud.	
				Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea-level and constant gravity, Lat. 45°.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean direction at 8 A.M.	Mean velocity in miles daily.	Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature.	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean cloud amount, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal mean, 8 A.M.
Bengal.	Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	29·654	29·276	29·461	29·527	−·025	S13°W	98	103·4	75·8	90·4	79·5	85·5	−0·1	86	+4	8·9	+1·4
			Raniganj	29·405	29·057	29·246	29·530	−·038	S63°E	71	109·5	75·0	95·1	78·9	87·0	−0·5	84	0	5·7	—
		Bankura	Bankura	29·385	29·069	29·248	29·509	−·043	S23°E	67	1 8·6	71·2	95·4	78·9	87·2	−0·1	79	+2	3·7	—
		Midnapore	Midnapore	29·553	29·242	29·431	29·525	−·027	S14°E	119	103·3	73·7	93·7	79·0	86·3	−0·7	83	+1	6·5	—
	Presidency.	Sandheads	S.P.V. *Fraser*	29·734	29·395	29·565	29·521	—	S37°W	336	--	--	—	—	—	—	86	—	7·3	—
		24-Parganas	Saugor Island	29·697	29·382	29·557	29·526	−·026	S15°W	511	96·5	76·0	90·3	81·6	86·0	−0·1	84	−1	7·5	−1·0
		Calcutta	Calcutta	29·709	29·377	29·567	29·583	−·019	S11°E	175	101·1	74·7	92·0	79·9	86·0	+1·2	84	−1	7·8	+0·5
		Nadia	Krishnagar	29·700	29·318	29·541	29·536	−·047	S4°E	126	103·	74·0	93·1	79·2	86·2	+0·3	88	+3	6·7	—
		Murshidabad	Berhampore	29·732	29·257	29·521	29·537	−·024	S42°E	149	106·3	72·2	93·9	78·5	86·2	+0·8	83	−6	8·0	−0·1
		Jessore	Jessore	29·725	29·305	29·567	29·546	−·022	S28°E	58	97·5	71·2	90·2	78·4	84·3	−0·9	89	+1	7·4	−0·5
	Rajshahi.	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	29·727	29·223	29·525	29·544	−·009	S34°E	148	102·1	67·1	90·8	77·6	84·2	−0·2	85	−2	7·0	—
		Malda	Malda	29·699	29·378	29·519	29·543	−·032	S80°E	149	100·3	70·0	91·2	77·9	84·6	−0·9	90	+3	4·8	—
		Dinajpur	Dinajpur	29·640	29·273	29·477	29·555	−·021	S8°E	134	96·3	72·0	90·3	76·9	83·6	+0·1	89	0	7·0	−1·0
		Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	29·521	29·187	29·367	29·597	−·011	N83°E	58	94·4	73·6	89·5	77·4	83·5	+1·0	97	−2	9·0	+3·8
		Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	29·641	29·305	29·485	29·596	—	S7°E	52	93·3	71·1	88·6	76·0	82·3	—	87	−3	8·2	—
		Rangpur	Rangpur	29·698	29·323	29·511	29·58	−·009	S.6°E	60	94·1	72·0	88·5	76·4	82·6	+0·6	86	−4	3·1	—
		Bogra	Bogra	29·716	29·296	29·539	29·563	−·022	N87°E	82	94·7	71·7	88·8	77·2	83·0	−0·5	87	−1	7·1	+0·4
		Pabna	Sirajganj	29·771	29·375	29·560	29·558	−·022	S62°E	101	94·3	69·8	88·6	76·8	82·8	−0·3	89	−2	7·7	--
Eastern Bengal, South.	Dacca.	Dacca	Narayanganj	29·741	29·396	29·604	29·578	−·010	S32°E	142	95·5	71·8	90·3	77·9	84·1	+0·5	88	−1	7·7	−0·8
		Mymensingh	Mymensingh	29·717	29·335	29·578	29·592	−·020	S66°E	96	92·1	71·6	87·8	76·5	82·2	+0·1	88	−2	9·1	+1·5
		Faridpur	Faridpur	29·722	29·345	29·574	29·570	−·028	S16°E	116	95·3	68·4	89·2	76·8	82·9	−0·3	89	0	7·2	—
		Backergunge	Barisal	29·748	29·424	29·610	29·568	−·024	S	34	96·3	69·6	89·5	78·3	83·9	+0·5	86	−1	6·8	−1·3
	Chittagong.	Tippera	Comilla	29·737	29·428	29·616	29·600	−·009	S26°E	147	95·3	71·3	89·4	77·4	83·4	+1·0	83	−2	4·0	—
		Noakhali	Noakhali	29·749	29·441	29·610	29·600	−·02·	S31°E	167	92·8	70·9	87·0	78·4	82·7	+0·8	86	−2	5·6	—
		Chittagong	Chittagong	29·708	29·420	29·578	29·6·3	−·019	S4· E	151	91·1	69·9	87·5	76·0	81·8	+0·2	85	−1	5·5	−2·3
			Cox's Bazar	29·744	29·519	29·639	29·622	—	S32 E	149	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5·9	—
Bihar.	Patna.	Patna	Bankipore	29·541	29·289	29·381	29·515	−·022	S6·°E	209	109·0	71·2	95·2	81·2	89·7	+·5	74	−3	4·2	−1·6
		Gaya	Gaya	29·360	29·102	29·171	29·493	−·031	N78°E	82	113·9	74·7	102·3	82·7	92·5	+2·6	67	−8	5·1	−0·2
		Shahabad	Dehri	29·320	29·123	29·192	29·491	−·024	S65 E	158	114·3	75·0	104·0	83·1	93·6	+3·2	59	−5	9·2	—
			Buxar	29··95	29·201	29·296	29·486	−·027	E	129	113·0	71·1	101·2	82·5	91·9	+3·2	67	−4	3·8	—
			Arrah	29·510	29·280	29·374	29·514	−·021	N87°E	79	111·9	70·2	100·0	81·4	90·7	+2·1	71	−6	4·1	—
		Saran	Chapra	29·503	29·276	29·382	29·515	−·036	N6·°E	8·6	110·7	71·6	99·5	78·7	88·8	+1·4	72	−10	4·8	—
		Champaran	Motihari	29·478	29·234	29·356	29·538	−·053	N7·°E	136	107·4	69·3	97·0	79·9	88·5	+3·0	79	−7	4·8	—
		Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	29·611	29·289	29·410	29·541	−·0·7	S77 E	166	107·7	71·0	96·9	80·0	88·4	—	74	−9	2·8	—
		Darbhanga	Darbhanga	29·626	29·360	29·493	29·541	−·013	N8·°E	151	102·1	70·3	95·6	79·5	87·6	+1·8	79	−3	5·9	+0·5
	Bhagalpur.	Monghyr	Monghyr	29·656	29·271	29·415	29·529	—	S8·°E	248	107·9	65·4	98·3	79·0	88·7	—	80	—	6·5	—
		Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	29·579	29·273	29·417	29·528	−·005	S8·°E	110	10·°2	71·3	95·7	78·9	87·3	+1·8	80	−1	5·3	—
		Darjeeling	Darjeeling	23·027	22·797	22·920	22·875	−·005	N45 E	74	70·3	53·2	67·3	56·7	62·0	+1·3	96	−1	8·7	+0·1
		Purnea	Purnea	29·627	29·308	29·477	29·555	−·013	N52 E	84	99·2	70·7	91·9	77·4	84·7	−0·1	80	+1	6·8	0
		Santhal Parganas.	Naya Dumka	29·187	29··97	29·083	29·52	−·008	N82 E	58	106·4	73·5	94·2	78·5	86·0	0	79	−5	4·5	—
Orissa.	Orissa.	Sambalpur	Sambalpur	29·178	28·955	29·101	29·517	−·028	S31°W	130	113·1	74·6	99·8	82·8	91·3	+2·3	68	−6	8·1	+1·5
		Angul	Angul	29·243	28·932	29·140	29·549	—	N60 E	192	111·1	71·0	97·4	79·0	88·2	—	76	—	6·4	—
		Cuttack	Cuttack	29·629	29·284	29·50	29·529	−·026	S2·°W	161	111·4	71·2	96·4	78·9	87·7	−0·2	81	+3	6·1	−0·5
			False Point	29·707	29·336	29··89	29·561	−·012	S48°W	500	93·1	70·1	89·2	79·3	84·3	−1·0	85	+1	8·0	0
		Balasore	Balasore	29·652	29·287	29·530	29·523	−·023	S28°W	113	104·9	71·8	93·9	80·1	86·6	+1·3	79	−6	6·5	−1·5
		Puri	Puri	29·630	29·307	29·485	29·548	−·024	S35°·	396	94·1	68·6	88·8	80·9	84·9	—	84	−3	6·5	—
		Ganjam	Gopalpur	29·636	29·395	29·536	29·548	−·020	S28°W	368	102·2	71·5	91·0	80·3	85·7	+0·8	83	−1	5·9	—
			Calingapatam	29·679	29·521	29·611	29·579	—	S3·°W	231	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4·0	—
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh	27·737	27·488	27·590	29·511	−·017	S32°W	216	108·7	71·3	96·3	77·9	86·6	+2·3	62	−10	6·7	−0·5
		Ranchi	Ranchi	27·633	27·359	27·485	29·527	−·013	S30°W	299	108·7	70·4	93·9	76·8	85·4	+2·5	67	−9	6·1	+0·2
		Palamau	Daltonganj	29·011	28·742	28·837	29·5 7	—	N45°E	130	105·1	83·3	105·1	83·3	94·2	—	51	−18	4·8	—
		Manbhum	Purulia	28·869	28·600	28·740	29·5 7	—	S34°E	106	113·0	72·1	97·8	78·8	88·1	—	84	+7	5·0	—
		Singhbhum	Chaibassa	28·940	28·675	28·838	29·515	−·020	S34°W	101	112·3	73·7	98·2	79·7	89·0	+1·5	73	−3	6·0	+0·2
Assam.	Assam.	Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh	29·400	29·184	29·301	29·611	—	(o)	2	98·9	72·6	88·1	75·8	82·0	—	92	—	8·7	—
		Sibsagar	Sibsagar	29·467	29·223	29·355	29·604	+·001	N45°E	50	98·6	72·2	88·8	76·8	82·8	−0·1	90	−2	8·0	−0·8
		Tezpur	Tezpur	29·495	29·300	29·405	29·614	—	S71°E	101	94·1	73·9	89·6	77·2	83·4	—	90	—	5·2	—
		Kamrup	Gauhati	29·615	29·331	29·460	29·610	—	N	41	95·0	73·1	90·3	77·1	83·7	—	88	—	8·2	—
		Goalpara	Dhubri	29·651	29·319	29·511	29·581	·025	S82°E	151	91·2	70·8	86·8	76·0	81·4	+0·1	95	+1	7·6	−0·2
		Cachar	Silchar	29·692	29·421	29·578	29·635	−·009	S66°E	96	95·5	71·8	90·9	76·5	83·7	+0·9	87	−2	5·0	−4·6
		Khasia and Jaintia Hills	Shillong	25·099	24·805	24·960	24·921	—	S15°W	98	77·9	58·7	74·7	63·0	68·9	—	83	—	7·6	—
			Cherrapunji	25·661	25·353	25·536	25·487	—	S25°W	96	77·9	58·3	72·3	64·6	68·5	—	95	—	8·8	—

(a) Mean of 29 days.
(b) Mean of 28 days.
(c) Mean of 27 days.
(d) Mean of 25 days.
(e) Mean of 16 days.
(o) Indeterminate.

SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL AND IN EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1908.

THE Bay current arrived this year not far from the normal date, the actual date of establishment of the rains being about two days late in Bengal and five days in Behar and Chota Nagpur. The storms that were associated with its advance in this month were of a feeble character, although very heavy rain accompanied their passage inland. The tracks were somewhat abnormal in direction, probably owing to the weakness of the Arabian sea current, which usually feeds into the Bay disturbances after their passage inland and constrains them to take a trajectory across Northern India in some westerly direction. The first storm in the Bay formed close to the Sandheads on the 16th and 17th and drifted slowly in a northerly direction during the next four days. As is usually the case with slow moving storms, it tended to concentrate rainfall over the small area directly affected by it, and the present one was remarkable for the heavy rain it caused in Calcutta, where a total of 18·10 inches was recorded between 8 hours of the 17th and the same hour of the 19th. On the 23rd the depression either changed its course abruptly to the west or disappeared, while a fresh one appeared in a more westerly position. It then passed westwards through the Central Provinces and became merged in the trough of low pressure, which usually stretches at this time of the year from the Punjab to Bengal along the Gangetic plain. Towards the close of the month there was a marked falling off in the rainfall given by the Bay monsoon, and on the 30th a fresh depression formed at the head of the Bay.

Summary of Temperature.—Mean temperature was in general excess over the whole area, the departure being greatest in Chota Nagpur and Behar, where the average mean was about 2° above the normal mean of the month. The highest temperature recorded was 114°·3 at Dehri and the lowest 65°·4 at Monghyr.

The following table gives the summary of the temperature of each of the seven meteorological divisions of the Provinces of Bengal and of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the month of June 1908:—

Meteorological Divisions.	Temperature.					
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	*Average for month.*			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month.
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.	
Bengal	109·5	71·2	93·0	79·3	86·2	0
Eastern Bengal, North	102·1	67·1	89·6	77·0	83·3	+ 0·1
Eastern Bengal, South	96·3	69·4	88·7	77·3	83·0	+ 0·4
Bihar	114·3	65·4	98·1	80·2	89·1	+ 1·9
Orissa	113·1	66·6	93·7	80·2	87·0	+ 0·6
Chota Nagpur*	112·3	70·4	98·1	79·4	88·8	+ 2·2
Assam	95·5	70·8	89·1	76·6	82·8	+ 0·4

* Purulia not included.

Summary of Rainfall.—The rainfall work of the Province has been placed in the hands of the Director of Agriculture, Bengal, and the usual data regarding the actual and normal rainfall during the month are published by that officer. A short table, however, is attached to this report, giving the rainfall recorded during the month at the head-quarters of the various districts of the Province. Rainfall was very irregularly distributed. There was an excess of 72 per cent. in Bengal. Chota Nagpur received its normal amount, but elsewhere there was a general defect, which reached 51 per cent. in Behar.

Actual and average rainfall and departure from normal for the month of June 1908.

Meteorological Division.	District.	Station.	Actual.	Normal.	Departure from normal.
Bengal ..	Burdwan	Burdwan	18·33	10·17	+ 8·16
		Raniganj	11·17	9·93	+ 1·24
	Bankura	Bankura	16·61	10·29	+ 6·32
	Midnapore	Midnapore	8·43	10·39	— 1·96
	24-Parganas	Saugor Island	13·82	10·79	+ 3·03
	Calcutta	Calcutta	26·12	11·04	+15·08
	Nadia	Krishnagar	19·36	9·90	+ 9·46
	Murshidabad	Berhampore	17·85	9·87	+ 7·98
	Jessore	Jessore	15·93	13·17	+ 2·76
Eastern Bengal, North.	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	10·58	10·81	— 0·23
	Malda	Malda	9·23	9·89	— 0·66
	Dinajpur	Dinajpur	7·53	13·28	— 5·75
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	17·69	25·89	— 8·20
	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	28·36	32·15	— 3·79
	Rangpur	Rangpur	14·72	19·95	— 5·23
	Bogra	Bogra	8·19	14·48	— 6·29
	Pabna	Sirajganj	11·69	11·57	+ 0·12
Eastern Bengal, South.	Dacca	Narayanganj	11·90	12·76	— 0·86
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	17·02	19·51	— 2·49
	Faridpur	Faridpur	17·05	13·00	+ 4·05
	Backergunge	Barisal	13·14	16·30	— 3·16
	Tippera	Comilla	20·47	17·91	+ 2·56
	Noakhali	Noakhali	14·12	23·36	— 9·24
	Chittagong	Chittagong	14·69	22 81	— 8·12
		Cox's Bazar	23·57	31·99	— 8·42
Bihar ...	Patna	Bankipore	4·28	7·78	— 3·50
	Gaya	Gaya	3·23	6·78	— 3·55
	Shahabad	Dehri	0·19	6·53	— 6·34
		Buxar	3·92	5·36	— 1·44
		Arrah	4·04	6·98	— 2·94
	Saran	Chapra	1·99	6·66	— 4·67
	Champaran	Motihari	2·76	8·90	— 6·14
	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	2·87	7·26	— 4·39
	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	3·89	7·66	— 3·77
	Monghyr	Monghyr	1·63	7·01	— 5·38
	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	2·72	8·28	— 5·56
	Darjeeling	Darjeeling	17·52	23·57	— 6·05
	Purnea	Purnea	5·16	10·41	— 5·25
	Sonthal Parganas ...	Naya Dumka	13·41	9·96	+ 3·45
Orissa ...	Sambalpur	Sambalpur	8·63	12·08	— 3·45
	Angul	Angul	9·52	9·67	— 0·15
	Cuttack	Cuttack	17·30	10·91	+ 6·39
		False Point	9 94	9·27	+ 0·67
	Balasore	Balasore	8 28	10·37	— 2·09
	Puri	Puri	11·78	7·66	+ 4·12
Chota Nagpur ...	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh	8·79	8·78	+ 0·01
	Ranchi	Ranchi	9·25	8·21	+ 1·04
	Palamau	Daltonganj	1·12	6·12	— 5·00
	Manbhum	Purulia	7·98	10·00	— 2·02
	Singhbhum	Chaibassa	10·73	8·40	+ 2·33

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 30th August to 5th September 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rains.	Weather.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1908.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches	
Aug.	30th	142·7	1·1	29·638	80 8	85·7	9 2	76·5	77·8	0·985	77·2	93	E by S and SE ...	126	1·08	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
,,	31st	152·4	4 0	·684	82 4	88 1	10 9	77·2	78·2	·924	76·8	86	SE and S by E ...	110	0·17	Partially cloudy, d.
Sept.	1st	146·5	7·5	·680	84·4	93·3	11·3	79·0	79·0	·954	77·8	87	S by E, ESE and SSE.	84	0·66	Partially cloudy, o, d.
,,	2nd	143·7	4 0	·732	83·3	88 8	10·5	78 3	78·3	·934	77·2	88	SSE and S by W	66	0·18	Partially cloudy, o, d.
,,	3rd	146 2	7·9	·772	83·4	89·7	12 0	77·7	79·1	·940	77·3	82	S by W S by E and SSW.	98	0·17	Partially cloudy, d.
,,	4th	146·9	7·4	·736	84·1	90 0	11·3	78·7	79·1	·933	77·1	81	SSW, SW and SW by S.	148	0·08	Partially cloudy.
,,	5th	154 5	3·8	·673	85 2	91·2	11·4	79·8	79·7	·963	78·1	82	SW and SSW ...	124	Nil	Partially cloudy, o, t, <, p.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·701
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·644
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	35·7
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	87 7
The mean temperature of the seven days	83·4
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83 7
The extreme variation of temperature	14·7
The maximum temperature	91·2
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	12
The mean relative humidity	86
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	85
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 30th August to 5th September 1908	1·74
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	2·25
The total fall from 1st January to 5th September 1908	71 39
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	50·65

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; p, passing temporary showers; d, drizzling rain; t, thunder; <, lighting.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 7th September 1908.*

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Offg. Director-General of Observatories.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 22nd August 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	44,000	25,500 0 0	2,32,000 0	40,500 0 0	4,500 0 0	70,500 0 0	15,346	19,939	35,285
Or per mile of railway ...	57·29	33·20	287·04	52·53	5·84	91·57	19·96	25·86	45·84
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	334,058	2,02,960 0 0	16,37,993 0	2,84,822 0 0	25,768 0 0	5,13,550 0 0	104,015	129,691	233,706
Total for 8 weeks ...	378,058	2,28,460 0 0	18,70,993 0	3,25,322 0 0	30,268 0 0	5,84,050 0 0	119,361	149,630	268,991
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	45,156	25,030 0 0	2,97,275 0	48,555 0 0	2,927 0 0	76,512 0 0	14,319	18,496	32,815
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	58·80	32·59	385·57	62·98	3·80	99·37	18·64	23·99	42·63
Total to corresponding date of previous year	369,593	2,12,521 0 0	24,55,470 0	4,51,595 0 0	29,222 0 0	6,93,338 0 0	112,111	152,063	264,174

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

Receipts for week ending 22nd August 1908.			Receipts for week ending 24th August 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 22nd August 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 24th August 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	70,500	91·57	771	76,512	99·37	771	16,84,935	...	771	17,99,864	...	.....	1,14,929

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 22nd August 1908 on 1,791 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,791 miles open	308,760	1,11,630 (a)	7,17,870	89,940 (b)	13,360 (c)	2,14,930	57,136	38,650 (d)	95,786
Or per mile of railway	172·36	62·33	400·82	50·22	7·46	120·01	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year	2,294,970	9,17,340	56,23,350	7,13,550	1,39,980	17,70,870	374,345	270,728	645,073
Total for 7½ weeks ...	2,603,670	10,28,970	63,41,220	8,03,490	1,53,340	19,85,800	431,481	309,378	740,859
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,705 miles open	309,301	1,23,056	8,10,703	90,684	16,019	2,29,759	54,194	41,583 (e)	95,777
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	181·41	72·17	475·40	53·19	9·40	134·76	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,327,199	9,10,164	82,55,606	10,13,620	1,60,695	20,84,479	423,813	345,534	769,336
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		1·95		2·33	·14	2·24			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		2·27		2·18	·17	2·40			

(a) Decrease is general, due to Jhulan *mela* held earlier this year.
(b) Foreign inward traffic and Railway material were much less, but there were compensating increases in the amounts of local and foreign outward traffic.
(c) Decrease principally under steam boat.
(d) Includes 6,164 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 10,157 miles of ballast trains.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 29th August 1908	Coaching ...	6,229	0	0			
	Goods ...	11,417	0	0	17,987	0	0
	Other earnings ...	341	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907	Coaching ...	7,134	0	0			
	Goods ...	8,685	0	0	16,197	0	0
	Other earnings ...	378	0	0			
	Increase	—			1,790	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 29th August 1908					362	11	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907					317	9	6
	Increase				35	1	7
Receipts from 1st July to 29th August 1908					1,31,014	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907					1,39,901	0	0
	Decrease				8,887	0	0

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Report of the Select Committee on the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Bill, 1908, together with the Bill as amended by the Committee, is, by order of the President published for general information.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

THE CHOTA NAGPUR TENANCY BILL, 1908.

REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE.

WE, the undersigned, Members of the Select Committee appointed to consider the Bill to amend and consolidate certain enactments relating to the Law of Landlord and Tenant and the settlement of rents in Chota Nagpur, have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin, and have now the honour to submit this our Report, with the Bill as amended by us annexed thereto.

(1) Letter from the Revd. J. Hoffman, S. J. ... (Paper No. 1)
(2) Letters dated the 4th June, 1908, to the Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division and certain Associations, inviting opinions on the Bill. (Papers No. 2)
Letter No. 412, dated the 8th August, 1908, containing opinion by the British Indian Association.
(3) Memorandum No. 1041L.R., dated the 8th August, 1908, from the Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division, enclosing an opinion by the Ranchi Landholders' Association. (Papers No. 3)

2. We have made several amendments in the Bill, all the more important of which are mentioned in the following paragraphs.

3. *Clause 1.*—We have struck out the words "and Settlement" in the short title of the Bill, for the reason that a short title should be as short as it can conveniently be made.

4. *Clause 2.*—We have inserted a provision enabling the Local Government to exempt any Municipal area from the provisions of the Act. In doing so we have followed the precedent of the Bengal Tenancy Act, as amended by Bengal Act I of 1907 and Eastern Bengal and Assam Act I of 1908.

5. *Clause 3.*—We have defined "forest-produce," in much the same manner as has been done in the Indian Forest Act, 1878.

6. *Clause 7.*—We have added a proviso to declare that khunt-katti rights shall not be recognised, except in cases where the raiyat and his predecessors in title have obtained their lands by inheritance. We have also safeguarded the rights of persons who may have acquired a title to such tenancies before the commencement of the new Act.

7. *Clause 11.*—We have struck out of sub-clause (*1*) the words "mortgage" and "or otherwise", so as to require the registration of such transfers only as effect a complete change of ownership.

8. *Clause 13.*—A provision has been inserted for the protection of the rights of village headmen in their offices and lands on the resumption of resumable tenures.

9. *Clause 16.*—We have amended the provisions of the Bill which give the status of settled raiyats to Bhuinhars and Mundari khunt-kattidars, so as to make it incumbent upon such tenants to prove twelve years' continuous occupation of lands in the village before they can claim the status of a settled raiyat.

10. *Clause 17.*—We have expressly excluded landlords' privileged lands from the operation of this clause, and have excised sub-clause (*2*), as being unnecessary.

11. *Clause 18.*—We have altered the wording of the proviso to sub-clause (*3* so as to make it clear what particular class only of tenure-holders can acquire occupancy-rights by custom.

12. *Clause 25.*—An addition has been made to clause 25 (*b*) to declare that enhancements authorised by clause 61B, clause 93 or clause 98A may be made by the Deputy Commissioner acting under clause 27.

13. *Clauses 34A to 34C* of the Bill as introduced have been omitted, and an addition has been made to the proviso to clause 34 (*2*), with the object of making clauses 33 and 34, as to reduction of rent, cover also the case of decrease of rent in respect of decrease in area.

14. *Clauses 34D and 61B.*—Ordinarily, rents enhanced, reduced or commuted are not to be subject to alteration for a period of fifteen years. We have provided, however, that this rule shall not hold in the case of a general settlement of rents under Chapter XII of the Bill, or in the special circumstances mentioned in clause 34D.

15. *Clause 37.*—We have made two additions to clause 37, *first*, to provide for enhancements of rent in the case of khunt katti holdings over twenty years old, on the basis of a written contract entered into at the commencement of the tenancy; and, *secondly*, to declare that the special rights of a khunt-katti raiyat shall extend only to his khunt-katti lands, and not to other lands cultivated by him.

16. *Clause 49.*—In sub-clause (*a*) we have declared that sub-clause (*2*) of clause 47 shall not apply to Bhuinhars, because they have, up to the present time, had a right to sell their rights in their tenures without any consent of their landlords. We have also altered the date "1st January, 1908" to "1st October, 1908", because it is undesirable to invalidate transfers which have taken place between those dates.

17. *Clause 50.*—An addition has been made to this clause, specifically authorising Bhuinhars to sell their lands, with the sanction of the Deputy Commissioner, for building purposes.

18. *Clause 51.*—We have added a sub-clause empowering the Deputy Commissioner to give possession of the land to the landlord when the tenant refuses to accept payment for it.

19. *Clause 56.*—We have struck out the words "within three months from the date on which such rent became due," so as to authorise a tenant to deposit rent in Court at any time, as under section 61 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

We have also struck out sub-clause (*2*) of clause 56, in view of the alteration which we have made in the first line of clause 58

20. *Clause 57.*—We have made an alteration to admit of rent deposited by a tenant in Court being repaid to him after a shorter period than three years when the circumstances render that course expedient.

21. *Clause 58.*—The wording of this clause has been altered to make it clear that when once a deposit of rent has been accepted by a Deputy Commissioner, any suit to recover rents due up to the time of the deposit must be brought within six months of the service of the notice on the landlord.

22. *Clause 59.*—We have altered the wording of the proviso to this clause, so as to make it clear that what is intended is that a raiyat paying his rent in full within the year in which it accrues due shall not be called upon to pay interest in excess of 6¼ *per cent.*

We have also made an addition to this clause, to the effect that interest on overdue cesses shall not be decreed at a lower rate than that specified in the Cess Act (*i.e.*, 12½ *per cent.*).

23. *Clause 61.*—The wording of this clause has been altered, and it is now laid down that the rent of a tenancy is a first charge thereon, but that a purchaser of a tenancy in execution of a decree for arrears of rent cannot be made liable for arrears that accrued due before his purchase

24. *Clause 61A.*—We have amended this clause, which relates to the commutation of rents payable in kind, in two ways, *first*, by making the clause apply to tenure-holders as well as occupancy-raiyats, and, *secondly*, by adding a proviso that, in these proceedings, Revenue-officers shall have regard to the special circumstances (if any) which gave rise to the assessment of the present rent.

25. *Clause 63.*—We have excised this clause, as being unnecessary.

26. *Clause 66.*—We have amended this clause by providing that, where a Deputy Commissioner orders the ejectment of a cultivator from korkar, he may award reasonable compensation to the cultivator, if he thinks it necessary to do so.

27. *Clause 68.*—We have amended this clause in order to indicate that only a raiyat who reclaims korkar is entitled to occupancy-rights in the same under the clause.

28. *Clause 70A* is new. It follows section 155 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, and provides that where a suit is brought for the ejectment of a raiyat for the reasons mentioned in clause 21 or clause 41 (*b*) or (*c*), no ejectment shall be ordered unless the raiyat refuses to remedy the misuse or breach complained of, or to pay reasonable compensation for the same.

29. *Clause 70B* is new. It provides that an ejectment order shall ordinarily be executed at the end of the agricultural year in which it is passed, subject to any special order of the Court if more speedy action is necessary.

30. *Clause 72.*—We have altered the section of Bengal Act I of 1879 which relates to relinquishment, and assimilated it to the provisions of section 86 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

31. *Clauses 73 (3), 233 and 234.*—The period of limitation for the recovery of possession of his holding or village by an occupancy-raiyat or a village-headman has been reduced from six to three years.

32. *Clause 77.*—We have made an addition to give the Local Government power to declare any provisions of the Bill to apply to ghatwali or other service tenures or holdings.

33. *Clause 77A.*—We have inserted this clause to meet the case of homestead lands occupied by a raiyat otherwise than as part of his holding. It is based on section 182 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

34. *Clause 78 (2).*—We have altered the date 1907 to 1903, following the precedent established by the Bengal Tenancy Act.

35. *Clause 84.*—We have amended this clause in two important points. *First*, we have indicated that ordinarily the settlement of fair rents shall take place after final publication of the record. In this respect, we have followed the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. *Secondly*, we have provided that a Revenue-officer may settle fair rents of his own motion only if specially directed by the Local Government to do so.

36. *Clause 86.*—We have added two provisoes, taken from section 106 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with the object of safeguarding the interests of parties.

37. *Clause 93.*—We have added words to make it clear that no demand for rent in respect of an occupancy holding in excess of the rent recorded by a Settlement-officer shall be entertained in any Court, except as provided in this Chapter or in clause 31.

38. *Clause 95.*—We have excised this clause entirely from the Bill. We are agreed that, in the cases referred to in the clause, local inquiries are eminently desirable, and that it is often impossible for Subordinate Judges, Munsifs and Deputy Collectors employed at head-quarters to make such inquiries. We think, however, that injustice may be avoided, without subordinating decrees of Civil or Revenue Courts to subsequent decisions of Settlement-officers, if the Local Government appoints selected officers for the trial of these suits in areas under settlement. Such officers, having more time at their disposal, would be in a position to make local inquiries whenever necessary, and could also try cases locally if this be desired—*vide* sub-section (4) of section 36 of the Civil Courts Act (XII of 1887). The Local Government has already the power to invest any officer with the powers of a Civil Court in Chota Nagpur, under sub-section (*1*) of the section just mentioned. In these circumstances, the retention of clause 95 appears to be unnecessary.

39. *Clause 98A* is new. We have inserted it in order to admit of the enhancement of rents on the application of landlords in cases in which the Government may be unwilling to direct a general revision of a record-of-rights.

40. *Chapter XIV (landlords' privileged lands).*—We have re-cast several of the provisions of this Chapter. Under clause 117, as it originally stood, no lands could be recognised as landlords' privileged lands unless the same had been entered in a register prepared by a Revenue-officer acting under this Chapter. This provision has been excised. We have provided, however, in clause 120A, that, when a question arises in any Court as to whether lands are or are not landlords' privileged lands, the Court shall presume, until the contrary is proved, that the lands are not lands of that special character.

We have also inserted, in clause 120, a list of some of the details to which a Revenue-officer, acting under this Chapter, must have regard in inquiries relating to landlords' privileged lands; and we have provided in that clause that no judgment of a Civil Court, or of the Court of a Deputy Commissioner, shall be conclusive proof, in any inquiry under this Chapter, that land is landlord's privileged land.

We have also provided, in clause 121A, that when once a complete record of landlords' privileged lands is prepared in any area, no additional lands shall at any future time be recognised as lands of that character.

41. *Clause 123.*—We have amended sub-clause (*b*) of this clause so as specifically to make it include headmen of groups of villages. We have also

added an Explanation to the clause, to indicate that the words "rights of a village headman" include a right to hold his office.

42. *Clause 134.*—We have excised sub-clause (*5*) of this clause, because we consider that it is inexpedient to allow cases of the nature therein mentioned to be tried by Revenue Courts We have also amended sub-clause (*6*), making it somewhat more comprehensive.

43. *Clauses 150, 152, 153 and 154* have been omitted, as we do not think it necessary to adopt in rent suits such a severe form of procedure as they provided.

44. *Clause 156* has been amended so as to follow section 102 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882.

45. *Clause 172.*—We have made it obligatory upon the Deputy Commissioner, when he makes a local inquiry under this clause, to make, without delay, a note of relevant facts which he has observed.

46. *Clause 182A* is new. It declares that, ordinarily, a decree shall be executed by the Court which made it. It is proposed to provide by rules for cases where this is not possible.

47. *Clause 182B* is new. It provides for the presentation of applications for execution in proper form and verified, and is based on section 235 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882.

48. *Clause 183B* is new. It adds to the existing law by declaring certain properties to be exempt from attachment in execution, and follows section 266 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882.

49. *Clause 198.*—We have made an addition to this clause, authorising the sale of perishable property in a shorter period than ten days.

50. *Clause 203.*—We have amended the latter part of this clause, so as to leave it to the Local Government to make rules for the disposal of the sale proceeds of moveable property attached in execution.

51. *Clause 207, sub-clause (2) (b).*—We have amended this sub-clause so as to require that all sales in execution against immoveable property under clause 207 shall be made in accordance with selected provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882.

52. *Clause 211.*—We have added a proviso to this clause, prohibiting any application under the same when an application under clause 210 has been filed.

53. *Clause 219A.*—We have provided, on the lines of section 560 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882, for the re-hearing of an appeal heard *ex parte* in the absence of a respondent.

54. *Clause 221, sub-clause (2).*—We have made an addition to this sub-clause, to allow a second appeal to the High Court, in certain circumstances, from orders passed by the Judicial Commissioner in appeals in execution proceedings.

55. *Clause 222.*—Under the existing law, when, in analogous cases, some appeals lie to the Deputy Commissioner and others to the Judicial Commissioner, the Judicial Commissioner has power to transfer to his own file the appeals pending in the Deputy Commissioner's Court. To save inconvenience and expense, we propose, by an addition to clause 222, to allow appellants, in such analogous cases, in certain circumstances to file their appeals in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner, although the same should ordinarily be filed in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner.

56. *Clause 244.*—We have made an addition to this clause, to admit of the recovery of rent due to a landlord from a Mundari khunt-kattidar in the manner in which money due to the Government from a Mundari khunt-kattidar may be recovered.

57. *Clause 244A.*—We have made provision here for the recovery of sums due to a Mundari khunt-kattidar, by his co-sharers, on account of rent paid to a superior landlord.

58. *Clauses 253A and 253B.*—We have made provision here for the realisation and apportionment of costs incurred in proceedings under the Act.

59. *Clause 255.*—We have excised this clause, because we are of opinion that it would cause the greatest inconvenience and expense to the executants of documents, without any compensating advantages.

60. *Clause 257.*—We have made an addition to this clause, directing that, until rules are issued under sub-clause (*1*) of the same, certain sections of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882, which are now in force under Bengal Act I of 1879, shall continue to be applicable to proceedings under the new law.

We have also inserted a sub-clause providing for the repeal of provisions of the Bill which may be superseded by provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure which are applied by rule made under sub-clause (*1*).

61. *Clause 260.*—We have amended this clause so as to make costs and interest in rent suits, and damages under clause 176, recoverable as if they were arrears of rent.

62. We recommend that the Bill, as now amended, be published in the Calcutta Gazette, and that it be taken into consideration by the Council on the 19th September.

W. H. VINCENT.

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BIJAY CHAND MAHTAB.

DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI.

The 4th September, 1908.

THE CHOTA NAGPUR TENANCY BILL, 1908,

AS AMENDED BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE.

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AS AMENDED BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE.

[NOTES.—I.—Provisions of the existing law on which the several clauses of the Bill are based are noted, within square brackets, on the right-hand margin of the Bill. In these notes,—

"1879" means the official edition of Ben. Act I of 1879 (the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act), as modified up to the 1st March, 1904;

"1885" means the official edition of Act VIII of 1885 (the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885), as modified up to the 31st May, 1907;

"1897" means the official edition of Ben. Act IV of 1897 (the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897), as modified up to the 30th September, 1903; and

"Notfn." means Notification No. 1379L.R., dated the 5th March, 1908, by which portions of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (as amended by Bengal Acts III of 1898 and I of 1907), were extended to the Chota Nagpur Division except the district of Manbhum.

II.—Substantive amendments which it is proposed to make in the existing law are, as far as possible, printed in antique type, and amendments made in the Bill by the Select Committee are, as far as possible, marked with lines.]

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BILL

to amend and consolidate certain enactments relating to the law of Landlord and Tenant and the settlement of rents in Chota Nagpur.

Whereas it is expedient to amend and consolidate certain enactments relating to the law of landlord and tenant and the settlement of rents in Chota Nagpur;

And whereas the sanction of the Governor General has been obtained, under section 5 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, to the passing of this Act; [55 & 56 Vict., c. 14.]

It is hereby enacted as follows:

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908; [1879, s. 1. 1885, s. 1. 1897, s. 1.]

(*2*) It extends to the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum and except any area or part of an area which is constituted a municipality under the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, and which is specified in this behalf by notification issued by the Local Government; and [Ben. Act III of 18]

(*3*) The Local Government may, by notification, extend the whole or any portion of this Act to the said district of Manbhum or to any part thereof.

Repeal.

2. (*1*) The Acts and notification specified in Schedule A are hereby repealed in the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum.

(*2*) When this Act is extended to the district of Manbhum or any part thereof, the Acts specified in Schedule B shall be deemed to be repealed in that district or part, as the case may be; or, if only a portion of this Act is so extended, then so much of the said Acts as is inconsistent with that portion shall be deemed to be so repealed. [cf. 1885, (2).]

Definitions.

3. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(i) "agricultural year" means the year prevailing in a local area for agricultural purposes, and shall be deemed to commence and terminate on such dates, respectively, as the Local Government may, by notification, direct; [1885, s. 3 (11). 1897, s. 3 (*d*).]

(ii) "Bhugut bandha mortgage" means a transfer of the interest of a tenant in his tenancy, [1879, s.

for the purpose of securing the payment of money advanced or to be advanced by way of loan,

upon the condition that the loan, with all interest thereon, shall be deemed to be extinguished by the profits arising from the tenancy during the period of the mortgage;

(iii) "Board" means the Board of Revenue for Bengal;

(iv) "Certificate Officer" means the Certificate Officer as defined in clause (*2*) of section 4 of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895; [1879, s. 2(5). Ben. Act I 1895.]

(v) "civil jail" means the civil jail of the district, and includes any place appointed by the Local Government for the confinement of prisoners under this Act; [1879, s. 2.]

(vi) "Commissioner" and "Judicial Commissioner" mean respectively the Commissioner and Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpur; and include any other person specially empowered by the Local Government to discharge the functions of the Commissioner or Judicial Commissioner, as the case may be, in any particular area; [1879, s. 2.]

(vii) "Deputy Collector" includes an Assistant Collector and any Sub-Deputy Collector who is specially empowered by the Local Government to discharge any of the functions of a Deputy Collector under this Act; [1879, s. 2.]

(viii) "Deputy Commissioner," in any provision of this Act, includes—

(*a*) any Revenue-officer or Deputy Collector who is specially empowered by the Local Government to discharge any of the functions of a Deputy Commissioner under that provision; and [1879, s. 2(c). 1885, s. 3 (16).]

(*b*) any Deputy Collector to whom the Deputy Commissioner may, by general or special order, transfer any of his functions under that provision; [1879, s. 133.]

(viii *a*) "enhancement" and "enhanced" do not include an increase of rent in respect of land held by a raiyat in excess of the area for which rent has previously been paid by him, or in respect of the conversion of upland, whether within or without his holding, into korkar; but include any commutation of rent payable in money into rent payable wholly or partly in kind; [1879, s. 133.]

(ix) "estate" means land included under one entry in any of the general registers of revenue-paying lands and revenue-free lands, prepared and maintained under the law for the time being in force by the Deputy Commissioner, and includes Government khas mahals and revenue-free lands not entered in any register; [1885, s. 3(1) & Notfn.]

(ix *a*) "forest-produce" includes— [Act VII of 1878, s. 2.]

(*a*) the following, whether taken from a forest or not, that is to say:—

(i) wood, charcoal, caoutchouc, catechu, wood-oil, resin, natural varnish, bark, lac, mahua flowers and myrabolams,

(ii) trees and leaves, flowers and fruits, and all other parts or produce not hereinbefore mentioned of trees,

(iii) plants not being trees (including grass, creepers, reeds and moss), and all parts or produce of such plants,

(iv) wild animals, and skins, tusks, horns, bones, silk, cocoons, honey and wax, and all other parts or produce of animals, and

(v) peat, surface-soil, rock and minerals (including ironstone, coal, clay, sand and limestone, when taken by any person for his own use);

(x) "holding" means a parcel or parcels of land held by a raiyat and forming the subject of a separate tenancy; [1879, s. 2 (4) 1885, s. 3 (3).]

(xi) "**Korkar**" means land, by whatever name locally known, such as bahbala, khandwat, jalsasan or ariat, which has been artificially levelled or embanked primarily for the cultivation of rice, and— [1879, s. 6 para. 4.]

(*a*) which previously was jungle, waste or uncultivated, or was cultivated upland, or which, though previously cultivated, has become unfit for the cultivation of transplanted rice, and

(*b*) which has been prepared for cultivation by a cultivator (other than the landlord), or by his predecessor in interest (other than the landlord), with or without the consent of the landlord according as such consent is required or not by section 64;

(xii) "landlord" means a person immediately under whom a tenant holds, and includes the Government; [1879, s. 2(*c*). 1885, s. 3(*4*).]

(xiii) "moveable property" includes standing crops; [1879, s. 2(*f*).]

(xiv) "Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy" means the interest of a Mundari khunt-kattidar; [1879, s. 2(*k*).]

(xv) [*Omitted.*]

(xvi) "pay", "payable" and "payment", when used with reference to rent, include "deliver," "deliverable" and "delivery;" [1885, s. 3 (6).]

(xvii) "permanent tenure" means a tenure which is heritable, and which is not held for a limited time; [1885, s. 3 (8).]

(xviii) "prædial conditions" mean conditions or services appurtenant to the occupation of land, other than the rent; and include rakumats payable by tenants to landlords, and every mahtut, mangan and madad, and every other similar demand, howsoever denominated, and whether regularly recurrent or intermittent; [1897, s. 3 (*1*) (*b*) (*c*).]

(xix) "prescribed" means prescribed by the Local Government by rule made under this Act; [1885, s. 3 (*1*) & Notfn.]

(xx) "proprietor" means a person owning, whether in trust or for his own benefit, an estate or a part of an estate; [1885, s. 3(2) & Notfn.]

(xxi) "registered" means registered under any Act for the time being in force for the registration of documents; [1879, s. 2(*l*). 1885, s. 3(*12*).]

(xxii) "rent" means whatever is lawfully payable in money or kind by a tenant to his landlord on account of the use or occupation of the land held by the tenant; and includes all dues (other than personal services) which are recoverable under any enactment for the time being in force as if they were rent; [1879, s. 2(*i*). 1885, s. 3(5).]

(xxiii) "resumable tenure" means a tenure which is held subject to the condition that it shall lapse to the estate of the grantor and be resumable by him or his successor in title— [1879, s. 2(*m*).]

(*a*) on failure of male heirs of the body of the original grantee in the male line, or

(*b*) on the happening of any definite contingency other than that referred to in sub-clause (*a*) of this clause;

(xxiv) "Revenue-officer", in any provision of this Act, means any officer whom the Local Government may appoint to discharge any of the functions of a Revenue-officer under that provision; [1885 s. 3(*17*) & Notfn. 1897, s. 3(*a*).]

(xxv) "tenant" means a person who holds land under another person and is, or but for a special contract would be, liable to pay rent for that land to that person; [1879, s. 2(*n*). 1885, s. 3(*3*).]

(xxvi) "tenure" means the interest of a tenure-holder, and includes an under-tenure, but does not include a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy; and [1879, s. 2(*o*). 1885, s. 3(*7*).]

(xxvii) "village" means,— [1885, s. 3 (*10*).]

(*a*) in any local area in which a survey has been made and a record-of-rights prepared under any enactment for the time being in force

boundary in the village map finally adopted in making such survey and record, as subsequently modified by the decision (if any) of a Court of competent jurisdiction, and

(*b*) where a survey has not been made and a record-of-rights has not been prepared under any such enactment, such area as the Deputy Commissioner may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, by general or special order, declare to constitute a village.

CHAPTER II.

CLASSES OF TENANTS.

Classes of tenants.

4. There shall be, for the purposes of this Act, the following classes of tenants, namely:— [1885, s. 4.]

(1) tenure-holders, including under-tenure-holders,

(2) raiyats, namely:—

(*a*) occupancy-raiyats, that is to say, raiyats having a right of occupancy in the land held by them,

(*b*) non-occupancy-raiyats, that is to say, raiyats not having such a right of occupancy, and

(*c*) raiyats having khunt-katti rights;

(3) under-raiyats, that is to say, tenants holding, whether immediately or mediately, under raiyats, and

(4) Mundari khunt-kattidars.

Meaning of "tenure-holder."

5. "Tenure-holder" means primarily a person who has acquired from the proprietor, or from another tenure-holder, a right to hold land for the purpose of collecting rents or bringing it under cultivation by establishing tenants on it; and includes— [1879, s. 2(*c*). 1885, s. 5(*b*).]

(*a*) the successors in interest of persons who have acquired such a right, and

(*b*) the holders of tenures entered in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869; Ben. Act II of 1869.

but does not include a Mundari khunt-kattidar.

Meaning of "raiyat."

6. (*1*) "Raiyat" means primarily a person who has acquired a right to hold land for the purpose of cultivating it by himself, or by members of his family, or by hired servants, or with the aid of partners; and includes the successors in interest of persons who have acquired such a right, but does not include a Mundari khunt-kattidar. [1879, s. 2(*f*). 1885, s. 5(*3*), (*4*).]

Explanation.—Where a tenant of land has the right to bring it under cultivation, he shall be deemed to have acquired a right to hold it for the purpose of cultivation, notwithstanding that he uses it for the purpose of gathering the produce of it or of grazing cattle on it.

(*2*) A person shall not be deemed to be a raiyat unless he holds land either immediately under a proprietor or immediately under a tenure-holder or immediately under a Mundari khunt-kattidar.

(*3*) In determining whether a tenant is a tenure-holder or a raiyat, the Court shall have regard to—

(*a*) local custom, and

(*b*) the purpose for which the right of tenancy was originally acquired.

Meaning of "raiyat having khunt-katti rights."

7. (*1*) "Raiyat having khunt-katti rights" means a raiyat in occupation of, or having any subsisting title to, land reclaimed from jungle by the original founders of the village or their descendants in the male line, when such raiyat is a member of the family which founded the village or a descendant in the male line of any member of such family:

Provided that no raiyat shall be deemed to have khunt-katti rights in any land unless he and all his predecessors in title have held such land or obtained a title thereto by virtue of inheritance from the original founders of the village.

(*2*) Nothing in this Act shall prejudicially affect the rights of any person who has lawfully acquired a title to a khunt-kattidari tenancy before the commencement of this Act

Meaning of "Mundari khunt-kattidar."

8. "Mundari khunt-kattidar" means a Mundari who has [1879, s. 2(g).] acquired a right to hold jungle land for the purpose of bringing suitable portions thereof under cultivation by himself or by male members of his family, and includes—

(*a*) the heirs male in the male line of any such Mundari, when they are in possession of such land or have any subsisting title thereto, and

(*b*) as regards any portions of such land which have remained continuously in the possession of any such Mundari and his descendants in the male line, such descendants.

CHAPTER III.

TENURE-HOLDERS.

Tenure-holder when not liable to enhancement of rent.

9. No tenure-holder who holds his tenure (otherwise than [1879, s. 18.] under a terminable lease) at a fixed rent which has not been changed from the time of the Permanent Settlement, shall be liable to any enhancement of such rent, anything in the Bengal Decennial Settlement Regulation, 1793, section 51, or in any other law, to VIII of 1793. the contrary notwithstanding.

Certain bhuinhars not liable to enhancement of rent.

10. No bhuinhar whose lands are entered in any [1879, s. 19, para. 1.] register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, shall be liable to any enhancement of the Bn. Act II of 1869. rent of his tenure.

Registration of certain transfers of tenures.

11. (*1*) When any tenure or portion thereof is transferred by [1879, s. 31.] succession, inheritance, sale, gift or exchange, the transferee or his successor in title shall cause the transfer to be registered in the office of the landlord to whom the rent of the tenure or portion is payable.

(*2*) The landlord shall, in the absence of sufficient reason to the contrary, allow the registration of all such transfers.

(*3*) Whenever any such transfer is registered in the office of the landlord, he shall be entitled to levy a registration-fee of the following amount, namely:—

(*a*) when rent is payable in respect of the tenure or portion—a fee of two *per centum* on the annual rent thereof: provided that no such fee shall be less than one rupee or more than one hundred rupees, and

(*b*) when rent is not payable in respect of the tenure or portion—a fee of two rupees.

(*4*) If an application for the registration of any transfer of a tenure or portion thereof under sub-section (*1*) is not made within a period of one year from the date of the transfer, and if the registration fee authorized by sub-section (*3*) is not paid or tendered within that period, the transferee or his successor in title shall not be entitled to recover, at any time after the expiry of the said period, by suit or other proceeding, any rent which may have become due to him, as the owner of such tenure or portion, between the date of the transfer and the date of the application for registration.

(*5*) Nothing in this section shall—

(*i*) validate a transfer of any tenure or portion thereof which, by the terms upon which it is held, or by any law or local custom, is not transferable, or

(*ii*) affect the right of the landlord to resume a resumable tenure.

Procedure on refusal of landlord to allow registration of transfer of tenure.

12. If any landlord refuses to allow the registration of any [1879, s. 36.] such transfer as is mentioned in section 11, the transferee or his successor in title may make application to the Deputy Commissioner; and the Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon, after causing notice to be served on the landlord, make such inquiry as he considers necessary; and, if no sufficient grounds are shown for the refusal, shall pass an order declaring that the transfer shall be deemed to be registered.

Division of tenure or distribution of rent.

12A. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 11 or [1885, s. 88, 79, s. 36.] section 12, a division of any tenure or portion thereof, or a distribution of the rent payable in respect of any tenure or portion thereof, shall not be binding on the landlord unless it is made with the express consent in writing of the landlord or his agent.

Incidents of occupancy-right.

Rights of occupancy-raiyat in respect of use of land.

19. When a raiyat has a right of occupancy in respect of any land, he may use the land— [1885, s. 25.

(*a*) in any manner which is authorized by local custom or usage, or

(*b*) irrespective of any local custom or usage, in any manner which does not materially impair the value of the land or render it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy.

Protection of occupancy-raiyat from eviction except on specified grounds.

21. An occupancy-raiyat shall not be ejected by his landlord from his holding, except in execution of a decree for ejectment passed on the ground— [1885, s. 25.]

(*a*) that he has used the land comprised in his holding in a manner which is not authorized by section 19, or

(*b*) that he has broken a condition, consistent with the provisions of this Act, on breach of which he is, under the terms of a contract between himself and his landlord, liable to be ejected.

Devolution of occupancy-right on death.

22. If a raiyat dies intestate in respect of a right of occupancy, it shall, subject to any local custom to the contrary, descend in the same manner as other immovable property : [1885, s. 26.

Provided that in any case in which, under the law of inheritance to which the raiyat is subject, his other property goes to the Crown, his right of occupancy shall be extinguished.

Obligation of occupancy-raiyat to pay rent.

22A. An occupancy-raiyat shall pay rent for his holding at a fair and equitable rate. [1879, s. 6, para. 1. 1885, s. 24.]

Enhancement of rent.

Presumption as to fair and equitable rent in case of occupancy-raiyat.

23. The rent for the time being payable by an occupancy-raiyat shall be presumed to be fair and equitable until the contrary is proved. [1879, s. 6, para. 2. 1885, s. 27.]

Confirmation of rents enhanced prior to commencement of this Act.

24. When the rent of an occupancy-raiyat whose rent is liable to enhancement has been enhanced before the commencement of this Act, otherwise than under section 24 of the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, such enhanced rent shall be deemed to be lawfully payable— Ben. Act I of 1879.

(*a*) if it has been actually paid continuously for seven years before the commencement of this Act; and

(*b*) if it is not proved to be unfair and inequitable:

Provided that, where the rent lawfully payable by an occupancy-raiyat for his holding has been made an issue in any suit for arrears of rent, and the Court has arrived at a finding on that issue, the rent so found shall be deemed to be lawfully payable by the raiyat for the holding.

Methods in which rent of occupancy raiyat may be enhanced.

25. (*1*) From and after the commencement of this Act,—

(*a*) in any area for which a record-of-rights has not been prepared and finally published under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, or for which an order has not been issued under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Actfor the preparation of such a record, the money-rent of an occupancy-raiyat whose rent is liable to enhancement may be enhanced only by order of the Deputy Commissioner passed under section 27; and [1879, ss. 21, 22. 1885, s. 28.]

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(*b*) in any area for which a record-of-rights has been prepared and finally published as aforesaid, or for which an order has been issued as aforesaid for the preparation of such a record, the money-rent of an occupancy-raiyat whose rent is liable to enhancement may be enhanced only,—

(*i*) in cases referred to in section 61B, section 93 or section 98A, by order of the Deputy Commissioner passed under section 27, and

(*ii*) in other cases, by order of a Revenue-officer passed under Chapter XII.

(*2*) No enhancement of such rent made after the commencement of this Act in any manner other than that referred to in clause (*a*) or clause (*b*), as the case may be, whether by private contract or otherwise, shall for any reason be recognized or given effect to in any suit or proceeding in any Court.

Contents of application to Deputy Commissioner for enhancement.

26. (*1*) Every application to the Deputy Commissioner for the enhancement of the rent of an occupancy holding shall specify :— [1879, ss. 22 23.]

(*a*) such particulars as may be prescribed regarding the area, situation, local names, quality and boundaries of the parcels of land constituting the holding ;

(*b*) the rates of rent (if any) payable by the raiyat for the different classes of land constituting the holding, and the yearly rent lawfully payable for the holding at the date of the application ;

(*c*) the rates (if any) generally prevailing in the village for corresponding classes of land ;

(*d*) the date (as nearly as it can be ascertained) when the rates of rent generally prevailing were last adjusted in the village ;

(*e*) the rates which the applicant desires to claim ; and

(*f*) the grounds on which the applicant considers that he is entitled to the enhancement claimed ;

(*2*) Sections 142 to 145 shall apply to every application made under this section.

Procedure on receipt of such application.

27. (*1*) When any such application has been received, the Deputy Commissioner— [1879, ss. 24.]

(*a*) shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the raiyat, and

(*b*) may, if he thinks fit, order a measurement of the land, and

(*c*) may, upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the application, and after hearing any objection advanced by the raiyat, by order, fix such enhanced rent, or otherwise vary the rent for the said land, as to him may seem fair and reasonable :

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Provided that no enhancement shall be ordered except on one or more of the following grounds, namely,— [U. P. Act II of 1901, s. 43(1).]

(*i*) that the rate of the rent paid by the raiyat is below the prevailing rate paid by occupancy-raiyats for land of similar quality and with similar advantages;

(*ii*) that there has been a rise in the average local prices of staple food-crops during the currency of the present rent;

(*iii*) that the productive powers of the land held by the raiyat have been increased by an improvement effected during the currency of the present rent, otherwise than by the agency or at the expense of the raiyat:

Provided also that no enhancement shall be ordered which is, under the circumstances of the case, unfair or inequitable: [1885, s. 38.]

Provided, further, that all enhancements shall be limited in the prescribed manner (if any).

(*2*) The rent as fixed or varied under sub-section (*1*) shall be payable by the said raiyat from the commencement of the agricultural year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit instituted against him for arrears of rent.

(*3*) Nothing in this section shall bar the right of a raiyat to claim at any time under section 33 a reduction of the rent previously paid by him.

Power to direct gradual enhancement.

28. Where the Deputy Commissioner considers that the immediate enforcement of the full enhancement ordered under section 27 is likely to be attended with hardship, he may direct that the enhancement shall be gradual; that is to say, that the rent shall increase yearly by degrees, for any number of years not exceeding five, until the limit of the full enhancement has been reached. [1885, s. 36.]

29. (*Transferred to clause 3.*)

Increase of Rent in respect of Excess Area.

Application for increase of rent in respect of land held in excess of the area for which rent was previously paid.

30. (*1*) Where land is held by an occupancy-raiyat in excess of the area for which rent has previously been paid by him, no increase shall be made to the rent payable by him, except by order of a Revenue-officer passed under Chapter XII or by order of the Deputy Commissioner passed on an application made to him by the landlord. [*Cf.* 1885, s. 52.]

(*2*) Every such application shall specify—

(*a*) the yearly rent payable by the raiyat at the date of the application,

(*b*) the area and description of the land for which the said rent is payable,

(*c*) the proceedings (if any) by which the said rent was fixed,

(*d*) the general rate prevailing in the village for corresponding classes of lands,

(*e*) the date (as nearly as it can be acertained) when the said general rate was last adjusted in the village,

(*f*) the area and description of the land held in excess of the area for which rent has previously been paid, and in respect of which an increase of rent is claimed,

(*g*) the amount of the said increase,

(*h*) the manner in which the said increase has been, or should be, assessed, and

(*i*) any other prescribed particulars.

(*3*) If a survey and record-of-rights have been made under this Act, or under any other law in force before the commencement of this Act, in respect of any land referred to in clause (*b*) or clause (*f*) of sub-section (*2*), the "area and description" required by those clauses, respectively, shall be specified by stating the plot number, area and class of each field included in the land, as shown by such survey and record.

(*4*) Sections 142 to 145 shall apply to every application made under this section.

Procedure on receipt of such application.

31. (*1*) When any such application has been received, [*cf.* 1885, s. 52.] the Deputy Commissioner—

(*a*) shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the raiyat,

(*b*) shall refer to the entry (if any) relating to the tenancy in the record-of-rights prepared under this Act or any other law for the time being in force,

(*c*) may, if he thinks fit, order a measurement of the land held by the raiyat, and

(*d*) may, upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the application, and after hearing any objection advanced by the raiyat and making such further inquiry as the Deputy Commissioner may think necessary, order such an increase, whether progressive or otherwise, as he may consider to be fair and reasonable:

Provided that an increase of rent shall not be ordered where it would contravene any local custom or usage prohibiting an increase of rent in respect of the increase in area of a holding.

(*2*) When any increase has been so ordered, it shall be payable from the commencement of the agricultural year following that in which the order is passed, and may be recovered from the raiyat in any suit instituted against him for arrears of rent.

Savings.

32. Nothing in sections 30 and 31 shall prohibit a landlord from realizing—

(*a*) increased rents from a raiyat for separate parcels of land settled with him in any manner authorized by law, or

(*b*) rents on lands converted from upland into korkar in accordance with local custom or usage.

Reduction of Rent.

Application to Deputy Commissioner for reduction of rent.

33. (*1*) Any occupancy-raiyat wishing to claim a reduction of the rent previously paid by him may present an application to the Deputy Commissioner to assess the rent on the land in respect of which such reduction is sought and (if necessary) to measure the land. [1879, s. 27.]

(*2*) Every such application shall specify—

(*a*) the yearly rent payable by the raiyat at the date of the application;

(*b*) the area and description of the land for which the said rent is payable;

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(*c*) the proceedings (if any) by which the said rent was fixed;

(*d*) the general rate prevailing in the village for corresponding classes of lands;

(*e*) the date (as nearly as it can be ascertained) when the said general rate was last adjusted in the village;

(*f*) the amount of reduction claimed;

(*g*) the grounds on which such reduction is claimed; and

(*h*) any other prescribed particulars.

(*3*) Sections 142 to 145 shall apply to every application made under this section.

Procedure on receipt of such application.

34. (*1*) When any such application has been received, the Deputy Commissioner— [1879, s. 28.]

(*a*) shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the landlord, and

(*b*) may, if he thinks fit, order a measurement of the land. and

(*c*) may, upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the application, and after hearing any objection advanced by the landlord, by order, fix such reduced rent, or otherwise vary the rent for the said land, as to him may seem fair and reasonable:

Provided that no reduction shall be ordered except on one or other of the following grounds, namely,— [1885, s. 38

(*i*) that the soil of the holding has, without the fault of the raiyat, become permanently deteriorated by a deposit of sand or other specific cause, sudden or gradual;

(*ii*) that there has been a fall, not due to a temporary cause, in the average local prices of staple food-crops during the currency of the present rent;

(*iii*) that the land held by the raiyat is of less area than the area for which rent has previously been paid by him. [*Cf.* 1885, *c.* 52.]

(*2*) The rent as so fixed or varied shall be payable by the raiyat from the commencement of the agricultural year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit instituted against him for arrears of rent.

(*3*) Nothing in this section shall bar the right of the landlord to claim at any time an enhancement under section 27 of the rent of such raiyat.

34A to 34C. (Omitted.)

Bar to further enhancement or reduction of rent.

Bar to further enhancement or reduction of rent where there is no record-of-rights.

34D (*1*). When the rent of an occupancy holding in any area referred to in clause (*a*) of section 25 has been enhanced by order of the Deputy Commissioner passed under section 27, such rent shall not again be enhanced for a period of fifteen years, except— [*Cf.* cl. 93 of Bill.]

(*a*) by order of the Deputy Commissioner, on the ground of a landlord's improvement, or

(*b*) by order of a Revenue-officer passed under Chapter XII.

(*2*) When the rent of an occupancy holding in any such area has been reduced by order of the Deputy Commissioner under section 33, otherwise than on the ground specified in proviso (iii) to section 34, such rent shall not again be reduced for a period of fifteen years, except—

(*i*) by order of the Deputy Commissioner, on one of the grounds specified in provisoes (*i*) and (*iii*) to section 34, or

(*ii*) by order of a Revenue-officer passed under Chapter XII.

CHAPTER V.

RAIYATS HAVING KHUNT-KATTI RIGHTS.

Incidents of tenancy of raiyat having khunt-katti rights.

37. The provisions of this Act relating to occupancy-raiyats shall apply also to raiyats having khunt-katti rights:

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) subject to any written contract made at the time of the commencement of his tenancy, the rent payable by a raiyat having khunt-katti rights, for land in respect of which he has such rights, shall not be enhanced if his tenancy of such land was created more than twenty years before the commencement of this Act; and [1879, s. 19.

(*b*) when an order is made for the enhancement of the rent payable, by a raiyat having khunt-katti rights, for any land in respect of which he has such rights, the enhanced rent fixed by such order shall not exceed one-half of the rent payable by an occupancy-raiyat for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the same village.

CHAPTER VI.

NON-OCCUPANCY-RAIYATS.

Initial rent and lease of non occupancy raiyat.

38. Subject to any local custom or usage, a non-occupancy-raiyat shall, when admitted to the occupation of land, become liable to pay such rent as may be agreed on between himself and his landlord at the time of his admission, and shall be entitled to a lease only at such rates and on such conditions as may be so agreed on. [1879, s. 9, 1885, s. 42.]

Effect of acquisition by landlord of the right of a non-occupancy-raiyat in his holding.

39. The provisions of section 18 shall apply in the case of the right of a non-occupancy-raiyat in his holding, in the same way that they apply to an occupancy-right.

Conditions of enhancement of rent of non-occupancy-raiyat.

40. The rent of a non-occupancy-raiyat shall not be enhanced except by registered agreement or by agreement under section 42. [1885, s. 43, para. 1.]

Grounds on which non-occupancy-raiyat may be ejected.

41. A non-occupancy-raiyat [shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be liable to ejectment on one or more of the following grounds, and not otherwise, namely:— [1879, ss. 3, 32A]. 1885, s. 44.]

(*a*) on the ground that he has failed to pay an arrear of rent;

(*b*) on the ground that he has used the land comprised in his holding in a manner which is not authorized by local custom or usage or which materially impairs the value of the land or renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy;

(*c*) on the ground that he has broken a condition, consistent with this Act, on breach of which he is under the terms of a contract between himself and his landlord, liable to be ejected;

(*d*) where he has been admitted to occupation of the land under a registered lease, on the ground that the term of the lease has expired;

(*e*) on the ground that he has refused to agree to pay a fair and equitable rent determined under section 42, or that the term for which he is entitled to hold at such a rent has expired.

Conditions of ejectment on ground of refusal to agree to pay a fair and equitable rent.

42. (*1*) A suit for ejectment on the ground of refusal to agree to pay a fair and equitable rent shall not be instituted against a non-occupancy-raiyat unless the landlord has tendered to the raiyat an agreement to pay the rent which he demands and the raiyat has, within six months before the institution of the suit, refused to execute the agreement. [1885, s. 46 (1) to (9).]

(*2*) A landlord desiring to tender an agreement to a raiyat under this section may either—

(*a*) file it in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, for service on the raiyat, or

(*b*) send it to the raiyat direct, either by registered post or by any other means.

(*3*) When an agreement has been filed under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*2*), the Deputy Commissioner shall forthwith cause it to be served on the raiyat in the manner prescribed under section 256 for the service of notices.

(*4*) When an agreement has been served on a raiyat under sub-section (*3*), or when it is proved to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner that an agreement has been sent to a raiyat by registered post, or, if sent to him by any other means referred to in clause (*b*) of sub-section (*2*), has duly reached him, the agreement shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to have been tendered.

(*5*) If a raiyat on whom an agreement has been served under sub-section (*3*), or to whom an agreement has been sent under sub-section (*2*), clause (*b*), executes it, and within one month from the date of service files it in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, it shall take effect from the commencement of the agricultural year next following.

(*6*) When an agreement has been executed and filed by a raiyat under sub-section (*5*), the Deputy Commissioner shall forthwith cause a notice of its being so executed and filed to be served on the landlord.

(*7*) If the raiyat does not execute the agreement and file it under sub-section (*5*), he shall be deemed, for the purposes of this section, to have refused to execute it.

(*8*) If a raiyat refuses to execute an agreement tendered to him under this section, and the landlord thereupon institutes a suit to eject him, the Deputy Commissioner shall determine what rent is fair and equitable for the holding.

(*9*) If the raiyat agrees to pay the rent so determined, he shall be entitled to remain in occupation of his holding at that rent for a term of five years from the date of the agreement, but on the expiration of that term shall be liable to ejectment on the second ground mentioned in clause (*e*) of section 41, unless he has acquired a right of occupancy.

(*10*) If the raiyat does not agree to pay the rent so determined, the Deputy Commissioner shall pass a decree for ejectment.

(*11*) In determining what rent is fair and equitable, the Deputy Commissioner shall have regard to the rents generally paid by non-occupancy-raiyats for land of a similar description and with like advantages in the same village and (if the Deputy Commissioner thinks fit) in adjoining villages.

43. (*Transferred to clause 70B.*)

CHAPTER VII.

Lands exempted from Chapters IV and VI.

Bar to acquisition of right of occupancy in, and to application of Chapter VI to, landlords' privileged lands and certain other lands.

44. Notwithstanding anything contained in Chapter IV, a right of occupancy shall not be acquired in, nor shall anything contained in Chapter VI apply to,— [1879, s. 6, para 1. 1885, s. 116.]

(*a*) landlords' privileged lands referred to in clause (*a*) of section 117, when they are held by a tenant on a

registered lease for a term of years or on a lease year by year, or

(*b*) landlords' privileged lands referred to in clause (*b*) of section 117, or

(*c*) land acquired under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, for the Government or any Local Authority or Railway Company, or land belonging to the Government within a cantonment, while such land remains the property of the Government or of any Local Authority or Railway Company. [1 of 1894.

CHAPTER VIII.

LEASES AND TRANSFERS OF HOLDINGS AND TENURES.

Raiyat entitled to a lease.

45. Every raiyat shall be entitled to receive from his landlord a lease containing the following particulars, namely :— [1879, s. 5.]

(*a*) the quantity and boundaries of the land comprised in his holding; and, where fields have been numbered in a Government survey, the number of each field;

(*b*) the amount of yearly rent payable for such land;

(*c*) the instalments in which the rent is to be paid;

(*d*) if the rent is payable wholly or partially in kind, the proportion or quantity of produce to be delivered, and the time and manner of delivery; and

(*e*) any special conditions of the lease.

Landlord entitled to counterpart engagement.

46. Whenever a landlord grants a lease to a tenant, or tenders to a tenant a lease such as he is entitled to receive, the landlord shall be entitled to receive from such tenant a counterpart engagement in conformity with the terms of the lease. [1879, s. 10.]

Restrictions on transfer of their rights by raiyats.

47. (*1*) No transfer by a raiyat of his right in his holding or any portion thereof,— [1879, s. 10B.]

(*a*) by mortgage or lease, for any period, expressed or implied, which exceeds or might in any possible event exceed five years, or

(*b*) by sale, gift or any other contract or agreement,

shall be valid to any extent:

Provided that a raiyat may enter into a bhugut bandha mortgage of his holding or any portion thereof for any period not exceeding seven years.

(*2*) No transfer by a raiyat of his right in his holding or any portion thereof shall be binding on the landlord unless it is made with his consent in writing.

(*3*) No transfer in contravention of sub-section (*1*) shall be registered, or shall be in any way recognised as valid by any Court, whether in the exercise of civil, criminal or revenue jurisdiction.

(*4*) At any time within three years after the expiration of the period for which a raiyat has, under this section, transferred his right in his holding or any portion thereof, the Deputy Commissioner may, in his discretion, on the application of the raiyat, put the raiyat into possession of such holding or portion in the prescribed manner.

(*5*) Nothing in this section shall affect the validity of any transfer (not otherwise invalid) of a raiyat's right in his holding or any portion thereof made *bond fide* before the first day of January, 1908.

Restrictions on sale of raiyats' rights under order of Court.

48. No decree or order shall be passed by any Court for the sale of the right of a raiyat in his holding, nor shall any such right be sold in execution of any decree or order: [1879, s. 10A (1).]

Provided as follows :—

(*a*) any holding may be sold, in execution of a decree of a competent Court, to recover an arrear of rent which has accrued in respect of the holding;

(*b*) any holding may be sold, under the procedure provided by the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, for the recovery of a loan granted for the benefit of Ben. Act I of 1895.

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the holding under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, or the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884, or otherwise by the Local Government; and XIX of 1883. XII of 1884.

(*c*) nothing in this section shall affect the right to execute a decree for sale of a holding passed, or the terms or conditions of any contract registered, before the first day of January, 1903.

Explanation I.—Where a holding is held under joint landlords, and a decree has been passed for the share of the rent due to one or more, but not all, of them, proviso (*a*) does not authorise the sale of the holding in execution of such decree.

Explanation II.—Proviso (*c*) does not render valid any document which is otherwise illegal or invalid, or authorise a Court to take judicial cognizance of any such document.

Restrictions on transfer and sale of Bhuinhari tenures.

49. Where any land in a village, other than land known as manjhihas or bethkheta, is entered in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, then— Ben. Act II of 1869.

(*a*) section 47 [except sub-section (*g*) thereof] and section 48 shall apply also to all members of any Bhuinhari family holding land in such village, and to the land so held, as if they were raiyats and holdings, respectively, with the substitution of "the first day of October, 1908" for "the first day of January, 1903," and

(*b*) if any member of any such family transfers the land so held, or any part thereof, by lease, the lessee shall not acquire a right of occupancy therein.

Transfer of occupancy-holding or Bhuinhari tenure for certain purposes.

50. (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in sections 47, 48 and 49, any occupancy-raiyat, or any member of a Bhuinhari family who is referred to in section 49, may, without the consent of the landlord, transfer his holding or tenure or any part thereof for any reasonable and sufficient purpose, having relation to the good of the holding or tenure, or of the tenure or estate in which it is comprised. [Cf. 1885, s. 84.]

(*1a*) The expression "reasonable and sufficient purpose," as used in sub-section (*1*), includes—

(*a*) in the case of a member of a Bhuinhari family, but not in the case of an occupancy-raiyat, building purposes generally, and

(*b*) in any case, the use of the land for any charitable, religious or educational purpose, or for the purposes of manufacture or irrigation, or as building ground for any such purpose, or for access to land used or required for any such purpose.

(*1b*) Every such transfer must be made by registered deed, and, before the deed is registered and the land transferred, the written consent of the Deputy Commissioner must be obtained to the terms of the deed and to the transfer.

(2) Before consenting to any such transfer the Deputy Commissioner shall satisfy himself that the landlord is adequately compensated for the transfer, and, where only part of a holding or tenure is transferred, may, if he thinks fit, apportion between the transferee and the original tenant the rent payable for the holding or tenure.

Acquisition of holding by landlord for certain purposes.

51. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sections 47 and 48, the Deputy Commissioner may, on the application of the landlord of a holding, [1885, s. 84.]

and on being satisfied that he is desirous of acquiring the holding or any part thereof for some reasonable and sufficient purpose having relation to the good of the holding or of the tenure or estate in which it is comprised, such as the use of the land for any charitable, religious or educational purpose, or for the purpose of mining, manufacture or irrigation, or as building ground

for any such purpose or for access to land used or required for any such purpose,

and after such inquiry as the Deputy Commissioner may think necessary,

authorise the acquisition thereof by the landlord upon such conditions as the Deputy Commissioner may think fit, and require the tenant to sell his interest in the holding or part to the landlord upon such terms as may be approved by the Deputy Commissioner, including full compensation to the tenant.

(*2*) If the landlord tenders to the tenant such sum as the Deputy Commissioner has approved under sub-section (*1*) as payment for any land, and the tenant refuses to receive the same, the Deputy Commissioner may, on the landlord depositing the said sum with the Deputy Commissioner, give possession of the land to the landlord in the prescribed manner.

Tenant not liable to transferee of landlord's interest for rent paid to former landlord, without notice of the transfer.

52. (1) A tenant shall not, when his landlord's interest is transferred, be liable to the transferee for rent which became due after the transfer and was paid in good faith to the landlord whose interest was so transferred, unless the transferee has before the payment served notice of the transfer on the tenant. [1885, s. 72.]

(2) Where there is more than one tenant paying rent to the landlord whose interest is transferred, a general notice from the transferee to the tenants, published in the prescribed manner, shall be a sufficient notice for the purposes of this section.

CHAPTER IX.

GENERAL PROVISIONS AS TO RENT.

Payment of rent.

Instalments.

53. Subject to any registered agreement or local custom or usage to the contrary, a money-rent payable by a tenant shall be payable in four equal instalments falling due on the last day of each quarter of the agricultural year. [1885, s. 53.]

Methods of payment of rent.

54. Payment of rent by a tenant to his landlord in respect of the land held or cultivated by the tenant may be made, either— [1879, s. 13, para. 1. 1885, s. 54(2).]

(*a*) by tendering the rent at the mal-cutcherry for the receipt of rents or other place where the rent of such land is usually payable, or

(*b*) by remitting the amount of the rent to the landlord or his agent by postal money-order in the prescribed form.

Receipts for rent and interest thereon.

55. (*1*) Every tenant who makes a payment on account of rent, or interest due thereon, or both, to his landlord shall be entitled to obtain forthwith from the landlord or his agent a signed receipt for the same, in the prescribed form. [1879, s. 12. *Cf.* 1885, ss. 56 to 59.]

(*2*) The landlord or his agent shall prepare and retain a counterfoil, in the prescribed form, of the receipt.

(*3*) If any landlord or his agent, without reasonable cause, fails to grant such a receipt or to prepare and retain such a counterfoil, then, on proof thereof, the Deputy Commissioner may, in a summary proceeding, by order, impose on the landlord a fine which may extend to fifty rupees in respect of each such failure; and may, in his discretion, award to the tenant, by way of compensation, such portion of the fine as the Deputy Commissioner may think fit.

(4) If, in any suit or other proceeding under this Act or any other law, the Court or presiding officer (not being the Deputy Commissioner) finds that any landlord or agent has failed—

(*a*) to deliver to a tenant a receipt in the prescribed form, or

(*b*) to prepare and retain a counterfoil in the prescribed form of a receipt delivered to a tenant as aforesaid,

such Court or officer shall inform the Deputy Commissioner.

(5) If, in any proceeding instituted under sub-section (3), the Deputy Commissioner discharges any landlord, and is satisfied that the complaint or allegation of the tenant on which the proceedings were instituted is false or vexatious, the Deputy Commissioner may, in his discretion, by his order of discharge, direct the tenant to pay to the landlord such compensation, not exceeding fifty rupees, as the Deputy Commissioner thinks fit.

Deposit of rent in Court of Deputy Commissioner.

56. In any of the following cases, namely,— [1879, s. 1; 1885, s. 61(2).

(*a*) when a tenant tenders or remits money on account of rent, and the landlord or his agent refuses to receive it or refuses to grant a receipt for it; or

(*b*) when a tenant who is bound to pay money on account of rent has reason to believe, owing to a tender having been refused or a receipt withheld on a previous occasion, that the landlord or his agent will not be willing to receive it and to grant him a receipt for it; or

(*c*) when the rent is payable to co-sharers jointly, and the tenant is unable to obtain the joint receipt of the co-sharers for the money, and no person has been empowered to receive the rent on their behalf; or

(d) when the tenant entertains a *bonâ fide* doubt as to who is entitled to receive the rent,

the tenant, whether a suit has been instituted against him or not, may deposit to the credit of the landlord the full amount which he considers to be due from him in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner having jurisdiction to entertain a suit or application for such rent;

and such deposit shall, as far as the tenant and all persons claiming through or under him are concerned, in all respects operate as, and have the full effect of, a payment then made by the tenant of the amount deposited to the credit of the landlord.

(2) (*Omitted.*)

Procedure on receipt of deposit and payment of same.

57. (1) On the written application of the tenant or his agent, and on his making a declaration in the prescribed form, the Deputy Commissioner shall receive such deposit and give a receipt for the sum deposited. [1879, s. 14; 1885, ss. 62 to 64.]

(2) The Deputy Commissioner shall, as soon as possible after the receipt of any money so deposited, issue a notice, in the prescribed form, to the landlord to whose credit it has been deposited.

(3) If any person claiming to be entitled to receive the money in deposit appears and applies for payment thereof to him, the Deputy Commissioner may pay the amount to him if he appears to be entitled to the same, or may, if the Deputy Commissioner thinks fit, retain the amount pending a decision by a Civil Court declaring what person is so entitled. [1885, s. 64(1).

(*4*) Any sum deposited as aforesaid may, in the absence of any order of a Civil Court to the contrary, be repaid to the depositor—

(*a*) at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, and after serving notice on the landlord and giving him an opportunity to object, and for reasons to be recorded in writing - at any time within a period of three years from the date on which the deposit was made, or

(*b*) upon the application of the depositor—at any time after the expiration of the said period.

Limitation of suit or application in respect of deposit.

58. Whenever any deposit has been received by the Deputy Commissioner, no suit shall be maintained, and no application for a certificate under section 240 shall be entertained, against the person making the deposit, or his representatives, on account of any rent which accrued due prior to the date of the deposit, unless such suit be instituted or such application be made within six months from the date of the service of the notice issued under section 57 in respect of such deposit. [1879, s. 15.]

Arrears of Rent.

Arrears deemed arrears of rent; rate of interest.

59. (*1*) Any instalment of rent which is not paid before sunset on the day when the same is payable shall be deemed an arrear of rent, and, shall be liable to simple interest not exceeding twelve-and-a-half *per centum per annum*: [1879, ss. 30, 31. 1885, ss. 54 (*1*) (*a*), 67.]

Provided that, where a tenant pays his rent in full within the agricultural year in which it accrues due, interest shall not exceed six and-a-quarter *per centum* on the yearly rent lawfully payable.

(*2*) Sub-section (*1*) shall not apply to dues which are recoverable under the Cess Act, 1880, as if they were rent. Ben. Act IX of 1880

Ejectment to follow decree or order for rent.

60. When an arrear of rent is adjudged to be due from a tenure-holder not having a permanent or transferable interest in the land, the lease of such tenure-holder shall be liable to be cancelled and the tenure-holder shall be liable to ejectment: [1879, s. 32.]

Provided that no such cancellation or ejectment shall be made otherwise than in execution of a decree or order made under this Act.

Arrears of rent to be first charge on tenancy.

61. The rent of a tenancy shall be a first charge on the tenancy: [1879, s. 108 (*a*).]

Provided that, if a tenancy is sold in execution of a decree for arrears of rent, the purchaser shall acquire the tenancy free of all liability for rent which accrued due before the date of the sale, and any rent so due shall be a first charge on the sale-proceeds of the tenancy.

Commutation of Rent payable in Kind.

Application for commutation of rent payable in kind.

61A. (*1*) When any tenure-holder or occupancy-raiyat pays for a tenure or holding rent in kind, or on the estimated value of a portion of the crop, or at rates varying with the crop, or partly in one of those ways and partly in another, or partly in any of those ways and partly in money, then the rent so payable shall not be altered, whether by private contract or otherwise, except on the application of either the tenant or his landlord to have the rent commuted to a money-rent. [1885, s. 40.]

(*2*) Such application may be made to the Deputy Commissioner or a Revenue-officer.

(*3*) When any such application is made, the Deputy Commissioner or Revenue-officer may, after such inquiry as he thinks fit to make, determine the sum to be paid as money-rent, and may order that the tenant shall, in lieu of paying his rent in kind or otherwise as aforesaid, pay the sum so determined.

(*4*) In making the determination, the said officer shall have regard to—

(*a*) the average money-rent payable by tenants for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the vicinity;

(*b*) the average nett value of the rent actually received by the landlord during the preceding ten years, or during any shorter period for which evidence may be available;

(*bb*) the special circumstances (if any) which gave rise to the assessment of the rent payable by the tenant at the date of the application;

(*c*) the charges incurred by the landlord in respect of irrigation under the system of rent in kind, and the arrangements made on commutation for continuing those charges; and

(*d*) improvements effected by the landlord or the tenant in respect of the holding;

and shall proceed in the prescribed manner.

(*5*) The order shall be in writing, and shall state the grounds on which it is made and the time from which it is to take effect.

(*6*) When any such order is made by a Deputy Commissioner, it shall be subject to appeal as provided in Chapter XVI.

(*7*) When any such order is made by a Revenue-officer, an appeal shall lie in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer.

(*8*) If the application is opposed, the officer shall consider whether, under all the circumstances of the case, it is reasonable to grant it, and shall grant or refuse it accordingly. If he refuses it he shall record in writing the reasons for the refusal.

(*9*) (*Omitted.*)

Period for which commuted rents are to remain unaltered.

61B. (*1*) Where the rent of a tenure or holding has been commuted under section 61A,— [1885, s. 40A]

(*a*) it shall not be increased for a period of fifteen years, except—

(*i*) by order of the Deputy Commissioner, on the ground of a landlord's improvement or an alteration in the area of the tenure or holding, or

(*ii*) by order of a Revenue-officer passed under Chapter XII; and

(*b*) it shall not be reduced for a period of fifteen years, except—

(*i*) by order of the Deputy Commissioner, on one of the grounds specified in provisioes *i*) and (*iii*) to section 34, or

(*ii*) by order of a Revenue-officer passed under Chapter XII.

Penalties for illegal exaction of rent or prædial conditions.

Penalty on landlord levying anything in excess of rent or lawful prædial conditions.

62. (*1*) A landlord who, except under any special enactment for the time being in force, levies from a tenant any money in excess of the rent lawfully payable, with interest thereon, or enforces compliance by any tenant with any prædial condition to which he is not lawfully entitled, shall, on the application of the tenant, be liable,

under the order of the Deputy Commissioner, or of any officer who may be specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf,

to pay as penalty such sum as such officer thinks fit, not exceeding two hundred rupees, or, when double the amount or value of what is so levied or enforced exceeds two hundred rupees, not exceeding double that amount or value.

(*2*) Such sum shall be awarded to the tenant as compensation,

63. (*Omitted.*)

CHAPTER X.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS AS TO LANDLORD AND TENANT.

Korkar.

Cases in which consent of landlord is required for conversion of land into korkar.

64. (*1*) The oral or written consent of the landlord for the conversion of land into korkar shall be required in every case except—

(*a*) where the land was, before such conversion, included in the tenancy of a cultivator who has acquired a right of occupancy in it, or

(*b*) where, by the custom or usage of the village, tenure or estate, such consent is not necessary.

(*2*) It shall be presumed, unless and until the contrary is proved, that the said consent is not required,—

(*i*) where any land in a village, other than land known as manjhihas or bethkheta, is entered in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869,—by a member of a Bhuinhari family, or

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(*ii*) where any land in a village is entered as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, or any tenant of land in a village is entered as a Mundari khunt-kattidar, in any record-of-rights finally published under this Act or under any other law in force before the commencement of this Act,—by a member of a Mundari khunt-katti family,

who holds land in such village.

Such consent to be deemed to have been given when ejectment not sought.

65. Where the consent of the landlord is required by section 64 for the conversion of land into korkar, such consent shall be deemed to have been given if, within two years from the date on which the cultivator commenced such conversion, the landlord has not made an application to the Deputy Commissioner for the ejectment of the cultivator.

Power to eject cultivator or leave him in possession.

66. When any such application is made, the Deputy Commissioner may, after making such inquiry as he thinks fit,—

(*a*) order the ejectment of the cultivator from the land so converted into korkar, upon payment by the landlord of such reasonable compensation (if any) as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, or

(*b*) direct that the cultivator be left in undisturbed possession of the land.

Prohibition against conversion of certain land into korkar.

67. Nothing in section 64 or section 65 shall authorize any cultivator to convert into korkar any orchard or cultivated or homestead land in the direct possession of any other person.

Right of occupancy in korkar.

68. Every raiyat who cultivates or holds land which he or any member of his family has converted into korkar shall have a right of occupancy in such land, notwithstanding that he has not cultivated or held the land for a period of twelve years. [1879, s. 6, para. 4.]

69. [*Transferred to clause 76*]

Ejectment.

Tenant not to be ejected except in execution of decree.

70. No tenant shall be ejected from his tenancy or any portion thereof except in execution of a decree, or in execution of an order of the Deputy Commissioner passed under this Act. [1885, s. 89.

Relief against forfeitures.

70A (*1*) Every decree or order for the ejectment of an occupancy raiyat or a non-occupancy raiyat on the ground— [1885, s. 155

(*a*) that he has used the land comprised in his holding in a manner which is not authorized by local custom or usage or which materially impairs the value of the land or renders it unfit for the purposes of the tenancy; or

(*b*) that he has broken a condition, consistent with this Act, on breach of which he is, under the terms of a contract between himself and his landlord, liable to ejectment,

shall declare the amount of compensation which would reasonably be payable to the plaintiff for the misuse or breach, and whether, in the opinion of the Court, the misuse or breach is capable of remedy; and shall fix a period during which it shall be open to the defendant to pay that amount to the plaintiff, and, where the misuse or breach is declared to be capable of remedy, to remedy the same.

(*2*) The Court may from time to time, for special reasons, extend a period fixed by it under sub-section (*1*).

(*3*) If the defendant, within the period or extended period (as the case may be) fixed by the Court under this section, pays the compensation mentioned in the decree or order, and, where the misuse or breach is declared by the Court to be capable of remedy, remedies the misuse or breach to the satisfaction of the Court, the decree shall not be executed.

Decree or order for ejectment when to take effect.

70B. A decree or order for ejectment passed under this Act shall take effect from the end of the agricultural year in which it is passed, or at such earlier date (if any) as the Court may direct. [1885, s. 46 (*10*)

Power to replace in possession tenant unlawfully ejected.

71. If any tenant is ejected from his tenancy or any portion thereof in contravention of section 70, he may, within a period of one year (or, if he is an occupancy-raiyat, three years) from the date of such ejectment, present to the Deputy Commissioner an application praying to be replaced in possession of such tenancy or portion; and the Deputy Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, after making a summary inquiry, replace him in possession in the prescribed manner.

Surrender and Abandonment.

Surrender of land by raiyat.

72. (*1*) A raiyat not bound by a lease or other agreement for a fixed period may, at the end of any agricultural year, surrender his holding. [1885, s. 86 (*1*), (*2*), (*4*), (*6*), (*7*). *Cf.* 1879, s. 29.]

(*2*) But, notwithstanding the surrender, the raiyat shall be liable to indemnify the landlord against any loss of the rent of the holding for the agricultural year next following

the date of the surrender, unless he gives to his landlord, at least four months before he surrenders, notice of his intention to surrender.

(*3*) The raiyat may, if he thinks fit, cause the notice to be served through the Court of the Deputy Commissioner within whose jurisdiction the holding or any portion of it is situate.

(4) When a raiyat has surrendered his holding, the landlord may enter on the holding and either let it to another tenant or take it into cultivation himself.

(5) Nothing in this section shall affect any arrangement by which a raiyat and his landlord may arrange for a surrender of the whole or a part of the holding.

Abandonment of land by raiyat.

73. (1) If a raiyat voluntarily abandons the land held or cultivated by him, without notice to the landlord, and ceases either himself or through any other person to cultivate the land and to pay his rent as it falls due, the landlord may, at any time after the expiration of the agricultural year in which the raiyat so abandons and ceases to cultivate, enter on the holding and let it to another tenant or take it into cultivation himself. [1885, s. 7 (1 to (3).]

(2) Before a landlord enters under this section, he shall send a notice to the Deputy Commissioner, in the prescribed manner, stating that he has treated the holding as abandoned and is about to enter on it accordingly; and the Deputy Commissioner shall cause a notice of the fact to be published in the prescribed manner.

(3) When a landlord enters under this section, the raiyat shall be entitled to apply to the Deputy Commissioner for the recovery of possession of the land at any time not later than the expiration of three years, in the case of an occupancy-raiyat, or, in the case of a non-occupancy raiyat, one year, from the date of the publication of the notice; and thereupon the Deputy Commissioner may, on being satisfied that the raiyat did not voluntarily abandon his holding, restore him to possession, in the prescribed manner, on such terms (if any) with respect to compensation to persons injured and payment of arrears of rent as to the Deputy Commissioner may seem just.

Continuance of Occupation.

Effect of lease purporting to admit to occupation after occupation has commenced.

74. When a tenure-holder, village headman or raiyat has been in occupation of a tenure or holding, and a lease is executed with a view to the continuance of such occupation, he shall not be deemed to be admitted to occupation by that lease, notwithstanding that the lease may purport to admit him to occupation. 1885, s. 47.

Measurements.

Measurement of lands.

75. (*1*) Every landlord of an estate, tenure or Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy shall have a right to make a general survey or measurement of the lands comprised in such estate, tenure or tenancy, unless restrained from doing so by express engagement with the occupants of the lands. 1879, s. 33. 1885, s. 91(2).

(*2*) If any landlord intending to measure any land which he has a right to measure is opposed in making such measurement by the occupant of the land,

or if any tenant, having received notice of the intended measurement of land held or cultivated by him, which is liable to such measurement, refuses to attend and point out such land,

the landlord may present an application to the Deputy Commissioner.

(*3*) On receipt of such application the Deputy Commissioner shall, after taking such evidence and making such inquiry as he considers necessary, pass an order either allowing or disallowing the measurement, and, if the case so requires, enjoining or excusing the attendance of any tenant.

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(*4*) If any tenant, after the issue of an order enjoining his attendance, refuses or neglects to attend, any map or other record of the boundaries and measurements of the land, prepared under the direction of the landlord at the time when the tenant was directed to attend, shall be presumed to be correct until the contrary is shown.

CHAPTER XI.

CUSTOM AND CONTRACT.

Saving of custom.

76. Nothing in this Act shall affect any custom, usage or customary right not inconsistent with, or not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, its provisions. [1885, s. 180.

Illustrations.

I. A custom or usage whereby a raiyat obtains a right of occupancy as soon as he is admitted to occupation of the tenancy, whether he is a settled raiyat of the village or not, is not inconsistent with, and is not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, the provisions of this Act. That custom or usage, accordingly, wherever it exists, will not be affected by this Act.

II. A custom or usage by which an under-raiyat can obtain rights similar to those of an occupancy-raiyat is, similarly, not inconsistent with, and is not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, the provisions of this Act, and will not be affected by this Act.

III. A custom or usage whereby a raiyat is entitled to make improvements on his tenancy and to receive compensation therefor on ejectment is not inconsistent with, and is not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, the provisions of this Act. That custom or usage, accordingly, wherever it exists, will not be affected by this Act.

IV. A custom or usage whereby Korkar is held—

(*a*) during preparation for cultivation, rent-free, or

(*b*) during or after preparation, at a rate of rent less than the rate payable for ordinary raiyati land in the same village, tenure or estate,

is not inconsistent with, and is not expressly or by necessary implication modified or abolished by, the provisions of this Act. That custom or usage, accordingly, wherever it exists, will not be affected by this Act.

Saving as to service tenures and holdings.

77. Except in so far as the Local Government may otherwise direct by notification, nothing in this Act shall affect any incident of a ghatwali or other service tenure or holding. [1885, s. 181.

Homesteads.

77A. When a raiyat holds his homestead otherwise than as part of his holding as a raiyat, the incidents of his tenancy of the homestead shall be regulated by local custom or usage, and, subject to local custom or usage, by the provisions of this Act applicable to land held by a raiyat. [1885, s. 182.]

Restrictions on exclusion of Act by agreement.

78. (*1*) Nothing in any contract between a landlord and a tenant made before or after the commencement of this Act shall— [1885, s. 178.]

(*a*) bar in perpetuity the acquisition of an occupancy-right in land, or

(*b*) take away an occupancy-right in existence at the date of the contract, or

(*c*) entitle a landlord to eject a tenant otherwise than in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

(*2*) Nothing in any contract made between a landlord and a tenant between the 1st January, 1903, and the commencement of this Act shall prevent a raiyat from acquiring, in accordance with this Act, an occupancy-right in land not being landlords' privileged lands as defined in section 117.

(*3*) Nothing in any contract made between a landlord and a tenant after the commencement of this Act, shall—

(*i*) prevent a raiyat from acquiring, in accordance with this Act, an occupancy-right in land, or

(*ii*) take away or limit the right of an occupancy-raiyat to use land as authorized by section 19, or

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(*iii*) take away the right of an occupancy-raiyat to transfer his holding or any portion thereof subject to, and in accordance with, the provisions of this Act, or

(*iv*) take away the right of an occupancy-raiyat to apply for a reduction of rent under section 33, or

(*v*) take away the right of a tenant or landlord to apply for a commutation of rent under section 61A, or

(*vi*) affect the provisions of section 59 relating to interest payable on arrears of rent, or

(*vii*) take away the right of a raiyat to surrender his holding in accordance with section 72.

(*viii*) [*Omitted.*]

CHAPTER XII.

RECORD-OF-RIGHTS AND SETTLEMENT OF RENTS.

Power to order survey and preparation of record-of-rights.

79. (*1*) The Local Government may make an order directing that a survey be made and a record-of-rights be prepared, by a Revenue-officer, in respect of the lands in any local area, estate, or tenure or part thereof. [1885, s. 101 (*1*), (*3*), (*4*), and Notfn.]

(*2*) A notification in the Calcutta Gazette of an order under sub-section (*1*) shall be conclusive evidence that the order has been duly made.

(*3*) The survey shall be made and the record-of-rights shall be prepared in the prescribed manner.

Particulars to be recorded.

80. Where an order is made under section 79, the particulars to be recorded shall be specified in the order, and may include, either without or in addition to other particulars, some or all of the following, namely:— [1885, s. 10 and Notfn.]

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, Mundari khunt-kattidar, settled raiyat, occupancy-raiyat, non-occupancy-raiyat, raiyat having khunt-katti rights, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the name of each proprietor in the local area or estate;

(*f*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*g*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*h*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*i*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, jhil, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

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(*k*) the special conditions and incidents (if any) of the tenancy;

(*l*) any easement attaching to the land for which the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*m*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free—whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*n*) the right of any person, whether a landlord or tenant or not, to take forest-produce from jungle-land or waste-land, or to graze cattle on any land, in any village in the area to which the record-of-rights applies;

(*o*) the right of any resident of the village to reclaim jungle-land or waste-land, or to convert land into korkar.

Power to order survey and preparation of record-of-rights as to water.

81. The Local Government may, for the purpose of settling or averting disputes existing or likely to arise between landlords, tenants, proprietors, or persons belonging to any of these classes, regarding the use or passage of water, [1885, s. 105A and Notfn.]

make an order directing that a survey be made and a record-of-rights be prepared by a Revenue-officer, in order to ascertain and record the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in any local area, estate or tenure or part thereof, in respect of—

(*a*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, jhil, tank or well or any other source of supply; and

(*b*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land.

Preliminary publication, amendment and final publication of record-of-rights.

82. (*1*) When a draft record-of-rights has been prepared under this Chapter, the Revenue-officer shall publish the draft in the prescribed manner and for the prescribed period, and shall receive and consider any objections which may be made to any entry therein, or to any omission therefrom, during the period of publication. [1885, s. 105A and Notfn.]

(*2*) When such objections have been considered and disposed of in the prescribed manner, the Revenue-officer shall finally frame the record, and shall cause it to be finally published in the prescribed manner; and the publication shall be conclusive evidence that the record has been duly made under this Chapter.

(*3*) Separate draft or final records may be published under sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) for different local areas, estates, tenures or parts thereof.

Presumptions as to final publication and correctness of record-of-rights.

83. (*1*) In any suit or other proceeding in which a record-of-rights prepared and published under this Chapter, or a duly-certified copy thereof or extract therefrom, is produced, such record-of-rights shall be presumed to have been finally published, unless such publication is expressly denied; and a certificate, signed by the Revenue-officer, or by the Deputy Commissioner of any district in which the local area, estate or tenure or part thereof to which the record-of-rights relates is wholly or partly situate, stating that the record-of-rights has been finally published under this Chapter, shall be conclusive evidence of such publication. [1885, s. 105B and Notfn.]

(*2*) The Local Government may, by notification, declare, with regard to any specified area, that a record-of-rights has been finally published for every village included in that area; and such notification shall be conclusive evidence of such publication.

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(*3*) Every entry in a record-of-rights so published shall be evidence of the matter referred to in such entry, and shall be presumed to be correct until it is proved, by evidence, to be incorrect.

Settlement of fair rents.

84. (*1*) In every area in respect of which a survey is made and a record-of-rights is prepared under section 79, the Revenue-officer may settle fair rents in respect of any land held by a tenant. [1885, ss. 104, 104D, 105.]

(*1a*) Settlements of rents may be made under sub-section (*1*) either—

(*i*) on the application of any landlord or tenant, or

(*ii*) without such application, if the Local Government so directs.

(*2*) Such settlements shall ordinarily be made after the final publication of the record-of-rights, and shall not in any case be made on the application of a landlord or tenant after such final publication unless such application be made within two months from the date of the certificate of such final publication; but may in any case be made before such publication—

(*a*) with the consent of the parties concerned, or

(*b*) if the Revenue-officer considers that that course would, in the circumstances, be advisable.

(*2a*) Whenever a settlement of rents under this section is made after the final publication of the record-of-rights, reasonable notice shall first be given to the parties concerned; and an appeal shall lie, in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer, from such settlement.

(*3*) For the purpose of settling rents under this section, the Revenue-officer shall have regard to such rules as may be made in this behalf under section 256.

Decision of issues arising during course of settlement of rents.

85. Where, in any proceedings for the settlement of rents under section 84, any of the following issues arises, namely,— [1885, s. 105A.]

(a) whether the land is, or is not, liable to the payment of rent;

(b) whether the land, although entered in the record-of-rights as being held rent-free, is liable to the payment of rent;

(c) whether the relation of landlord and tenant exists;

(d) whether the land has been wrongly recorded as part of a particular estate or tenancy, or wrongly omitted from the lands of an estate or tenancy;

(e) whether the tenant belongs to a class different from that to which he is shown in the record-of-rights as belonging; or

(f) whether the special conditions and incidents of the tenancy, or any easement attaching to the land, have not or has not been recorded, or have or has been wrongly recorded,

the Revenue-officer shall try and decide such issue and settle the rent under section 84 accordingly.

Institution of suits before Revenue-officer.

86. (*1*) In proceedings under this Chapter, a suit may be instituted before a Revenue-officer, at any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights under sub-section (*2*) of section 82, for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry which a Revenue officer has made in, or any omission which he has made from, the record, whether such dispute be— [1885, s. 106.]

(*a*) between landlord and tenant, or

(*b*) between landlords of the same or of neighbouring estates, or

(*c*) between tenant and tenant, or

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(*d*) as to whether the relationship of landlord and tenant exists, or

(*e*) as to whether land held rent-free is properly so held, or

(*f*) as to any other matter;

and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute:

Provided that the Revenue-officer may, subject to such rules as may be made in this behalf under section 256, transfer any particular case or class of cases to a competent Civil Court for trial.

Provided also that in any suit under this section the Revenue-officer shall not try any issue which has been, or is already, directly and substantially in issue between the same parties, or between parties under whom they or any of them claim, in proceedings for the settlement of rents under this Chapter, where such issue has been tried and decided, or is already being tried, by a Revenue-officer under section 85 in proceedings instituted after the final publication of the record-of-rights.

(*2*) An appeal shall lie, in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer, from decisions passed under sub-section (*1*). [1885, s. 109A (2).]

Entry in record-of-rights of rents settled and decisions made

87. A note of all rents settled under section 84, and of all decisions under sub-section (*1*) and decisions on appeal under sub-section (*2*) of section 86, shall be made in the record-of-rights as finally published under section 82; and such note shall be considered as part of the record. [1885, ss. 107 (2), 109D.]

Revision by Revenue officer.

88. Any Revenue-officer specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf may, on application or of his own motion, within twelve months from the making of any order or decision under section 82, section 84 or section 85, revise the same, whether it was made by himself or by any other Revenue-officer, but not so as to affect any order passed under section 86: [1885, s. 108

Provided that no such order or decision shall be so revised if a suit or an appeal in respect thereof is pending under section 86, or until reasonable notice has been given to the parties concerned to appear and be heard in the matter.

Correction by Revenue-officer of mistakes in record-of-rights.

89. Any Revenue-officer specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf may, on application or of his own motion, within twelve months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights under sub-section (2) of section 82, correct any entry in such record-of-rights which he is satisfied has been made owing to a *bonâ fide* mistake: [1885, s. 109A and Notfn.]

Provided that no such correction shall be made if a suit or an appeal affecting such entry is pending under section 86, sub-section (*2*), section 110, clause (*8*) or clause (*10*), section 246 or section 247, or until reasonable notice has been given to the parties concerned to appear and be heard in the matter.

Stay of proceedings before Deputy Commissioner or Civil Court until expiration of six months after final publication of record-of-rights.

90. (*1*) When an order has been made under section 79, or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, directing the preparation of a record-of-rights, then, notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sections of this Chapter, no Deputy Commissioner or Civil Court shall, until six months after the final publication of the record-of-rights, entertain any suit or application (not being an application under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898), [1879, s. 28A. 1885, s. 111 and Notfn.] (V of 1898.)

(*a*) in which there is in issue, either directly or indirectly, the existence or non-existence, in the area to which the record-of-rights applies, of any right referred to in clause (*n*) of section 80, or

(*b*) for the alteration of the rent or the determination of the status of any tenant in such area:

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Provided that, if any person considers himself aggrieved by any act of waste or damage committed by any other person in respect of any waste-land or jungle-land during the period within which suits and applications are prohibited by this section, he may apply to the Deputy Commissioner, who may, after such inquiry as he thinks fit, by written order, prohibit the continuance of such waste or damage.

(2) The period during which the institution of a suit or the making of an application has been delayed by sub-section (1) shall be excluded in computing the period of limitation provided for such suit or application. [1885, s. 111 B (4).]

Bar to jurisdiction of Courts in matters relating to record-of-rights.

91. No suit shall be brought in any Court in respect of any order directing the preparation of a record-of-rights under this Chapter, or in respect of the framing, publication, signing or attestation of such a record or of any part of it. [1885, s. 111A, para. 1, and Notfn.]

Stay of applications and suits in which certain issues arise.

92. (1) When a record-of-rights in respect of any land has been prepared under this Chapter, and finally published, no application or suit affecting any such land or any tenant thereof shall, within six months from the date of the certificate of final publication of such record-of-rights, be made or instituted before the Deputy Commissioner or in any Civil Court for the decision of any of the following issues, namely :— [1885, s. 111 B, (1), (2), (4).]

(*a*) (*Omitted*)

(*b*) whether the relation of landlord and tenant exists ;

(*c*) whether the land is part of a particular estate or tenancy;

(*d*) whether there is any special condition or incident of the tenancy, or

(*e*) whether any easement attaches to the land.

(1*a*) If, before the final publication of the record-of-rights in such area, a suit involving the decision of any of the issues mentioned in sub-section (1) has been instituted before the Deputy Commissioner or in a Civil Court, the Revenue-officer shall not entertain any suit under section 86 involving the decision of the same issue.

(2) Where the making of an application or the institution of a suit has been delayed by sub section (1), the period of six months therein mentioned shall be excluded in computing the period of limitation provided for such suit or application.

Period for which rents entered in the record-of-rights are to remain unaltered.

93. (1) When the rent of an occupancy holding is entered in a record-of-rights which has been prepared and finally published under this Chapter or any law in force before the commencement of this Act, then, subject to the provisions of sections 86, 88 and 89, [1879, s. 28B, 1885, s. 113.]

such rent shall not, except on the ground of a landlord's improvement, be enhanced for a period of—

(*a*) fifteen years after the final publication of the record-of-rights, when such publication was made after the commencement of this Act, or

(*b*) seven years after the final publication of the record-of-rights, when such publication was made before the commencement of this Act ;

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and such rent shall not be reduced within the said periods, respectively, save on the ground of alteration in the area of the holding or on the ground that the soil of the holding has, without the fault of the raiyat, become permanently deteriorated by a deposit of sand or other specific cause, sudden or gradual;

and no demand for rent in respect of an occupancy holding, in excess of the amount entered in the said record-of-rights, shall be enforceable, save as provided in this Chapter or in section 31:

Provided that, in any area in respect of which a record-of-rights has been finally published before the commencement of this Act, a Revenue-officer may, on the application of any landlord, made within two years from the commencement of this Act, assess a fair rent on lands which are included in a holding and are assessable with rent but for which no rent has been paid or has been entered as payable in the record-of-rights.

(*2*) The periods of fifteen years and seven years mentioned in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) shall be counted from the date of the final publication of the record-of-rights.

Expenses of proceedings under this Chapter.

94. (*1*) When the preparation of a record-of-rights has been directed or undertaken under this Chapter, [1885, s. 114, & Notfn.]

the expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this Chapter in any local area, estate, tenure or part thereof (including expenses that may be incurred at any time, whether before or after the preparation of the record-of-rights, in the maintenance, repair or restoration of boundary-marks and other survey marks erected for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this Chapter), or such part of those expenses as the Local Government may direct,

shall be defrayed by the landlords, tenants and occupants of land in that local area, estate, tenure or part, in such proportions and in such instalments (if any), as the Local Government, having regard to all the circumstances, may determine.

(*2*) The cost of preparing copies of Survey maps and extracts from records-of-rights under this Chapter for distribution to landlords and tenants shall be deemed to be part of the expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this Chapter.

(*3*) The estimated amount of the expenses likely to be incurred for the maintenance, repair or restoration of boundary-marks for a period not exceeding fifteen years, or such part of such amount as the Local Government may direct, may be recovered in advance in the same manner as if such expenses had been already incurred.

(*4*) The portion of the expenses referred to in the foregoing provisions of this section which any person is liable to pay shall be recoverable by the Government as if it were an arrear of land-revenue due in respect of the said local area, estate, tenure or part.

Explanation.—The word "tenure" in this section includes all revenue-free and rent-free tenures and holdings within a local area, estate or tenure.

95. (*Omitted.*)

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Power of Revenue-officer to give effect to agreement or compromise.

96. In framing a record-of-rights, and in deciding disputes, under this Chapter, the Revenue-officer shall give effect to any lawful agreement or compromise made or entered into by any landlord and his tenant: [1885, s. 109 (1), (3), and Notfn.]

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) the Revenue-officer shall not give effect to any agreement or compromise the terms of which, if they were embodied in a contract, could not be enforced under this Act; and

(*b*) where the terms of any agreement or compromise are such as might unfairly or inequitably affect the rights of third parties, the Revenue-officer shall not give effect to such agreement or compromise unless and until he is satisfied by evidence that the statements made by the parties thereto are correct.

Illustration—A, a proprietor, agrees that B, his tenant, shall be recorded as an occupancy-raiyat. This affects the rights of the tenants of B. The Revenue-officer must, under proviso (*b*), inquire whether B is a tenure-holder or a raiyat, within the meaning of section 5 or section 6. If he finds, on the evidence, that B is a raiyat, he may give effect to the agreement. If he so finds that B is a tenure-holder, he must not give effect to the agreement.

Date from which settled rent takes effect.

97. When a rent is settled by a Revenue-officer under this Chapter, it shall take effect from the beginning of the agricultural year next after the date of the decision finally fixing the rent. [1885, s. 110.]

Revision of record-of-rights, and new settlement of rents, under orders of Local Government.

98. (*1*) The Local Government may at any time, either of its own motion or on the application of any landlord or tenant, direct that any record-of-rights which has been finally published under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, or any portion of any such record-of-rights, be revised, in the prescribed manner, but not so as to affect any rent entered therein. [1885, s. 104G (2), and Notfn.]

(*2*) At any time after the expiration of the period of—

(*a*) fifteen years from the date of the certificate of the final publication of a record-of-rights, when such publication was made after the commencement of this Act, or

(*b*) seven years from the date of the certificate of the final publication of a record-of-rights, when such publication was made before the commencement of this Act,

and thereafter at intervals of periods of fifteen years, the Local Government may, of its own motion or on the application of any landlord or tenant, direct—

(*i*) that such record-of-rights or any portion thereof be revised in the prescribed manner, and

(*ii*) that a settlement of rents payable by tenants be made under section 84.

(*3*) The foregoing sections of this Chapter shall, subject to any rules made in this behalf under section 256, apply to every revision and settlement referred to in sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*).

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Enhancement of rent where application under section 98 is rejected.

98A. If the Local Government rejects any application made by a landlord under section 98, sub-section (*2*), for a revision of a record-of-rights after the expiration of the period of fifteen years or the period of seven years, as the case may be, referred to in that sub-section, such landlord may apply to the Deputy Commissioner for the enhancement of any rent entered in such record-of-rights as being payable to him.

Validation of directions given, before the commencement of this Act, for the record of certain rights.

99. Where a direction has been given, in any order made under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, before the commencement of this Act, for the record of any rights of the kind mentioned in clause (*n*) of section 80 of this Act, such direction shall be deemed to be as valid as if the said clause had been enacted before such order was made. VIII of 1885.

CHAPTER XIII.

PRÆDIAL CONDITIONS, AND THE COMMUTATION AND RECORD THEREOF.

Prohibition against new prædial conditions.

100. From and after the commencement of this Act,— [1897, s. 10 (1).]

(*a*) no tenancy shall be created with any prædial condition attached, other than rent-free tenancies with the sole condition of rendering personal service; and

(*b*) no new prædial condition shall be imposed on any tenancy in existence at the time of such commencement.

(*2*) *(Omitted.)*

Liability of tenant when original conditions of tenancy can not be ascertained.

101. When the original conditions of a tenancy cannot be ascertained, the tenant shall not be liable to any prædial conditions other than or in excess of those to which, by local custom or usage, he, in common with the general body of the class to which he belongs in the village, tenure or estate in which the lands of the tenancy are situated, is liable:

Provided that, in any case in which prædial conditions have been complied with by a tenant for a period of five years continuously, any Revenue-officer acting under this Chapter may, when commuting such conditions under this Chapter, presume that the same have been complied with in accordance with local custom or usage or in accordance with an express or implied contract made at the commencement of the tenancy.

Method of calculating present value of prædial condition.

102. When, in any proceedings under this Act, it becomes necessary for a Court to calculate the value of any prædial condition, such value shall be taken to be its average value during the ten years immediately prior to the proceedings, or during any shorter period for which evidence may be available.

Procedure in suit to recover value of prædial conditions.

103. When, in any suit for the recovery of rent, it is sought to recover the value of the prædial conditions appurtenant to a tenancy, an issue may be framed as to whether the value of the prædial conditions, when added to the rent payable in respect of the tenancy, exceeds a fair rent; and, if it is found that the resulting amount exceeds a fair rent, the Court shall decree the rent and so much (if any) of the value of the prædial conditions as, together with the rent, will not exceed the sum which would, having regard to the special circumstances of the case, be a fair rent.

Voluntary commutation of prædial conditions.

104. (*1*) When any land is held subject to any prædial conditions, the tenant or the landlord may apply in writing to a Revenue-officer for commutation of such conditions. [1897, s. 4.]

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(2) The Revenue-officer shall thereupon cause a notice to be served on the landlord or the tenant, as the case may be, and shall fix a day for considering the application ; and on such day, or any day thereafter to which the hearing may be adjourned, shall proceed to inquire into the matter and to determine the amount which, in his judgment, is fairly and equitably payable in commutation of such conditions.

(3) In calculating the said amount, the Revenue-officer shall have regard only to the conditions to which the tenant is liable in accordance with local custom or usage or with any contract made when the tenancy commenced, and to the money value of such conditions at the time of making such calculation, and shall follow the procedure provided in section 102:

Provided that the amount payable in commutation shall be so fixed that the total annual rent of the land, including such amount as aforesaid, shall not exceed the sum which would, having regard to the special circumstances of the case, be a fair and reasonable rent if the land were not held subject to any prædial conditions.

Power to order record of prædial conditions, with or without commutation.

105. (1) The Local Government may, in any case in which it is, in its opinion, expedient so to do, make an order directing either— [1897, s. 5.]

(a) that a record of all prædial conditions to which the lands within any local area or any estate, tenure or part thereof are subject shall be prepared, and a commutation of such conditions made, by a Revenue-officer; or

(b) that a record as aforesaid be made by a Revenue-officer without commutation of such conditions as aforesaid.

(2) A notification in the Calcutta Gazette of an order under this section shall be conclusive evidence that the order has been duly made.

(3) The record of prædial conditions shall be prepared in the prescribed manner.

Preparation of record.

106. (1) Whenever an order is made under section 105, the Revenue-officer shall thereupon proceed to prepare a record containing the following particulars, namely :— [1897, s. 6.]

(a) the name of each tenant;

(b) the name of his landlord ;

(c) the rent payable for the lands held by each tenant at the time the record is being prepared ;

(d) the prædial conditions to which all or any of such lands are subject;

(e) the amount which, in the judgment of the Revenue-officer, may fairly be deemed payable in commutation of such conditions, and

(f) any other prescribed particulars.

(2) In calculating the amount payable in commutation of such conditions, the Revenue-officer shall be guided by the provisions of section 104, sub-section (3).

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Publication of record.

107. (*1*) When the Revenue-officer has prepared a record under section 106, he shall cause a draft of the same to be locally published in the prescribed manner and for the prescribed period, and shall receive and consider any objections which may be made to any entry therein or to any omission therefrom during the period of publication. [1898, s. 7.]

(*2*) When objections have been considered and disposed of in the prescribed manner, the record shall be finally framed and published in the prescribed manner.

(*3*) Separate drafts or records may be published under sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) for different local areas, estates, tenures or parts thereof.

Appeal from orders of Revenue-officers.

108. An appeal shall lie, in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer, from any order of a Revenue-officer under this Chapter. [1897, s. 8.]

Revision by Commissioner or Board.

109. The Commissioner or the Board may direct the revision of any record prepared under this Chapter, or any portion of such record, at any time within two years from the date of the final publication of the record, but not so as to affect any decision from which an appeal has been preferred under section 108: [1897, s. 9.]

Provided that no such direction shall be made until reasonable notice has been given to the parties concerned to appear and be heard in the matter.

Procedure where a survey and record-of-rights are being made.

110. In every local area, estate, tenure or part thereof, in which a survey is being made and a record-of-rights is being prepared under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, [1897, s. 9A.]

and in which a record of prædial conditions is being prepared and a commutation thereof is being made under an order issued under section 105,

sections 106 to 108 shall not apply, and the following provisions shall have effect, namely :—

(*1*) The Revenue-officer shall, at the time of attesting the preliminary record, ascertain all the prædial conditions to which, by local custom or usage or by contract made when the tenancy commenced, each tenant is liable, and the cash values of such conditions; and shall prepare a statement, in the prescribed form, showing the conditions and values so ascertained.

(*2*) In calculating the cash value of such conditions, the Revenue-officer shall be guided by the provisions of section 104, sub-section (*3*).

(*3*) The Revenue-officer shall enter in the *khatiyán* of each tenant the cash value of the prædial conditions (if any) to which such tenant is liable, as ascertained under clause (*1*).

(*4*) If any tenant is liable, by local custom or usage or by contract made when the tenancy commenced, to any prædial conditions other than those to which the general body of tenants are liable, or is not liable to all the prædial conditions to which the general body of tenants are liable, the Revenue-officer shall also specify in the *khatiyán* the prædial conditions to which such tenant is liable.

(*5*) The statement prepared under clause (*1*), and the entries in the *khatiyán*, shall be published in draft in the same manner and for the same period as the record-of-rights.

(*6*) Objections as to entries or omissions in the statement or *khatiyán* relating to prædial conditions may be made under the same conditions as objections to entries in or omissions from the record-of-rights, and shall be disposed of in the same manner as

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(7) After the disposal of objections, the said statement, and the entries in the *khatiyan* relating to prædial conditions, shall be finally published at the same time and in the same manner as the record-of-rights.

(8) At any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights, a suit may be instituted before a Revenue-officer, for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry in the record relating to prædial conditions or regarding any omission to enter any such conditions in the record; and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute.

(9) In all such suits the Revenue-officer shall, subject to any rules made in this behalf under section 256, adopt the procedure laid down in Chapter XVI for the trial of suits.

(10) An appeal shall lie, in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer, from any decision of a Revenue-officer under clause (8).

Note of decisions in record-of-rights.

111. A note of all decisions under clause (8) and decisions on appeal under clause (10) of section 110 shall be made in the record-of-rights as finally published under section 82, and such note shall be considered as part of the record.

Decision of question as to whether a payment in kind is a prædial condition or a payment of rent in kind.

112. Where, in any proceeding under this Chapter or under section 61A, a question arises as to whether a payment in kind is a prædial condition or a payment of rent in kind, the Revenue-officer acting under this Chapter, or the officer acting under section 61A, as the case may be, shall, after such inquiry as he may consider necessary, decide whether in fact the payment is a prædial condition or not.

Commencement and effect of commutation.

113. (1) When the commutation of any prædial conditions is settled under this Chapter, for any local area or estate, tenure or part thereof, the settlement shall take effect from the beginning of the agricultural year next after the final publication of the record. [1897, s. 10.

(2) The amount determined by a Revenue-officer under this Chapter to be payable by a tenant in commutation of prædial conditions shall be deemed to be part of the rent payable by the tenant, and shall be recoverable accordingly.

Expenses of voluntary commutation.

114. (1) (*Transferred to clause 253B*). [1897, s. 11.]

(2) When in any case the proceedings under section 104 have been completed, the Revenue-officer shall apportion the total expenses thereof between the landlord and tenant in such proportion as, having regard to all the circumstances, he may deem fit; and the amounts so apportioned shall be recoverable as an arrear of land-revenue.

(3) (*Transferred to clause 253B*).

Expenses of record and compulsory commutation.

115. (1) The expenses incurred by the Government in carrying out in any local area or any estate, tenure or part thereof any order made under section 105, or such part of those expenses as the Local Government may direct, shall be defrayed by the landlords and tenants of land in that local area, estate, tenure or part, in such proportions as the Local Government, having regard to all the circumstances, may determine. [1897, s. 12.]

(2) The portion of the aforesaid expenses which any person is liable to pay shall be recoverable by the Government as if it were an arrear of land-revenue due in respect of the said local area, estate, tenure or part.

Explanation.—The word "tenure" in this section includes all revenue-free and rent-free tenures and holdings within a local area, estate or tenure.

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Saving of right to claim reduction or enhancement of rent.

116. No proceedings under this Chapter shall bar the right of any tenant or landlord to claim a reduction or enhancement of rent under this Act after such proceedings have been completed. [1897, s. 12A.

CHAPTER XIV.

RECORD OF LANDLORDS' PRIVILEGED LANDS.

Definition of "landlords privileged lands."

117. (*1*) The expression "landlords' privileged lands," as used in this Chapter, means— [1879, s. 6, para 1. 1885, ss. 116, 120 (*1*) (*a*).]

(*a*) lands which are cultivated by the landlord himself with his own stock or by his own servants or by hired labour, or are held by a tenant on lease for a term of years or year by year, and which are, by custom, recognised as privileged land in which occupancy-rights cannot accrue, and

(*b*) lands which are entered as manjhihas or bethkheta in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869. Ben. Act II of 1869.

(*2*) From such date as the Local Government may, by notification, direct, no lease shall be considered for the purposes of clause (*a*) of this section unless it be in writing.

Power of Local Government to direct a Revenue-officer to make a survey and record of landlords' privileged lands.

118. The Local Government may, by notification, direct a Revenue-officer to make a survey and record of all lands in any specified local area which are landlords' privileged lands within the meaning of clause (*a*) of section 117. [1885, s. 117.

Application of certain sections.

118A. When a notification has been published under section 118, directing the making of a record, the provisions of sections 82, 83, 86, 87, 89, 94 and 96, so far as they may be applicable, shall apply to such record as if it were a record-of-rights referred to in those sections. [1885, s. 119.

Power for Revenue-officer to record landlords' privileged lands on application of landlord or tenant.

119. When any land is alleged to be a landlord's privileged land within the meaning of clause (*a*) of section 117, then, on the application of the landlord or of any tenant of the land, and on his depositing the required amount for expenses, a Revenue-officer may ascertain and record whether the land is or is not landlord's privileged land within the meaning of the said clause: [1885, s. 118.]

Provided that, when a record of such lands has been or is being made by a Revenue-officer under section 118, no application shall be entertained under this section.

Procedure of Revenue-officer.

120. In any inquiry under this Chapter, a Revenue-officer— [1885, s. 120 (2).]

(*1*) shall have regard to any evidence that may be available in respect of the following among other matters, namely:—

(*a*) who originally reclaimed the lands and brought them under cultivation,

(*b*) whether the lands have at any time been let as landlords' privileged lands or as raiyati lands, and

(*c*) whether the lands have, since their reclamation, been let year by year, or for specific periods, or for indefinite periods; and

(*2*) shall proceed in the prescribed manner; and

(*3*) shall receive in evidence any judgment, decree or order of a Civil Court or of the Deputy Commissioner, if the same be relevant;

but no such judgment, decree or order shall be conclusive proof that the lands are, or are not, landlords' privileged lands.

Presumption that lands are not landlords' privileged lands.

120A. In any inquiry by a Revenue-officer under this Chapter, or by any Court, as to whether lands are or are not landlords' privileged lands, the officer or Court shall presume, until the contrary is proved, that the lands are

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No land to be recorded as landlords' privileged lands in village containing manjhihas or bethkheta.

121. Where any land in any village is entered as manjhihas or bethkheta in any register prepared and confirmed under the Chota Nagpur Tenures Act, 1869, a Revenue-officer acting under this Chapter shall not record any other lands in that village as being landlords' privileged lands. Ben. Act of 1869.

Exclusion of unrecorded lands from category of landlords' privileged lands.

121A. When a record of landlords' priviliged lands has been prepared under section 118 for any area, no other lands in that area shall be deemed to be landlords' privileged lands.

Appeal.

122. An appeal shall lie, in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer, from decisions and orders of a Revenue-officer under this Chapter.

CHAPTER XV.

RECORD OF RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF RAIYATS HAVING KHUNT-KATTI RIGHTS, VILLAGE HEADMEN AND OTHER CLASSES OF TENANTS.

Record of rights and obligations of raiyats having khunt-katti rights, village headmen, and other classes of tenants.

123. (*1*) The Local Government may make an order directing that a record be prepared by a Revenue-officer of the rights and obligations in any specified local area of—

(*a*) raiyats having khunt-katti rights;

(*b*) headmen of villages or groups of villages, whether known as mankis or pradhans or manjhis or otherwise; or

(*c*) any other class of tenants;

and that a settlement of fair rents to be paid by such persons, or any of them, be made.

Explanation.—The word "rights," as used in this sub-section, includes the right of a village-headman to hold his office, as well as his right to hold land.

(*2*) A notification in the Calcutta Gazette of an order under this section shall be conclusive evidence that the order has been duly made.

Application of certain sections.

123A. (*1*) When a notification has been published under section 123, directing the preparation of a record, the provisions of section 82, section 83, sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*), section 89, section 91, section 94 and section 96, so far as they may be applicable, shall apply to such record as if it were a record referred to in those sections.

(*2*) When any such notification directs that a settlement of fair rents be made, the provisions of section 84 sub-sections (*2*), (*2a*) and (*3*), section 85, section 88 and section 97, so far as they may be applicable, shall apply to such settlement as if it were a settlement referred to in those sections.

Notice of entries to interested persons.

124. At the time of the final publication of a record prepared by a Revenue-officer under this Chapter, that officer shall cause a copy of the entries therein to be served, in the prescribed manner, on all persons interested in such entries, so far as such persons can be ascertained.

Suits to decide disputes as to entries in, or omissions from, record

125. (*1*) Where there is a dispute regarding the correctness of any entry made in a record prepared under this Chapter, or regarding any incorrect omission therefrom, a suit may be instituted, before a Revenue-officer, at any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record: Act XIX of 1879, sec. 161.

Provided that, in any suit under this section, the Revenue-officer shall not try any issue which has been, or is already, directly and substantially in issue between the same parties, or between parties under whom they or any of them claim, in proceedings for the settlement of rents, where such issue has been tried and decided, or is already being tried by a Revenue-officer acting under section 85 in proceedings instituted after the final publication of the record.

(*2*) In all suits under this section the Revenue-officer shall, subject to any rules made in this behalf under section 256, adopt the procedure laid down in Chapter XVI for

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(*3*) An appeal shall lie, in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer, from the decision of the Revenue-officer in such suits.

Note of final decisions in record.

126. A note of all decisions under sub-section (*1*) of section 125, and of all decisions on appeal under sub-section (*3*) of that section, shall be made in the record prepared under section 123, and such note shall be considered as part of the record. [*cf.* 1879, s. 162.]

Evidential value of entries.

127. When a record has been finally published under section 123A, or amended under section 126, the entries made therein shall be conclusive evidence of the rights and obligations of the tenants to which such entries relate, and of all the particulars recorded in such entries. [*cf.* 1879, s. 162.]

Revenue-officer to have regard to origin and nature of tenancy and status of tenant.

128. In making inquiries under this Chapter into the rights and obligations of tenants, the Revenue-officer shall have regard to the origin and nature of each tenancy and to the real status of the tenant, notwithstanding that the tenant may have been described in any document as a thikadar or temporary lease-holder or in any other similar terms.

Exclusion of unrecorded lands from category of khunt-katti lands.

128A. When a record of the rights and obligations of raiyats having khunt-katti rights has been prepared under this Chapter for any local area, no lands in such area, which are not entered in such record, shall be recognized as lands in respect of which khunt-katti rights can be acquired.

CHAPTER XVI.

JUDICIAL PROCEDURE IN MATTERS COGNIZABLE BY THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

129. (*Transferred to clause 257(2).*)

Place for holding Deputy Commissioner's Court.

130. The Deputy Commissioner may hold a Court, for hearing and determining suits and applications under this Act, in any place within the local limits of his jurisdiction: [1879, s. 132.]

Provided that every hearing and decision shall be in open Court, and that the parties to the suit or application, or their agents, shall have had due notice to attend at such place.

Office for instituting suits and making applications.

131. Suits and applications before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall respectively be instituted and made— [1879, s. 146, paras. 1, 2, 3.]

(*a*) in the revenue office of the district; or

(*b*) when the cause of action has arisen within the local limits of the jurisdiction of a Deputy Collector who is in charge of a sub-division, then in the office of such Deputy Collector; or

(*c*) when the cause of action has arisen within the local limits of the jurisdiction of a Deputy Collector who is not in charge of a sub-division, but is specially empowered by the Local Government to receive such suits or applications, then in the office of such Deputy Collector; or

(*d*) in the office of the Revenue-officer having jurisdiction to entertain the same.

Withdrawal of suits.

132. The Deputy Commissioner may withdraw any suit from any Deputy Collector or Revenue-officer who is exercising powers of the Deputy Commissioner under this Act, and may try it himself or transfer it to any Deputy Collector. [1879, s. 146, para. 4.]

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Jurisdiction where land is situated in more than one district or sub-division.

133. (*1*) When any suit is instituted or application made in respect of any land comprised in a tenure or holding, and such land is situated in more than one district or sub-division, the district or sub-division in which the greater part of such land is situated shall be deemed to be the district or sub-division in which the cause of action has arisen; [1879, s. 147.]

and, if any question be raised respecting the district or sub-division in which the greater part of the land is situated, the Board or (if the land is situated in one district) the Deputy Commissioner shall decide the question.

(*2*) Except as provided in sub-section (*1*), no Deputy Commissioner shall exercise any jurisdiction under this Act in respect of any land situated beyond the local limits of his jurisdiction, even if such land forms part of an estate the revenue of which is paid into the treasury of his district. [1879, s. 148.]

Certain suits and applications cognizable only by the Deputy Commissioner.

134. The following suits and applications shall be cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner, and shall be instituted and tried or heard under the provisions of this Act, and shall not be cognizable in any other Court, except as otherwise provided in this Act, namely:— [1879, s. 37.]

(*1a*) all suits for the delivery of leases or counterpart engagements;

(*1*) all suits and applications for the determination of the rent payable by any tenant for agricultural land;

(*2*) all suits for arrears of rent due on account of—

(*a*) agricultural land, whether subject to the payment of rent or only to the payment of dues which are recoverable as if they were rent, or

(*b*) rights of pasturage, rights to take forest-produce, rights of fishery or other similar rights;

(*3*) all suits under this Act to eject any tenant of agricultural land or to cancel any lease of agricultural land;

(*4*) all applications to recover the occupancy or possession of any land from which a tenant has been unlawfully ejected by the landlord or any person claiming under or through the landlord;

(*5*) [*Omitted.*]

(*6*) all suits by or against headmen of villages or groups of villages (whether known as mankis or pradhans or manjhis or otherwise) for a declaration of title in, or for possession of, their office or agricultural land, whether based or not on an allegation of the existence or non-existence of the relationship of landlord and tenant;

(*7*) all suits, by landlords and others in receipt of the rent of land, against any agents employed by them in the management of land or the collection of rents, or the sureties of such agents, for money received or accounts kept by such agents in the course of such employment, or for papers in their possession; and

(*8*) all suits and applications in respect of which jurisdiction is conferred by this Act on the Deputy Commissioner.

135. [*Omitted.*]

Collective suits or applications.

136. Subject to such rules (if any) as may be made in this behalf under section 256, a suit may be instituted before, or an application may be made to, the Deputy Commissioner collectively by or against any number of tenants holding land in the same village, and an allegation that such tenants are wrongly joined shall be no ground for dismissing a suit or refusing to hear an application; [1879, s. 39.]

The Chota Nagpur Tenancy Bill, 1908.

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but no order shall be passed in any such collective suit or on any such collective application unless the officer making the same is satisfied that all parties have had an opportunity to appear and make objection to any claims preferred against them;

and if at any time it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the question between any two of the parties of whom one is so joined with others cannot conveniently be jointly tried or heard, the Deputy Commissioner may order a separate trial or hearing.

Order or decree in collective suit or on collective application to specify how far it affects each tenant.

137. Every order or decree passed in any case which is tried or heard jointly under section 136 shall specify the extent to which each of the tenants named in the order or decree shall be affected thereby. [1879, s. 40.]

138. [*Omitted.*]

Institution of suits by presentation of statement of claim.

139. Suits before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall be instituted by presenting a statement of claim showing— [1879, s. 46.]

(*a*) the name, description and place of abode of the plaintiff;

(*b*) the name, description and place of abode of the defendant, so far as they can be ascertained;

(*c*) the substance of the claim, and

(*d*) the date of the cause of action.

Additional particulars required in statement of claim in certain suits and in certain applications.

140. (*1*) In all suits and applications before the Deputy Commissioner for the recovery of an arrear of rent, or for the ejectment of a tenant from any tenure or holding, or for the recovery of occupancy or possession of any tenure or holding, the statement of claim or application shall contain, in addition to the particulars required by section 139,— [1879, ss. 47, 48, 1885, s. 148(*b*) and Notfn.]

(*a*) a specification of the situation and designation of the land held by the tenant, and

(*b*) a specification of the extent and boundaries of such land, or (if the plaintiff is unable to specify the extent or boundaries) a description sufficient for the identification of the land.

(*2*) In all suits and applications referred to in sub-section (*1*), and in all other suits and applications before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act relating to the rent of land or to any right or easement arising out of land, [1879, s. 47, 1885, s. 143 (*d*) & Notfn.]

if a survey has been made and a record-of-rights has been finally published under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, in respect of the land to which the suit relates,

the statement of claim or application shall further contain the following particulars, namely:—

(*i*) a list of the survey plots comprised in the tenancy,

(*ii*) a statement of the rental of the tenancy according to the record-of-rights, and

(*iii*) a copy of all entries in the record-of-rights in regard to the subject-matter of the suit or application,

unless the Deputy Commissioner is satisfied, for reasons to be recorded in writing, that it is not necessary that such particulars or any of them should be furnished or that the plaintiff was prevented by any sufficient cause from furnishing such particulars or any of them:

Provided that, in all cases in which the Deputy Commissioner admits a statement of claim or application which does not contain the said particulars, he may direct the supply, without payment of fee, of a verified or certified copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights relating to the tenancy and the question in dispute in the suit or application.

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(*Chapter XVI.—Judicial Procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner—Clauses 141—148.*).

(*3*) Where, since the record-of-rights was prepared and finally published, an alteration has been made in the area of the tenancy, the statement required by clause (*ii*) of sub-section (*2*) must also show the rental of the original tenancy according to the record-of-rights, and the statement of claim must further show how the amount of the rent claimed in the suit has been calculated. [1885, s. 148 (*b* 2) & Notfn.]

Substitution of copies or extracts for original documents admitted in evidence.

141. Where any account-books, rent-rolls, collection-papers, measurement-papers or maps have been produced by the landlord before the Deputy Commissioner in any suit or proceeding under this Act, and have been admitted in evidence in the suit or proceeding or in any inquiry pending before the Deputy Commissioner, copies of, or extracts from, such documents, certified by a duly authorized Officer of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner to be true copies or extracts, may, with the permission of the Deputy Commissioner, be substituted on the record for the originals, which may then be returned to the landlord; [1885, s. 148 (*f*).]

and thereafter copies or extracts, so certified, may be admitted in evidence in any other suit or proceeding instituted before the same or any other Deptuy Commissioner under this Act, unless the Deputy Commissioner before whom they are produced sees fit to require the production of the originals.

Statement of claim by whom to be presented.

142. The statement of claim shall be presented by the plaintiff, or by an agent of the plaintiff who is acquainted with the facts of the case. [1879, s. 49.]

Signature and verification of statement of claim.

143. The statement of claim shall be subscribed and verified at the foot, by the plaintiff or his agent, in the following form:— [1879, s. 50.]

"I, A B, do declare that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief."

Production of documents by plaintiff.

144. (*1*) If the plaintiff relies in support of his claim on any document in his possession, he must produce such document before the Deputy Commissioner at the time of presenting his statement of claim. [1879, s. 51.]

(*2*) If such document be not so delivered, it shall not afterwards be admitted unless the Deputy Commissioner, for sufficient reasons to be recorded in writing, thinks fit to admit it.

Production of documents by defendant.

145. If the plaintiff requires the production of any document in the possession or power of the defendant, he may, at the time of presenting his statement of claim, deliver a description of the document to the Deputy Commissioner, in order that the defendant may be directed to produce the document. [1879, s. 52.]

Return or amendment of statement of claim.

146. If the statement of claim does not contain the several particulars required by section 139 or by sections 139 and 140, as the case may be, or is not subscribed and verified as required by section 143, the Deputy Commissioner may return the statement to the plaintiff, or may at his discretion allow it to be amended. [1879, s. 53.]

Issue of summons to defendant.

147. If the statement of claim is in proper form, the Deputy Commissioner shall direct the issue of a summons to the defendant, in the prescribed form. [1879, ss. 54, 55.]

Attendance of defendant personally or by agent.

148. If the plaintiff requires the personal attendance of the defendant, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that such personal attendance is necessary, or if the Deputy Commissioner of his own accord requires such personal attendance, the summons shall contain an order for the defendant to appear personally on a day to be specified in the summons; otherwise the summons shall order the defendant to appear personally or by an agent who is acquainted with the facts of the case. [1879, s. 54.]

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(*2*) In all suits and applications referred to in sub-section (*1*), and in all other suits and applications before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act relating to the rent of land or to any right or easement arising out of land, [1879, s. 47, 1885, s. 148 (*b*) & Notfn.

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unless the Deputy Commissioner is satisfied, for reasons to be recorded in writing, that it is not necessary that such particulars or any of them should be furnished or that the plaintiff was prevented by any sufficient cause from furnishing such particulars or any of them:

Provided that, in all cases in which the Deputy Commissioner admits a statement of claim or application which does not contain the said particulars, he may direct the supply, without payment of fee, of a verified or certified copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights relating to the tenancy and the question in dispute in the suit or application.

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(*Chapter XVI.—Judicial Procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner—Clauses 141—148.*).

(*3*) Where, since the record-of-rights was prepared and finally published, an alteration has been made in the area of the tenancy, the statement required by clause (*ii*) of sub-section (*2*) must also show the rental of the original tenancy according to the record-of-rights, and the statement of claim must further show how the amount of the rent claimed in the suit has been calculated. [1885, s. 148 (*b* 2) & Notfn.]

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Statement of claim by whom to be presented.

142. The statement of claim shall be presented by the plaintiff, or by an agent of the plaintiff who is acquainted with the facts of the case. [1879, s. 49.]

Signature and verification of statement of claim.

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Production of documents by plaintiff.

144. (*1*) If the plaintiff relies in support of his claim on any document in his possession, he must produce such document before the Deputy Commissioner at the time of presenting his statement of claim. [1879, s. 51.]

(*2*) If such document be not so delivered, it shall not afterwards be admitted unless the Deputy Commissioner, for sufficient reasons to be recorded in writing, thinks fit to admit it.

Production of documents by defendant.

145. If the plaintiff requires the production of any document in the possession or power of the defendant, he may, at the time of presenting his statement of claim, deliver a description of the document to the Deputy Commissioner, in order that the defendant may be directed to produce the document. [1879, s. 52.]

Return or amendment of statement of claim.

146. If the statement of claim does not contain the several particulars required by section 139 or by sections 139 and 140, as the case may be, or is not subscribed and verified as required by section 143, the Deputy Commissioner may return the statement to the plaintiff, or may at his discretion allow it to be amended. [1879, s. 53.]

Issue of summons to defendant.

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Attendance of defendant personally or by agent.

148. If the plaintiff requires the personal attendance of the defendant, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that such personal attendance is necessary, or if the Deputy Commissioner of his own accord requires such personal attendance, the summons shall contain an order for the defendant to appear personally on a day to be specified in the summons; otherwise the summons shall order the defendant to appear personally or by an agent who is acquainted with the facts of the case. [1879, s. 54.]

The Chota Nagpur Tenancy Bill, 1908.

(Chapter XVI.—Judicial Procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner—Clauses 149—157A.)

Production of documents and witnesses.

149. *(1)* [*Omitted.*]

(2) The said summons shall order the defendant to produce any document which he has in his possession and of which the plaintiff demands inspection, or upon which the defendant may intend to rely in support of his defence ; [1879, s. 55.]

and shall also enjoin the defendant to bring his witnesses with him if they are willing to attend without issue of process.

150. [*Omitted.*]

Deposit of cost of serving summons or warrant.

151. *(1)* (*Transferred to clause 253.*) [1879, s. 56.]

(2) If the amount of the cost of serving the summons be not deposited in the prescribed manner, the claim shall be rejected; but in such case the plaintiff may present another statement of claim at any time within the period provided by this Act for the limitation of suits.

152, 153, 154. [*Omitted.*]

Procedure when neither party appears on day of trial.

155. If, on the day fixed by the summons for the appearance of the defendant, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be postponed prior to the framing of issues as provided in section 168, neither of the parties appears in person or by agent, the case shall be struck off, with liberty to the plaintiff to bring a fresh suit unless precluded by the provisions for the limitation of suits contained in this Act. [1879, s. 62.]

Procedure when only the defendant appears.

156. If, on such day, only the defendant appears, the Deputy Commissioner shall dismiss the suit, unless the defendant admits the claim or part thereof, in which case the Deputy Commissioner shall pass a decree against the defendant upon such admission, without costs, and, where part only of the claim has been admitted, shall dismiss the suit so far as it relates to the remainder: [1879, s. 63. Act XIV of 1882, s. 102.]

Provided that such decree, if there be more than one defendant, shall be only against the defendant who makes the admission.

Procedure when only the plaintiff appears.

157. If, on such day, only the plaintiff appears, the Deputy Commissioner, upon proof that the summons has been duly served, shall proceed to examine the plaintiff or his agent, and, after considering the allegations of the plaintiff and any documentary or oral evidence adduced by him, may either dismiss the case, or postpone the hearing of it to a future day for the attendance of any witness whom the plaintiff may wish to call, or decree the suit *ex parte* against the defendant. [1879, s. 64.]

Production of documents by defendant.

157A. If the defendant relies on any document in support of his defence, he shall produce it before the Deputy Commissioner at the first hearing of the suit; and, if such document is not so produced, it shall not afterwards be admitted, unless the Deputy Commissioner, for sufficient reasons to be recorded in writing, thinks fit to admit it. [1879, s. 71.]

The Chota Nagpur Tenancy Bill, 1908.

(Chapter XVI.—Judicial Procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner—Clauses 158—165.)

Hearing of defendant on day to which case is postponed.

158. If the defendant appears on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the suit may be postponed under section 157, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such conditions (if any) as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, allow the defendant to be heard in answer to the suit as if he had appeared on the day fixed for his attendance. [1879, s. 65.]

161. [*Omitted*]

Exemption of women from personal attendance.

162. A female plaintiff or defendant shall not be required to attend in person if of a rank or class which, according to the customs and manners of the country, would render it improper for her to appear in public. [1879, s. 79.]

Employment of agents.

163. (*1*) Any party to a suit before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act may employ an agent to conduct the case on his behalf; but the appointment of an agent shall not excuse the personal attendance of the plaintiff or defendant in cases where his personal attendance is required by the summons or by any order of the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, ss 80.]

(*2*) Processes served on any such agent shall be as effectual for all purposes in relation to the suit as if they had been served on the party in person; and all the provisions of this Act relating to the service of processes on a party to the suit shall be applicable to the service of processes on such agent.

Power to grant time to adjourn hearing.

164. The Deputy Commissioner may in any case grant time to the plaintiff or defendant to proceed in the prosecution or defence of a suit, and may also from time to time, in order to secure further evidence, or for other sufficient reason to be recorded by him, adjourn the hearing or further hearing of any case in such manner as he may think fit. [1879, s.

Examination and cross-examination of parties or their agents and of witnesses.

165. (*1*) When both parties appear in person on the day named in the summons, or upon any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be adjourned under section 164, the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to examine them, and either party or his agent may cross-examine the other. [1879, ss. 69 70.]

(*2*) If either of the parties is not bound to attend personally, any agent by whom he appears shall be examined and cross-examined in like manner as the party himself would have been if he had attended personally.

(*3*) At his first appearance, or at any time before the issues are framed, the defendant may, with the leave of the Deputy Commissioner, file a written statement of his defence.

(*4*) Such statement shall be verified in the manner provided in section 143.

(*5*) If either of the parties produces a witness on the day aforesaid, the Deputy Commissioner may take the evidence of such witness.

The Chota Nagpur Tenancy and Settlement Bill, 1908.

(Chapter XVI.—Judicial Procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner—Clauses 166—171.)

Conduct and record of examination.

166. (*1*) The examination of the parties or their agents shall be conducted according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses. [1879, s. 69.]

(2) The depositions of parties, agents and witnesses shall be recorded in English, or, if the Deputy Commissioner is not sufficiently acquainted with English, then in the vernacular language of the Deputy Commissioner.

Power to direct attendance of party whose agent cannot answer material question.

167. If the agent of either party is unable to answer any material question relating to the case, which the Deputy Commissioner is of opinion that the party whom he represents ought to answer and is likely to be able to answer if interrogated in person, the Deputy Commissioner may postpone the hearing of the case to a future day, and may direct that such party shall attend in person on such day; [1879, s. 70.]

and, if such party fails to appear in person on the day appointed, the Deputy Commissioner may decide the suit as in case of default, or make such other order as he may deem proper in the circumstances of the case.

Decree when to be made.

167A. If, after the examination required by section 165, and after the examination of any witness who may attend to give evidence on behalf of either of the parties, and after a consideration of the documentary evidence adduced, a decree can properly be made without taking further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall make a decree accordingly. [1879, s. 72.]

Power to postpone trial to take further evidence.

168. If it appears that the parties are at issue on any question upon which it is necessary to hear further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall frame issues, and shall fix a day for the examination of witnesses and the final hearing of the suit; and the trial shall take place on that day, unless there be sufficient reason for adjourning it, which reason shall be recorded by the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 71.]

Production of witnesses.

168A. The parties shall produce their witnesses on the day of the trial; and, if either party requires assistance to procure the attendance of a witness on such day, either to give evidence or to produce a document, he shall apply to the Deputy Commissioner in sufficient time before such day to enable the witness to be summoned and to attend on that day; and, if the application be made in sufficient time as aforesaid, the Deputy Commissioner shall issue a summons requiring such witness to attend. [1879, s. 75.]

Procedure when neither party appears on day fixed for final hearing of suit.

168B. (*1*) If, on the day fixed for the final hearing of the suit, neither of the parties appears, the case shall be struck off under the conditions provided in section 155. [1879, s. 77.]

(*2*) If, on such day, only one of the parties appears, the suit may be tried and determined, in the absence of the other party, upon such proof as may then be before the Court.

Judgment.

171. (*1*) The Deputy Commissioner shall pronounce judgment in open Court. [1879, s. 89.]

(*2*) The judgment shall be written in English, and shall contain the reasons for the decision, and shall be dated and signed by the Deputy Commissioner at the time when it is pronounced:

Provided that any judgment may be written in the vernacular if the Deputy Commissioner is not sufficiently acquainted with English.

The Chota Nagpur Tenancy Bill, 1908.

(Chapter XVI.—Judicial Procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner.—Clauses 172—174.)

Local inquiries.

172. (*1*) The Deputy Commissioner may, at any stage of a suit or other proceeding before him under this Act,— [1879,

(*a*) cause a local inquiry and report respecting the matter in dispute to be made by any officer subordinate to him, or by any other officer of the Government with the consent of the authority to whom such officer is subordinate, or by any other person whom the Deputy Commissioner may deem fit; or

(*b*) himself proceed to the spot and make such local inquiry in person.

(*2*) The provisions of the law for the time being in force, relating to local inquiries by Commissioners under orders of Civil Courts, shall apply to any local inquiry made under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*), and, so far as they are applicable, also to inquiries made under clause (*b*) of that sub-section.

(*3*) Where the Deputy Commissioner makes a local inquiry in person, he shall, forthwith record on the proceedings any relevant facts which he has observed in the course of the inquiry; and such record shall be received as evidence in the suit or other proceeding aforesaid.

Payment into Court by defendant, after tender to plaintiff.

173. (*1*) The defendant in any suit before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act may, if he has duly tendered the same to the plaintiff before the institution of the suit, pay into Court such sum of money as he may consider to be due to the plaintiff, without paying in any costs incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment; and such sum shall immediately be paid out of Court to the plaintiff. [1879, s. 83

(*2*) If, after such payment, the plaintiff elects to proceed with the suit, and ultimately obtains a decree for no more than was paid into Court, he may be charged with all costs of the suit incurred by the defendant; but, if the plaintiff ultimately obtains a decree for more than was paid into Court, the defendant may be charged with all costs of the suit.

Payment into Court by defendant, without prior tender to plaintiff.

174. (*1*) The defendant in any suit before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act may, without having tendered the same to the plaintiff before the institution of the suit, pay into Court such sum of money as he may consider to be due to the plaintiff, together with the costs (to be fixed by the Deputy Commissioner, if necessary, as upon a suit originally instituted for the amount so paid into Court) incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment; and such sum shall immediately be paid out of Court to the plaintiff. [1879, s. 84.]

(*2*) If, after such payment, the plaintiff elects to proceed with the suit, and ultimately obtains a decree for no more than was paid into Court, he may be charged with all costs of the suit incurred by the defendant subsequently to such payment; but, if the plaintiff ultimately obtains a decree for more than was paid into Court, the defendant may be charged with costs as upon a suit originally instituted for the whole amount for which the plaintiff ultimately obtains a decree, but shall have credit thereout for the amount of costs paid into Court by him in the first instance.

The Chota Nagpur Tenancy Bill, 1908.

(*Chapter XVI.—Judicial Procedure in matters cognizable by the Deputy Commissioner.—Clauses 175—178.*)

Prohibition of interest on sums so paid into Court.

175. From the date on which any sum is paid into Court by the defendant under section 173 or section 174, no interest shall be allowed to the plaintiff on such sum, whether it be in full satisfaction of his claim or falls short thereof. [1879, s. 85.]

Power to award damages to plaintiff in rent-suit.

176. (*1*) In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the defendant has, without reasonable or probable cause, neglected or refused to pay the amount due from him, [1879, s. 90. *Cf.* 1885, 68.]

and that he has not, before the institution of the suit, tendered such amount to the plaintiff or his agent, or, in case of refusal of the plaintiff or such agent to receive the amount tendered, has not deposited such amount in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner under section 56 before the institution of the suit,

the Deputy Commissioner may, for reasons to be recorded in writing, award to the plaintiff, in addition to the amount decreed for rent and costs, such damages, not exceeding twenty-five *per centum* on the amount of rent decreed, as the Court may think fit, unless interest due under section 59 is decreed.

(*2*) Any damages so awarded, as well as the amount of rent and costs decreed in the suit, shall carry interest, from the date of decree until payment thereof, at such rate *per centum* as the Deputy Commissioner deems reasonable.

Power to award compensation to defendant in rent-suit.

177. In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the plaintiff has instituted the suit against the defendant without reasonable or probable cause, [1879, s. 91.

or that the defendant, before the institution of the suit, duly deposited in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner, under section 56, the full amount which the Deputy Commissioner finds to have been due to the plaintiff at the date of such deposit,

the Deputy Commissioner may, for reasons to be recorded in writing, award to the defendant, by way of compensation, such sum, not exceeding twenty-five *per centum* on the whole amount claimed by the plaintiff, as the Deputy Commissioner may think fit.

Procedure where third party claims right to receive rent.

178. When, in any suit before a Deputy Commissioner under this Act between a landlord and a tenant, the right to receive the rent of the land or tenure cultivated or held by the tenant is disputed, and such right is claimed by or on behalf of a third person on the ground that such third person, or a person through whom he claims, has actually and in good faith received and enjoyed such rent before and up to the time of the institution of the suit, [1879, s. 87.

such third person shall be made a party to the suit, and the question of the actual payment of the rent to such third person in good faith shall be inquired into, and the suit shall be decided according to the result of such inquiry:

Provided that such decision shall not affect the right of any party, who may have a legal title to such rent, to establish such title by suit in a Civil Court, if instituted within one year from the date of the decision.

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Suit for ejectment of non-occupancy-raiyat, or cancelment of lease of other tenant, for arrears of rent.

179. (*1*) Any landlord desiring to eject a non-occupancy-raiyat on the ground that he has failed to pay an arrear of rent, or to cancel the lease of any tenant on account of the non-payment of arrears of rent, may sue for such ejectment or cancelment and for the recovery of the arrears in the same suit, or may, in a suit for such ejectment or cancelment, adduce any unexecuted decree for arrears of rent as evidence of the existence of such arrears. [1879, s. 8.]

(*2*) In all cases of suits for the ejectment of a non-occupancy-raiyat for non-payment of arrears of rent, or for the cancelment of a lease for non-payment of arrears of rent, the decree shall specify the amount of the arrear; and if such amount, together with interest and costs of suit, be paid into Court within thirty days from the date of the final decree, the decree shall not be executed.

(*3*) The Deputy Commissioner may, for special reasons to be recorded in writing, extend the period of thirty days mentioned in sub-section (*2*).

Power of Deputy Commissioner to grant lease to raiyat in default of landlord.

180. If a decree is given for the grant of a lease to a raiyat, and the landlord fails, for a period of three months after the date of the decree, to grant such lease, the Deputy Commissioner may grant a lease, in conformity with the terms of the decree, under his own hand and seal; and such lease shall have the same force and effect as if granted by the landlord. [1879, s. 92.]

Procedure where tenant fails to deliver counterpart engagement to landlord.

181. If a decree is given for the delivery of a counterpart engagement by a tenant to a landlord, and the tenant fails, for a period of three months after the date of the decree, to deliver such counterpart, the decree shall be evidence of the amount of rent claimable from such tenant, and a copy of the decree under the hand and seal of the Deputy Commissioner shall have the same force and effect as a counterpart engagement delivered by the tenant to the landlord. [1879, s. 93.]

Execution of Decrees and Orders of the Deputy Commissioner.

Limitation of time for application for execution.

182. No process of execution of any description whatsoever shall be issued on any decree or order passed by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act, except upon an application made within three years from— [1879, s. 105.]

(*a*) the date on which the decree or order is signed, or

(*b*) where there has been an appeal, the date of the final decree or order of the Appellate Court, or

(*c*) where there has been a review of judgment, the date of the decision passed on the review.

Decrees and orders by what Court to be executed.

182A. A decree or order passed by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act may be executed either by his own Court or by any other prescribed Court. [Act XIV of 1882, s. 223.]

Form of application for execution.

182B. Every application for the execution of a decree or order passed by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall be in writing, shall be made in the prescribed form, and shall be verified by the applicant or his agent in the form provided in section 143. [Act XIV of 1882, s. 235.]

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Issue of process of execution.

183. Process of execution may be issued against either the person or the property of a judgment-debtor, but shall not be issued simultaneously against both person and property. [1879, s. 99.]

Form of warrant of execution.

183A. Every warrant of execution against the person or moveable property of a judgment-debtor shall be in the prescribed form.

Exemptions from attachment and sale.

183B. The following particulars shall be exempt from attachment and sale in execution of any decree or order passed by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act, namely :— [Act XIV of 1882, s. 266, prov.]

(a) the necessary wearing apparel and bedding of the judgment-debtor, his wife and children;
(b) tools and implements of husbandry, and such cattle and seed-grain as may in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioners be necessary to enable the judgment debtor to earn his livelihood as an agriculturist;
(c) the materials of houses and other building belonging to and occupied by agriculturists;
(d) books of account;
(e) any right of personal service;
(f) stipends and gratuities allowed to military and civil pensioners of the Government, and political pensions,
(g) the wages of labourers and domestic servants;
(h) a right to future maintenance.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be deemed to exempt the materials of houses and other buildings from attachment or sale in execution of decrees for rent.

Explanation.—The particulars mentioned in clauses (*f*) and (*g*) are exempt from attachment or sale whether before or after they are actually payable.

Indication of moveable property to be seized.

184. (*1*) Any moveable property required to be seized under a warrant of execution shall, if practicable, be described in a list to be furnished by the judgment-creditor; but, if the creditor is unable to furnish such list, he may apply for a general seizure of the debtor's effects to the amount of the judgment and costs. [1879, s. 100.]

(*2*) In either case, the property to be seized shall be pointed out by the creditor or his agent to the officer entrusted with the execution of the warrant.

Duration of warrant of execution.

185. Every warrant of execution shall bear the date of the day on which it is signed by the Deputy Commissioner, and shall continue in force for such period as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, not being more than sixty days from such date. [1879, s. 101.]

Second and successive warrants of execution.

186. Second and successive warrants of execution may be issued, by order of the Deputy Commissioner, on the application of the judgment-creditor, after the expiration of the period fixed for the continuance in force of a previous warrant. [1879, s. 102.]

Notice when to be given before issue of warrant of execution.

187. (*1*) A warrant of execution shall not be issued upon any decree or order without previous notice to the party against whom execution is applied for, it, when application for the issue of the warrant is made, a period of more than one year has elapsed from the date of the decree or order, or from the date of the last previous application for execution. [1879, s. 103.]

(*2*) A warrant of execution shall not be issued against the heir or other representative of a deceased party without previous notice to such representative to appear and be heard. [1879, s. 104.

188.

Procedure when judgment-debtor is arrested.

189. (*1*) If a warrant is issued against the person of a judgment-debtor, the officer charged with the execution of the warrant shall bring him with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 106.]

(*2*) If the decree in execution of which the judgment-debtor was arrested is a decree for money, and if he does not immediately deposit in Court the full amount specified in the warrant, or make arrangements, satisfactory to the judgment-creditor, for the payment of the same, or satisfy the Deputy Commissioner that he has no present means of paying the same,

the Deputy Commissioner shall send him to the civil jail, there to remain for such time as may be directed by warrant addressed to the keeper of the jail, unless in the meantime he pays the said amount:

Provided that no judgment-debtor shall be imprisoned in execution of a decree under this Act for a longer period than six months or (if the decree is for the payment of a sum of money not exceeding fifty rupees) six weeks;

(*3*) If the decree in execution of which the judgment-debtor was arrested is a decree for the delivery of papers or accounts, and if the papers or accounts are not immediately delivered by him to the Deputy Commissioner,

the Deputy Commissioner may commit him to the civil jail, there to remain for such time, not exceeding six months, as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, unless in the meantime he delivers the papers or accounts according to the terms of the decree.

No second imprisonment under the same decree or order.

190. (*1*) When any judgment-debtor has been discharged from the civil jail, he shall not be imprisoned a second time under the same decree or order. [1879, s. 67.]

(*2*) If the amount due under such decree or order does not exceed fifty rupees, the Deputy Commissioner may declare such discharged person to be absolved from liability thereunder.

(*3*) In other cases the discharge shall not extinguish the liability of the discharged person under such decree or order, or exempt property belonging to him from attachment in execution thereof.

Diet-money for subsistence of prisoners.

191. (*1*) Any person who applies for a warrant of execution against the person of a judgment-debtor shall deposit in Court, at the time of the issue of the warrant, diet-money for thirty days, at such rate as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, for the subsistence of the prisoner. [1879, s. 103.]

(*2*) The said person shall also pay diet-money, at the same rate, before the commencement of each succeeding month of the imprisonment; and, if he fails to make any such payment, the prisoner shall be discharged. [1879, s. 109.]

(*3*) All diet-money spent in providing subsistence for any prisoner shall be added to the costs in the suit; and any diet-money not so spent shall be returned to the person who paid it. [1879, s. 110.]

Execution of decree or order for ejectment or re-instatement of cultivator.

192. (*1*) If the decree or order is for the ejectment of any cultivator from land occupied by him, or for the re-instatement of any cultivator in the occupancy of land from which he has been ejected, the decree or order shall be executed by giving the possession or occupancy of the land to the person entitled by the decree or order to such possession or occupancy. [1879, s. 94.]

(*2*) If any opposition to the execution of the order for giving such possession or occupancy is made by the party against whom the order is made, the Deputy Commissioner shall, in the exercise of his powers as a Magistrate, give effect to the order.

Execution of decree or order for cancelment of lease, or for ejectment or re-instatement of tenant not being an actual cultivator.

193. If the decree or order is for the cancelment of any lease, or the ejectment of any tenant (not being an actual cultivator), or for the re-instatement of any tenant (not being an actual cultivator) in the possession of a tenancy from which he has been ejected, the decree or order shall be executed— [1879, s. 95.]

(*a*) by proclaiming its substance to the cultivators or other occupants of the tenancy by beat of drum, or

(*b*) by notification reciting the substance of the decree or order and affixed in some conspicuous place within, or adjacent to, the tenancy, or

(*c*) in such other manner as may be prescribed.

194. [*Omitted.*]

Execution of decree for rent given in favour of sharer in undivided estate or tenure.

195. If a decree is given by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act in favour of a sharer in a joint undivided estate or tenure for money due to him on account of his share of the rent of any tenure comprised in such undivided estate or tenure, [1879, s. 127.]

application for the sale of such tenure shall not be received unless execution has first been taken out against any moveable property which the judgment-debtor may possess within the district in which the suit was instituted, and unless the sale of such property (if any) has proved insufficient to satisfy the decree;

and such tenure may then, with the previous sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be sold, in execution of the decree, in the manner in which any other immoveable property may be sold in execution of a decree for money under the provisions of sections 196 and 207.

Execution against immoveable property in certain cases, if judgment not satisfied.

196. In the execution of any decree or order by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act for the payment of money, not being money due or recoverable as an arrear of rent, [1879, s. 128.]

if satisfaction of the decree or order cannot be obtained by execution against the person or moveable property of the debtor within the district in which the suit was instituted,

the judgment-creditor may apply for execution against any immoveable property belonging to such debtor;

and such immoveable property may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be brought to sale in the manner provided in section 207.

Notification of intended sale of moveable property, and custody of property.

197. (*1*) For the purpose of executing a warrant of execution issued by the Deputy Commissioner under this Chapter against the moveable property of a judgment-debtor, the officer charged with the execution of the warrant shall prepare a list of the property pointed out by the judgment-creditor; and shall publish a proclamation specifying the day upon which the sale is intended to be held, and a copy of the said list, at the intended place of sale and at the residence of the debtor. [1879, s. 111.]

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(*2*) A copy of the said list and proclamation shall be transmitted to the Deputy Commissioner, and shall be affixed in his office.

(*3*) Until the day of sale, the said property shall remain in the custody of the officer executing the warrant.

Interval between seizure and sale.

198. No sale of any moveable property (other than perishable property) seized in execution under this Chapter shall be made until the expiration of a period of ten days after the day on which the property was so seized. [1879, s. 117.]

Place and manner of sale.

199. (*1*) Such sale shall be held at the place where the property is deposited, or at the nearest market or other place of public resort if the officer executing the warrant thinks it is likely to sell there to better advantage. [1879, s. 112.]

(*2*) The property shall be sold by public auction, in one or more lots as the officer executing the warrant may think advisable; and if the judgment-debt, and the costs of the execution and sale, are realised by the sale of a portion of the property, the execution shall immediately be withdrawn with respect to the remainder.

Prohibition of purchase by officers.

200. Officers executing warrants for the sale of property under this Chapter, and all persons employed by, or subordinate to, such officers, are prohibited from purchasing, either directly or indirectly, any property sold by such officers. [1879, s. 116.]

Postponement of sale if fair price be not offered.

201. If, on the property being put up for sale, no price which the officer executing the warrant considers fair is offered for it, and the owner of the property, or some person authorized to act on his behalf, applies to have the sale postponed until the next day, or the next market day if a market be held at the place of sale or in the vicinity, the sale shall be postponed until such day, and shall then be completed at whatever price may be offered for the property. [1879, s. 113.]

Payment of purchase money.

202. (*1*) The price of every lot shall be paid at the time of sale, or as soon thereafter as the officer executing the warrant may direct; and, in default of such payment, the property shall again be put up and sold. [1879, s. 114.]

(*2*) When the purchase-money has been paid in full, the officer executing the warrant shall deliver the propetry to the purchaser, with a certificate describing the property and stating the price paid.

Application of proceeds of sale.

203. (*1*) From the proceeds of the sale, the officer executing the warrant shall make a deduction, at the rate of one anna in the rupee, on account of the costs of the sale, and shall transmit the amount so deducted to the Deputy Commissioner in order that it may be credited to the Government. [1879, s. 115.]

(*2*) The said officer shall deal with the rest of the proceeds in the prescribed manner.

Procedure where third party claims interest in property seized.

204. (*1*) If, before the day fixed for the sale, a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner and claims a right or interest in any of the moveable property seized in execution, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party or his agent according to the law for the time being in force relating to the examination of witnesses; and, if he sees sufficient reason for so doing, may stay the sale of such property. [1879, s. 148.]

(*2*) The Deputy Commissioner shall, after taking evidence, adjudicate upon such claim, and shall make such order thereupon as he thinks fit. [1879, s. 119.]

(*3*) If the claimant fails to establish his right to the property seized in execution, the Deputy Commissioner may, by his order under sub-section (*2*), award to the judgment-creditor against the claimant, in addition to the costs of the proceedings, such sum as the Deputy Commissioner may consider sufficient to cover any loss of interest or any other damage which the judgment-creditor has sustained by reason of the postponement of the sale. [1879, s. 120.]

(*4*) The party against whom any order is passed by the Deputy Commissioner under this section may, at any time within one year from the date of the order, bring a suit in the Civil Court to establish his right: [1879, s. 21.]

Provided that, if the property has been sold, the suit shall not be for the recovery of the property, but for damages against the judgment-creditor by whom the property was brought to sale.

Irregularities not to vitiate sale.

205. No irregularity in publishing or conducting a sale of moveable property under a warrant of execution issued under this Chapter shall vitiate such sale; but nothing contained in this section shall bar any person who sustains damage by reason of any such irregularity from recovering damages by suit in the Civil Court, if instituted within one year from the date of the sale. [1879, s. 122.]

Sale of tenure or holding in execution of decree for arrears of rent.

206. (*1*) When a decree passed by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act is for an arrear of rent due in respect of a tenure or holding, the decree-holder may apply for the sale of such tenure or holding, and the tenure or holding may thereupon be brought to sale, in execution of the decree, according to the provisions for the sale of under-tenures contained in the Bengal Rent Recovery (Under-tenures) Act, 1865; and all the provisions of that Act, except sections 13, 14 and 15 thereof, shall, as far as may be, apply to such sale: [1879, s. 123, paras. 1 to 4. Ben. Act VIII of 1865.]

Provided that the Commissioner may, by order, in any case in which he may consider it desirable so to do,—

(*a*) prohibit the sale of any tenure or portion thereof, or

(*b*) stay any such sale for any period specified in the order:

Provided also that any sale of a resumable tenure under this section shall not affect the right of the grantor or his successor in title to resume such tenure, but shall be made subject to such right.

(*2*) When a warrant of execution has been issued under this Chapter against the person or moveable property of the judgment-debtor, no application shall be received under sub-section (*1*) while such warrant remains in force.

Sale of other property in execution of decree for arrears of rent of tenure or holding.

207. (*1*) If, after the sale of a tenure or holding in pursuance of section 206, any portion of the amount decreed remains due, process may be applied for against any other property, moveable or immoveable, belonging to the judgment-debtor. [1879, s. 123, para. 5.]

(*2*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (*1*), a decree-holder may, with the permission of the Deputy Commissioner, granted for reasons to be recorded in writing, proceed against any other property, moveable or immoveable, of the judgment-debtor, without first making application for the sale of the tenure or holding in respect of which the arrear has accrued.

(*3*) Property referred to in sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) may be brought to sale— [1879, s. 123, para. 5.]

(*a*) if moveable, in the manner provided in sections 197 to 203, and

(*b*) if immoveable, in the manner provided in sections 237, 238, 274 to 276, 278, 279 to 284, 286, 287, 289 to 294, 305 to 310, 312 to 316, 318, 319, 334 and 335 of the Code of Civil Procedure. XIV of 1882.

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Procedure where third party claims to be in lawful possession of tenure or holding.

208. (*1*) If, before the day fixed for the sale of any tenure or holding in pursuance of section 206, a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner and alleges that he, and not the person against whom the decree has been obtained, was in lawful possession of, or had some interest in, the tenure or holding when the decree was obtained, [1879, s. 125 Act XIV of 1882, s. 279.]

the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party according to the law for the time being in force relating to the examination of witnesses; and if he sees sufficient reason for so doing, and if such party deposits in Court or gives security for the amount of the decree, the Deputy Commissioner shall stay the sale, and shall, after taking evidence, adjudicate upon the claim:

Provided that no such adjudication shall be made if the Deputy Commissioner considers that the claim was designedly or unnecessarily delayed:

Provided also that no transfer of a tenure shall be recognised unless it has been registered in the office of the landlord or sufficient cause for non-registration is shown to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner.

(*2*) The party against whom judgment is given by the Deputy Commissioner under sub-section (*1*) may, at any time within one year from the date of the judgment, bring a suit in the Civil Court to establish his right. [1879, s. 126.]

209. [*Omitted.*]

Application to set aside sale of immoveable property, on deposit of debt and compensation to purchaser.

210. (*1*) When any immoveable property has been sold under this Chapter in execution of a decree, any person who owned such property immediately before the sale, or who claims an interest therein under a title lawfully acquired before the sale, may, at any time within a period of thirty days from the date of the sale, apply to have the sale set aside on his depositing in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner,— [1879, s. 130A (1).]

(*a*) for payment to the purchaser—a sum equal to five *per centum* of the purchase-money, and

(*b*) for payment to the decree-holder—the amount specified in the proclamation of sale as that for the recovery of which the sale was ordered, less any amount which may, since the date of such proclamation and sale, have been received by the decree-holder:

Provided that, if a person applies under section 211 to set aside the sale of his immoveable property, he shall not be entitled to make an application under this section. [Act XIV of 1882, s. 310A, prov.]

(*2*) If the said deposits are made within the said period, the Court shall pass an order setting aside the sale, and the provisions of section 315 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply in the case of a sale so set aside. [1879, s. 130A (2).] XIV of 1882.

Application to set aside sale of immoveable property on ground of irregularity.

211. (*1*) When any immoveable property has been sold under this Chapter in execution of a decree, the decree-holder or the person who owned such property immediately before the sale may apply to the Deputy Commissioner to set aside the sale on the ground of a material irregularity in publishing or conducting it; but no sale shall be set aside on the ground of irregularity unless the applicant proves to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner that he has sustained substantial injury by reason of such irregularity: [Act XIV of 1882, s. 311.]

Provided that, if a person applies under section 210 to set aside the sale of his immoveable property, he shall not be entitled to make an application under this section.

(*2*) If an application be made under this section, and if the objection be allowed, the Deputy Commissioner shall [Act XIV of 1882, s. 312, para. 2.]

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Grounds on which suit or application to set aside sale may be brought.

212. No suit or application shall be entertained in any Court to set aside, or to modify the effect of, any sale made under this Chapter, save under section 210 or section 211 or on the ground of fraud or want of jurisdiction.

Appeals.

Appeal from orders of Deputy Commissioners.

213. (*1*) All orders passed by a Deputy Commissioner under the foregoing provisions of this Act, not being— [1879, s. 135.]

(*a*) judgments in suits, or

(*b*) orders passed in the course of suits and relating to the trial thereof, or

(*c*) orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof, or

(*d*) orders passed under section 204 or section 208,

shall be appealable

(*i*) to the Commissioner, or

(*ii*) if passed by a Deputy Collector exercising powers of a Deputy Commissioner—to the Deputy Commissioner.

(*2*) No judgment of a Deputy Commissioner in any suit, and no order of a Deputy Commissioner passed in any suit and relating to the trial thereof, or after decree and relating to the execution thereof, shall be open to revision or appeal otherwise than as expressly provided in this Act.

(*3*) Orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof (except orders passed under section 204 or section 208) shall be appealable to the Court to which an appeal from the decree itself would lie.

Limitation of appeals from such orders.

214. Every appeal under section 213 shall be presented to the Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be, within thirty days from the date of the order. [1879, s. 136, para. 1.]

Bar to further appeals, with proviso for revision by Board or Commissioner

215. Orders passed by the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner in appeals preferred under section 213 shall not be open to any further appeal; but the Board or (in the case of appeals decided by the Deputy Commissioner) the Commissioner may call for any case and pass such orders thereon as it or he may think proper. [1879, s. 136, para. 2.]

Bar to appeal in certain suits.

216. (*1*) In suits referred to in clause (*2*) or clause (7) of section 134, tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, if the amount sued for, or the value of the property claimed, does not exceed one hundred rupees, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner shall be final, and not open to revision or appeal except as provided in sub-section (2), unless in any such suit a question relating to a title to land, or to some interest in land, as between parties having conflicting claims thereto, has been determined by the judgment, in which case the judgment shall be open to appeal in the manner provided in section 221. [1879, s. 137.]

(*2*) When any such suit in which, if tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner would be final, is tried and decided by a Deputy Collector, an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Collector shall lie to the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 139.]

Appeal to Deputy Commissioner when

217. Every petition of appeal to the Deputy Commissioner [1879, s. 140.]

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Appeal when to be heard.

218. (*1*) The Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, shall fix a day for hearing the appeal, and shall cause notice of the same to be served on the respondent. [1879, s. 141.]

(*2*) If, on the day fixed for hearing the appeal, or on any other day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the appellant does not appear in person or by agent, the appeal shall be dismissed for default.

(*3*) If on such day the appellant appears and the respondent does not appear in person or by agent, the appeal shall be heard *ex-parte*.

Re-admission of appeal.

219. If an appeal is dismissed for default of prosecution, the appellant may, within thirty days from the date of the dismissal, apply to the Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, for the re-admission of the appeal; and, if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, that the appellant was prevented by any sufficient cause from appearing when the appeal was called on for hearing, the Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, may re-admit the appeal. [1879, s. 142.]

Re-hearing of appeal on application of respondent against whom *ex-parte* decree passed.

219A. When an appeal is heard *ex parte* in the absence of the respondent, and judgment is given against him, he may apply to the Appellate Court to re-hear the appeal; and, if he satisfies the Court that notice was not duly served or that he was prevented by sufficient cause from attending when the appeal was called on for hearing, the Court may re-hear the appeal on such terms as to costs or otherwise as the Court thinks fit to impose upon him [Act XIV of 1882, s. 560.]

Judgment in appeal.

220. After hearing the appeal, the Deputy Commissioner or the Commissioner, as the case may be, shall give judgment in the manner provided in section 171 for giving judgment in original suits. [1879, s. 143.]

Appeal to Judicial Commissioner or High Court.

221. (*1*) In all suits before a Deputy Commissioner under this Act, except— [1879, s. 144.]

(*a*) suits in which, when tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner is declared by section 216, sub-section (*1*), to be final, and

(*b*) suits in which, when tried and decided by a Deputy Collector, an appeal is allowed by section 216, sub-section (*2*), to the Deputy Commissioner,

an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector shall lie to the Judicial Commissioner, unless the amount or value in dispute exceeds five thousand rupees, in which case the appeal shall lie to the High Court.

(*2*) A second appeal shall lie to the High Court, under Chapter XLII of the Code of Civil Procedure, from any appellate decree passed by the Judicial Commissioner under this Chapter, or from any order passed by him on appeal under section 213, sub-section (*3*). XIV of 1882.

Hearing of appeals by Judicial Commissioner, instead of by Deputy Commissioner.

222. (*1*) Where, in analogous suits, some appeals have been presented to the Deputy Commissioner and others to the Judicial Commissioner, the Judicial Commissioner may, on the application of any of the parties, transfer to his own Court the appeals pending in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 144A.]

(*2*) Where, in analogous suits, some appeals lie to the Deputy Commissioner and others to the Judicial Commissioner, a plaintiff or defendant whose appeal would ordinarily lie to the Deputy Commissioner may, if an appeal in any such suit has been presented by any other plaintiff or defendant to the Judicial Commissioner and admitted, present his appeal to the Judicial Commissioner instead of to the Deputy Commissioner, and the Judicial

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Limitation of appeal to Judicial Commissioner or High Court.

223. Appeals to the Judicial Commissioner or to the High Court under this Chapter shall be presented within the time prescribed for the presentation of appeals to a District Judge or the High Court, as the case may be, under the Code of Civil Procedure by the law for the time being in force for the limitation of appeals. [1879, s. 146.] XIV of 1882.

Power to set aside judgment or order passed *ex parte* or by default.

224. (*1*) No appeal by a plaintiff or defendant shall lie from a judgment or order passed against him by default for non-appearance, whether such judgment or order were given under section 155, section 156, section 157 or section 168B.] [1879, s. 66.]

(*2*) If the party against whom any such judgment or order has been given appears, either in person or by agent,—

(*a*) if a plaintiff, within thirty days from the date of the Deputy Commissioner's order, and,

(*b*) if a defendant, within thirty days after any process for enforcing the judgment has been executed,

or at any earlier period, and shows sufficient cause for his previous non-appearance, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such terms and conditions as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, revive the suit and set aside the judgment or order.

(*3*) No judgment or order shall be altered or set aside under sub-section (*2*) without previously summoning the opposite party to appear and be heard in support of it.

Order to set aside judgment final, but rejection of application to set aside appealable.

225. In all cases in which the Deputy Commissioner, under section 224, passes an order setting aside a judgment or order, the order shall be final; but, in all appealable cases in which the Deputy Commissioner, under that section, rejects an application for setting aside a judgment or order, an appeal shall lie from the order of rejection to the tribunal to which the final decision in the suit would be appealable, provided that the appeal be preferred within the time allowed for an appeal from such final decision. [1879, s. 97.]

Application of section 561 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

226. The provisions of section 561 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall, so far as applicable, apply to all appeals under this Act from decisions of the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 155A.] XIV of 1882.

CHAPTER XVII.

LIMITATION.

Application of the Indian Limitation Act, 1877.

227. The provisions of the Indian Limitation Act, 1877, shall, so far as they are not inconsistent with this Act, apply to all suits, appeals and applications under this Act. 1885, s. 185.] XV of 1877.

General rule of limitation.

228. All suits and applications instituted or made under this Act, for which no period of limitation is provided elsewhere in this Act, shall be commenced and made, respectively, within one year from the date of the accruing of the cause of action: [1879, s. 42.]

Provided that there shall be no period of limitation for applications under section 26, 30, 33, 51, 61A, 75, 104 or 119.

Limitation of suits and applications for grant of leases, etc.

229. Suits and applications for the delivery of leases or counterpart engagements, or for the determination of the rates of rent payable for lands held by a tenant, may be instituted and made, respectively, at any time during the tenancy. [1879, s. 43.]

Limitation of suits and applications for arrears of rent.

230. Suits, and applications under section 240, for the recovery of arrears of rent shall be instituted within three years from the end of the agricultural year in which the arrear became due. [1879, s. 44.]

Successive suits or applications for recovery of rent.

231. (*1*) Where a landlord has instituted a suit against a tenant or applied for a certificate under section 240 against a Mundari khunt-kattidar, for the recovery of any rent of his tenancy, the landlord shall not institute another suit or apply for another such certificate against him for the recovery of any rent of that [1879, s. 44A.]

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(*2*) Nothing in sub section (*1*) shall prohibit a fresh suit for rent when a former suit has been withdrawn with leave to sue again, or when a claim has been rejected under section 151, or when a case has been struck off under section 155 or section 168B. [1879, s. 45.]

Limitation of suits against agents for money, accounts or papers.

232. Suits for the recovery of money in the hands of an agent, or for the delivery of accounts or papers by an agent, may be brought at any time during the agency, or within one year after the determination of the agency, of such agent:

Provided that, if the person having the right to sue has, by fraud, been kept from knowledge of the receipt of any such money by the agent, or if any fraudulent account has been rendered by the agent, the suit may be brought within one year from the time when the fraud first became known to such person; but no such suit shall in any case be brought at any time exceeding three years from the termination of the agency.

Applications for recovery of possession of holding.

233. Applications for the recovery of possession of a holding, or any portion thereof, from which an occupancy-raiyat has been unlawfully ejected must be instituted within three years from the date of such ejectment.

Suits or applications for recovery of possession of village.

234. Suits or applications for recovery of possession of a village by a village headman, whether known as a pradhan, manjhi or otherwise, against a landlord or any person holding by virtue of any assignment from a landlord, must be instituted or made within three years from the date of dispossession.

CHAPTER XVIII.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS WITH RESPECT TO MUNDARI KHUNT-KATTIDARS.

Application of preceding sections to Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

235. Such of the preceding sections as are applicable to Mundari khunt-kattidars shall, in their application to such persons and their tenancies, be read subject to the provisions of the following sections in this Chapter. [1 79, s. 151.]

Restrictions on transfer of Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

236. (*1*) No Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or portion thereof shall be transferable by sale, whether in execution of a decree or order of a Court or otherwise: [1879, s. 152.]

Provided that, when a decree or order has been made by any Court for the sale of any such tenancy or portion thereof, in satisfaction of a debt due under a mortgage (other than a usufructuary mortgage) which was registered before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903, the sale may be made with the previous sanction of the Deputy Commissioner. Ben. Act V of 1903.

(*2*) If the Deputy Commissioner refuses to sanction the sale of any such tenancy or portion thereof under the proviso to sub-section (*1*), he shall attach the land and make such arrangements as he may consider suitable for liquidating the debt.

(*3*) No mortgage of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid, except a bhugut bandha mortgage for a period, expressed or implied, which does not exceed or cannot in any possible event exceed seven years.

(*4*) No lease of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid, except a lease of one or other of the following kinds, namely:—

(*a*) mukarari leases of uncultivated land, when granted to a Mundari or a group of Mundaris for the purpose of enabling the lessees or the male members of their families to bring suitable portions of the land under cultivation;

(*b*) leases of uncultivated land, when granted to a Mundari cultivator to enable him to cultivate the land as a raiyat;

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Explanation.—The expression "uncultivated land," as used in this sub-section, includes land which, though formerly cultivated, is not, at the time the lease is granted, either under cultivation or in the occupation of the lessee for purposes of cultivation.

(*5*) Where a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy is held by a group of Mundari khunt-kattidars, no bhugut bandha mortgage or mukarari lease of the tenancy or any portion thereof shall be valid, unless it is made with the consent of all the Mundari khunt-kattidars.

(*6*) No transfer of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof, by any contract or agreement made otherwise than as provided in the foregoing sub-sections, shall be valid; and no such contract or agreement shall be registered.

(*7*) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall affect any sale or, except as declared in the proviso to sub-section (*1*), any mortgage, or any lease, made before the commencement of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903. Ben. Act V of 1903.

Transfer for certain purposes.

237. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in section 236, a Mundari khunt-kattidar may, without the consent of his landlord, transfer the land comprised in his tenancy, or any part thereof, for any reasonable and sufficient purpose having relation to the good of the tenancy or of the tenure or estate in which it is comprised, such as the use of the land for any charitable, religious or educational purpose, or for the purposes of manufacture or irrigation, or as building ground for any such purpose, or for access to land used or required for any such purpose:

Provided that the transfer shall be made by registered deed, and that, before the deed is registered and the land transferred, the written consent of the Deputy Commissioner shall be obtained to the terms of the deed and to the transfer.

(*2*) Before consenting to any such transfer, the Deputy Commissioner shall satisfy himself that the landlord and other co-sharers in the tenancy are adequately compensated for the loss (if any) caused to them by the transfer; and, where only part of the land comprised in the tenancy is transferred, may, if he thinks fit, apportion between the transferee and the original tenant all dues payable for the tenancy.

(*3*) An appeal against any order of a Deputy Commissioner consenting or refusing to consent to any such transfer shall lie as provided in Chapter XVI.

Ejectment of persons unlawfully obtaining possession of such tenancies.

238. If any person obtains possession of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or any portion thereof, in contravention of the provisions of section 236, the Deputy Commissioner may eject him therefrom; [1879, s. 153.]

and if the tenancy was, before such possession was obtained, entered as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy in a record-of-rights finally published under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, no suit shall be maintainable in any Court in respect of such ejectment; but an appeal shall lie as provided in Chapter XVI.

Enhancement of rent.

239. (*1*) The rent of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy may be enhanced only— [1879, s. 154.]

(*a*) by an order of the Deputy Commissioner, and

(*b*) if it be shown before the Deputy Commissioner that the tenancy was created within a period of twenty years immediately preceding the presentation of the petition for enhancement.

(*2*) An order of the Deputy Commissioner under sub-section (*1*) shall not enhance the rent of any such tenancy to an amount which would exceed one-half of the rent which would be payable for the land if it were held by a raiyat having a right of occupancy therein.

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(*3*) The provisions of sections 26 to 28 shall be applicable to proceedings for the enhancement of the rent of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

Recovery of arrears of rent under the certificate procedure, where there is a record-of-rights.

240. (*1*) When an arrear of rent accrues in respect of a [1879, s. 155.] Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy for which a record-of-rights has been prepared under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act,

no suit shall be maintainable in any Court for the recovery of the arrear; but the landlord may apply in writing to the Deputy Commissioner to make a certificate authorising the recovery thereof, with simple interest not exceeding twelve-and-a-half, or (in the case of money recoverable under the Cess Act, 1880) at twelve-and-a-half, *per centum per annum*, under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895. Ben. Act IX of 1880. Ben. Act I of 1895.

(*2*) Upon receiving any such application, the Deputy Commissioner may, after making such inquiry and taking such evidence as he may consider necessary, make a certificate as aforesaid.

(*3*) The person in whose favour any such certificate is made shall be deemed to be the decree-holder for the amount mentioned in the certificate, and the person against whom the certificate is made shall be deemed to be the judgment-debtor for the said amount; and all proceedings taken by the Certificate Officer for the recovery of such amount shall be taken at the instance of the first-mentioned person, and at his cost and on his responsibility, and not otherwise.

(*4*) Every such certificate shall have the same effect as a certificate made under section 7 of the said Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895; and the following portions of that Act shall be applicable, namely, the proviso to section 7, sub-section (*1*); section 9, sub-sections (*2*) and (*3*); section 10, sub-section (*1*); and sections 11 to 14, 18, 19, 22 and 24 to 33: Ben. Act I of 1895.

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) subject to the provisions of section 244, a certificate made under this section may be enforced only by the attachment and sale of the moveable property of the person against whom the certificate is made, or by the attachment and realisation of rent or other debts due to him, or by execution against his person in the manner provided by Chapter XVI, or by any two or more of these processes; and

(*b*) no objection by any third person to the attachment or sale of crops shall be entertained, except—

(*i*) an objection, by a mortgagee holding under a bhugut bandha mortgage, that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

(*ii*) an objection, by a lessee holding under a mukarrari lease as described in section 236, clause (*a*), that the land in respect of which the arrear accrued is included in his lease, and that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

(*iii*) an objection, by a cultivator, that he is in possession of the land in respect of which the arrear accrued, that the land is recorded in the record-of-rights as being in the possession of himself or of some person from whom he has lawfully acquired such possession, and that the judgment-debtor has other moveable property or assets from which the sum due can be realised; or

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(iv) an objection, by such third person, that the land on which such crops were or are standing is entered in the record-of-rights as being in the possession of himself or of some person from whom he has lawfully acquired possession, and that such land does not form part of the tenancy in respect of which the certificate was made.

(5) The provisions of sections 182 to 205 shall, so far as they may be applicable, apply to proceedings under sub-section (4).

(6) If no appeal is presented under section 32 of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, or if any such appeal is decided against the judgment-debtor, the certificate shall become absolute, and shall have the same force and effect as a final decree of a Civil Court. Ben. Act I of 1895.

(7) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the Deputy Commissioner may, in any case, by written order setting forth the reasons therefor, refuse to make a certificate as aforesaid, or stay for any specified period the execution of any certificate which has been made.

(8) An appeal from any order made under sub-section (7), shall lie as provided in Chapter XVI.

Reference of question of title to Civil Court.

241. If, in the course of any proceedings under section 240, any question of title is raised which could, in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioner, more properly be determined by a Civil Court, the Deputy Commissioner shall refer such question to the principal Civil Court in the district for determination. [1879, s. 156.]

Recovery of arrear of rent by suit where there is no record-of-rights.

242. (1) When an arrear of rent accrues in respect of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy for which no record-of-rights has been prepared, the landlord may institute a suit for the recovery of the arrear. [1879, s. 157.]

(2) Subject to the provisions of section 244, a decree or order made in any such suit may be enforced only by the attachment and sale of the moveable property of the defendant, or by the attachment and realisation of rent or other debts due to him, or by execution against his person in the manner provided by Chapter XVI, or by any two or more of these processes.

Joinder of parties in proceedings under section 240 or 242.

243. Where a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy is held jointly by a group of khunt-kattidars, [1879, s. 158.]

and an objection to the making of a certificate under section 240, or to the execution thereof, or to the maintenance of a suit under section 242, is made on the ground that all the khunt-kattidars have not been made parties to the proceedings,

the objection shall not be entertained if it be shown that other khunt-kattidars could not be made parties without undue delay or expense.

Recovery of money due to the Government or a landlord.

244. Where a decree, or a certificate under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, has been made against a Mundari khunt-kattidar for any money due to the Government or for rent due to a landlord, the Deputy Commissioner may attach the land occupied by him and make such arrangements as the Deputy Commissioner may consider suitable for liquidating the debt. Ben. Act I of 1895.

Recovery of contributions from co-sharer tenants.

244A. When a Mundari khunt-kattidar has paid the rent of his tenancy, including portions thereof due from his co-sharers or any of them, the said portions may, if the proportions due by such co-sharers are definitely stated in a record-of-rights prepared under this Act or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, be recovered by him, with interest, under the procedure provided by section 240, as if they were an arrear of rent due to a landlord.

245. All Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies shall be so [1879, s. 159.]

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Bar to suits under section 86.

245A. No suit shall be entertaned under section 86 for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry relating to a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy in a record-of-rights.

Decision of disputes regardnig entries or omissions in record-of-rights.

246. (*1*) At any time within three months from the date of the certificate of the final publication of the record-of-rights under this Act, or under any law in force before the commencement of this Act, a suit, may be instituted before a Revenue-officer, for the decision of any dispute regarding any entry of a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy or the incidents thereof in the record, or regarding any omission to enter such a tenancy or any incident thereof in the record; and the Revenue-officer shall hear and decide the dispute. [1879, s. 1 0.]

(*2*) In all such suits the Revenue-officer shall, subject to any rules made in this behalf under section 256, adopt the procedure laid down in Chapter XVI for the trial of suits before the Deputy Commissioner.

Appeal against such decisions.

247. An appeal shall lie, in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer, from any decision of a Revenue-officer under section 246. [1879, s. 161.]

Entry of decision in record-of-rights.

248. Whenever a suit instituted under section 246 has been finally decided, a note of the decision shall be made in the record-of-rights, as finally published, by the Revenue-officer referred to in that section; and such note shall be considered as part of the record. [1879, s. 162.]

In preparing record-of-rights, judgments, etc., in suits not to be taken as evidences are or are not Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies.

249. When an order has been issued under section 79 of this Act, or under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in respect of any local area, estate, tenure or part thereof, no judgment, decree or order in any suit instituted thereafter shall be taken as evidence, [1879, s. 163.]; VIII of 1885.

in any inquiry made by a Revenue-officer engaged in the preparation of a record-of-rights for such area, estate, tenure or part, under Chapter XII of this Act, or under Chapter X of the said Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, VIII of 1885.

respecting any claim that any tenancy within that area, estate, tenure or part is or is not a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

Record-of-rights to be conclusive evidence on the question whether a tenancy is a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

250. When a record-of-rights has been finally published under section 82 of this Act, or under sub-section (*2*) of section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, or amended under section 248 of this Act, [1879, s. 164. Ben. Act V of 1905, s. 2.] VIII of 1885.

the entries therein relating to Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancies shall be conclusive evidence of the nature and incidents of such tenancies and of all particulars recorded in such entries;

and, if any tenancy in the area, estate or tenure for which the record-of-rights was prepared has not been recorded therein as a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy, no evidence shall be received in any Court to show that such tenancy is a Mundari khunt-kattidari tenancy.

CHAPTER XIX.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS.

Bar to suits.

Bar to suits in certain cases.

251. Save as expressly provided in this Act, no suit shall be entertained in any Court to vary, modify or set aside, either directly or indirectly, any order or decree of any Deputy Commissioner or Revenue-officer in any suit or proceeding under section 27, section 31, section 34, section 42, section 47, sub-section (4), section 50, section 51, section 55, section 61A, section 62, section 66, section 73, section 75, section 85, section 86, section 88, section 89 or section 90 (proviso), or under Chapter XIII, XIV, XV, XVI or XVIII, except on the ground of fraud or want of jurisdiction.

Process.

Mode of service.

252. Every notice, summons or other process under this Act required to be served on any person shall be served in the prescribed manner. [1879, s. 149.]

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Authentication and payment of costs.

253. Every process issued by a Deputy Commissioner or Revenue-officer under this Act shall bear his seal and signature; and the cost of serving the same shall be paid by such person and in such manner as may be prescribed. [1879, ss. 56, 134.]

Costs in suits and applications.

253A. The provisions of Chapter XVIII of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply to all suits and applications under this Act. XIV of 1882.

Deposit of costs of proceedings to be incurred by the Government.

253B. (*1*) A Revenue-officer or Deputy Commissioner may, subject to any directions given by the Local Government, require any plaintiff or applicant to deposit in advance the whole or any part of the estimated amount of the expenses to be incurred by the Government in any proceedings under this Act. [1897, s. 11.]

(*2*) If the amount so deposited by any person exceeds the sum finally made payable by him as costs, the excess shall be refunded to him when the proceedings are completed.

Production of Witnesses and Documents.

Production of witnesses and documents.

254. For the purposes of any inquiry under this Act, any Deputy Commissioner or Revenue-officer shall have power to summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses and compel the production of documents in the same manner as is provided in the case of a Court by the Code of Civil Procedure. XIV of 1882.

255. [*Omitted.*]

Rules and Notifications.

Power to make rules to carry out objects of Act.

256. (*1*) The Local Government may make rules to carry out the objects of this Act. [1885, s. 189 & Notfn., 1897, s. 13 (1), (2).]

(*2*) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of sub-section (1), the Local Government may make rules—

(*i*) to prescribe particulars to be specified, in pursuance of clause (*a*) of section 26, in applications for the enhancement of the rent of occupancy holdings;

(*ii*) to limit the enhancement of the rent of occupancy holdings under section 27;

(*iii*) to prescribe particulars to be specified, in pursuance of clause (*i*) of section 30, in applications for increase of rent in respect of increase in the area of land held by occupancy raiyats;

(*iv*) to prescribe particulars to be specified, in pursuance of clause (*n*) of section 33, in applications for the reduction of rent paid by occupancy-raiyats;

(*v*) to prescribe the manner in which the possession of land should be given under section 47, sub-section (*4*), section 51, sub-section (*2*), section 71 or section 73;

(*vi*) to prescribe the manner in which landlords shall send notices to the Deputy Commissioner under section 73, sub-section (*4*);

(*vii*) to prescribe the manner in which rents shall be settled under section 84;

(*viii*) to prescribe the officer to whom and the manner in which appeals shall lie from orders or decisions passed by Revenue-officers under section 61A., section 84, section 86, Chapter XIII, Chapter XIV, Chapter XV or section 247;

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(*ix*) to regulate the transfer of cases to Civil Courts under the first proviso to section 86;

(*x*) to prescribe the manner in which records-of-rights shall be revised in pursuance of a direction given under section 98;

(*xi*) to declare the restrictions or modifications (if any) subject to which the provisions of Chapter XII shall apply to the revision of records-of-rights or the settlement of rents in pursuance of a direction given under section 98;

(*xii*) to prescribe particulars to be contained in a record prepared under section 105;

(*xiii*) to prescribe the form of statements prepared under section 110, clause (*1*);

(*xiv*) to prescribe the manner in which copies of entries in records prepared under Chapter XV shall be served section 124;

(*xv*) to regulate the exercise of the right conferred by section 136 to bring collective suits or make collective applications;

(*xvi*) to prescribe the Court by which decrees or orders passed by a Depury Commissioner under this Act may be executed;

(*xvii*) to prescribe the form of applications for the execution of decrees or orders passed by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act;

(*xviii*) to prescribe the manner of executing decrees or orders referred to in section 193;

(*xix*) to prescribe the manner of dealing with sale proceeds under section 203, sub-section (*2*);

(*xx*) to prescribe the manner of service of notices, summonses and other processes, and of publication of notices, issued under this Act;

(*xxi*) to declare by what person and in what manner the cost of serving processes issued by a Deputy Commissioner or a Revenue-officer under this Act shall be paid;

(*xxii*) to regulate the procedure to be followed by Revenue-officers in the discharge of any duty imposed upon them by or under this Act, and may, by such rules, confer upon any such officer—

(*i*) any power exercised by a Civil Court in the trial of suits;

(*ii*) power to enter upon any land, and to survey, demarcate and make a map of the same, and any power exercisable by any officer under the Bengal Survey Act, 1875; and Ben. Act V of 1875.

(*iii*) power to cut and thresh the crops on any land and weigh the produce, with a view to estimating the capabilities of the soil;

(*xxiii*) to prescribe the forms to be used under this Act;

(*xxiv*) to prescribe the procedure to be followed and the information to be given by any party or applicant in any proceeding under this Act.

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(Chapter XIX.—Supplemental Provisions—Clauses 257—262.)

Power to make rules as to procedure, and application of the Code of Civil Procedure.

257. (*1*) The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Government of India, make rules for regulating the procedure of the Deputy Commissioner in matters under this Act for which a procedure is not provided hereby, and may, by any such rule, direct that any provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply, with or without modification, to all or any classes of cases before the Deputy Commissioner. [Act XV of 1887, s. 88. *Cf.* 1879, s. 76, *pr.* 145A (2). XIV of 1882.

(*1a*) When any provision of the said Code is applied by such rules, the rules may further declare that any provision of this Act which is superseded by, or is inconsistent with, such provision shall be deemed to be repealed.

(*2*) Until rules are made under sub-section (*1*), and subject to those rules when made and to the other provisions of this Act, the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to— [1879, ss. 76, 98, 145A(2). *Cf.* Bill of 30th March 1908. Clause 129.]

(*a*) the substitution and addition of parties,
(*b*) the ammendment of plaints,
(*c*) the production of documents,
(*d*) the attendance, remuneration, punishment and examination of witnesses,
(*e*) the ammendment of decrees,
(*f*) commissions to examine witnesses,
(*g*) commissions for local investigations,
(*h*) attachment before judgment,
(*j*) arbitration, and
(*k*) review of judgment

shall, so far as may be, and in so far as they are not inconsistent with this Act, apply to all suits, appeals and proceedings before the Deputy Commissioner under this Act, and to all appeals from decisions passed in such suits or proceedings.

Publication of rules in draft.

258. (*1*) All powers conferred by this Act for making rules are subject to the condition that the rules be made after previous publication. [1885, s. 1[illegible] & Notfn. 1897, s. 14.]

(*2*) Sub-section (*1*) shall not apply to any rules made and published in the Calcutta Gazette within a period of two months from the commencement of this Act; but all rules so made and published shall be re-issued, after previous publication, and with such amendments (if any) as the Local Government may consider necessary, within a period of one year from such commencement.

Publication and effect of rules and notifications.

259. All rules made, and notifications issued, under this Act shall be published in the Calcutta Gazette, and on such publication shall have effect as if enacted in this Act. [1885, s. 189, & Notfn. 1897, s. 15. *Cf.* Act III of 1906, s. 34 (2).]

Recovery of Dues.

Recovery of dues.

260. (*1*) Costs and interest awarded under this Act in rent suits, and damages awarded under section 176, shall be recoverable in any manner provided in Chapter XVI for the recovery of money. [*Cf.* 1879, s. 91.]

(*2*) All costs, interest and damages not referred to in sub-section (*1*), and all compensation, fines and penalties, awarded or imposed under this Act, shall be recoverable in the manner provided in Chapter XVI for the recovery of money (not being arrears of rent) due under decree.

Powers.

Transfer of cases from one Revenue-officer to another.

261. A Revenue-officer may, at any time, transfer any pending suit, application or proceeding under this Act from the file of any Revenue-officer acting under this Act to the file of any other Revenue-officer so acting who is duly authorised to entertain and decide such suit, application or proceeding.

Control over Deputy Commissioners and Deputy Collectors.

262. In the performance of their duties and the exercise of their powers under this Act, Deputy Commissioners shall be subject to the general direction and control of the Commissioner and the Board, and Deputy Collectors exercising functions of the Deputy Commissioner shall also be subject to the direction and control of the Deputy Commissioner. [1879, s. 124.]

263. [Omitted.]

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Saving of special enactments.

264. Nothing in this Act shall affect— [1885, s. 45 (a), (f) and Notfn.]

(*a*) the powers and duties of Settlement-officers as defined by any law not expressly repealed by this Act; or

(*b*) any other special or local law not repealed, either expressly or by necessary implication, by this Act.

SCHEDULE A.

ACTS AND NOTIFICATION REPEALED IN THE CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION, EXCEPT THE DISTRICT OF MANBHUM.

[*See section* 2(*1*).]

Acts of the Bengal Council.

No. and year.	Short title.
I of 1879 ...	The Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act.
IV of 1897 ...	The Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, 1897.
V of 1903 ...	The Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1903.
V of 1905 ...	The Chota Nagpur Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1905.
VIII of 1879 ...	The Bengal Rent Settlement Act, 1879.

Notification.

Notification No. 1379L.R., dated the 5th March, 1908, published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 11th idem, Part I. page 631, and in the Gazette of India of the 21st idem, Part I, page 214.

SCHEDULE B.

ACTS PROSPECTIVELY REPEALED IN THE DISTRICT OF MANBHUM.

[*See section* 2(*2*).]

No. and year.	Short title.
Act of the Governor General of India in Council.	
X of 1859 ...	The Bengal Rent Act, 1859.
Acts of the Bengal Council.	
VI of 1862 ...	The Bengal Rent Act, 1862.
IV of 1867	The Bengal Rent (Appeals) Act, 1867.
VIII of 1879	The Bengal Rent Settlement Act, 1879.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING SEPTEMBER 1908.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1908.			H. M.	
September 18th	Friday	Leave Ranchi	6 0	By special train.
„ 18th	Do.	Arrive Calcutta	17 46	

NOTE.—

(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—
Lady Fraser.
Captain H. L. Fraser, 31st Lancers, Private Secretary.
Captain A. H. B. Foster, The King's Own, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain R. C. Dodgson, R.H.A., Aide-de-Camp.
The Hon'ble Mr. F. W. Duke, Chief Secretary.

(2) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the Bengal Government Camp, *without the addition of the name of any post town.*

(3) The Lieutenant-Governor's departure from Ranchi and arrival at Calcutta will be private.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

BELVEDERE,
The 14th September 1908.

H. L. FRASER, CAPT.,
Private Secretary.

No. 6519A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6174A.—The 8th September 1908.*—Mr. Shashi Bhushan Chaudhuri, District and Sessions Judge, Khulna, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Jessore, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 12th October 1908, till Mr. W. N. Delevingne may join his appointment as District and Sessions Judge, Jessore. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. Lokendra Nath Palit.

Khulna.
Jessore.

Mr. Shashi Bhushan Chaudhuri is also authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Khulna or at Jessore, for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

No. 6245A.—The 9th September 1908.—Mr. H. F. E. B. Foster, District and Sessions Judge, Saran, who has, under the orders of the 8th September 1908, been appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Gaya, Patna and Shahabad during the ensuing Civil Court vacation, is authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Chapra, Gaya, Bankipore or Arrah for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

Saran.
Gaya.
Patna.
Shahabad.

No. 6279A.—The 11th September 1908.—Babu Har Sahay Lal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Champaran, was employed at the head-quarters station of the Gaya district from the 12th to the 24th August 1908, both days inclusive.

Champaran.
Gaya.

No. 6282A.—The 11th September 1908.—Maulvi Abdus Samad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Ghatal subdivision of that district.

Midnapore.

No. 6325A.—The 14th September 1908.—Mr. C. H. Bompas, Magistrate and Collector, on furlough, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

Mr. Bompas is appointed to act in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors until further orders.

No. 6327A.—The 14th September 1908.—Mr. W. A. Marr, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of the Shahabad district.

24-Parganas.
Shahabad.

No. 6329A.—The 14th September 1908.—Mr. H. R. T. S. Perrott, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Shahabad.

Shahabad.
Bhagalpur.

No. 6331A.—The 14th September 1908.—Mr. J. G. Cumming, Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors, and is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of the Patna district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

Presidency Divn.
Patna.

No. 6333A.—The 14th September 1908.—Mr. F. W. Ward, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Patna district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of that district.

Patna.

No. 6335A.—The 14th September 1908.—Mr. S. W. Goode, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is appointed to have charge of the Gopalganj subdivision of the Saran district.

Saran.

No. 6350A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Bihari Lal Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district, on the completion of his special work in connection with the acquisition of lands for the East Indian and Bengal-Nagpur Railways, the Government and the Howrah Municipality in Howrah.

Howrah.

No. 6485A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Murali Dhar Ray Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Bhabhua subdivision of the Shahabad district.

Shahabad.

No. 6488A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Jagyeswar Biswas, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhabhua, Shahabad, is appointed to have charge of the Araria subdivision of the Purnea district.

Shahabad.
Purnea.

No. 6491A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Nagendra Nath Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Araria, Purnea, is transferred to the Asansol subdivision of the Burdwan district.

Purnea.
Burdwan.

No. 6494A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district.

Murshidabad.

No. 6497A —The 15th September 1908.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Rajmahal subdivision of the Sonthal Parganas district.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 6500A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Akshay Kumar Chatarjí, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Ghatal subdivision of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

No. 6503A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Phanindra Nath Mukharji (No. I) Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Purnea district.

Purnea.

No. 6516A.—The 15th September 1908.—Mr. F. S. Hamilton, District and Sessions Judge, Purnea, who has, under the orders of the 8th September 1908, been appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Bhagalpur during the ensuing Civil Court vacation, is authorised, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Purnea, Darjeeling or Bhagalpur for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

Purnea.
Darjeeling.
Bhagalpur.

POLICE.—*No. 6238A.—The 9th September 1908.*—Mr. W. D. Abercrombie, Superintendent of Police, Sambalpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Bihar Range, *vice* Mr. R. C. Castle.

Sambalpur.
Patna.

No. 6240A.—The 9th September 1908.—Mr. R. C. Castle, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Bihar Range, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Deputy Inspector-General of Police of Crime and Railways, *vice* Mr. C. W. C. Plowden, on deputation.

Calcutta.

No. 6271A.—The 10th September 1908.—Mr. F. C. Swaine, Principal of the Constables' Training School, Ranchi, was posted to that district as Assistant Superintendent of Police from the 16th to the 21st April 1908.

Ranchi.

No. 6304A.—The 12th September 1908.—Mr. A. J. M. Matthews, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Howrah, is transferred to Monghyr, and is appointed to hold charge of the police of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. C. Simpson, or until further orders.

Howrah.
Monghyr.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 6314A.—The 14th September 1908.*—Babu Mati Lal Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Burdwan.

No. 6319A.—The 14th September 1908.—The order of the 25th August 1908, granting privilege leave up to the 28th September 1908 to Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Is-hakk, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is cancelled.

No. 6507A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Harabansha Sahay, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, is allowed combined leave for six months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

Darbhanga.

No. 6510A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Manomohan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajmahal, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 6513A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Akshay Kumar Sur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Murshidabad.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 6324A.—The 14th September 1908.*—Captain Drury Benton Critchley, 1st Battalion, Bengal-Nagpur Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for nine months, with effect from the 21st August 1908.

POLICE.—*No. 6273A.—The 10th September 1908.*—Mr. R. F. G. Godfrey-Faussett, Superintendent of Police, on leave, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of extraordinary leave without pay for a further period of six months.

No. 6301A.—The 12th September 1908.—Mr. T. C. Simpson, Superintendent of Police, Monghyr, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th September 1908.

Monghyr.

No. 6483A.—The 15th September 1908.—Maulvi Nadir Husain, Deputy Superintendent of Police, in charge of the District Police, Puri, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances for two days, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the order of the 13th March 1908.

Puri.

EDUCATION.—*No. 6308A.—The 15th September 1908.*—Miss Hridaybala Basu, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Presidency Division, is allowed leave for one month and fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Calcutta.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 6309A.—The 12th September 1908.*—The order of the 4th August 1908, granting the Revd. G. J. Chree, Senior Chaplain, St. Andrew's Church, Calcutta, privilege leave for three months, under article 592(*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 13th July 1908, in supersession of the order of the 29th June 1908, is cancelled.

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Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6357A.—The 15th September 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the second half-yearly Departmental Examination in 1908 of the Assistants of the Opium Department will be held at Ghazipur on Thursday, the 12th November 1908, and the

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 3825T.R.—The 12th September 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 109A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Acts III of 1898 and I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint the District Judge of the districts of Cuttack, Puri and Balasore to be a Special Judge in those districts for the purpose of hearing the appeals referred to in the said section 109A.

Cuttack
Puri
Balasore.

No. 3949L.A.—The 12th September 1908.—Declaration No. 1967L.A., dated the 4th April 1907, published at page 610, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th idem, regarding the acquisition of a piece of land, in the village of Pakri, in the district of Shahabad, for providing quarters for the Superintendent of Police of that district, is hereby cancelled.

Shahabad

No. 3951.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Ajodhya Prasad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed on partition work in the district of Shahabad, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fourteen days, with effect from the 31st August 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Shahabad.

No. 3991L.R.—The 12th September 1908.—In modification of Government Notification No. 3600L.R., dated 4th September 1908, Babu Satish Chandra Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, Nadia, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Burdwan, Birbhum and Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.
Birbhum.
Burdwar.

No. 3992L.R.—The 12th September 1908.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), Babu Satish Chandra Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Assistant Superintendent of Survey in the districts of Murshidabad, Birbhum and Burdwan.

Murshidabad.
Birbhum.
Burdwan.

No. 3993L.R.—The 12th September 1908.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise Babu Satish Chandra Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purpose of a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in the districts of Murshidabad, Birbhum and Burdwan.

Murshidabad.
Birbhum.
Burdwan.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 40 (Chapter VI) of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 3994L.R.—The 11th September 1908.—The following draft of additions which it is proposed to make to the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), published under Notification No. 2705-T.R., dated the 31st October 1907 (at page 1819 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th November 1907), is published for general information, under section 190 (*a*) of that Act.

Any objection or suggestion which any person may desire to make with respect to the draft should be submitted to Government in the Revenue Department before the 19th October 1908, on which date the draft will be taken into consideration :—

DRAFT.

(1) After rule 29 add the following :—

"29A. The process fee to be paid under sub-section (*2*) of section 12 shall be the aggregate of the following sums, namely, (*a*) a fixed sum of eight annas, and (*b*) the sum required for posting the notice referred to in sub-section (*3*) of section 12, for registering it under the Indian Post Office Act, 1898, and for obtaining an acknowledgment of its receipt."

Process fee under section 12 (2).

(2) After rule 38 add the following :—

"38A. *Section 176.* The fee to be paid for notifying an incumbrance to the landlord shall be the sum required for serving on the landlord a copy of the instrument creating the incumbrance. Such copy shall be served in the manner prescribed for the service of summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure."

Notice of incumbrance to landlord.

No. 3959 Agri.—The 9th September 1908.—In Notification No. 953T.R., dated the 5th June 1908, published at page 1076, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 0th idem, regarding the appointment of certain officers to be Deputy Superintendents in the Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal, *for* "Mr. Sultan Syed Ahmed" *read* "Mr. Syed Sultan Ahmed."

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DECLARATION.

No. 3943 L.A.—The 12th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Budge-Budge police-station, in the village of Joychandipore, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 5 cottahs and 15 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and the east by the Government Embankment, and on the south and the west by the remaining land belonging to Kartick Chandra Mondal, is required within the aforesaid village of Joychandipur.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Superintendent of Police, Alipore.

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DECLARATION.

No. 3954 L.A.—The 10th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Puri Lodging-house Committee for a public purpose, viz., for the site of the rest-house which Seth Dooly Chand proposes to erect for the use of the public, in the village of Dolmandop Sahi, pargana Rahang, zilla Puri, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four pieces of land measuring, more or less, 0·110 acre of standard measurement, the boundaries of which are given below:—

Puri.

BOUNDARIES OF PLOTS NOS. 21, 22, 23, 24 AND 25 LYING IN ONE BLOCK.

North—By plot No. 16
South—By plot No. 26 } already acquired for the Dooly Chand rest-house,
East—By plot No. 16
West—By plot No. 2, drain of Bardand;

BOUNDARIES OF PLOTS NOS. 30 AND 31 LYING IN ONE BLOCK.

North—By plot No. 29 already acquired for the Dooly Chand rest-house,
South—By plots Nos. 33 and 34 belonging to Narayan Khuntia and others, known as Parihari Nijog,
East—By plot No. 16 already acquired,
West—By plot No. 2, drain of Bardand;

BOUNDARIES OF PLOT NO. 20.

North—By plot No. 16 already acquired,
South—By plot No. 34 belonging to Narayan Khuntia and others, known as Parihari Nijog,
East and West—By plot No. 16 already acquired;

BOUNDARIES OF PLOT NO. 17.

North—By plot No. 7 belonging to Mahant Jagannath Ramanuj Das, known as Narendra mahalla,
South—By plot No. 16
East—By plot No. 18 } already acquired,
West—By plot No. 16

are required within the aforesaid village of Dolmandap Sahi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Puri.

This Declaration cancels Declaration No. 2487, dated the 14th July 1908, published at page 1266, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem.

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DECLARATION.

No. 3955L.A.—The 10th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the proposed minor distributary from second mile, first quarter of No. 9C Distributary, Taldanda Canal, in the village of Harishpur, pargana Balubisi, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 roods 12 poles of standard measurement, bounded on the north by No. 9C Distributary, on the south by the cultivated land belonging to Avin Mullick, on the east by the cultivated land belonging to Krishna Mohan Singh, Jagu Rout, and Sam Swain, and on the west by the cultivated land belonging to Balkrishna Singh, Nanda Mahanty and Dam Swain, is required within the aforesaid village of Harishpur.

Cuttack.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer Irrigation Branch, Cuttack.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3960L.A.—The 11th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for combined Liquor Depôt and Ganja Gola at Bahadurganj, in the village of Bahadurganj, pargana Sripur, zilla Purnea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 10 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Babu Kartick Prasad Chowdhuri's land, on the east by Sub-Registrar's Office compound, on the west by Milik land of Hari Prasad Jha, and on the south by the District Board road, is required within the aforesaid village of Bahadurganj.

Purnea.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Purnea.

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Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3961L.A.—The 11th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for ensuring safety of the line over underground workings in the village of Chotadhemo, pargana Shergurh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 16 cottahs 10·67 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Burdwan.

Plot No. 1.—On the north by the waste and Colliery lands of Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandi, and on the south, east and west by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company's land,

Plot No. 2.—On the north, east and west by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company's land, and on the south by the dry crops and homestead lands of Biswanath Acharjya and the colliery lands of Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandi,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chotadhemo.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1884, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan as also in that of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Adra.

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Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

REGISTRATION.

No. 4431.—The 11th September 1908.—Babu Rajani Ranjan Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar, Kotalpur, in the district of Bankura, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty days, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Bankura.

He is permitted to prefix the Durga and Lakshmi Puja holidays and the 11th October 1908, which is a Sunday, to his leave.

No. 4433.—The 11th September 1908.—Babu Baidya Nath Bose, District Sub-Registrar, Monghyr, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty days, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Monghyr.

He is allowed to prefix the Durga and Lakshmi Puja holidays and Sunday, the 11th October 1908, to his leave.

No. 4508.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Krishnadhan Mallik, Sub-Registrar of Naihati, in the district of 24-Parganas, on leave, is transferred to Dum-Dum, in the same district.

24-Parganas.

No. 4510.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Gopi Krishna Banarji, Sub-Registrar, Dum-Dum, in the district of 24-Parganas, is transferred to Habra, in the same district.

24-Parganas.

No. 4512.—The 14th September 1908.—Maulvi Basharat Karim Ahmed, Sub-Registrar, Habra, in the district of 24-Parganas, now acting as Sub-Registrar of Naihati, in the same district, is permanently posted to Naihati.

24-Parganas.

No. 4514.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Karun Chandra Chatarji, Sub-Registrar, Janai, in the district of Hooghly, is transferred to Rampurhat, in the district of Birbhum.

Hooghly.
Birbhum.

No. 4516.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Binod Bihari De, Sub-Registrar, Bhadrak, in the district of Balasore, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Jajpur, in the district of Cuttack, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th June 1908, or until further orders.

Balasore.
Cuttack.

No. 4518.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Ananda Chandra Mahanti, B.A., Probationer, Cuttack, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bhadrak, in the district of Balasore, with effect from the 6th July 1908, or until further orders.

Cuttack.
Balasore.

No. 4520.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Hara Mohan Patnaik was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bhadrak, in the district of Balasore, from the 29th June to the 5th July 1908.

Balasore.

No. 4522.—The 14th September 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Abul Kasim, Sub-Registrar, Pertabganj, in the district of Bhagalpur, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty days, with effect from the 21st August 1908, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 12th June 1908.

Bhagalpur.

No. 4524.—The 14th September 1908.—Maulvi Mihr Ali Mallik, Sub-Registrar of Tengra, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-one days, in extension of the leave already granted to him under the orders of the 9th July 1908

24-Parganas.

No. 4526.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Girindra Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar, Jhenida, in the district of Jessore, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Jessore.

No. 4528.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Bimala Prasanna Gupta, Joint Sub-Registrar, Khulna, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Khulna.

He is permitted to prefix to his leave the Durga and Lakshmi Puja holidays and the 11th October 1908, which is a Sunday.

No. 4530.—The 14th September 1908.—Maulvi Waj-ul-Hakk, Sub-Registrar, Kissenganj, in the district of Purnea, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 22nd September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Purnea.

No. 4532.—The 14th September 1908.—Kra Yusuf Mirza, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, **Monghyr.** Monghyr, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for thirty days, with effect from the 2nd July 1908.

No. 4534.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Akhil Chandra Ghose, Sub-Registrar, **Hooghly.** Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

He is allowed to prefix to his leave the Durga and Lakshmi Puja holidays and Sunday, the 11th October 1908.

No. 4536.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Satyendra Nath Mitra, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar **Calcutta. 24-Parganas.** of Dum-Dum, in the district of 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of the permenent incumbent, or until further orders.

No. 4543.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Gobinda Chandra Dutt, District Sub-**Murshidabad.** Registrar, Murshidabad, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

He is allowed to prefix to his leave the Durga and Lakshmi Puja holidays and the 11th October 1908.

No. 4545.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Pramatha Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar of **Murshidab d.** Asanpur, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Berhampore, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

No. 4547.—The 14th September 1908.—Maulvi Saiyid Zaki Riza, 5th grade Sub-**Murshidabad.** Registrar, Berhampore, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Asanpur, in the district of Murshidabad, during the absence, on deputation, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 803-O.—The 12th September 1908.—Notification No. 249T.—O., dated the 25th **Etawah.** June 1908, granting combined leave for two years to Mr. G. C. R. Nicholson, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Etawah, is hereby cancelled.

No. 806-O.—The 15th September 1908.—Mr. J. A. St. John Farnon, Assistant Opium **Benares Agency.** Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 10th October 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1713Medl.—The 10th September 1908.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. Pilgrim, I.M.S., **Calcutta.** Surgeon-Superintendent, Presidency General Hospital, is allowed privilege leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 1761Medl.—The 15th September 1908.—Captain G. King, I.M.S., reported his departure from India, on leave, on the 18th July 1907.

No. 1768Medl.—The 15th September 1908.—Captain F. A. F. Barnardo, I.M.S., on leave is appointed, with effect from the afternoon of the 28th August **Bhagalpur.** 1908, to act as Civil Surgeon of Bhagalpur, during the absence, on leave, of Major E. A. R. Newman, I.M.S., or until further orders.

2. The unexpired portion of the privilege leave granted to Captain Barnardo, under Government Notification No. 1564Medl., dated the 20th August 1908, is cancelled with effect from the above date.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6520A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6348A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Prandhan Bhar, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Howrah, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Satish Chandra Mitra, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 6373A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Bihari Lal Chatarji, No. I, Munsif of Sealdah, in the district of the 24-Parganas, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

24-Parganas.

No. 6380A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Lal Bihari Bhaduri, Munsif of Bolpur, in the district of Birbhum, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Muzaffarpur, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Muzaffarpur. He is also vested with powers, under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the district of Muzaffarpur. He is further vested, under article 8 of the second Schedule of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, IX of 1887, with powers to try, under the Small Cause Court procedure, suits not exceeding Rs. 50 in value for the recovery of rents of homestead lands situated within his jurisdiction.

Birbhum.
Muzaffarpur.

No. 6382A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Chandra Kumar Chatarji, Munsif of Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

24-Parganas.

No. 6385A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Ram Lal Das, Munsif of Patna, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Alipore, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of that portion of the Alipore Munsifi which lies outside the limits of the jurisdiction of the Small Cause Court at Sealdah. He is also vested with powers, under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising with the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Alipore. He is for the present appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Ranaghat, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Ranaghat Munsifi

Patna.
24-Parganas.
Nadia.

No. 6389A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Srihari Lahiri, Munsif of Jessore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Patna, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the thanas comprised in the Sadar Munsifi of Patna, exclusive of the area over which the Cantonment Magistrate as Small Cause Court Judge of Dinapore has jurisdiction. He is also vested, under article 8 of the second Schedule of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, IX of 1887, with powers to try, under the Small Cause Court procedure, suits not exceeding Rs. 50 in value for the recovery of rents of homestead lands situated within his jurisdiction. He is further vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Patna.

Jessore.
Patna.

No. 6391A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Satkari Haldar, Munsif of Arrah, in the district of Shahabad, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Jessore. He is also vested with powers, under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Jessore.

Shahabad.
Jessore.

No. 6393A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Binod Bihari Mitra, Munsif of Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Shahabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Arrah, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Arrah Munsifi. He is also vested with powers, under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the District Judge of Shahabad.

24-Parganas.
Shahabad.

No. 6395A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Khagendra Nath Bose, Additional Munsif of Purulia and Chaibassa, in Chota Nagpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Barasat, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Barasat Munsifi.

Chota Nagpur.
24-Parganas.

No. 6397A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Gopal Das Ghose, Munsif, now on deputation to the Settlement Department, is appointed to be an Additional Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Purulia and Chaibassa, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Purulia and Chaibassa Munsifis.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 6403A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Ashutosh Ghose, No. I, Munsif of Motihari, in the district of Muzaffarpur, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 6406A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Trailokya Nath Som, Munsif of Cuttack, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Muzaffarpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Motihari, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Motihari Munsifi. He is also vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the Motihari Munsifi.

Cuttack.
Muzaffarpur.

No. 6410A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Baidya Nath Ghatak, Munsif of Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, now acting as Additional Munsif of Raghunathpur in Chota Nagpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at Balasore, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, and also with the powers of a Court under section 3, clause (*d*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, within the local limits of the Balasore Munsifi.

Hooghly.
Chota Nagpur.
Cuttack.

No. 6412A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Kali Das Mukharji, Munsif of Balasore, in the district of Cuttack, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Cuttack.

No. 6417A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Gagan Bihari Chaudhuri, Munsif of Ulubaria, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at Sambalpur, and is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Sambalpur Munsifi.

Hooghly.
Cuttack.

No. 6419A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Surendra Krishna Ghosh, Munsif of Sambalpur, in the district of Cuttack, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Khulna, to be ordinarily stationed at Bagerhat, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bagerhat Munsifi.

Cuttack.
Khulna.

No. 6421A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, Munsif of Bagerhat in the district of Khulna, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Khulna.

No 6426A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Purna Chandra Bose, Munsif of Bolpur, in the district of Birbhum, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Birbhum.

No 6431A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Nagendra Nath Ghosh, Munsif of Narail, in the district of Jessore, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Jessore.

No. 6436A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Praphulla Chandra Dutt, Munsif of Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

24-Parganas.

No. 6441A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Mukharji, Munsif of Dhanbaid in Chota Nagpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Amta, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Amta Munsifi.

Chota Nagpur.
Hooghly.

No. 6443A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Basu, No. II, Munsif, now on deputation to the Settlement Department, is appointed to be a Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Dhanbaid, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Dhanbaid Munsifi.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 6445A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Nagendra Nath Chatarji, No. II, Munsif of Baruipur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bhagalpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Monghyr, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Monghyr Munsifi. He is also vested, under article 8 of the second Schedule of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, IX of 1887, with powers to try, under the Small Cause Court procedure, suits not exceeding Rs. 100 in value situated within his jurisdiction.

24-Parganas.
Bhagalpur.

No. 6447A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Sharat Chandra Bose, Munsif of Jamui, in the district of Bhagalpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Baruipur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs 100, within the local limits of the Barnipur Munsifi.

Bhagalpur.
24-Parganas.

No. 6449A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Gyanendra Chandra Banarji, Munsif of Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bhagalpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Jamui, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Jamui Munsifi.

Hooghly.
Bhagalpur.

No. 6453A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Jatindra Chandra Lahiri, Munsif of Tamluk, in the district of Midnapore, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Midnapore.

No. 6460A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Banwari Lal Banarji, No. II, Munsif of Puri, in the district of Cuttack, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at Tamluk, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Tamluk Munsifi.

Cuttack.
Midnapore.

No. 6462A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Banwari Lal Gosain, Munsif of Contai, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Burdwan, to be ordinarily stationed at Katwa, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Katwa Munsifi.

Midnapore.
Burdwan.

No. 6464A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Akshay Kumar Basu, Munsif of Katwa, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Khulna, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Khulna.

Burdwan.
Khulna.

No. 6466A. The 15th September 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Gupta, Munsif of Khulna, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at Contai, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Contai Munsifi.

Khulna.
Midnapore.

No. 6468A.—The 15th September 1908.—Mr. Shaikh Ahmad Husain Khan, Munsif of Motihari, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Darbhanga, to be ordinarily stationed at Madhubani.

Muzaffarpur.
Darbhanga.

No. 6470A.—The 15th September 1908.—Mr. Khwaja Taki Jan, Munsif of Madhubani, in the district of Darbhanga, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Purnea, to be ordinarily stationed at Kishanganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs 100, within the local limits of the Kishanganj Munsifi.

Darbhanga.
Purnea.

No. 6472A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Raj Narayan, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Muzaffarpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Motihari.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 6474A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Durga Kanta Ray, Munsif of Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Murshidabad.

LEAVE.

No. 6371A.—The 10th September 1908.—Babu Praphulla Chandra Datta, Munsif of Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave till the 23rd September 1908, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 9th September 1908, or from the date on which he was relieved.

24-Parganas.

No. 6372A.—The 14th September 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Mitra, Munsif of Howrah, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave till the 23rd September 1908, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he was relieved.

Hooghly.

POWERS.

No. 6346A.—The 14th September 1908.—Babus Praphulla Chandra Ghose, No. I, and Jatindra Mohan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrates, Santhal Parganas, are vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Santhal Parganas.

No. 6350A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Bihari Lal Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Howrah.

No. 6401A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Dina Nath De, Munsif of Cuttack, is vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Cuttack.

Cuttack.

No. 6458A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Rakhal Chandra Bose, Munsif of Puri, in the district of Cuttack, is vested with the powers of a Court under section 3, clause (*d*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, within the local limits of the Puri Munsifi.

Cuttack.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3239J.—The 10th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Annada Prasad Mukharji and Babu Bishnu Lal Mondal to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Rampur Hât Independent Bench, in the district of Birbhum.

Birbhum.

No. 3258J.—The 11th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Mr. Alfred Aston Barnes to be a Magistrate of the second class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Kurseong Independent Bench, in the district of Darjeeling. He is also authorized to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Kurseong police-station of the district of Darjeeling.

Darjeeling.

No. 3263J.—The 11th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Dulip Narayan Singh and Babu Bir Kishor Narayan Singh to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr.

Monghyr.

JAILS.

No. 3290J.—The 12th September 1908.—Mr. R. J. Watson is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Presidency Jail.

Calcutta.

No. 3294J.—The 12th September 1908.—Mr. R. J. Watson is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Alipore Central Jail.

24-Parganas.

H. C. STRATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3324J.—The 14th September 1908.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Keramat Ali, authorizing him to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the police-stations of Hooghly, Polba and Balagarh, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 3326J.—The 14th September 1908.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Keramat Ali, appointing him Kazi of thanas Hooghly, Polba and Balagarh, in the district of Hooghly, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

Hooghly.

No. 3339J.—The 15th September 1908.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriage and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Abdul Majid, authorizing him to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the police-stations of Serampore, Singur and Chanditola in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 3341J.—The 15th September 1908.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Abdul Majid, appointing him Kazi of thanas Serampore, Singur and Chanditola, in the district of Hooghly, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

Hooghly.

H. C. STRATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3377P.—The 14th September 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Atul Krishna Basu, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of the Baharumpur-Chandpur Union, in thana Dhaniakhali, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Sharat Chandra Mukharji, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Hooghly.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Atul Krishna Basu for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 3378P. The 14th September 1908.—The Notification No. 4622P., dated the 20th December 1907, published at page 2306, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem, conferring upon Babu Sharat Chandra Mukharji, as President of the panchayat of the Baharumpur-Chandpur Union, in thana Dhaniakhali, in the district of Hooghly, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Hooghly.

No. 3388P.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Bama Charan Bhaumik, second grade Inspector of Police, Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam for employment in that Province.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th September 1908.

No. 166.—Mr. C. A. Marolait, Honorary Assistant Engineer, Brahmini-Bytarni Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for twenty days, with effect from the 9th September 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 15th September 1908.

No. 167.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

No. 159, dated the 10th September 1908.—Mr. A. S. Thomson, Superintending Engineer, 1st class Bengal, is appointed to officiate as Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Public Works Department, Buildings and Roads Branch, during the absence, on combined leave, of Mr. M. J. Scobie, and until further orders.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 14th September 1908.

No. 102Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that Port Said is declared free from plague, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea issued by this Government, which were imposed in the Ports of Orissa against vessels arriving from Port Said, are hereby withdrawn.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 15th September 1908.

No. 103Marine.—Mr. W. H. D. Allison, Senior Master Pilot, is granted, under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for two months, with effect from the 1st September 1908, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 15th September 1908.

No. 104Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6, sub-section (1), clause (*p*), sub-clause (*vii*) of the Indian Ports Act, 1889, as amended by section 2 of the Indian Ports Act, 1901 (III of 1901), the Lieutenant-Governor proposes to make the following rule to regulate the action to be taken where there are, on board a vessel in the Port of Calcutta, food-stuffs which, owing to decomposition or for any other reason, are, in the opinion of the Health Officer of the Port of Calcutta, unfit for human consumption.

The rule will be taken into consideration on the 1st of November 1908, and the Lieutenant-Governor will be glad to consider any remarks or observations which may be made by any person concerning it within that period—

"If the Health Officer of the Port of Calcutta finds, by inspection, that in any vessel lying within the Port there are food-stuffs, which, in his opinion, have become unfit for human consumption, he may order the same to be destroyed, and the Master or other person in charge of the vessel shall, within 24 hours of the receipt of this order, cause the same to be destroyed."

N. B.—If any Master or other person disobeys the above rule, he will, under section 6, sub-section (3) of the Act, be liable to a fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6521A.

No. 6355A.—The 15th September 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Shailesh Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Basirhat, 24-Parganas, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24-Parganas.

Babu Shailesh Nath Mukharji is also vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

No. 6479A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Balasore, is vested with the powers of a Deputy Collector for the trial of rent and other suits under Act X of 1859.

Balasore.

No. 6481A.—The 15th September 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Rafik-ul-Alam, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Madhipura, Bhagalpur, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Bhagalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2572D., dated Darjeeling, the 10th September 1908.—The following first grade Civil Hospital Assistants are promoted to the Senior grade with effect from the date specified against their names:—

Name.	Appointment.	With effect from 1908.
1. Gokul Chandra Chatterji ...	Khondmals Subdivision and Phulbani Charitable Dispensary, Angul.	5th July.
2. Shib Ram Misra ...	Bhabhua Subdivision and Dispensary, Shahabad.	4th August.
3. Shashi Mohan Das ...	Kurseong Dispensary, Darjeeling	16th „

No. 2639D., dated Darjeeling, the 14th September 1908.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Surendranath Datta is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the afternoon of the 5th September 1908.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Temple Medical School, Patna.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held at 10 A.M. on Thursday, the 15th October 1908, at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore.

2. Every candidate must produce certificates of training, age and previous education as required by Rules 9 and 11 of Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th September 1907, except in those cases provided for in Rule 10.

3. These certificates must comply with the conditions laid down in Rule 10 of the above resolution.

4. Male candidates must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs 5, at least one week before the 15th October 1908 at the office of the undersigned.

Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

(*Exception.*—The students belonging to the Compounder class of a Vernacular Medical School will be exempted from paying this fee on producing a certificate from the Superintendent that they have already paid the school entrance fee.)

5. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination, he will forfeit his fee.

6. No candidate for the Compounders' examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

B. C. OLDHAM, MAJOR, I.M.S.,
The 7th September 1908. *Superintendent, Temple Medical School, Patna.*

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Orissa Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated the 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 9 A.M. on Monday, the 19th October 1908, at the Orissa Medical School.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Orissa Medical School, at least one week before the 19th October 1908, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge. No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.

3. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to rules 9 and 10, and of the persons granting the certificates to rules 11 and 14 (3) and to the certificate forms C (3), D, and E, F in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification, as circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Calcutta Hospitals, Medical Schools, and Lunatic Asylums with his Circular No. 74, dated the 14th November 1907.

CUTTACK, E. E. WATERS, M.D., MAJOR, I.M.S.,
The 12th September 1908. *Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 10th September 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Mowla Baksh, B.A., is confirmed as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hooghly, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 18th July 1908.

Babu Paresh Nath Bose, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bankura (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th August 1908.

The 11th September 1908.—In supersession of this office orders of the 31st July 1908, Babu Janaki Nath Chatterji, a Clerk in the office of the Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division (class VIII), is allowed combined leave for six months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, *viz.*, privilege leave for one month and thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations, with effect from the 11th July 1908.

Babu Debendra Nath Ghosh, Assistant in the office of the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Benode Behari Sen, on leave.

Babu Khagendra Nath Ghosh is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Manbhum and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 31st May 1908.

The following arrangement is sanctioned consequent on the resignation of Babu Siddheswar Gupta, Assistant Master, Muzaffarpur Zilla School, on Rs. 50 a month outside the grades:—

(1) Maulvi Ali Akbar, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the Champaran district, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), to act, until further orders, as Assistant Master, Muzaffarpur Zilla School, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Siddheswar Gupta, resigned.

(2) Shaikh Bulaki, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, on probation, in the district of Gaya (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), to act, until further orders, as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the Champaran district, on the pay of his own grade *vice* Maulvi Ali Akbar, on deputation.

In supersession of the order of the 24th August 1908, appointing Babu Kali Charan Mukerji, B.A., to act as Assistant Head Master of the Taki Government School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, *vice* Babu Banowari Lal Roy, on deputation, Babu Akhil Chandra Maitra, B.A., is appointed to act in that appointment on the same allowance.

Babu Nritya Gopal Bhattacharji, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the Khulna district (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), now Officiating Assistant Master, Khulna Zilla School, *vice* Babu Pyari Mohan Mukerji, on deputation, is allowed to revert to his appointment as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the Khulna district, being relieved by Babu Pyari Mohan Mukerji.

Babu Bhagabat Patnaik, substantively *pro tempore* Assistant Master, Sambalpur High School (substantively *pro tempore* in class II of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Benode Behari Das.

In partial modification of the orders of the 24th August 1908, Babu Nrisingha Chandra Banerji is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master, Hazaribagh Zilla School, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, during the deputation of Babu Bhananjay Sahay to the David Hare Training School.

Babu Keshab Chandra Chatterji, B.A., Officiating Assistant Teacher of the Uttarpara Government School, is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in that institution and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Upendra Nath Banerji.

The 12th September 1908.—Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachari, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Darbhanga (class III), is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Durga Prasad Tewari.

Babu Tripura Charan Banerjee, Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas (class I), is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-eight days, with effect from the 2nd September 1908.

Babu Satis Chandra Mitra, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas (class VI), is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Tripura Charan Banerjee, on leave.

Babu Hari Charan Mukerji, Officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Khulna (class V), is appointed to act as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Satis Chandra Mitra, on deputation.

Maulvi Abdul Karim, Persian Teacher of the Hooghly Branch School (class V), was absent on leave for fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st August 1908.

Maulvi Moffuzzal Hossain acted as Persian Teacher of the Hooghly Branch School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 6th August 1908, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Karim, on leave.

Maulvi Mahammad Mohsin, an Assistant Master in the Muzaffarpur Zilla School (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), was absent on leave for twenty days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th August 1908.

Babu Abinash Chandra Mallick, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (class VI), having been recalled to duty on the 3rd September 1908, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 7th July 1908 is cancelled.

In partial modification of this office orders of the 5th September 1908, Babu Madhu Sudan Misra, an Assistant Master in the Sambalpur High School (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Balunkeswar Misra, on leave.

Babu Makhan Lal Ganguli, Assistant Head Master of the Puri Zilla School (class VII), is allowed leave of absence for one month and-a-half under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th October 1908.

Babu Bhairab Chandra Datta, an Assistant Master in the Puri Zilla School (class VII), is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the same institution on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Makhan Lal Ganguli, on leave.

Babu Maguni Das, an Assistant Master in the Puri Zilla School (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Bhairab Chandra Datta, on deputation.

The 15th September 1908.—Babu Suraj Bhusan Lal is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Monghyr and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 20th May 1908.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1784W.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. R. T. GREER, C.S.I., I.C.S.,

Member in charge.

MISS CORNELIA SORABJI, who was appointed on probation by the Board, with the previous sanction of Government, as Legal Adviser of *purdanishin* ladies under the Court of Wards, has been confirmed in her post with effect from the 1st April 1906.

J. N. MITRA, for *Offg. Secretary.*

LAND REVENUE DEPT., WARDS BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 12th September 1908.*

No. 4948B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of 1,867 chests of season 1905-06 and 83 chests of season 1906-07 ...	1,950
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of season 1906-07	1,950
Total	3,900

Sale.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 19th and 29th October 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 19th October 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 29th October 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Wednesday, 4th November 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	3,900	3,900	7,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

R. B. MISRA, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 7th September 1908.*

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

EXCISE NOTIFICATION.

THE Government of India in their Resolution No. 2995Exe., dated the 16th May 1907, having accepted the suggestion of the Indian Excise Committee that the Bengal rule requiring foreign liquor in transit from a wholesale to a retail dealer to be covered by a pass should be abrogated, the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, in their Circular Order No. 3332B., dated the 29th June 1908, have, with the approval of the Government of Bengal, directed that the system of granting passes for the transport of such liquor shall be abolished in the case of all liquor that has paid the full tariff duty.

J. T. BABONEAU,

Superintendent of Excise Revenue,
Calcutta, the Suburbs, Howrah and Bali.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 3rd September 1908.*

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open for the transaction of *urgent* business only from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. on the following days of the ensuing Durga Puja holidays:—

29th and 30th September 1908.
1st, 6th, 7th and 8th October 1908.

J. T. BABONEAU, *Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta.*

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 8th September 1908.*

CUSTOM HOUSE NOTICE.

Durga and Lakshmi Puja Holidays.

ON the 29th and 30th September and 1st, 6th, 7th and 8th October 1908, the Custom House (including the Treasury) will be open for work as usual.

2. On the 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 9th and 10th October 1908, the Treasury will be closed, but the office will be open for the despatch of urgent business from 11-30 A.M. to 1-30 P.M.

P. R. CADELL, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 10th September 1908.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 12th September 1908.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

EXAMINATIONS.

Simla, the 11th September 1908.

No. 554.—The following alteration should be made in the preamble to the Home Department Notification No. 304, dated the 13th August 1908:—

For "Home Department Notification No. 632, dated the 20th December 1907," *read* "Home Department Notification No. 633, dated the 20th December 1907."

MEDICAL.

The 7th September 1908.

No. 1041.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal:—

Captain S. Anderson, M.B., I.M.S.
Captain H. B. Steen, M.D., I.M.S.
Captain O. St. John Moses, M.D., F.R.C.S.E., I.M.S.

PORT BLAIR.

The 11th September 1908.

No. 569.—Captain J. M. Woolley, I.M.S. (Bengal), is appointed to officiate as Senior Medical Officer, Port Blair, with effect from the 3rd October 1908.

JUDICIAL.

The 7th September 1908.

No. 1160.—The services of Mr. H. L. Bell, Barrister-at-Law, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 28th August 1908.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 9th September 1908.

No. 5206-E.O.—Mr. R. H. MacNair, Assistant Accountant-General, Bengal, is granted privilege leave for one month and three days, with effect from the 26th of August 1908.

J. B. BRUNYATE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 11th September 1908.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 757.—Army Department Notification No. 727, dated 28th August 1908, so far as it refers to Mr. Frederick Taylor Campbell, is hereby cancelled.

Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 758.—Second-Lieutenant Edward Hunt to be Lieutenant, *vice* Fitzmaurice appotnted to be Quartermaster of the Corps. Dated 1st April 1908.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 762.—William Ernest Andrews to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 10th May 1908.

Second-Lieutenant Cecil Newman Sanders to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st August 1908.

A. W. L. BAYLY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART I B.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1526M.—The 10th September 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in exercise of the power vested in him by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in compliance with an application made under that section by the Commissioners of the Bhabua Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, to extend the provisions of section 262A of the said Act to the said Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Shahabad.

No. 1548L.S.-G.—The 14th September 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Krishna Dayal Pramanik to be a member of the Kushtia Local Board, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Akshay Kumar Chatarji, resigned.

Nadia.

No. 1524M.—The 9th September 1908.—Under rule 9 of the rules framed under section 5 of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Lieutenant-Governor intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Darjeeling Municipality for a loan of Rs. 20,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, and repayable in forty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 751-1-10 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said Municipality.

DARJEELING MUNICIPALITY.

Application from the Municipal Commissioners of Darjeeling for a loan of Rs. 20,000.

estimate of the cost thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	RECEIPTS OF LOAN. (a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) Rate of Interest.	(c) The number of instalments, if any, in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The dates proposed for receiving such instalments.	REPAYMENT OF LOAN. (f) Date of instalments, if any.	Amount of each instalment.
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No. 1503M.—The 8th September 1908.—Whereas an application for the purpose of constructing an Electric Tramway on the Diamond Harbour Road within the South Suburban Municipality has been made to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal by the Calcutta Tramways Company, Limited (hereinafter called "the promoters"), with the consent of the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, given at a special meeting convened for the purpose, agreeably to the provisions of section 3 of the Bengal Tramways Act, 1883 (Bengal Act III of 1883), and whereas, in accordance with section 4 of the said Act, the plans and drawings of the proposed works, together with an estimate and the provisional agreement hereinafter published, made between the promoters and the local authority, have been submitted to the Government, and whereas no objections to such application have been filed within the time appointed, and whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor, after due inquiry, to be expedient and proper to grant the said application, the Lieutenant-Governor, under the authority vested in him by section 5 of the said Act, is pleased to make the following order.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

ORDER.

1. This order may be cited as the Calcutta Tramways (Behala) order, 1908.

2. The tramway authorised under this order shall be subject to all the provisions of the Bengal Tramways Act, 1883, and the Calcutta Tramways Company, Limited (who and their assigns are hereinafter called "the promoters"), shall, in addition to the powers and authorities herein contained, have all the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act.

3. The promoters are hereby authorised to construct, maintain and work, subject to the provisions of this order, and in accordance with the plans and drawings deposited with the Government of Bengal, an Electric Tramway with double lines on the following route, viz.:—

Along and upon the Diamond Harbour Road from the Calcutta Municipal Boundary at Shahpore Road to the village of Behala.

4. The promoters have entered into the agreement with the Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, which is set out in the Schedule hereto, and which is hereby confirmed. The Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality shall have power to purchase the said tramway with the plant, machinery, land, buildings, rolling stock, stores and all other things used in connection therewith belonging to the promoters within the South Suburban Municipality in the manner and upon and subject to the terms and conditions specified in clauses 4 and 5 of the said agreement.

5. The roadway along that portion of the said route which traverses the Behala Bazar shall be widened by the Government of Bengal up to a total width of 35 feet 7 inches, and such land as it may be necessary to take up for that purpose shall be acquired by the Government of Bengal under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894. The expenses of and incidental to such widening and acquisition as aforesaid shall be borne and paid, as to Rs. 1,000, part thereof, by the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, as to one moiety of the balance thereof by the promoters, and as to the remainder thereof by the Government of Bengal.

6. The said tramway shall be completed and opened for traffic within two years from the date of this order; or, if the construction thereof shall be necessarily delayed beyond that period in consequence of the non-completion of the widening of the roadway as hereinbefore mentioned, then within such further time as shall be commensurate with the period of such delay.

7. The said tramway shall be constructed on a gauge of 4 feet 8½ inches. The rails shall be of the grooved girder type, weighing not less than 101 pounds per yard, and in general shall be laid on a concrete stringer foundation and held to gauge by means of tie-bars spaced according to the standard practice. The promoters may from time to time, with the approval of the Government of Bengal, adopt any such improvements in the rails, in the situation of the same, and in the substructure upon which they rest, as they may deem necessary for the proper working of the said tramway.

8. The promoters shall, at their own cost, metal the roadway between the rails and to the width of 18 inches beyond the outermost rail on each side, and in addition thereto, metal a width of not less than 6 feet of the roadway in contiguity to and throughout the whole length of the track.

9. The promoters may stack excavated material, road metal and other materials necessary for the construction or maintenance of the tramway or the roadway on the side of

the road, but the same shall be stacked in such manner as to obviate as far as possible any impediment of the traffic on the road; and the promoters may use when necessary, for the repair of the roadway, the materials excavated in the course of construction or maintenance of the said tramway. The promoters may, with the consent of the Government of Bengal, cut down or lop any tree standing on or alongside the road which is likely to interfere with the operation of the cars, or which may be a source of danger to the tramway traffic.

10. Subject to the approval of the Government of Bengal, the promoters may from time to time make all such crossings, passing places, sidings, junctions or other works in addition to those particularly specified in or authorised by this order as may be necessary or convenient for the efficient working of the said tramway, or for providing access to any building or works of the promoters.

11. The motive power of the said tramway shall be electrical energy conveyed by means of underground cables and overhead trolley wires, suspended either by bracket arms attached to steel poles, or by galvanised steel span wires strung between poles, as the case may require. The rails shall be used as return conductors and for this purpose shall be adequately provided at the joints with copper bonds to ensure a complete circuit.

12. The promoters shall at all times, to the satisfaction of the Government of Bengal, maintain and keep in good repair, and in such condition as not to afford danger to the ordinary traffic, the rails and the substructure of the tramway and about 29 feet of roadway, that is, up to 18 inches beyond the rails on each side of the road.

13. This order is made on the condition that the promoters do, and shall in the construction, maintenance and working of the said tramway, at all times conform to and govern themselves by all and every the rules for the time being in force, regulating the generation and use of electrical energy, under the Indian Electricity Act, 1903, or any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force, the provisions of which rules shall be deemed to be incorporated in, and to form part of, this order in like manner as if the same had been expressly recapitulated herein. The said tramway shall not be opened for public traffic, until the same shall have been inspected by the Electrical Inspector to the Government of Bengal and certified by him to be fit for such traffic.

14. The rate of fare to be charged for each passenger upon the said tramway shall not exceed 2 annas per mile in the case of 1st class passengers, and 1 one anna per mile in the case of 2nd class passengers.

The Schedule above referred to.

AGREEMENT made this fifth day of April 1908 between the CHAIRMAN OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS OF THE SOUTH SUBURBAN MUNICIPALITY (hereinafter called "the Commissioners") of the one part and THE CALCUTTA TRAMWAYS COMPANY LIMITED a Company incorporated under the English Companies Acts and having their registered office at No. 1 Queen Victoria Street in the City of London (hereinafter called "the Company") of the other part

WHEREAS the Company are desirous of constructing maintaining and working a double line of Electric Tramway within the South Suburban Municipality on the following route viz.:—

Along and upon the Diamond Harbour Road from the Calcutta Municipal boundary at Shahpore Road to the village of Behala:

AND WHEREAS the Company are about to apply to the Government of Bengal under the Bengal Tramways Act 1883 for an order authorising such Tramway.

NOW IT IS HEREBY AGREED as follows:—

1. The Company shall forthwith apply to the Government of Bengal for an order under the Bengal Tramways Act 1883 authorising the Company to construct maintain and work a Tramway with double lines to be worked by electric traction by means of overhead wires along the said route and shall from and after the grant thereof construct maintain and work such Tramway according to and in conformity with the provisions to be contained in such order.

2. It being intended by the Government of Bengal to widen the roadway along that portion of the said route which traverses the Behala Bazar up to a total width of 35 feet 7 inches and to acquire under the Land Acquisition Act 1894 such land as it may be necessary to take up for that purpose the expenses of and incidental to such widening and acquisition as aforesaid shall be contributed as to Rs. 1,000 part thereof by the Commissioners and as to a moiety of the balance thereof by the Company the remainder thereof being borne by the Government of Bengal.

3. The Company shall complete and open the said Tramway for traffic within two years from the date of the Order to be granted by the Government of Bengal or if the construction thereof shall be necessarily delayed beyond that period in consequence of the non-completion of the widening of the roadway as hereinbefore mentioned then within such further time as shall be commensurate with the period of such delay.

4. The Commissioners shall have the right of purchasing the said Tramway with the plant, machinery, land, buildings rolling stock, stores and all other things used in connection therewith belonging to the Company within the South Suburban Municipality on the 1st day of January 1931, upon declaring their intention so to purchase the same in writing not less than six calendar months before the said date: and the Commissioners shall have

a renewed right of purchase at the end of every seven years after the said 1st day of January 1931 upon similar notice being given. The consideration for such purchase shall be a cash payment of 25 times the difference between the average gross annual receipts and the average annual working expenses of the Company in connection with the said Tramway which said working expenses shall include (*inter alia*) the cost of the proper up-keep and maintenance of the said Tramway plant, machinery, building and rolling stock. The average of the gross annual receipts and of the annual working expenses for the purpose of such purchase shall be determined by taking the average of the seven years immediately preceding the date of such purchase. Upon the expiry of the said notice, the Company shall make over to the Commissioners the entire Tramway and all plant machinery land buildings rolling stock stores and everything connected therewith. If the payment by the Commissioners of the consideration for such purchase shall be delayed beyond the period of 30 days from the date of the expiry of the notice so given the Commissioners shall pay to the Company interest on the amount of such consideration or such part thereof as shall remain unpaid at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, from the date of the expiry of such notice until payment, but in no event shall the said consideration be allowed to remain unpaid for more than six months from the date on which the same shall become due and payable.

5. The Company shall prior to the date of the expiry of any notice to be given by the Commissioners under the last preceding clause hereof well and sufficiently repair to the satisfaction of such Engineer or other officer as may be deputed by the Government of Bengal in that behalf the said Tramway plant, machinery, buildings, rolling stock and other things or such of them or such portions thereof respectively as shall then be in need of repair and will place or restore the same in or to a good and serviceable order and condition and will so make over the same to the Commissioners. If default shall be made by the Company in complying with the provisions of this clause the Commissioners shall for such default and to the extent thereof be entitled to a deduction from the consideration for the purchase of the said Tramway plant, machinery, land, buildings, rolling stock, stores and premises of the Company as aforesaid. The fact whether such default has occurred and the amount of such deduction shall be determined in case of dispute by the arbitration of two disinterested persons, one to be appointed by the Commissioners and the other by the Company, or by the award of their umpire in case the arbitrators cannot agree, and these presents shall be deemed to be a submission to arbitration within the meaning of the Indian Arbitration Act, 1899, or any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force the provisions whereof shall apply as far as applicable.

AS WITNESS the Common Seal of the Commissioners and the signature of the Chairman and a Commissioner and the signature of the Company the day and year first above written.

GIVEN under the Common Seal of the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality and duly signed in the presence of —

SATYENDRA NATH ROY,
Honorary Magistrate, Alipore.

SURENDRA NATH ROY,
Chairman, South Suburban Municipality.

BAMA CHARAN ROY,
Municipal Commissioner.

Witness to the signature of the Calcutta Tramways Company, Limited, by their Attorney—

W. WALSH,
Traffic Superintendent,
Calcutta Tramways Company, Limited.

T. E. PALLANT.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention and having duly considered the objections received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on each side of Marquis Street, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 19th June 1908.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 14th September 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

As the result of the bye-election of a Municipal Commissioner for Ward No. 19, held on Saturday, the 12th September 1908, the following name of the duly returned candidate is published in accordance with section 55 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1899:—

Dr. Suresh Chandra Sarkar, M.B., Medical Practitioner, of 27, Puddopukor Lane, Entally.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 14th September 1908.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

ENGLISH TEACHERSHIP EXAMINATION, 1908.

THE examination will be partly written and partly oral and practical.

2. The written examination will be held at the Training School at Calcutta on the 1st December 1908 and the two following days. Three papers will be set, as shown below:—

					Marks.
I.—Art of teaching,	1st December,	10 A.M.	to 2 P.M.	... ...	100
II.—Discipline,	2nd ,,	10 ,,	2 ,,	... ...	100
III.—Organisation,	3rd ,,	10 ,,	2 ,,	... ...	100

3. The oral and practical examination will be in actual class teaching and in notes of lessons. The necessary arrangements for holding this examination will be made by Inspectors of Schools. One hundred marks will be assigned to this examination.

4. In the case of a candidate who is a teacher, the Inspector may, at his discretion, conduct the practical examination at the candidate's own school. This examination may be conducted any time in the month of December 1908.

5. Candidates obtaining 50 per cent. of the marks or upwards in each of the subjects, both written and practical, will be declared to have passed, and will be granted English Teachership Certificates, under the signature of the Director of Public Instruction.

6. Candidates for first grade certificates must have passed the B. A. examination. Candidates for second-grade certificates must have passed the F. A. examination, and served as teachers for at least three years. Candidates for third-grade certificates must have passed the Entrance examination, and served as teachers for at least three years.

A teacher who has held a certificate of a certain grade with credit for five years, will also be permitted to compete for the next higher grade of certificate, if his capacity as a teacher and his knowledge of the subjects of examination are certified as satisfactory by the Inspector of Schools

7. Candidates for the examination should apply, on or before the 7th November 1908, to the Head Master of the Training School at Calcutta, and should send a fee of Rs. 5 at the same time.

8. Candidates who have failed at a previous examination will be admitted to the examination, if they have worked as teachers for at least six months since their failure.

9. Further particulars regarding the examination will be supplied on application by Head Masters of Training Schools.

CALCUTTA;
The 5th September 1908.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June. / To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artisan Classes in the following shops:—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine, and
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 12th July 1907.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in the knowledge of English idiom and in pronunciation for teachers of English in Native schools will be held at the office of the Inspector of European Schools, 12, Dalhousie Square, East, on Monday, the 21st of September 1908, at 11 A.M.

Teachers who intend to present themselves for examination should send at least a week before the examination a statement containing the following information, and should also *bring* with them their University certificates on the day of the examination :—

Name in full.
Name of father in full.
Name of native village and district.
Last University examination passed.
Year of passing.
Signature of the applicant.
Designation and full address.

Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and, if so, how often, giving dates.

CALCUTTA,
The 7th September 1908.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Dow Hill School, Kurseong.

THE Continuation classes for the study of Shorthand and Type-writing will be held as usual during 1909. It is also intended to include in future the teaching of Business Methods and of Commercial subjects generally in the course of the Continuation classes.

No High School classes will be held.

CALCUTTA,
The 12th September 1908.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA will deliver his next two lectures on English Constitutional History at the Senate House, College Square, on Thursday, the 17th, and Friday, the 18th September next, at 3-30 P.M. on both days.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 14th September 1908.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that upon the result of the ensuing Entrance Examination of 1909 being known, the two second grade junior scholarships attached to the Chota Nagpur Division will be awarded to the two boys who stand highest in the Divisional list, irrespective of the districts they come from, and the five third grade scholarships will be distributed as follows:—

Hazaribagh ...	... 1	Palamau ...	... 1
Ranchi ...	... 1	Manbhum ...	... 1
Singhbhum ...	... 1		

GANGA GOVINDA GUPTA, for *Commissioner.*

RANCHI, *the 9th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that the six second grade junior scholarships allotted to the Burdwan Division will be awarded in accordance with the results of the next Entrance Examination to the most successful students irrespective of the district to which they belong, and that of the 12 third grade junior scholarships assigned to this Division 11 will be apportioned among the districts of this Division according to the results of the next examination as shown below. The remaining *one* will be awarded to the most successful aboriginal student of the districts of Bankura, Birbhum and Midnapore who passes the Entrance Examination but does not obtain any other scholarship. If no qualified aboriginal student is available, this scholarship will be awarded to the Howrah district:—

Burdwan	... 2	Midnapore	... 3
Birbhum	... 1	Hooghly	... 2
Bankura	... 2	Howrah	... 1

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Commissioner on tour.*

CHINSURA, *the 11th September 1908.*

Office Memo. of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1909.

TEST-EXAMINATION OF PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. A student who does not appear from any school, or who has been transferred since the 1st September next preceding the examination, without the consent of the Inspector, to the school from which he appears, will be treated as a private student.

2. All private students are required to appear at the test-examination of a zilla school. No private student will be admitted to the test-examination unless accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the Head Master.

3. The first day of the test-examination in all Zilla Schools in the Bhagalpur Division will be the 15th December 1908.

4. Each private student will have to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for permission to appear at the test-examination to the head of the Institution at which he appears. The balance of fees, after payment of expenses (stationery, etc.), will go as remuneration to the examiners.

5. Candidates for the test-examination should apply to this office not later than the 20th November 1908. They should forward the certificates granted to them under the transfer rules by the Head Master of the school in which they last read. In the case of a candidate who had failed at a previous Entrance Examination and did not join a school afterwards, the Registrar's receipt, in original, will be accepted in lieu of the transfer certificate.

6. A student who had failed to pass the annual examination for promotion to the first class at the end of session 1907-1908 and then left the school cannot under any circumstances be allowed to appear at the Entrance Examination that will be held on the 8th March 1909 and following days.

7. Each candidate should submit with this application a statement showing—

(1) Age.
(2) Residence.
(3) Father's name.
(4) Second language, besides English.
(5) Whether he appeared at any previous Entrance Examination.

8. *Bonâ-fide* teachers employed in any of the recognised schools in the Bhagalpur Division may be admitted to the test-examination on payment of the prescribed fee, provided they can produce certificates of service and character from their employers, or from the Deputy Inspector of the district concerned.

9. The forms of application for permission to appear at the Entrance Examination will be signed by the Head Master of the Zilla school at which the candidates have undergone the test, and will be forwarded by him to the Inspector for countersignature.

10. Applications and fees for submission to the Entrance Examination must be forwarded to the Registrar of the Calcutta University by the private candidates themselves, so as to reach his office on or before the 25th January 1909.

INTERMEDIATE IN ARTS, B.A. AND B.Sc. EXAMINATIONS, 1909.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools, and *bonâ-fide* teachers of recognised English schools in the Bhagalpur Division of two years' standing, *i.e.*, who have served as such for full two academical sessions, or for six months in the case of those who were admitted to a former examination of the same class, will be admitted to the above examinations. These latter must have served for six months prior to the submission of their applications to the Inspector for countersignature. School-masters should produce certificates of character and length of service (with dates) from the Managers of the schools in which they are employed. Their applications must reach this office not later than the 15th January 1909.

2. Candidates for the B.A. Examination must forward with the applications their F.A. certificates, and those for the F.A. Examination their Entrance certificates, *together with a letter, in original, from the Senate of the Calcutta University, permitting them to appear at the examination.*

3. Candidates should read carefully the certificate which this office will have to sign, and must be careful to supply all information and documents required, without which the Inspector must decline to sign it.

4. The F.A. and B.A. Examinations in 1909 will be held on the 22nd March 1909 and following days.

5. Applications and fees for admission to the above examinations must be forwarded to the Registrar, Calcutta University, by the candidates themselves so as to reach his office on or before the 6th February 1909.

BHAGALPUR,
The 11th September 1908.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share

Pauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Kagas.	Kagas, pargana Mayureswar sabek.	17,182 13 0	.....	Residuary share:— 8 ganda 3 cora 5 ganti share of mauza Amdahara chuk, Alalbandi, Ishabpur, Ishanpur *alias* Ichakpur, Uttarmathi chuk, Ekuti, Kolyanpur, Kagas, Kartikgunge, Katipur, Kuchuighata, Kusumjatra kismat, Kusaipur, Krishnapur, Khatikpur, Khagra chuk, Khuria, Chandpur, Jamkola, Jalla, Jhikardaha chuk, Thakurgram chuk kismat, Tikardaha, Ilpara chuk, Dari-bate-jami-baje-apti, Dhobasaon chuk, Dhabajol, Nawapara, Nanas chuk, Nuisha, Paikpara, Pargaon, Pashala, Bahara chuk, Bela, Bipra-saigora, Buicha chuk, Bhagabatipur, Moyatpur, Malhaty, Mahabatpur chuk, Mohidipur chuk, Mohespur, Maligaon chuk, Metary, Rasulgunj, Rajballav chuk, Rupaojhi, Salgorya, Sibpur, Selamath, Harikora, Harispur, Hazrapur and 3 anna 3 cara 1 kranti share of mauzas Bansra and Bahadurgunj excepting separate account Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Asu Tosh Mukerjee and others.	719 15 2	.....	194 14 10

Birbhum Collectorate, the 10th August 1908.

R. A. N. SINGH, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the brick-field near Adra-Midnapur-Jharia Extension, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Thursday, the 24th September 1908, corresponding with the 8th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Raghunathpur Dák Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lo
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Banchas, mauza Digtila.	346 and 347	South of the Railway line.	25 12 10	8 1 35·71	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908. H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharia, mauza Jharia.	174½ in sheet No. 4.	West of the Railway line.	8 5 10	2·74				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908 H. COUPLAND Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jheria Coal line, siding No. 1, Messrs. Khanga & Co., Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile in which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres. B. K. C.	Acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Comment-arks.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Barugarh.	130 to 131, sheet No. 5.	South and north side of the Railway line.	9 3 11·50	3 0 5·87				
	Ditto ...	Jharria pargana, Gopalichak mauza.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7 12 13	2 2 4·13				
		Total ...	... ...	.....	16 16 8·50	5 2 1				

Land Acquisition Office, Manbhum, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Jealgora siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 22nd September 1908, corresponding with the 6th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the ... the case of origina

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Serial No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres. B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Comments.	Boundary of lot
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Bhulanbarri.	177½	South of the Railway line.	7 7 0	2·43				
		Total			7 7 0	2·43				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Mahuda Station Yard, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and terminatic n of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, village Paddogora.	Between miles 135-137.	On the north side of the Railway line.	12 15 5	4 1 1				
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Hatudih.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	10 5 8·77	3 1 27	A plot 100×100' required for pump-house, etc.	0 0 37		
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, village Muchiarah.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 5 4	0 1 17				
		Total ...	.....	.....	24 6 1·77	8 0 5				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch Section, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 21st September 1908, corresponding with the 5th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbad Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
				B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
Manbhum	Pargana Jharria, mauza Ladna.	176½ sheet No. 6.	West of the Railway line.	0 16 16	0·28	.....	.....	.....	
Ditto ...	Pargana Jharria, mauza Paddiadih.	Ditto ...	East of the Railway line.	2 15 0	0·92				
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	176½ sheet No. 7.	Ditto ...	3 11 7	1·18				
	Total ...		.....	.....	2·38				

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr., Manbhum.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the siding No. 1, Ghoorkhuntee-Bhowrah Branch, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 26th October 1908, corresponding with the 10th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Serial number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Jharia pargana, Ghoorkhuntee village.	Miles 3 and 4 of the Bhowra Branch.	South of the railway line	21 10 1·78	7 0 17·44				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Hariharpur-Dhanbaid Section, Gaya-Barakar Project, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Thursday, the 29th October 1908, corresponding with the 13th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbaid Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Serial number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. Acres.	Land excluded from sale from each plot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each plot. Acres.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Jherria pargana, Dhanbaid village.	At mile 120 of the main line.	South of the main line.	23 0 6	7·61				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894, Manbhum.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
271	Taraf Bansi-Badanpur, pargana Laskarpur.	2,246 5 8	Whole tate.		1. Rani Sarna Moyee Debya (proprietress) of Puliya, thana Vatukgachi in Rajshahi. Girish Narain Rai (proprietor) of Srimantapur, thana Dewansarai, and others.		Revenue— 4 6 Cesses (Maldah)— 35 1 2 39 7 9	
397	Basulpur, pargana Sherpur.	2,516 4 6	....	5a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. ejmali	Chowdhury Buzlur Rahim Aoul Mustafa of Sular, thana Bharathpur Chowdhury Ehsanul Huq of Margram, thana Rampurhat in Birbhum, and others.	851 13 9	.....	Revenue 0 8 6
561	Char Kantalia, pargana Fatesing	1,325 0 0	Whole estate.	....	Dwijendra Narain Rai of Jemna, thana Kandi (proprietor and farmer). Manobendra Narain Ray and others of Bagdanga, thana Kandi, (proprietors and farmers).		Revenue— 73 8 10 Cesses— 6 5 10	

Berhampur, the 12th August 1908.

M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		5	6			7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	gana Mandalghat.	13,342 4 9		Residuary share consisting of as. share of the estate	R. Belchambers, Esq., Administrator, *pendente lite* to the estate of late Babu Gopal Lall Seal of Calcutta.	9,407 4 9	.....	113 11 2
4082	Kalupukuria, pargana Jahanabad.	13,526 1 1	....	Residuar, share consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesna, Ghosepur, Deokhanda, Basantapore, Mamudpore, kt. Joykristopore	Behari Lall Rai and seven others.	2,253 9 5		141 15 2
4082—B	Ditto	13,526 1 1	....	Separate account marked "B" consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of mauzas Kalupukur, Ghesna, Ghosepore, Debkhanda, Basantapur, Mamudpore, kt. Joykristopore.	Barodasundari Dassi and five others.	2,254 8 0		296 4 5
4085	Sheikpore, pargana Baira.	10,437 9 9	.....	Residuary share consisting of 2as. 13g. 1k. 1kr. share of the estate.	Atanash Chandra Ghose.	1,735 2 8		227 2 11
	Deara land of Damoder River, mauza Bar Gorchumbuk, pargana Arsha.	522 0 0	16as. share	.....	Suresh Chandra Mukherjee.		522 0 0	
632	Damoder chor land, mauza Alipore, pargana Mandalghat.	3,021 0 0	Entire ...		Manik Lall Seal and others of Calcutta.		4,532 0 0	

Hooghly Collectorate, the 14th August 1908.

B. DE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 16th September 1908 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2760	Bharondha, pargana Kutumba.	768 9 0		The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Rampur ... 16 2. Bharondha 16 3. Kahuli dakhli Bharondha ... 16 4. Mirzapur ... 16 5. Banahi *alias* Jarahi 16 6. Ratanpura ... 16 7. Parsarmoin ... 16 8. Paras Khajuria ... 8 9. Kandhwa ... 16 10. Sarsya ... 16	Raghubans Pratap Singh and others.	639 9 0	...	3 7 6
3284	Sughri garandi Wagairah, pargana Pachrukhi.	2,934 6 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares, consisting of— As. 1. Bhadaur ... 16 2. Karlona ... 16 3. Thali Khurd ... 16 4. Amhua ... 8	Musst. Ram Koer *alias* Lacho Koer and others.	943 7 0		340 14 0
	Jaipur Dumrawan and Shahar Khas, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share, consisting of— As. 1. Deoghar Khap ... 5 2. Basir Khap ... 2	Sayed Nooruddin Ahmad Balkhi.	827 0 0		333 4 0
	Ditto ...	4,898 8 0	.....	Separate account No. I, consisting of— As. P. 1. Jairur Dumrawn 5 4 2. Bagha Khap ... 5 4 3. Badar Khap ... 5 4 4. Zari Khap ... 5 4 5. Deoghar Khap ... 5 4 6. Ibrahimpur ... 5 4 7. Hardia ... 5 4 8. Kolhua ... 5 4 9. Makhdumpur ... 5 4 10. Sahdeo Khap ... 5 4 11. Basir Khap ... 5 4 12. Alahdadpur *alias* Paroul ... 5 4 13. Ambadih ... 5 4 14. Sugaria ... 5 4 15. Deodpur *alias* Pandoul ... 5 4	Sheikh Nazir Ali and others.	821 15 0	.....	371 3 0
	Tarwan taluqa, pargana Sherghatti.	2,303 5 0	Entire	.....	Musst. Bhawani Koer	.....	303 12 0	
	Adopur, pargana Kabar.	1,198 0 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares to the extent of 14 annas.	Parayag Singh and others.	748 12 0	.....	65 2 0

Gaya Collectorate, the 15th August 1908.

T. S. MACPHERSON, Collector.

Notification A

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd September 1908 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by laware realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
						7	8	
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8930	Newri Chaturi Singh, pargana Tariani.	600 6 3	Entire ...	.....	Lalji Lall and others ...		17 0 2	
				Temporarily-settled estate.				
11920 R. S.	Sukwarpur, pargana Hajipur.	2,048 0 0		Residuary share 14a. 1pd. 1c. 5b. 13½ph. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	B. Nand Keswar Lall and others	1,914 1 0	.....	9 6 1

Muzaffarpur, the 4th August 1908.

ROWLAND CHANDRA, *for* Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share or shares are excluded from the sale.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is to be sold, arrears from i
1	2	3	4	5					10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
1	2 R. S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Kangonbaria and others.	2,828 3 0	.....	Excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 3½pt., remaining 4a. 5g. 2k. 5¼dt. share in all the mauzas except mauzas Chetla and Alipore.	Romanath Burmon	738 9 4		46
2	5-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Laskarpore and others.	8,289 3 0	.....	Excluding 10a. share remaining 6a. share.	Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhri.	3,108 6 11½		258 1
	8-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpia.	3,480 1 0	.....	Ditto	Ditto ...	1,306 11 5½		65 1
4	10	Pargana Magura, kismat Chetla and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.		Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry and others.		26 13 10	
	36	Pargana Magura, mauza Dhapamanpore.	741 13 0	Ditto ...		S. M. Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhry.		167 1 4	
6	101	Pargana Magura, kismat Shibapore and others.	1,076 3 0	Ditto ...		Kumar Monmotho Nath Mitter.			
7	315-11	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Raghunathpore.	10,199 4 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 1 g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Kali Krishna Chakravarti	716 9 0		134 1
8	323 R. S.	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Kantapukuria and others.	1,038 5 9	.....	Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k 2kt. share., remaining 10a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Roma Prosad Ray Chowdhry and others.	662 3 10		26
9	326	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Bistoopore and others.	2,443 3 0	.....	Excluding 8a. share, remaining 8a. share.	Jotindra Nath Ray Chowdhry and others.	1,212		
10	335-9	Pargana Azimabad and others Hudarash Khali and others.	13,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramuri.	Kali Krishna Chakravati ...	1,302 8 7½		142
11	437	Pargana Panchakuli, Abad Simulberia and others.	560 3 6	Whole estate.		Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry.		47 8 8	

Alipore, the 14th August 1908.

A. MOOKERJI, *for* Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 190 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood t separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is be sold arrears from
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P	
330	Mehal Durgapore, 2a. 5g. share, ph. Bircool.	1,686 8 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Chowdhurani Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.		367 0 2	
1101	M. Kia, ph. Kurulchore.	503 2 7	Do. ...	.....	Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.		54 13 0	
				Government Khas Mehal.				
2596	Aima Haruiara, ph. Balarampore.	638 10 0	Entire ...	.....	Kisori Mohan Mitra and three others ...		49 8 9	

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1908 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Serial No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
825 26	Aamepur Raghunath urf Kewai, pargana Balia.	607 12 2	Entire ...	.....	Nauratan Lal ...	.....	8 3 6	
825 17 67	Manaura, pargana Phulwari.	3,702 5 10	....	Makhdumpur, 16 annas, separate account. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mr. Patric Stephen ...	1,199 11 0	.....	1 3

Patna, the 22nd August 1908.

F. W. WARD, Collector of Patna.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 12, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1908, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1908 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that separate account is kept for that share.

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mehal Legua, ph. Shipore.	2,619 5 8	.....	S. A. No. XXII— Mauza—	Sreemati Tilottama Debi, mother and guardian Chow hury Naren dra Nath Pahar minor.	1,376 15 6	.....	150 9 8	Revenue— 150 9 8 Road Cess— 80 10 3 Embankment Cess— 30 2 0

	A.	G.	K.	KG.
Akharpore ...	10	0	3	0
Aukda ...	7	0	3	0
Barandia ...	10	0	3	0
Bohalia ...	10	0	3	0
Brindabanpore ...	7	0	3	0
Chaulda ...	6	1	3	0
Dubda ...	10	0	3	0
Dubda Katitaki ...	10	0	3	0
Dhusurda ...	7	0	3	0
Gobrachak ...	10	0	3	0
Goderchak ...	7	0	3	0
Gopalpore ...	6	1	3	0
Jugulia ...	10	0	3	0
Canongoebar	3	10		
Kamprojapati Kist	10	1	3	
Kuarpore ...	10	0	3	0
Kristapore ...	10	0	3	0
Khasda ...	10	0	3	0
Khurutia ...	10	0	3	0
Khodecoa	10	0	3	0
Madhab Chandra chak	10	0	3	0
Legua ...	6	1	3	0
Panchtol ...	10	1	3	
Satkhanda ...	10	0	3	0
Shipore ...	10	0	3	0
Takapore ...	10	0	3	0

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st September 1908, corresponding to 5th of Ashin 1315 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid at once

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of petty Government Estates of the Arambagh Subdivision to be sold on the 21st September 1908.

Serial No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Tauzi No.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	Remarks.
			A. R. P. B. K. C.	Rs. A. P.	
	Kumarhat Nirbhoypur, police-station Khanakul ...	4057	0 1 30 1 6 10	2 5 0	
	Satberia, police-station Goghat	4232	0 0 32 0 12 3	1 8 0	
3	Bangalpur, police-station Goghat	4358	8 1 32 25 11 1	56 15 0	
4	Gouranga *alias* Mandaran, police-station Khanakul	4589	3 3 3 11 8 3	28 5 0	
5	Chota Dangal *alias* Shamhullubpur, police-station Goghat.	4605	3 0 36 9 15 5	9 5 0	
6	Panchra, police-station Goghat	4611	2 0 6 6 3 6	13 14 0	
7	Balarampur, police-station Goghat	4613	3 3 17 12 0 15	27 9 0	
8	Damodarpur, police-station Goghat	4615	0 2 38 2 4 11	4 3 0	
9	Hatbasantapur, police-station Goghat ...	4633	4 1 27 13 7 4	43 0 0	
10	Damodarpur, police-station Goghat	4634	0 3 29 2 16 7	7 1 0	
11	Niranjanbati and Basantabati, police-stations Khanakul and Arambagh.	4636	2 3 15 8 12 1	17 0 0	
12	Choto Dangal and Panchra, police-station Goghat...	4637	2 3 38 9 0 10	18 1 0	
13	Kamchey and Kurmana, police-station Goghat ...	4650	4 0 38 12 16 8	25 5 0	
14	Dighri and Chak Madul, police-stations Goghat and Arambagh.	4656	2 2 26 8 1 3	22 3 0	
15	Kurmana, police-station Goghat	4657	6 0 24 18 11 15	43 9 0	
16	Dwaripur, police-station Goghat	4662	4 3 23 14 16 1	48 10 0	
17	Beurgram, police-station Arambagh	4675	4 1 4 12 18 11	22 10 0	
18	Solepur *alias* Kurmana, police-station Arambagh ...	4693	4 1 15 13 2 14	19 11 6	
19	Betra, police-station Arambagh	4697	6 0 38 15 16 12	38 6 0	
20	Amarpur, police-station Goghat	4700	2 1 15 7 1 12	12 6 0	
21	Balarampur, police-station Goghat	4708	5 3 0 17 7 14	36 15 6	
22	Chak Ghola, police-station Arambagh	4726	1 3 21 5 13 13	17 1 0	
23	Kurmana *alias* Solepur, police-station Goghat ...	4728	3 2 27 11 1 13	19 12 0	
24	Pantahori, police-station Khanakul	4732	0 2 3 1 11 4	5 0 0	
25	Arjungari, police-station Goghat	4737	4 1 31 13 8 13	20 3 0	
26	Chandoor, police-station Arambagh	4739	7 2 16 22 19 8	68 15 0	
27	Bharasola, police-station Goghat	4742	4 0 33 12 14 5	28 10 0	

Serial No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Tauzi No.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	Remarks.
			A. R. P. B. K. C.	Rs. A. P.	
28	Damodarpur, police-station Goghat	4743	1 1 7 *3 18 4*	4 14 0	
29	Kurmana *alias* Solepur, police-station Goghat ...	4744	1 3 20 *5 13 4*	9 12 0	
30	Kamchey, police-station Goghat	4745	4 3 15 *4 12 15*	29 5 0	
31	Panchra, police-station Goghat	4746	1 0 1 *3 0 14*	3 13 0	
32	Niranjanbati and Basantabati, police-stations Khanakul and Arambagh.	4751	4 2 29 *14 3 3*	23 14 0	
33	Mirzapur, police-station Goghat	4754	1 3 36 *5 19 8*	9 0 0	
34	Bhatsala, police-station Arambagh	4788	3 0 7 *9 4 4*	20 12 0	
35	Mirzapur, police-station Goghat	4807	3 1 12 *10 1 1*	15 12 0	
36	Seora and Gholepur, police-station Goghat .	4817	8 1 7 *25 1 10*	64 12 0	
37	Mominpur, police-station Arambagh	4818	4 1 25 *13 11 7*	12 12 0	
38	Arjungari and Dumarpara, police-station Goghat .	4823	7 0 8½ *21 6 12*	30 14 0	
39	Gholepur, police-station Khanakul	4150	1 2 32½ *5 2 15*	5 7 0	
40	Jajoor, police-station Khanakul	4384	0 2 21 *1 18 2*	3 13 10	
41	Pantahori, police-station Khanakul	4840	3 0 5 *9 3 6*	36 11 0	

Chinsurah, the 25th August 1908.

MIRZA SHEGUFTA BUKHT, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Grand Chord Line, mile 141, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 10th November 1908, corresponding with the 25th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Gomo.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Nawagarh pargana, Jayramdih mauza.	141	South ..	2 0 8	0 2 27 2·25 yds.	.....	...		
2	Do. ...	Nawagarh pargana, Dumra mauza.	141	Do. ..	8 2 12	2 2 30 14·50 yds.	.....	...		
					10 3 4	3 1 17 16·75 yds.				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 4th September 1908.

C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st September 1908, corresponding to 6th of Ashin 1315 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force; and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of petty Government estates of the Hooghly Sadar Subdivision to be sold on the 21st September 1908.

Serial No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Tauzi No.	Approximate area in acres.	Rent.	Remarks.
			A. R. P. B K. C.	Rs. A. P.	
42	Horibati, thana Pandua	1998	0 3 14 2 10 10	7 4 0	
43	Ditto ditto*	2009	0 0 9 0 3 6	0 8 0	*To be sold revenue-free.
44	Musuria, thana Balagore	4071	0 0 19½ 0 7 5	4 13 0	
45	Toregram, thana Pandua	4626	1 1 10 3 19 6	20 12 0	
46	Telipara, ditto	4640	0 1 7 0 17 12	5 6 0	
47	Guptiparah, thana Balagore ...	4658	0 1 29 1 6 0	2 15 6	
48	Pandua, thana Pandua	3032	0 1 2½ 0 16 1	2 0 0	
49	Kanoor, ditto	1041	0 1 32½ 1 7 5	1 3 0	
50	Pandua, ditto	3061	0 0 39 0 14 10	1 3 0	

Chinsurah, the 26th August 1908.

MIRZA SHEGUFTA BUKHT, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land no longer required by Government, situated on the east bank of Bhagirathi in village Beliapukhur, mauza Kallyanpur Chandipur, thana Manullabazar, in the district of Murshidabad, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 19th October 1908, corresponding with the 3rd Kartick 1315 Fusli at the old Jeaganj Inspection Bungalow by the Subdivisional Officer of Lalbagh.

The purchaser of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavation on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt of the Divisional Commissioner's order confirming the sale.

Boundaries.

North.—Kalu Chand Bothra's land.
East.—Lalgola cutcha road.
South.—Village road.
West.—Kalu Chand Bothra's land.

The plot measures about 1 bigha 2 cottahs and 8 chitaks of land appertaining to the old Inspection Bungalow at Jeaganj.

M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Berhampore, the 1st September 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bettiah-Bagaha Railway, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Saturday, the 17th October 1908, corresponding with the 8th Kartik 1316 Fusli at the Narkatiganj Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Hardia, pargana Majhowa.	23	South ...	7 14 4	2 2 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land of Bettiah-Bagaha Extension. *East*— Ditto ditto. *South*—Rup Kaun, Pirthwi Nath Misra, Naresh Tewari and Sam Behari Missir. *West*—Sam Behari Missir.
2	Ditto ..	Mauza Shikarpur, pargana Majhowa.	23	Do. ...	2 8 6	0 3 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *East*— Ditto. *South* Sathi Factory land. *West*—Railway land.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Patahi Branch of the Dhaka Canal, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, corresponding with the 4th Kartik 1316 Fusli, at the Chainpur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Malconia, pargana Semrown.			0 3 0	0 0 8				*East*—Patahi Branch, Dhaka Canal. *North*—Motia Diversion. *West*—Mango tope of Chetharu Singh, Janki Singh, Rajkumar Singh and Sheo Nandan *South*— Ditto ditto.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, subdivision Howrah, will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on the 29th October 1908, corresponding with 13th of Kartick 1315 B.S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

N.B.—The conditions regarding the payment of land revenue fixed in perpetuity are not applicable to estates in temporarily-settled districts in which the land revenue should be fixed for the term of the current settlement and be subject to periodical revisions on expiry of each settlement. In the case of an estate, situated in a permanently-settled area and yielding an annual rental of less than Re. 1, there should be no condition regarding payment of land revenue.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
		Poles.	Rs. A. P.	
4941	Staff quarters of the Bally Salt Pass Station ...	4·87	0 8 0	

Collector's Office, Howrah, the 8th September 1908.

A. W. COOK, Collector.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 8th September 1908.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,62,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 94,83,266 6 5				
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,34,85,568 1 11		2,29,68,834	8	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		17,13,76,563	8	7
Bank Post Bills, &c.		7,52,680	0	2
Sundries		12,64,689	2	10
Rupees ...		23,26,12,767	3	11

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities		3,32,81,223	0	0
Other authorised investments		31,49,371	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities		4,19,71,597	5	1
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto		4,37,50,477	10	0
Bills discounted and purchased		2,55,63,783	15	8
Balances with other Banks		15,41,543	6	7
Bullion		4,053	0	0
Dead Stock		16,68,308	14	9
Stamps		15,284	14	1
Sundries		2,52,691	6	11
		15,11,98,233	15	1
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... *Rs. 3,55,49,835 6 2				
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... † ,, 4,58,65,197 14 8		8,14,14,533	4	10
Rupees ...		23,26,12,767	3	11

* Includes Govt. & ½ Govt., value Rs. 68,250 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 3,39,060 0 0
,, 4,07,310 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 10th September 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 41·46.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.
(1081—1)

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Mr. Charles Woolman Dimmock, late an employé in the firm of Messrs. D. Waldie & Co. at Konnagar.	Konnagar	1st May 1908	District Judge, Hooghly, on 4th August 1908.	The deceased died intestate, and steps are being taken by the Administrator-General to obtain Letters of Administration in the estate.
Mr. Alfred James Bates, late a fitter in the service of N.-W. Ry. Workshop, Lahore.	Albert Victor Hospital, Lahor	27th June ,,	District Judge, Lahore, on 26th August 1908.	The deceased is said to have left no Will, and no application for Letters of Administration has been made.
Mrs. Mary Eleanor Hutton, wife of Revd. David Hutton, of the London Mission at Mirzapur.	Mission House, Almora.	30th July	Commissioner and District Judge, Kumaun Division, on 27th August 1908.	The deceased has left no Will, and no one has taken out Letters of Administration in the estate, as there being no assets left by the deceased.
Mr. George Alexander Price, late Head Clerk, Traffic Supdt.'s Office, R.-M. Ry., Ajmer.	Saharanpur	29th May	Commissioner and District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, on 6th August 1908.	The deceased is reported to have left a Will in favour of Mussammat Sakhina, of Ajmer, who has applied for Letters of Administration to the estate.
Mr. Hugh McManus	Allahabad ..	27th July	District Judge, Allahabad, on 26th August 1908.	The deceased has left no Will, and no one has yet applied for Letters of Administration. It is said that the liabilities exceed the assets of the estate.
Mr. George Newton Mathew Darby, late a Mining Engineer.	"Govan House," Cantonments, Almora.	19th	Commissioner, Kumaun Division, on 26th August 1908.	Presumably the deceased has left no property, and it is not likely that his widow will apply for Probate or Letters of Administration.
Mr. Edmund Wills, E. I. Ry. Driver (retired), residing at Chunar.	Chunar	18.1	District Judge, Mirzapur, on 21st August 1908.	The deceased has left a Will appointing his sons as Executors who have applied for Probate in the Court of the District Judge, Mirzapur.
Mr. John Joseph Watts, late an Inspector of Police.	Myingyan ...	8th Aug. ,, ...	District Magistrate, Myingyan, on 14th August 1908.	The value of the property left by the deceased does not exceed Rs. 150, and the Administrator-General is not required by law to apply for Letters of Administration.
Mrs. Adelaide Catherine Bell, of Lucknow.	.....	15th May 1907 ...	Additional Judge, Lucknow, on 17th August 1908.	Probate of the Will of the deceased was granted to her daughter, Mrs. Grace Constance Monro.
Mrs. S. A. Pollock	Balrampur Hospital, Lucknow.	26th Feb. 1908	Ditto ditto	The deceased died intestate, and Letters of Administration to the estate was granted to the deceased's son, H. C. Pollock.
Mr. Timothy O'Donnell	Lucknow	15th Dec. 1907 ...	Ditto ditto	The deceased left a Will, and Letters of Administration with a copy of the Will annexed were granted to the deceased's widow.
Mr. William Pope, Assistant Secretary to Government, United Provincee, Public Works Department.	Died at sea ...	21st June 1908 ...	District Judge, Allahabad, on 13th August 1908.	No information whether the deceased has left a Will. No application for Letters of Administration has been made.
Mrs. Joseph Burvett f.... ...	Lucknow ...	18th ,, 1907 ...	Additional Judge, Lucknow, on 17th August 1908.	The deceased has left a Will appointing his son Edwin Burvett as Executor, who has obtained Probate of the Will.
Mrs. Grace Burvett f...	Do.	1st May 1908 ...	Ditto ditto	The deceased died intestate. Her husband William St. Joseph Burvett obtained Letters of Administration in the estate.
Bishaswar, a Native Christian of Ajmer.	Ajmer	14th ,,	Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, on 8th August 1908. ,,	The deceased is reported to have left no Will, and no application for Letters of administration has been made.
Mr. A. E. Switzor, late a Driver in the North-Western Railway.	Albert Victor Hospital, Lahore.	29th ,,	District Judge, Lahore, on 5th August 1908.	The deceased died intestate, and no application has been made for Letters of Administration.
Mrs. M. E. Decambra, a Military pensioner residing at Chunar.	Chunar	15th Aug. ,,	District Judge, Mirzapur, on 3rd September 1908.	The deceased has left no Will. The District Magistrate has been authorized to pay the amount of pension due to the deceased, which is small, towards her funeral expenses.
Mr. John MacKinnon ...	Maniarah Factory in the subdivision of Gopalgunge, in the district of Saran.	17th Oct. 1907 ...	District Judge, Saran, on 2nd–3rd September 1908.	Probate of the Will left by the deceased has been granted to the Executor Mr. Farquhar MacKinnon.
Mr. Arthur Clement Wingrove	Victoria Hospital, Jabalpore.	29th July 1908 ...	District Judge, Jabalpore, on 5th August 1908.	The deceased has left a Will, and the Executrix named therein intends applying for Probate.

3, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
Calcutta, the 8th September 1908.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Raj Krishna Banduri, son of Bhutnath Banduri, of Konnagar, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 34 of 1908, and that the 17th September 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 8th September 1908. (1077—1—1013)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 18 OF 1908.

BENIMADHAB BANERJI, son of Chandra Kumar Banerji, of Kaipukur Lane, Sibpur in Howrah, was, on the 25th June 1908, adjudicated an insolvent. The 13th November 1908 has been fixed for framing a schedule of debts and creditors when persons having claims against him are to prove them in this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 8th September 1908. (1078—1—1012)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Maïzuddi Mandal, son of Dabiruddi Mandal, of Golta, thana Arambagh, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 35 of 1908, and that the 5th November 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 9th September 1908. (1083—1—1010)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 54 OF 1908.

Ratan Chandra Mandal, son of late Sham Chand Mandal, of Bowali, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed applicant was declared an insolvent on the 31st August 1908. The 9th November is fixed for creditors to prove their debts.

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 9th September 1908. (1082—1—1011)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 2 OF 1908.

In the matter of Ebrahim Shekh, of Shagda, thana Kushtia, district Nadia, debtor, *ex-parte*.

WHEREAS the abovementioned Ebrahim Shekh has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 18th February 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, II of 1907, and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 19th day of September 1908, for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter, you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you, are as follows:—

CREDITORS.

For decree money Rs. 500.

1. Tarini Kanta Sen
2. Rutty Kanta Sen
3. Behari Lal Sen
4. Erfan Sardar

} at present of Bahadurkhali, thana Kushtia.

T. C. MUKHARJI, Offg. District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 10th September 1908. (1084—1—1014)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors, Ras Behari Karuri and others, that the insolvency petition of the judgment-debtor, Atal Behari Sarkar, son of Peari Mohon Sarkar, of Bujrukdighi, thana Raina, chauki and district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that the 9th November 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

A. GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Office, the 14th September 1908. (1085—1—1016)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 14 OF 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditor, Basant Kumar Mittor, that the insolvency petition of the judgment-debtor, Bunwari Lal Ghosh, son of Rup Lal Ghosh, of Sankerpur, thana Satgachia, chauki and district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that the 31st October 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

A. GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Office, the 14th September 1908. (1086—1—1018)

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 18 OF 1908.

WHEREAS Nanigopal Mondal, of Champi, pargana Maisadal, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 4th September of 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, II of 1907, and the following names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of November 1908 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. Those who desire to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due are as follows:—

			Rs.
Bhim Charan Pradhan	...	...	675
Jogendra Nath Mitra	...	...	850
Sheik Rahamattulla	...	...	300

J. BYRNE, Offg. District Judge.

Midnapore, the 11th September 1908. (1087—1—1017)

BABU KUNJO BEHARI SEN, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (1022—4—913)

MITHILA SARAN SINHA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (1075—4)

NOTICE is hereby given that all Exhibits filed in cases in the Courts of the Presidency Magistrates in the years 1905 and 1906 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before the 31st December 1908.

T. THORNHILL,
Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta.

The 4th September 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used

in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908:—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add 880	
3.	Balia	...	„ 889	
4.	Bhimpore	...	„ 1992	
5.	Munair	...	„ 2458	
6.	Masandha	...	„ 4368	
7.	Phulwari	...	„ 5058	
8.	Sunda	...	„ 5859	
9.	Shahjehanpore		„ 7305	
10.	Ghyaspur	...	„ 7692	
11.	Beswak	...	„ 9898	To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.
12.	Bihar	...	„ 10515	
13.	Maldah	...	„ 11771	
14.	Narhat	...	„ 11772	
15.	Pillich	...	„ 11823	
16.	Raggir	...	„ 12561	
17.	Samai	...	„ 12585	
18.	Sanaut	...	„ 12605	
19.	Telhara	...	„ 12606	
20.	Ukri	...	„ 13570	

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

WANTED an experienced Head Clerk for the office of the Executive Engineer, Sambalpur Division, on a monthly salary of Rs. 85.

Preference will be given to a candidate who has already been serving in this capacity in a Public Works Department Divisional Office for more than five years.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to the 25th September 1908.

The selected candidate will have to join from the 12th October 1908.

H. H. STEVENS,

Executive Engineer, Sambalpur Division.

Sambalpur, the 10th September 1908.

WANTED a Peshkar for the survey and record-of-rights of mauzas Fulbari and Ramchandrapur in this district on a salary of Rs 30 per mensem for six months, with effect from 15th October 1908. None need apply who has had no experience of Survey and Settlement work

2. Wanted also the services of two Amins at the lump rate of Rs. 20 per 100 acres for all work prior to attestation. None need apply who has no experience of the Survey and Settlement work under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

3. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th instant.

(ILLEGIBLE), *for* Collector.

Bogra, the 10th September 1908.

WANTED in the office of the Inspectress of Schools, Calcutta, a Clerk who must have a good knowledge of Urdu. Salary Rs. 40. Candidates must be either graduates, or have passed the F.A. Examination. A good knowledge of office work desirable. Apply first by letter to the office of the Inspectress of Schools, 22, Ezra Mansions, 10, Government Place, Calcutta.

WANTED for the North Bihar Famine Surveys Surveyors on a salary of Rs. 80 per month and downwards according to qualifications and one Draftsman on a salary of Rs. 50 per month.

Applications will be received up to 30th September 1908 by the undersigned.

G. W. DISNEY,

Superintendent, Famine Surveys.

Kurseong, the 15th August 1908.

Notice.

WANTED four Amins for four months at Rs. 20 per month from November next for survey and record-of-rights of certain private estates in the Vishnupur subdivision under the Bengal Tenancy Act. None need apply who has no experience of Settlement work. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to 25th September 1908.

RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJEE,

Subdivisional Officer.

Vishnupur Subdivisional Office, the 4th September 1908. (1069—3)

Notice.

WANTED three Kanungoes for the districts of Palamau, Hazaribagh and Manbhum. The pay of the posts is as follows:—

			Rs.	
Palamau	Kanungo	...	75	per mensem.
Hazaribagh	ditto	...	50	„ „
Manbhum	ditto	...	50	„ „

None need apply who has not sufficient knowledge of English and Survey and who does not possess the qualifications required under the rules given at page 66 of the Board's Rules, 1902.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 24th September 1908

GANGA GOVINDA GUPTA,

Personal Assistant to the Commissioner.

Ranchi, the 11th September 1908.

WANTED two Travelling Hospital Assistants under the Rangpur District Board on a consolidated pay of Rs. 35 per mensem. They will be allowed usual travelling allowance under Civil Service Regulations. The candidates must be passed students of a Government Medical School.

Preference will be given to qualified Muhammadan candidates.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 23rd September 1908.

R. C. DAS,

Vice-Chairman, District Board, Rangpur.

Rangpur, the 8th September 1908. (1079—2)

WANTED a Midwife for the Gaibanda subdivision under the Rangpur District Board on a salary of Rs. 30 per month with free quarters. She must be a passed midwife of any Government institution

Applications will be received up to 23rd September 1908.

R. C. DAS,

Vice-Chairman, District Board, Rangpur.

Rangpur, the 8th September 1908. (1080—2)

WANTED an experienced Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 by annual increments of Rs. 5. No one need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1906 and is not thoroughly acquainted with the District Board Office work.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 27th September 1908.

W. D. RITCHIE,

Vice-Chairman, District Board.

District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, the 5th September 1908. (1067—2)

WANTED for the Bhairab Drainage Scheme Surveys a Surveyor on a salary of Rs. 80—10—100 for two years with chances of being made permanent as Overseer in charge of a subdivision.

Applications will be received up to the 25th September 1908.

A. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer.

Jessore, the 4th September 1908. (1068—3)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 107 of the Calcutta Port Act, III (B.C.) of 1890, and with the sanction of the Local Government, it is hereby notified for general information that the charges for removal and rent on Rice and Millet or Jowari seed imported at the Jetties or Docks will be at the rate of four annas per ton for removal and two annas per ton per week or part of a week for rent, in supersession of the existing charges under the Import Schedule (item 294) of six pies per bag for removal and eight annas per bag per month for rent. The landing charge will continue to be levied at one anna per bag in accordance with the Import Schedule.

By order of the Commissioners,

H. J. HILARY, Secretary.

Calcutta, the 15th September 1908. (1089—1)

The Indian Metropolitan Life Assurance Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company held on the 15th August 1908 at its Registered Office at No. 12, Old Post Office Street, in Calcutta, the following Resolutions, which had been passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held at its Registered Office on the 18th July 1908, were confirmed, viz.—

"That this Company, which cannot be carried on any longer by reason of its liabilities, may be wound up voluntarily.

"That Babu Fakir Chander Dutt be appointed sole and honorary liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the assets with the usual powers as provided in the Indian Companies Act, 1882."

NOGENDRA NATH LAHA, Chairman.

12, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, the 29th August 1908. (1088—1—1016)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 110429 of the 3½ per cent. of 1854-55 for Rs. 25,000, originally standing in the name of John Dey, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—JOHN DEY,

per his Attorney W. H. TAYLOR.

Residence—4-5, Koila Ghat Street, Calcutta.

(1073—3—1009)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

Name.	Post Box No.
A	
Abrecht & Co.	19
Arracan Co., Ld.	28
Agelasto & Co., A.	37
Alliance Bank of Simla, Ld.	43
Army Department, Government of India ...	62
Allen Brothers & Co.	77
Atherton & Co., G.	98
Assm[illegible] & Co., F. A. D.	103
Arth[illegible] Koppel	109
Atlas Assurance Co., Ld.	123
Apcar & Co.	130
Acerboni & Co., F.	135
Anderson Wright & Co.	140
Andrew Yule & Co.	150
Allahabad Bank, Ld.	165
Artin & Co., Y.	167
Arathoon, Ld.	217
Army & Navy Co-Operative Society, Ld. ...	232
Alexander Young & Co.	243
Austro-English Trade Association ...	251
Ashworth Taylor & Co.	282
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Ahmuty & Co.	305
Anderson-Smith, R.	312
Abdoolabhoy and Joomabhoy Lalljee ...	327
Agarwalla & Co., G. R.	331
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Balmer, Lawrie & Co.	4
Birkmyre Bros.	18
British India Marine Service Club ...	35
Becker Gray & Co.	41
Bird & Co.	46
Boekel, Wm. Oscar	47
Barlow & Co.	49
Barry & Co.	50
Biswas & Co., D. N.	79
Brindaban Chandra Dutt	84
Bathgate & Co.	86
British-American Tobacco Co., Ld. ...	89
Bank of Bengal Secretary and Treasurer ...	110
Blackburn, G. A.	113
Bakshi & Co., S. A B.	114
Bengal Coal Co., Ld.	117
Blackwood Blackwood & Co.	120
Boisogomoff, Ld.	128
Burk Brothers	134
Bombay Company, Limited, The ...	139
Begg Dunlop & Co.	171
Balch Bailey & Co.	173
Brooke Bond & Co., Ld.	187
Burn & Co., Ld.	191
Bevan & Co., T. E.	206
Brownlie & Murray, Ld. (Agents) ...	230
Bank of Burma, Ld.	253
Bharat Insurance Co., Ld.	256
Bengal Chamber of Commerce, Secy. ...	280
Burjorjee Framjee & Co.	284
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Banerjee Brothers (Beadon Sreet) ...	324
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Commercial Bank of India, Ld.	9
Chainrup Sampatram	11
"Capital"	14
Cooke & Kelvey	20
Crompton & Co., Ld.	24
Calcutta Tramways Co., Ld.	32
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	40
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ld. ...	59
Consul-General for Italy	75
Cohn Bros. & Fuchs	91
Carl Lichtenstein & Co.	97
Consul-General for the Netherlands ...	125
Colonial Trading Co. of Trieste, Ld. ...	132
Calcutta Turf Club	162
Cresswell & Co., W. S.	169
Consul-General for France	182
Callarman, J.	196
Chunder, S. C.	201
Comptroller, India Treasuries	219
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Duncan Brothers & Co.	189
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Day & Co., G. C.	281
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India & Eastern Trading Co., Ld. ...	330
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Jager & Co., R.	12
John Dickinson & Co., Ld.	45
Jardine, Skinner & Co.	51
Jules, Karpeles & Co.	96
Jessop & Co.	108
Jambon & Co.	111
James Scott & Sons, Ld.	152
James Luke & Sons	183
John Davis & Co.	240
James Simpson & Co., Ld.	248
Jacomb Hood & Co.	319
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New York Export and Import Co.	7
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POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

LATEST HOUR OF POSTING.

Mails for	Date of closing.	General Post Office.		Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, Fort William Outram and Wellesley Street Post Offices.	
		Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.	Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa and East Africa, and also South Africa if superscribed on the cover *viâ* United Kingdom or Aden.	Sept. 17	1 P.M.	6 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	16		Parcels 5 P.M. M. O. 4 P.M		
Australasian Colonies.	21	5-45 P.M.	4-30	4-45 P.M.	2-45
Straits Settlements, China and Japan, per S.S. *Kumsang*	19	8-30 ,,	6	6-45 ,,	
Burma ...	17 & 21	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45	
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	19	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45	
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	18	7-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5
Port Blair *viâ* Madras.	19	5-45 ,,	4-30 ,,	4-45 ,,	2-45
South Africa by private steamer.	,,	8-30 ,,	6 ,,	6-45 ,,	5
Mauritius, Reunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Be per S. S. *Warora* from Colombo.	19	45 ,,	4-30 ,,	4-45 ,,	2-45
Mauritius, Reunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Be (Supplemental)† ditto.	20	5-45 ,,	4-30 ,,	4-45 ,,	2-45

* On other days correspondence for China, Japan and Australian Colonies is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

Late Fee.

1. Late letters bearing a late fee are received at the General Post Office at the following hours on the days on which direct mails are closed :—

For Burma and Port Blair from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M. with a late fee of ½ anna.

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APPENDIX TO

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 11th September 1908.*

JAPAN—YEZO ISLAND, WEST COAST.

Otaru harbour—Light established on breakwater.

No. 371 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1248 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned description has been established at the end of the breakwater, Otaru harbour.

Position.—End of breakwater.

Lat. 43° 12′ 18″ N., long. 141° 1′ 11″ E.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—61 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Description of Building.—Square iron tower, painted red.
Power.—Under $\frac{1}{10}$.
Remarks.—Visible from all directions.
Charts affected.—No. 993, Anchorages in Yezo island, plan of Otaru Ko.
„ 2981, Furubira Wan to Aikappu Misaki.
„ 452, Yezo island.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 235.
Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 711.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 650 of 1908.

The 26th August 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—TASMANIA, WEST COAST.

Macquarie harbour entrance—Tidal signals amended.

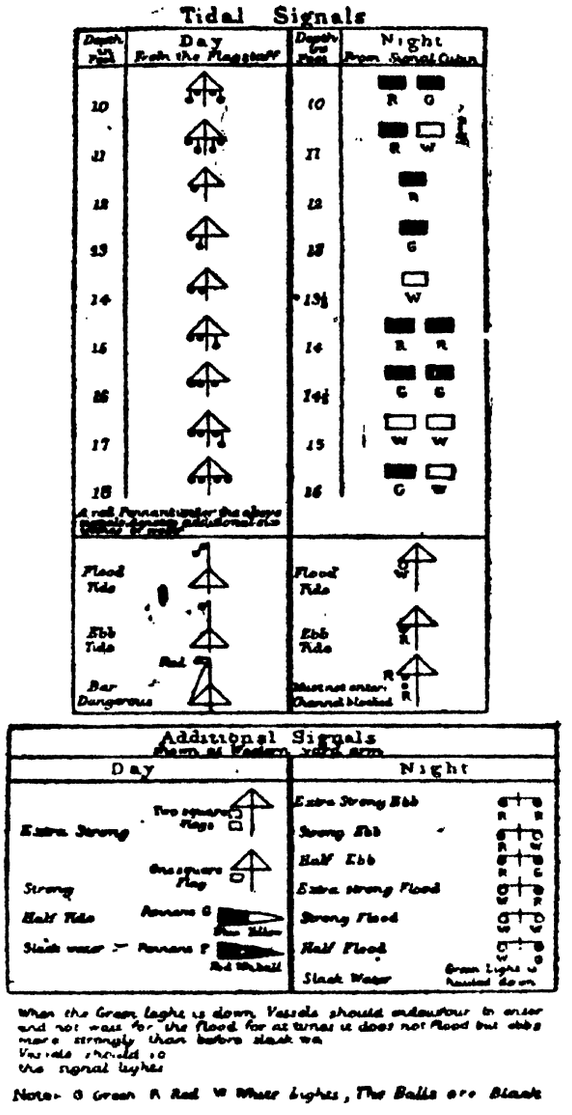
No. 354 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1184 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The tidal signals at the entrance to Macquarie harbour have been amended and are now as undermentioned.

Position.—The signals are shown from a flagstaff on west entrance point of harbour, at a distance of 185 yards, S. 62° W., from Entrance island light.

Lat. 42° 12′ S., long. 145° 13½′ E.

Amended Signals :—



Remarks.—A new edition of chart No. 3531, will shortly be issued.
Variation.—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3531, Entrance to Macquarie harbour.
„ 1629, Macquarie harbour.
Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I; 1907, page 638.
Authority.—Marine Board, Strahan, May 1908.

The 7th September 1908.

JAPAN.

System of Typhoon signals established.

No. 362 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1212 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A system of Typhoon Warning Signals has been established in Japan as undermentioned.

Signals.—By day, the signals are made from a mast with yard by means of shapes, coloured red, used as symbols, having numbers corresponding to them as follows :—



1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.

By night, the signals are made by means of coloured lights—*See* Table I.

These shapes have the following significance:—

3 shapes at one yardarm, placed vertically.
- The two upper indicate the position of the storm centre, *see* Table I, given below.
- The lowest shows the probable progress of the storm centre, *see* Table II, given below.

2 shapes at the other yard-arm, placed vertically. — The upper one indicates the velocity with which the storm centre is moving; the lower one, the barometric pressure of the depression for the time being, according to the values given in Table II.

1 shape at the masthead ... Indicates the time for which the position of the storm centre is given.

TABLE I.

(*Representing approximate position of centre.*)

Day Signal (Symbols)	Position of Centre.	Night Signals (Lights, placed vertically).
No.		
11	West of the Philippines	*Red* light. *Red* ,, *Red* ,,
12	Luzon island ...	*Red* light. *Red* ,, *Green* ,,
13	Eastward of Luzon ...	*Red* light. *Red* ,, *White* ,,
21	Southward of Liu kiu group.	*Red* light. *White* ,, *Red* ,,
22	Between Liu kiu group and the Bonin islands.	*Red* light. *White* ,, *Green* ,,
23	Bonin islands and vicinity.	*Red* light. *White* ,, *White* ,,
24	Liu kiu, Amami o sima, and vicinity.	*Green* light. *Red* ,, *Red* ,,
25	Off south coast of Japan	*Green* light. *Red* ,, *Green* ,,
26	South of Hachijo Fatsizio sima).	*Green* light. *Red* ,, *White* ,,
31	South of the Yangtse kiang valley.	*Green* light. *Green* ,, *Red* ,,
32	China sea, westward of Liu kiu islands.	*Green* light. *Green* ,, *Green* ,,
33	North of Yangtse kiang valley.	*Green* light. *Green* ,, *White* ,,
34	Shanghai and vicinity	*Green* light. *White* ,, *Red* ,,
35	Southward of the Korea	*Green* light. *White* ,, *Green* ,,
36	Gulf of Pe Chili, &c., lat. 35° to 40° N., long. 114° to 120° E.	*Green* light. *White* ,, *White* ,,
41	Kiu siu	*White* light. *Red* ,, *Red* ,,
42	Shikoku, Inland sea, Kii peninsula.	*White* light. *Red* ,, *Green* ,,
14	Hongkong and vicinity	*Red* light. *Green* ,, *Red* ,,
15	Formosa ...	*Red* light. *Green* ,, *Green* ,,
16	Yayeyama group	*Red* light. *Green* ,, *White* ,,
43	Tokyo and vicinity	*White* light. *Red* ,, *White* ,,
44	Central Nipon and Noto peninsula.	*White* light. *Green* ,, *Red* ,,
45	Northern Nipon, lat. 36° to 40° N., long. 139° to 144° E.	*White* light. *Green* *Green* ,,
46	Eastward of Nipon (districts Nos. 43 and 45).	*White* light. *Green* ,, *White* ,,
51	Shantung peninsula, Yellow sea, and Kwang tung peninsula.	*White* light. *White* ,, *Red*
52	Korea	*White* light. *White* *Green*
53	Southern part of the Sea of Japan.	*White* light. *White* ,, *White* ,,
54	Northern China, Lat. 40° to 45° N., long. 114° to 120° E.	*Red* light. *Red* ,,
55	Western Manchuria ...	*Red* light. *Green* ,,
56	Northern Korea and Eastern Manchuria.	*Red* light. *White* ,,
61	Vladivostok and vicinity	*Green* light. *Red* ,,
62	Central and northern part of Sea of Japan.	*Green* light. *Green* ,,
63	Tsugaru strait, and western part of Yezo.	*Green* light. *White* ,,
64	Eastern Yezo, and southward of Kuril islands.	*White* light. *Red* ,,
65	Gulf of Tartary ...	*White* light. *Green* ,,
66	Southern part of Sakhalin and vicinity.	*White* light. *White* ,,

TABLE II.

(Representing probable direction and velocity of progress of centre.)

Signal (Symbol).	Direction of movement.	Rate of Progression.	Barometer Pressure.
No.			
1	N. E.	Stationary or very slow	Below 28·74 inches.
2	E.	About 5 miles per hour	28·74 to 28·94 inches.
3	S. E.	„ 10 „ „	28·98 to 29·13 „
4	W.	„ 15 „ „	29·17 to 29·33 „
5	N. W.	„ 25 „ „	29·37 to 29·53 „
6	N.	Re-curving	Above 29·57 inches.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 16; and Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Berlin Annalen, Heft VII, 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Pekalongan river entrance—Lights established.

No. 363 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1213 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—Lights of the undermentioned character have been established at the entrance to Pekalongan river, north coast of Java.

Position.—Pekalongan river entrance, lat. 6° 51½′ S., long. 109° 41½′ E.

(*a*) *Position.*—On head of East mole.

Character.—*Red fixed*, visible all round.

(*b*) *Position.*—On head of West mole.

Character.—*Green fixed.*

Visibility.—From the bearing S. 22° E., through south, to West.

Variation.—1° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 99.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, 1904, page 105.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1327 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.—SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Pulo Nias—Reef eastward of.

Tanjong Tuan—Reefs in approach.

No. 364 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1214 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A recent survey has revealed the existence of a reef eastward of Pulo Nias, and of several reefs in the approach to Tanjong Tuan.

1. Reef eastward of Pulo Nias.

Position.—Lat. 0° 50¼′ N., long. 98° 15¼′ E.

Description.—Three cables in extent in a north and south direction and one cable wide.

Depth.—5½ fathoms.

2. Reefs in approach to Tanjong Tuan.

(*a*) Labuang Lulu reef.

Position.—Situated about one mile eastward of position shown on chart. Lat. 0° 10¼′ N., long. 99° 9¾′ E.

Description.—Very small in extent.

Depth.—3 fathoms.

(*b*) *Position.*—Lat. 0° 15¾′ N., long. 99° 3½′ E.
Depth.—4½ fathoms.
Remarks.—This reef is the southernmost of the Bayam reefs.
Two reefs, with depths of 7 and 6½ fathoms over them respectively, lie about one mile S. 70° E., and 2$\frac{1}{10}$ miles N. 76° W. respectively from the above position.

(*c*) *Position.*—Lat. 0° 17′ N., long. 99° 0½′ E.
Depth.—3 fathoms.
Variation.—Nil.
Charts affected.—No. 2760, Sumatra, west coast.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean, northern portion.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, pages 317, 370, 323, 322.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1326 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Strait of Malacca—Klang strait.

Glamorgan shoal, depth—Caution with regard to chart.

No. 365 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1217 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A survey, now in progress, has ascertained the depth on Glamorgan shoal to be as undermentioned; also, that the present chart is incorrect in many particulars.

1. Glamorgan shoal.

Position.—Situated at a distance of 2$\frac{6}{10}$ miles, N. 7° W., from Pulo Angsa lighthouse.
Lat. 3° 13¾′ N., long. 101° 12¾′ E.
Depth.—14 feet.

2. Caution with regard to chart.

Caution.—Until a complete survey has been made of Klang strait and approaches, Admiralty chart No. 3453 should be used with caution. A note to the above effect should be placed on this chart.

Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3453, Klang strait and approaches.
„ 794, Pulo Berhala to cape Rachado.
„ 1355, Malacca strait.
Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, page 191.
Notice to Mariners No. 232 of 1907. (*This office No. 131 of 23rd March 1907.*)
Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Waterwitch*, Hydrographic Note, No. 3 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Nam Kwan harbour approach.

Incog islands—Light established.

No. 366 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1222 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established on the western island of the Incog group, Nam Kwan harbour approach.
Position.—On western extremity of western island.

Lat. 26° 59¼′ N., long. 120° 27¾′ E.

Character.—*White group flashing*, showing *two* flashes *every twenty seconds.*
Elevation.—149 feet.
Visibility.—18 miles. Obscured on various bearings by the adjacent islands, especially by the eastern islands of the Incog group between the bearings of S. 71° W., through west, and N. 40° W.
Structure.—Steel tower, painted white, 61 feet in height.
Order.—4th (dioptric).
Variation.—2° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1754, Tung Yung to Wen Chau bay.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
„ 1262, Hong Kong to Gulf of Liau Tung.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 167.
China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 294.
Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 315, dated 19th June 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Cobrador island light—Details of Batag island light—Character altered.

No. 367 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1224 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The details of the *white occulting* light recently established on Cobrador island are as undermentioned, and the white occulting light on Batag island, Samar island, has been replaced by a light of the undermentioned character.

1. Cobrador island light.

Position.—On western extremity of island.

Lat. 12° 40′ N., long. 122° 15′ E.

Character.—*White occulting every sixteen seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
12 secs.	4 secs.

Elevation.—172 feet

Visibility.—15 miles, from the bearing N. 4° W., through north, east, and south, to S. 45° W.

Structure.—Concrete house, 16 feet in height.

Order.—6th.

2. Batag island light.

Position.—Lat. 12° 40′ N., long. 125° 4′ E., on chart No. 2395.

Character.—Altered from white occulting to *white group flashing* showing *three* flashes *every ten seconds*, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse,	flash,	eclipse,	flash,	eclipse,
2 secs.		2 secs.		6 secs.	

Elevation.—318 feet.

Visibility.—25 miles.

Structure.—Cylindrical concrete tower, 101 feet in height, the dome of the lantern is painted white and its lower part red. Concrete dwellings are situated close southward of the lighthouse.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2395, Plan of Port Palapag, &c.
„ 2577, Philippine islands.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 133, and No. 642.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, pages 247 and 355.

Authority.—United States Hydrographic Office Notices, Nos. 1232 and 1230 of 1908.

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Beira harbour—Buoys withdrawn.

No. 368 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1229 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The following black buoys marking the old entrance to Rambler channel have been withdrawn.

Position.—Chiveve Pt. Port Office F. S., lat. 19° 49½′ S., long. 34° 49¾′ E.

(*a*) Black spherical buoy C., situated 8½ miles, S. 21° E., from Chiveve Pt. Port Office F. S.

(*b*) Black spar buoy B., situated just over $1\frac{3}{16}$ miles, N. 83° E from buoy C.

Variation.—15° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1603, Beira harbour.

Publications.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 225.

Notice to Mariners No. 456 of 1908. (*This office No. 162 of 16th April 1908.*)

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1702 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA—SURABAYA STRAIT.

Ujung Panka—Buoy replaced by light-buoy.

No. 369 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1232 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The red conical buoy with staff and ball, marking the northern edge of the bank off Ujung Panka, north coast of Java, at the northern entrance to Surabaya strait, has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted white, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
10 secs.	10 secs.

Position.—Lat. 6° 51′ 20″ S., long. 112° 33′ 50″ E.
Charts affected.—No. 934, Surabaya, Bali, and Sapudi straits, &c.
„ 941*b*, Eastern Archipelago, western portion.
„ 1654, Island of Java.
Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 119; and Supplement, 1906.
Notice to Mariners No. 276 of 1908. (*This office No. 115 of 24th March 1908.*)
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1383 of 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—ORISSA COAST.

Puri port—Boundary pillars newly painted.

No. 370 (second publication).

Particulars.—Puri port boundary pillars painted black and white horizontally.
Position.—Lat. 19° 48′ N., long. 85° 49′ E.
Chart affected.—No. 1425, Gopalpur to False Point.
Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, pages 192, 193.
Authority.—Port Officer of Cuttack and Balasore Ports, Chandbali.

The 26th August 1908.

PERSIAN GULF.

Shat-al-Arab river, western entrance—Alteration in buoyage.

No. 350 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 82 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—With reference to Admiralty Notice to Mariners, No. 1163 of 1908 two new buoys have been laid down to mark the deepest channel now existing, and the positions of the undermentioned buoys in the Western entrance to the Shat-al-Arab River have been altered as follows:—

Name of buoy.	Distance moved.	Depth now moored in and position from Fao Lights.
A new black conical buoy.	.....	1 fm. distant 12·8 miles S. 55° E.
A new red cask buoy ...	.....	1 fm. distant 12·9 miles S. 57° E.
'Outer bar' ...	S. 75° E., 2 cables ...	2¾ fms. distant 15·5 miles S. 52° E.
'Lawrence' ...	S. 20° E., 1·2 cables ...	1¾ fms. distant 12·6 miles S. 50° E.
'No. 2'	S. 79° W. 3 cables, (in line with inner bar buoy and No. 1 buoy).	1½ fms. distant 7·5 miles S. 64° E.

Position.—Fao Lights, lat. 29° 58′ 35″ N., long. 48° 29′ 25″ E.
Variation.—0° 10′ E.
Charts affected.—No. 1235, Shat-al-Arab and Bahmishir River.
„ 2837, Persian gulf, western sheet.
Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 208.
Authority.—H. M. S. "*Sphinx*" Hydrographical Note, No. 1.

CHINA SEA—Cochin China—Saigon river approach.

Cape Ti Wan—Shoals south-eastward of—.

No. 351 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1173 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The undermentioned shoals exist to the south-eastward of Cape Ti wan, in the eastern approach to Saigon river.

Position.—Cape Ti wan, lat. 10° 22½′ N., long. 107° 15′ E.

Depths.	Bearing and distance from south extreme of Cape Ti wan.
4½ fathoms, sand ...	... S. 77° E., $2\frac{3}{10}$ miles.
3½ ,, rock ...	... S. 40° E., $3\frac{3}{10}$,,
3 ,, ,, ...	... S. 30° E., 2 ,,

Variation.—2° E.
Charts affected.—No. 1269, Approaches to Saigon river.
,, 1261, Saigon river to Kam ranh bay.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 416.
Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 1205 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—Sandwich islands, Hawaii and Maui islands.

Kailua bay and Nakalele head—Establishment of lights postponed.

No. 352 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1179 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The establishment of lights at the undermentioned places in Hawaii and Maui islands is postponed until further Notice.

(*a*) Hawaii island.

Position.—On Kukailimoku point, half a mile westward of Kaliliki point, Kailua bay.

Lat. 19° 38½′ N., long. 156° 0′ W., on plan No. 1377.

(*b*) Maui island.

Position.—On Nakalele head.

Lat. 21° 2′ N., long. 156° 37′ W.

Charts affected.—No. 1377, Plan of Kailua bay.
,, 1510, Sandwich islands.
,, 3102, Hawaii to lat. 6° 15′ N.
Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, page 117.

Pacific islands, vol. III, 1900, pages 205, 212.

Notices to Mariners Nos. 866, 868 of 1908. (*This office Nos. 281 and 283 of 3rd July 1908.*)

Authority.—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 2233, 2234 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Tasmania, west coast.

Macquarie harbour entrance—Lights and beacons established; Rock northward of Bonnet island.

No. 353 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1183 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The undermentioned lights and beacons have been established in the entrance to Macquarie harbour, and a rock exists northward of Bonnet island.

Position.—Entrance island light, lat. 42° 12′ S., long. 145° 13½′ E.

1. Lights established.

(*a*) *Position.*—On west breakwater extension, about 25 yards within its outer end, at a distance of 1,500 yards N. 39° W. from Entrance island light.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Remarks.—The western breakwater has been extended 1,000 feet in a N. 32° W. direction.

(*b*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 1,100 yards N. 21° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*White fixed.*

(*c*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 1,235 yards N. 47° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*Red fixed.*

(*d*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 1,770 yards N. 78° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*White fixed.*

(*e*) *Position.*—On beacon, on northern side of channel, at a distance of 2,280 yards N. 83° E. from Round hill ▲.

Character.—*White fixed.*

Remarks.—The beacon situated at a distance of 1,280 yards N. 80 E. from Round hill ▲ no longer exists.

2. Leading beacons.

Position.—On west entrance point of harbour:—

(*a*) Front beacon, situated at a distance of 520 yards S. 7° W. from Entrance island light.

(*b*) Centre beacon, situated at a distance of 440 yards S. 29° W. from Entrance island light.

(*c*) Rear beacon, situated at a distance of 430 yards S. 54° W. from Entrance island light.

Remarks.—These beacons in line, bearing N. 47° W., lead through the fairway above Bonnet island, in a least depth of 12 feet.

3. Telegraph cable beacons.

Position.—A submarine telegraph cable is laid across the channel about one cable above Bonnet island light, the ends of which are marked by a pair of beacons on either shore.

4. Rock northward of Bonnet island.

Position.—Situated at a distance of 250 yards N. 5° E. from Bonnet island light.

Depth.—3 feet.

Remarks.—This rock has been named Bowra rock.

Remarks.—A new edition of chart No. 3531 will shortly be issued.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3531, Entrance to Macquarie harbour.
„ 1629, Macquarie harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 323.

Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 636, 637, 639.

Authority.—Marine Board, Strahan, May 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—NEWCHWANG APPROACH.

Liau river entrance—Bar signals established.

No. 355 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1187 of 1908), are republished:—

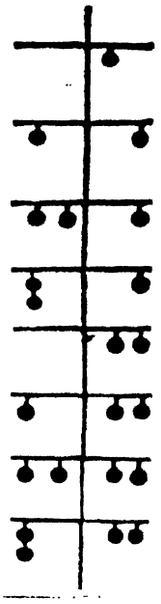
Subject.—The undermentioned signals to indicate the depths on the bar of Liau river, Newchwang approach, are shown from a mast 125 feet in height, the yard of which is 95 feet above high water.

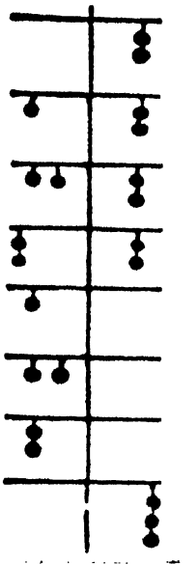
Position.—On eastern bank of river, near Nodding Tommy beacon.

Lat. 40° 40′ N., long. 122° 10¼′ E.

Signals:—

Depth on Bar.	West Yardarm.	East Yardarm.	Depth on Bar.	West Yardarm.	East Yardarm.
Feet.			Feet.		
8			16		
9			17		
10			18		
11			19		
12			20		
13			21		
14			22		
15			23		





Remarks.—A ball is hoisted at the masthead when the tide is rising.

Until further Notice, these signals will be shown in the daytime only.

Charts affected.—No. 2894, Liau river.

„ 1256, Gulfs of Pe Chili and Liau Tung.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 645.

Authority.—Newchwang Notice, No. 185, dated 15th June 1908.

CHINA SEA—BANKA ISLAND, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Horse rocks—Reef northward of—.

No. 356 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1193 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A reef is reported by the Netherlands Government Steamer *Pharus*, to exist northward of Horse rocks, north-east coast of Banka island.

Position.—Lat. 2° 15¾′ S., long. 106° 31′ E.

Depth.— 6 feet.

Remarks.—This reef has been placed on the charts and marked "Pharus (1908)."

Charts affected.—No. 2137, Gaspar strait.

„ 2149, Banka and Gaspar straits.

„ 941*a*, Eastern archipelago, west.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 529.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1317 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, NORTH-EAST COAST—ARU BAY.

Sembilang channel—Depth.

No. 357 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1194 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The bar and other shoal places in the Sembilang channel have recently been dredged, and the least depth is now as undermentioned.

Position.—Pilot-vessel *Aroe Baai*, lat. 4° 11¼′ N., long. 98° 21¾′ E.

Depth.—From the Pilot-vessel to Pangkalan Susu, there is now a least depth of 16 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 3586, Aru bay.

„ 1353, Diamond point to Pulo Berhala.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 94.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1306 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—BANKA ISLAND, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Marawang road and approaches—Buoys established.

No. 358 (third publication)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1198 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys have been established in Marawang (Pankal Pinang) road and its approaches.

Positions—

(*a*) *Position.*—On south side of Karang Pedis Selatan.

Lat. 1° 54′ S., long. 106° 15′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Black can buoy, with truncated cone topmark.

(*b*) *Position.*—On south-west side of Sullivan rocks.

Lat. 2° 1¼′ S., long. 106° 16¼′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Black can buoy, with truncated cone topmark.

(*c*) *Position.*—In Marawang road, to mark sunken wreck.

Lat. 2° 4¾′ S., long. 106° 15′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Small green buoy.

(*d*) *Position.*—North side of reef in approach to Koba.

Lat. 2° 26¾′ S., long. 106° 25½′ E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Black can buoy.

Charts affected.—No. 2597, Banka strait.

„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, pages 529, 532, 533.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1316 of 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA)—SIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Moji Ko—Buoys replaced by light-buoys.

No. 359 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1200 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned light-buoys have been established in Moji Ko, Simonoseki strait, to mark the limits of the First district in the harbour.

Position.—Harbour Office signal mast, lat. 33° 56¾′ N., long. 130° 57½′ E.

(*a*) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of 7 cables, S. 70° W., from Signal mast at Harbour Office.

Description.—Iron truncated conical buoy, painted red, surmounted by a lattice-work structure carrying the lantern, exhibiting, at an elevation of 11 feet above the sea, a *white occulting* light *every six seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse,
4 secs.	2 secs.

Remarks.—The red conical buoy formerly moored in this position has been withdrawn.

(*b*) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of $2\frac{2}{10}$ cables, N. 26° W., from the same Signal mast.

Description.—Iron truncated conical buoy, painted white, surmounted by a lattice-work structure carrying the lantern, exhibiting a *white fixed* light, at an elevation of 11 feet above the sea.

Remarks.—The white conical buoy formerly moored in this position has been withdrawn.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3114, Moji and Simonoseki Ko.

„ 1578, Approach to Simonoseki strait.

„ 532, Simonoseki strait.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 502; and Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 294 of 1908. (*This office No. 129 of 28th March 1908.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1195 of 1908.

CAUTION WHEN APPROACHING GERMAN COASTAL WATERS.

No. 360 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1202 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The German Government has given Notice that under certain circumstances, such as manœuvres, ordinary exercises, or for other causes, it may be necessary to prohibit free entrance into German harbours and river mouths by night.

Signals.—To indicate that entrance to a harbour is closed, or that obstructions exist therein, three red balls by day and three red lights by night, placed vertically one above the other, will be shown in a conspicuous position near the approach to the harbour.

Caution.—Vessels must then approach the harbour with the greatest caution. At night it is advisable, when possible, to anchor until daybreak outside the prohibited area.

The same course should be pursued if search lights are at work, or signals given, the meaning of which is not recognisable from the Sailing Directions or Light Lists.

Examination—

Service.—All merchant vessels desirous then to enter or leave these privileged harbours, must not enter or leave without a pilot, and must submit to examination if required.

The establishment of an Examination service will not be notified publicly, but, so far as possible, the requisite reports and directions will be given to approaching vessels by Patrol ships, which will also carry the abovementioned signals, viz., three red balls by day and three red lights by night, and also, under certain circumstances, the pilot flag.

The Examination commission (and pilots) are on board the Patrol ships; it is in the real interest of Masters of vessels to comply with all directions received from them.

Under all circumstances vessels are prohibited from passing the line of Patrol ships without communicating with them.

On a gun being fired or signal made from a Patrol ship, all merchant vessels must stop immediately.

Publications.—Baltic Pilot, part I, 1904, page 47.

Baltic Pilot, part II, 1904, page 4.

North Sea Pilot, part IV, 1901, page 3.

Africa Pilot, parts I, II, and III.

China Sea Directory, vol. III.

Pacific Islands, parts I and II.

Notice to Mariners No. 348 of 1907. (*This office No. 168 of 12th April 1907*).

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1584 of 1908.

CHINA SEA—FORMOSA (TAIWAN), EAST COAST.

So o wan (Suao bay)—Leading beacons established.

No. 361 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1206 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—Two pairs of leading beacons, as undermentioned, have been established in So o wan.

Position.—Chissennia ▲, lat. 24° 36½′ N., long. 121° 51′ E.

1. Leading beacons on northern shore of bay.

(*a*) Front beacon.

Position.—Sauopia ▲ bearing N. 23° E., distant $\frac{6}{10}$ of a cable, and Chissennia ▲ S. 82° W.

(*b*) Rear beacon.

Position.—Situated at a distance of nearly $\frac{4}{10}$ of a cable, N. 3° W., from front beacon.

2. Leading beacons on western shore of bay.

(*a*) Front beacon.

Position.—Chissennia ▲ bearing N. 18° W., distant $4\frac{3}{10}$ cables, and Sauopia ▲ N. 35° E.

(*b*) Rear beacon.

Position.—Situated at a distance of nearly $1\frac{1}{10}$ cables, S. 86° W., from the front beacon.
Description.—Pole beacons, each surmounted by a diamond shape, painted white.
Remarks.—These beacons in line bearing respectively N. 3° W., and S. 86° W., indicate the anchorage.
Variation.—1° W.
Chart affected.—No. 3658, Plan of So o wan.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 235.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1189 of 1908.

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REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE LICENSED JUTE WAREHOUSE AND FIRE BRIGADE ACT, 1907-1908.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1559M.—The 15th September 1908.—The following are republished for general information.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 66M., dated Calcutta, the 27th July 1908.

From—J. G. CUMMING, ESQ., I.C.S., Offg. Commissioner of the Presidency Division,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department.

I HAVE the honour to submit herewith copies of the reports on the working of the Licensed Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, I (B.C) of 1893, for the year ending the 31st March 1908, in the Cossipore-Chitpur, Maniktala and Garden Reach Municipalities, as received from the Chairmen of those Municipalities.

Annual Report on the working of the Licensed Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act for the year 1907-08 from the Chairmen of Cossipore-Chitpur, Maniktala and Garden Reach Municipalities.

No. M. $\frac{249}{5}$ of 1908-09, dated Alipore, the 18th July 1908.

Memo. by—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas.

COPIES submitted to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division for information.

No. 804, dated Talla, the 11th July 1908.

From—Babu Kripa Nath Dutta, Chairman, Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality,
To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas, Alipore.

In compliance with the request made in your letter No. M $\frac{249}{1}$ of 1908-09, dated 13th June 1908, I have the honour to submit the following report on the working within this Municipality of the Jute-Warehouse and Fire-Brigade Act during the year 1907-08 for submission to the Local Government as required by section 41 of that Act.

2. During the year of report there were 12 jute press-houses, 1 cotton-ginning factory, 171 jute godowns, 8 roperies, 3 golepatta and 4 wood depôts. Licenses were granted to all of these during the year and the total amount of license and mutation fees levied from them was, as detailed below, Rs. 15,725-14-6 .—

			Rs.	A.	P.
12	Jute press-houses		8,580	0	0
1	Cotton-ginning Factory		112	1	9
171	Jute godowns		6,752	7	9
8	Roperies		171	3	3
3	Golepatta depôts		8	6	6
4	Wood depôts		11	11	3
	Mutation fee		90	0	0
199		Total ...	15,725	14	6.

3. The subjoined statement shows the receipts and disbursements during the year under report .—

Receipts.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Opening balance on the 1st April 1907 ...	7,527	6	5
License and mutation fees received ...	15,725	14	6
Total ...	23,253	4	11

Disbursements.

Paid to the Commissioner of Police for the maintenance of the Metropolitan Fire-Brigade	12,114	0	0.
Balance on the 31st March 1908	11,139	4	11.
Total ...	23,253	4	11.

4. I submit herewith copies of the statements received from the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, showing the names of the places where fire broke out during the year of report, the properties destroyed by fire and the approximate value thereof. The total approximate value of the properties destroyed was, as will be seen from the statements, about Rs. 2,38,712-5.

5. The names of the license-holders and the numbers of the holdings and the names of the streets in which the juteware houses were situated, are shown in the statement annexed.

Statement showing the account of fires which occurred during the year 1907-08 within the jurisdiction of the Chitpur thana.

Section.	Name of Street or Mohulla.	Name of owner of the property destroyed.	Duration of fire.	Description of property destroyed.	Approximate value of the property destroyed.
1	2	3	4	5	6
					Rs.
B Sub. 29th April 1907	Sowdagarpatty...	Bhadoo Mistree ...	1½ hour ...	One tiled hut containing three rooms.	119
,, 17th December 1907.	Nowabpatty road	Jesraj Giridhari Lal and Rup Nandan.			
	Union Jute Press	Balai Chand and Mr. Ricky, proprietor of the Jute Press.	About 12 hours.	Double-storied godown stored with 6 to 8,000 bales of jute.	2,00,000
,, 7th January 1908.	Bhoritolla bazar	Mullah Chand Pandah	½ hour ...	Some portion of a tiled hut.	20
,, 11th March 1908	Baghbazar Canal	Baroda Paramanik ...	1 hour ...	Five hundred drums of jute which was laden in a boat.	700

Illegible.

erial No.	Holding No.	Street.	Name.	Valuation.	Amount.
		3	4	5	6
		Jute Press-Houses.		Rs.	Rs. A. P.
1	2	Nawabputty Street ...	Managing Agent, Canal Press	14,000	700 0 0
2	10	Ditto ...	Ditto, Union Press	24,525	750 0 0
3	12 & 13	Ditto ...	Upendra Nath Sawoo and others.	15,600	750 0 0
4	44a/6 & 8	Kali Prosunno Singha's Lane.	Managing Agent, Strand Bank Press.	31,240	750 0 0
5	12 & 12a	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto, Calcutta Hydraulic Press.	29,988	750 0 0
6	15	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto, Chitpur Hydraulic Press.	21,300	750 0 0
7	1	Sugar Works Lane ...	S. C. Chunder & Co. ...	22,140	750 0 0
8	3	Ditto ...	Messrs. Ralli Brothers ...	45,000	750 0 0
9	2	Chitpur Ghat Lane ...	Harsook Dass Dooly Chand ...	16,380	750 0 0
10	24a	Cossipore Road ...	P. G. and W. Sawoo ...	18,900	750 0 0
11	116	Ditto ...	Kumar Satish Ch. Singha ...	7,600	380 0 0
12	5	Rustomjee Road ...	Managing Agent, Camperdown Pressing Company	19,000	750 0 0
		Jute Warehouses.			
13	2, 2a & 2b	Chitpur Street ...	Gyan Chunder Sen ...	2,100	105 0 0
4	3	Ditto ...	Gobinda Chandra Pal ...	360	18 0 0
5	4	Ditto ...	Durga Churn K. B. Sha ...	4,800	240 0 0
6	4a	Ditto ...	Jotish Chunder Sen ...	720	36 0 0
7	5	Ditto ...	Gobinda Chunder Pal ...	240	12 0 0
8	6	Ditto ...	Suraj Mull Nagor Mull ...	1,500	75 0 0
9	7	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,800	90 0 0
0	9	Ditto ...	W. Howarth & Co. ...	960	48 0 0
	15	Ditto ...	Ram Dullav Sada Ch. Roy ...	1,920	96 0 0
	16	Ditto ...	Sittal Chunder Sha ...	1,000	50 0 0
	17	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,500	75 0 0
	4	Prankissen Mukerji's Road	Kristo Chunder Sha ...	720	36 0 0
	5	Ditto ...	Kristo Chunder Sardar ...	300	15 0 0
	6	Ditto ...	Nabo Kishore Roy ...	300	15 0 0
	7	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	300	15 0 0
	8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	300	15 0 0
	9	Ditto ...	Parbutty Churan Roy ...	1,440	72 0 0
	12	Ditto ...	Haboo Ch. Roy ...	360	18 0 0
	18	Ditto ...	Kristo Chunder Sha ...	480	24 0 0

Serial No.	Holding No.	Street.	Name.	Valuation.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Jute Warehouses—continued.		Rs.	Rs. A. P.
32	20	Prankissen Mukerji's Road	Jogesh Chunder Sen ...	600	30 0 0
33	20A	Ditto ...	Ram Kamal Chuckraburty ...	780	39 0 0
34	21	Ditto ...	Satish Chander Saw ...	2,436	121 12 0
35	22/1	Ditto ...	Lall Behari Sadukhan ...	300	15 0 0
36	22/1a	Ditto ...	Behari Lall Mullick ...	400	20 0 0
37	23/2	Ditto ...	Lall Behari Sadukhan ...	250	12 8 0
38	24a	Ditto ...	Jogesh Ch. Sen ...	360	18 0 0
39	24/1	Ditto ...	Ram Chunder Mullick ...	240	12 0
40	26a	Ditto ...	Ram Sebak Mandal ...	384	19 3
41	26b	Ditto ...	Dinonath N. C. Shah ...	625	31 4
42	27a	Ditto ...	Hurris Chunder Mullick ...	480	24 0
43	27a/1	Ditto ...	Preo Nath Das ...	300	15 0
44	27b	Ditto ...	Sitta Nath Mandal ...	360	18 0
45	27c	Ditto ...	Bhagot Chunder Mitter ...	300	15 0
46	27c/1	Ditto ...	Baroda Kanto Sardar ...	240	12 0
47	27cB	Ditto ...	Ram Taran Biswas ...	312	15 9
48	28a	Ditto ...	Mohun Chunder Sirdar ...	192	9 9
49	28b	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	216	10 12
50	28/5	Ditto ...	Moonsurally	240	12 0
51	28/7	Ditto ...	Rajendra Nath Dallal ...	180	9 0
52	29	Ditto ...	Chunder Nath Mukherji ...	324	16 3
53	31	Ditto ...	Bastulla Mandal ...	1,044	52 3
54	31a	Ditto ...	Sreenath Sirdar ...	396	19 12
55	31-2	Ditto ...	Shama Charan Ghosh ...	400	20 0
56	32	Ditto ...	Kaylash Chandra Ghosh ...	180	9 0
57	33	Ditto ...	P. G. and W. Shawo ...	2,200	110 0
58	34	Ditto ...	Jibankristo Ghosh ...	480	24 0
59	2	Ditto ...	Jogesh Chandra Sen ...	660	33 0
60	4	Ditto ...	Gyan Chandra Sen ...	780	39 0
61	7	Ditto ...	Nabo Kishor Roy ...	600	30 0
62	9	Ditto ...	Jogesh Chandra Sen ...	700	35 0
63	10	Ditto ...	Ram Dullav S. C. Roy ...	120	6 0
64	11	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	300	15 0
65	12	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	180	9 0
66	13	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	180	9 0

rial No.	Holding No.	Street.	Name.	Valuation.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Jute-Warehouses—continued.		Rs.	Rs. A. P.
67	14	Pran Kissen Mukherji's road	Ram Dullav S. C. Roy ...	180	9 0 0
68	15	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	480	24 0 0
69	16	Ditto ...	Nabo Kishor Roy ...	300	15 0 0
70	17	Ditto ...	Jogesh Chandra Sen ...	480	24 0 0
71	19	Ditto ...	Nabo Kumar Roy ...	180	9 0 0
72	25	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	840	42 0 0
73	26	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	780	39 0 0
74	26a	Ditto ...	Jogesh Chandra Sen ...	288	14 6 6
75	29	Ditto ...	Gyan Chunder Sen ...	168	8 6 6
76	30	Ditto ...	Dijoraj Cauch ...	1,200	60 0 0
77	2a	Belgachia Road ...	Nittogopal Ghosh ...	400	20 0 0
78	6a	Ditto ...	Nibaran Chunder Chowdhury	360	18 0 0
79	8-1	Ditto ...	Jiban Krishna Ghosh ...	480	24 0 0
80	9	Ditto ...	Chunder Nath Dullal ...	240	12 0 0
81	10	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,050	52 8 0
82	12-1	Ditto ...	Shaik Asiruddy ...	720	36 0 0
83	12-a	Ditto ...	Benode Behari Sadkhan ...	216	10 12 9
84	13	Ditto ...	Rajabali Biswas ...	300	15 0 0
85	14	Ditto ...	Baharali Tarafdar ...	270	13 8 0
86	26-a	Ditto ...	Foratulla Mandal ...	300	15 0 0
87	26-2	Ditto ...	Umadali Mandal ...	144	7 3 3
88	28	Ditto ...	Bisso Nath Maity ...	240	12 0 9
89	29	Ditto ...	Nagendra Nath Chatterji ...	216	10 12 0
90	14-a	Ditto ...	Esmile Dhanook ...	204	10 3 3
91	34-5	Ditto ...	Sadhu Mistry ...	228	11 6 6
92	34-6	Ditto ...	Sitta Nath Biswas ...	338	17 6 6
93	34-9	Ditto ...	Shahabuddin Mandal ...	300	15 0 0
94	34-11	Ditto ...	Giriballa Dabee ...	180	9 0 0
95	34-5-1	Ditto ...	Sadu Mistry ...	120	6 0 0
96	36-a	Ditto ...	Bholye Mandal ...	612	30 9 6
97	36-1-1	Ditto ...	Khetter Mohan Samanto ...	200	10 0 0
98	36-11	Ditto ...	Golam Chur and K. Mullick ...	240	12 0 0
99	37	Ditto ...	Joynuddin Mohomed ...	360	18 0 0
00	38-a	Ditto ...	Harish Chandra Ghosh ...	220	11 0 0
01	38a-1	Ditto ...	Haran Chandra Dutt ...	550	27 8 0

Serial No.	Holding No.	Street.	Name.	Valuation.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Jute-Warehouses—continued.		Rs.	Rs. A. P.
102	42-2-1	Belgachia Road ...	Munshi Abdul Noyam ...	360	18 0 0
103	41-a	Ditto ...	Enaitulla Tarafdar ...	360	18 0 0
104	45-a	Ditto ...	Jogendra Nath Mandal ...	168	8 6 6
105	45-b	Ditto ...	Hari Das Biswas ...	300	15 0 0
106	45a-2	Ditto ...	Jogendra Nath Mandal ...	144	7 3 3
107	45 b-3	Ditto ...	Hari Das Biswas ...	180	9 0 0
108	45 b-2	Ditto ...	Ruhibuddin Ahmed ...	240	12 0 0
109	45a-1	Ditto ...	Raghu Nath Manna ...	84	4 3 0
110	45c	Ditto ...	Khetter Mandal ...	132	6 9 6
111	45-7-2-1	Ditto ...	Baistub Ch. Mandal ...	360	18 0 0
112	45-21-1	Ditto ...	Hari Charan Sadkhan ...	144	7 3 3
113	43c	Ditto ...	Autul Behari Panti ...	336	16 12 9
114	51	Ditto ...	Shaik Mahomed Rusina ...	120	6 0 0
115	51-2	Ditto ...	Gour Mohan Mandal ...	180	9 0 0
116	67a	Ditto ..	Jiban Kristo Ghosh ...	240	12 0 0
117	68	Ditto ...	Satish Chunder Ghosh ...	750	37 8 0
118	68a	Ditto ...	Jiban Kristo Ghosh ...	168	8 6 6
119	68b	Ditto ...	Bharat Chunder Sha ...	360	18 0 0
120	68-1-1	Ditto ...	Jiban Kristo Ghosh ...	300	15 0 0
121	68-3-1	Ditto ...	Bharat Chunder Sha ...	480	24 0 0
122	71a	Ditto ..	Surnomai Dassi ...	192	9 9 6
123	71B	Ditto ...	Natabar Abhoy Charan Khan ...	240	12 0 0
124	72	Ditto ...	Johurudi Mandal ...	384	19 3 3
125	73	Ditto ...	Preo Nath Sadkhan ...	780	39 0 0
126	73-1	Ditto ...	Beharilall Shah	500	25 0 0
127	74-2	Ditto ...	Nag Choudhury & Co. ...	600	30 0 0
128	75	Ditto ...	Kapil Charan Das ...	600	30 0 0
129	76-4-1	Ditto ...	Khetter Nath Sha ...	540	27 0 0
130	76-7	Ditto ...	Harish Chandra Ghosh ...	270	13 8 0
131	76-3	Ditto ...	Nagendra Nath Bullab ...	300	15 0 0
132	1-1-2	New Canal Road ...	Khetter Nath Sha ...	180	9 0 0
133	1-3	Ditto ...	Hari Mohan Dallal ...	325	16 4 0
134	1-5	Ditto ...	Khetter Nath Sha ...	180	9 0 0
135	1-7	Ditto ...	Aukhoy Coomar Ghosh ...	300	15 0 0
136	1-12	Ditto ...	Bhola Nath Ghosh ...	408	20 6 6

ial).	Holding No.	Street.	Name.	Valuation.	Amount.
	2	3	4	5	6
		Jute-Warehouses—continued.		Rs.	Rs. A. P.
	1-8-1	New Canal Road ...	Troylokho Nath Ghosh ...	420	21 0 0
	3	Ditto ...	Bharat Chandra D. N. Saha ...	300	15 0 0
	5	Ditto ...	Barud Chandra D. N. Saha ...	480	24 0 0
	6	Ditto ...	Mahendra Nath Mallick ...	600	30 0 0
	7	Ditto ...	Jiban Kristo Ghosh ...	240	12 0 0
	7a	Ditto ...	Nagendra Nath Ghosh ...	180	9 0 0
	7-2	Ditto ...	Mahendra Nath Roychoudhury	240	12 0 0
	7-3	Ditto ...	Jogendra Nath Mukharji ...	168	8 6 6
	7-4	Ditto ...	Nagendra Nath Ghosh ...	144	7 3 3
	7-1	Ditto ...	Mafizuddi Ghazi ...	300	15 0 0
	11	Ditto ...	Satkhira J. S. Co. ...	480	24 0 0
	11a	Ditto ...	Debendra Nath Bullab ...	456	22 12 9
	3	Barrackpore Trunk Road...	Gadhadhor Mallik ...	860	43 0 0
	79	Ditto ...	Sreedam Chunder Kundu ...	240	12 0 0
	79a	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	780	39 0 0
	80-1	Ditto ...	Hari Mohan Ghosh ...	288	14 6 6
	81-1	Ditto ...	Anilendra Das Co. ...	324	16 3 3
	2	Brojo Dayal Sha Road ...	Haro Nath Biswas ...	600	30 0 0
	3	Ditto ...	Ditto	720	36 0 0
	1	Ditto ...	Gobinda Chundra Pal ...	840	42 0 0
	6	Ditto ...	Ditto	1,150	57 8 0
	4	Settapoker Road ...	Ram Dullav Rai	1,320	66 0 0
	7	Ditto ...	Naba Kisor Rai	300	15 0 0
	14	Ditto ...	Ditto	630	31 8 0
	15	Ditto ...	Ditto	270	13 8 0
	6a	Cross Road ...	Dwarka Nath Roy ...	600	30 0 0
	7	Ditto ...	Ram Dullav Sadhu Ch. Roy	900	45 0 0
	59	Lock Gate Road ...	Ram Chunder Hari Ram ...	3,600	180 0 0
	1	Cossipore Road ...	Kumar Satish Chandra Singha	5,400	270 0 0
	9a	Nilmani Mitter Street ...	Dijobar Khan	336	16 12 9
	9B	Ditto ...	Gopi Nath Dafadar ...	600	30 0 0
	10	Ditto ...	Preo Nath Mandal ...	350	17 8 0
	10-1	Ditto ...	Kebal Ram Biswas ...	300	15 0 0
	11b	Ditto ...	Bheem Chundor Ghose ...	300	15 0 0
	11c	Ditto ...	Durga Charan Mullick ...	675	33 12 0

Serial No.	Holding No.	Street.	Name.	Valuation.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Jute-Werehouses—continued.		Rs.	Rs. A. P.
172	8-9	Cossipore Ghat Road ...	Brojo Doyal Sha ...	1,040	52 0 0
173	18	Talla Bagan Lane ...	Sarat Chunder Mandal ...	540	27 0 0
174	17a	Ditto Road ...	Khettra Mohan Ghosh ...	420	21 0 0
175	17	Kali Kumar Banerji's Lane.	Bonomali Choudhury ...	920	46 0 0
176	19	Ditto ...	Sridam Kundu	460	23 0 0
177	21	Chitpore Ghat Lane ...	Kristo Chunder Sirdar ...	480	24 0 0
178	23	Ditto ...	Dwarka Nath B Kundu ...	1,920	96 0 0
179	25	Nawabputty Street ...	Bonomali Choudhury ...	540	27 0 0
180	9	Chitpore Street and yard	Eastern Bengal State Railway	30,000	1,500 0 0
181	1	Ram Gopal Ghose Lane	Arthur Bonaud	2,400	120 0 0
182	2	New Strand Road ...	Secretary, Port Commissioners	7,500	375 0 0
183	2	Sugar Works Lane ...	Messrs. Ernsthausen Son & Co.	2,242	112 1 9
		Ropery.			
184	1-1-1	Dhakhindari Road ...	Goomook Roy	420	2. 0 0
185	1-2-1	Ditto ...	Mr. F. A. Browne ...	700	35 0 0
186	20-1	Khelat Babu's Lane ...	Kiran Chandra Dutt ...	384	19 3 3
187	28-4	Ditto ...	Luckhi Narain Dutt ...	240	12 0 0
188	54-6	Barrackpore Trunk Road	Jesraj Giridhari Lall ...	600	30 0 0
189	31a	Ditto ...	Tran Nath Banerji ...	480	24 0 0
190	15	Ranee Road ...	Naran Ch. Samonta ...	300	15 0 0
191	14-69	Paikpara Road ...	Subal Ch. Chunder ...	300	15 0 0
		Golepatta.			
192	77-1-1	Barrackpore Trunk Road	Khoburu Chowdhury ...	48	2 6 6
193	78-2	Ditto ...	Kali Dassi Dassi	72	3 9 6
194	79-1	Ditto ...	Guru Charan Nandi ...	48	2 6 6
		Wood.			
195	74-2	Belgachia Road ...	Dinamani Bewa	30	1 8 0
196	11-3	Pran Kissen Mukerji's Road.	Chandi and Banku Mistri ...	72	3 9 6
197	11-4	Ditto ...	Natoo Mistry	84	4 3 3
198	5-3	Chitpore Cross Road ...	Shaik Karim	48	2 6 6
			12, Jute Press-houses ...	...	8,580 0 0
			1, Cotton and Gunny Factory	...	112 1 9
			171, Jute-warehouses ...	...	6,752 7 9
			8 Jute roperies	...	171 3 3
			3 Gole patta depôt ...	...	8 6 6
			4 Wood depôt	...	11 11 3
			Mutation fee	...	90 0 0
			Total ...	...	15,725 14 6

tatement showing the account of Fire which occurred during the year 1907-08, within the jurisdiction of Cossipore Thana.

Section.	Name of street or Mohulla.	Name of the owner of the property destroyed.	Duration of fire.	Description of property destroyed.	Approximate value of the property destroyed.
1	2	3	4	5	6
					Rs. A.
). Cossipore ...	Bibi Bazar, Cossipore Road.	Annada Shaw ...	5 minutes ...	Bamboo matting ...	0 4
Ditto ...	Mati Jheel ...	Joku Jeswara ...	3 „ ...	Some golepatta ...	0 1
Ditto ...	Narkelbagan ...	Mohatab Shaw ..	½ hour ...	Building materials of a thatched matkotta, hut. Three cows slightly injured.	15 0
Ditto ...	Paramanik Ghat Road.	Srikrisna Sarnakar ...	10 minutes	Half of the building materials of a thatched hut, a mosquito curtain, two quilts.	5 0
Ditto ...	Dheriabagan ...	(1) Kailash Chandra Ghosh. (2) Apura Belva ... (3) Sayaram Ghosh ...	1 hour	The entire building materials of two golepatta huts and half of another golepatta hut, one cow burnt to death and one scalded	50 0

he 26th May 1908.

MOHENDRA NATH MUKHERJI,
A. Sub.

ement showing the account of Fire which occurred during the year 1907-08 within the jurisdiction of Uttadanga Thana.

tion and duty.	Name of street or Mohulla.	Name of owner of the property destroyed.	Duration of fire.	Description of property destroyed.	Approximate value of the property destroyed.
1	2	3	4	5	6
					About Rs.
, 16th January .	Teshi Golap 14, Belgachia Road.	Bejoy Nath Roy, Assiruddy Shaik and Enatulla Tarafdar.	For nearly 12 hours.	Jute godown a corrugated shed.	20,000
, 18th January .	Bibi Bazar Busti	Narain Chandra Bhattacharji.	For about 10 or 15 minutes.	A portion of a golepatta hut.	3
, 12th February .	Teshi Gola at No. 67-36, Belgachia Road.	Jute belonged to Luchman Shah and the godown belonged to Jiban Krishna Ghosh.	For about 12 or 14 hours.	Jute godown a corrugated shed.	17,800

h 26th May 1908.

SATISH CHANDRA ROY,
Sub-Inspector, C. Sub.

No. 492, dated Calcutta, the 24th June 1908.

From—R. D. MEHTA, Esq., C.I.E., Chairman, Maniktala Municipality,
To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas.

WITH reference to your letter No. M249 of 1908-09, dated the 13th June 1908, calling for a report on the working of the Licensed Jute-Warehouse and Fire-Brigade Act in this Municipality for the year 1907-08, I have the honour to report that the share of expenditure allotted to this Municipality by the Commissioner of Police was Rs. 1,211, which was discharged by two instalments.

The revenue during the year under review amounted to Rs. 3131-1-9.

The annexed statement will show the number of warehouses and licenses issued during the year under review.

License fees were levied on jute warehouses at 4 and 6 per cent. on the annual value and at 10 per cent. on trades of other descriptions mentioned in the statement and the fees were duly paid.

The jute godowns, fire-wood, packing case, hay and straw depôts are mostly situated near the Circular Canal which forms the northern, western and southern boundaries of this Municipality, Soorah Jute and Messrs. W. M. Briggs & Com's jute mills are the two mills within this Municipality situated in the north of Narkeldanga main road.

Maniktala Municipality.

Description of trades.	1906-07.				1907-08.			
	No. of license issued.	Amount.			No. of license issued.	Amount.		
		Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Jute mill	1	412	0	0	2	541	9	6
Jute godowns	13	662	0	0	38	1,760	0	3
Jute roperies	6	105	15	9	4	77	15	9
Saw mills	7	183	3	3	8	191	9	6
Hay and straw depôts ...	16	208	6	3	15	190	6	3
Goran and golepatta depôts ...	10	118	15	0	10	116	8	0
Firewood depôts	17	159	3	3	14	135	3	9
Packing case depôts ...	6	64	12	9	6	64	12	9
Durmah mat depôts ...	3	48	9	6	2	41	0	0
Coir ropery	1	12	0	0	1	12	0	0
		1,975	1	9		3,131	1	9

R. D. MEHTA.

Chairman.

No. 121G.M., dated Calcutta, the 20th June 1908.

From—H. M. PEAT, Esq., Chairman, Garden Reach Municipality,
To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas, Alipore.

WITH reference to your No. $\frac{24}{1}\frac{2}{2}$M. of 1908-09, dated the 13th instant, I have the honour to submit the following report on the working of the Licensed Jute-Warehouse and Fire-Brigade Act in the Municipality for the year 1907-08.

2. During the year under review licenses were granted to 29 warehouses, including wood, fire-wood and straw-depôts and the amount of license fees levied was Rs. 1,047-8. Besides the above a sum of Rs. 99 was realized under section 25, clause (*b*) of the Fire-Brigade Act, in respect of the Kapidanga, the Bathal and the Kasaipara bustees. The total revenue, therefore, was Rs. 1,146-8 and the share of expenditure allotted to this municipality by the Commissioner of Police, which was discharged by two instalments, was Rs. 2,019. This deficit of Rs. 872-8, which was due to levy of license fees in respect of warehouses in strict accordance with the provisions of section 10 of the Fire-Brigade Act, was met from the general funds of the municipality.

3. There was no fire of a serious nature in the municipality during the year under report.

4. A statement of licensed warehouses within this municipality during the year 1907-08 is submitted below :—

List of Warehouses during 1907-08.

Serial No.	Name of license-holder.	Description of warehouse.	Amount levied.
1	2	3	4
			Rs. A.
1	Messrs. Bird & Co., Agents, Clive Jute Mills Company.	Jute mills	374 0
2	Messrs. Andrew Yule & Co., Agents, Bengal Mill Company.	Cotton mill ...	323 0
3	Messrs. Macneill & Co., Agents, River Steam Navigation Company.	Dockyard	29 0
4	Messrs. Macneill & Co. ...	Jute godown ...	61 0
5	B. I. Oil Mill Company ...	Oil mill	68 0
6	Superintendent, Government Remount Depôt.	Hay and straw godown ...	27 0
7	N. W. Soap Company	Soap factory ...	68 0
8	Muhammad Azgar	Wood depôt ...	2 8
9	Tarriny Ch. Ghosh	Straw depôt ...	10 0
10	Rup K. Sett	Ditto ...	10 0
11	Behari Lall Ghosh	Kerosine depôt ...	10 0
12	Annoda P. Nundy	Ditto ...	10 0
13	Latif Buksh	Wood depôt ...	2 8
14	Kali Charan	Ditto ...	1 4
15	Mati Lall Dalui	Straw depôt ...	5 0
16	Akbar	Wood depôt ...	1 4
17	Mahomed Ally	Ditto ...	2 8
18	Mansoorali	Ditto ...	5 0
19	Abdullah	Ditto ...	1 4
20	Badla Khan	Ditto ...	2 8
21	Ram Kissen Palla	Ditto ...	5 0
22	Masakally	Ditto ...	2 8
23	Shaikh Balai Ahmed	Ditto ...	2 8
24	Akbar	Ditto ...	2 8
25	Shaikh Mansoorali	Ditto ...	5 0
26	Badle Khan	Ditto ...	2 8
27	Emanut Ulla	Ditto ...	2 8
28	Amiran Bewah	Ditto ...	1 4
29	Rap K. Sett	Straw depôt ...	10 0

No. 8404, dated Calcutta, the 30th July 1908.

From—F. L. HALLIDAY, M.V.O., Commissioner of Police, Calcutta,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department.

I HAVE the honour to submit, in accordance with section 41, Act I of 1893, the following report on the working of the Fire Brigade in the town and suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah during the year 1907-08.

2. The force at the close of the year under review is shown in Appendix I attached. There has been no alteration in the strength of the Fire Brigade during the year under review.

3. A statement showing the receipts and expenditure of the Fire Brigade Fund is shown in the Appendix II.

The year opened with a balance of Rs. 20,471-9-9, the receipts amounted to Rs. 83,709-4-6 and the total expenditure to Rs. 96,089-6-3, leaving a balance of Rs. 8,091-8-0, at the close of the year.

Receipts.—Fees under the Petroleum Act were better than the estimate by Rs. 390; hire of engines and judicial fines under the Act realised Rs. 1,208 and Rs. 52 respectively, but there was a less amount realised by the sale proceeds of unserviceable stores and recovery of telephone rent. The net result was an actual increase in receipts of Rs. 1,247-4-6 over the estimate.

Expenditure.—

(*a*) Under the head of "Establishment" there was an increase over the Budget Estimate due to the grant of grain compensation allowance. The amounts shown in the "Decrease" column represent savings of Rs. 1239-1-5 on account of vacancies in the khalasi staff.

(*b*) The net increase under the head of "Contingencies" was principally due to an additional charge on account of pension owing to the retirement of the Chief Engineer and to the purchase of two horses.

(*c*) Under the head "Other charges" the increased expenditure of Rs. 842-5-4 was due to the fact that the cost of establishment for collection of rates for the year 1906-07 was paid during the year under report to the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality.

4. One hundred and forty-eight fires of all degrees occurred during the year 1907-08.

Thirty-six serious fires in Town, River and Docks, 24 in the suburbs and 10 in Howrah and a further one in the Aratoon Jute Mill at Dakindary Road, Dum-Dum, at which the Fire Brigade attended.

There were also 77 petty fires, 28 in the Town, on the River and in the Docks, 44 in the suburbs, and 5 in Howrah.

Twelve of the total number of fires occurred in buildings licensed under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, I of 1893.

DESCRIPTION OF FIRE.	Number of fires.	Number of fires attended by Fire-Brigade.	Number of fires extinguished by neighbours or residents.	By Dock and Mill fire engines and appliances.	REMARKS.
Fires at which property destroyed, valued at Rs. 50 or more ...	71	44	21	6	
Fires at which property destroyed, valued at less than Rs. 50 ...	77	12	50	15	
GRAND TOTAL ...	148	56	71	21	

Serious Fires.

Number of fires extinguished by Fire Brigade			... ...	44
Ditto	Ditto	Dock or Mill appliances	... ...	1
Ditto	Ditto	by Fire Brigade assisted by Fire Float or Fire engines	...	5
Ditto	Ditto	by neighbours, occupiers, etc.,,	...	17
Ditto	Ditto	by neighbours before arrival of brigade		4
				71

Petty fires.

Seventy-seven petty fires occurred during the year, 28 in town, river and docks, 44 in suburbs and 5 in Howrah :—

50 were extinguished by neighbours or occupiers, etc.

12 were extinguished by fire brigade.

15 were partly extinguished before arrival of fire brigade by neighbours or occupiers.

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The total estimated value of the property destroyed by fire was Rs. 12,15,521-13-6 against Rs. 20,74,993-6, the value of the property destroyed by fire in 1906-07.

Fires outside the jurisdiction of the Fire Brigade.

28th November 1907.—A large jute fire occurred at the Aratoon Jute mill, Dakindary Road, Dum Dum, in which a two-storied building containing jute and machinery to the value of Rs. 55,000 was destroyed. The property was insured.

The most serious fires were as follows :—

1. *September 30th.*—I. G. S. and Railway Co.'s godowns, Strand Bank Road, Jute and Seeds, Rs. 30,000. Fire lasted 3½ hours.

2. *November 5th.*—Shops and godowns, Harrison Road, imported cloth and dried fruits, Rs. 71,700. Fire lasted 1¾ hours.

3. *November 28th.*—Arathoon Jute Press, in 24-Parganas, Jute, Machinery and buildings, Rs. 55,000. Fire lasted 13 hours 20 minutes.

4. *December 17th.*—Union Jute Press, 10 Nawab Putti Road, Chitpur, jute and buildings, Rs. 2,40 000. Fire lasted 27 hours, 25 minutes. But a hand engine stood-by until 11-10 A. M, 30th December 1907 whilst the jute was being salvaged.

5. *December 18th*—Jute godown, Canal West Road, jute, pucca and kutcha buildings Rs. 2,00,000. Fire lasted 4 days and 20½ hours. But a manual stood-by for 3 days whilst the jute was being salvaged.

6. *December 24th.*—Goosery Cotton Mills, Howrah, cotton and buildings, Rs. 1,50,000. Fire lasted 5 hours.

7. *January 16th.*—Jute sheds, Belgatchia Road, jute, corrugated iron sheds and tiled huts, Rs. 20,000. Fire lasted 13 hours.

8. *February 13th.*—Jute sheds, Belgatchia Road, jute, corrugated iron sheds and tiled huts, Rs. 22,000. Fire lasted 10 hours.

9. *February 22nd.*—A flat on the river, Juggernath ghât, Hâtkhola, jute and cotton, Rs. 60,000. Fire lasted 2½ hours.

10. *March 4th.*—Shops and godowns, Khengraputti, Bara Bazar, scissors, knives, locks, beads, enamelware and buildings, Rs. 53,050. Fire lasted 4 hours.

11. *March 5th.*—Flour mill, Upper Circular Road, buildings, machinery, wheat and flour, Rs. 2,00,000. Fire lasted 5¼ hours.

12. *March 11th.*—Two godowns, Goosery, Howrah, linseed cake, linseed oil and machinery, Rs. 25,000. Fire lasted 6½ hours.

13. *March 21st.*—Jute godowns, New Canal Road, 'C' suburbs, jute, a corrugated iron shed, Rs. 20,000. Fire lasted 8½ hours.

5. *Repairs*—The Fire Engine "Rupnarain" was thoroughly overhauled at the Government Dockyard, during the year under review and the Fire-Engine "Bengal" was sent for a similar overhauling on the return of the "Rupnarain".

A dockyard strike during the months of February and March considerably delayed the latter's repairs.

6. Two turnouts consisting of two fire-engines, two hose-carts, two brakes ten horses and all necessary hose and gear are always kept in readiness at Headquarters in case of a call.

7. *Payments by Municipalities.*—In the year under report the percentages fixed by Government as payable by the several Municipalities concerned, were as follows:—

	Area in sq. miles.	Percentage.	Contribution for 1907-08.
			Rs.
City of Calcutta ...	20·267	70%	70,764
Chitpore	3	15%	15,164
Howrah	9	11%	11,120
Garden Reach ...	3	2½%	2,528
Manicktolla	3	1½%	1,516
Total ...	38·267	100%	Rs. 1,01,092

8. *Calls on the Fire-Brigade.*—

A.

Summary of Hourly and Daily Calls.

A.M.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Total.	P. M.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.
1	1	...	3	1	1	2	1	9	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	1
2	1	...	...	2	2	...	3	8	2	2	...	...	1	...	1	3
3	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	4	3	4	1	...	1	1	...	1
4	3	1	1	1	3	...	...	9	4	...	...	1	...	1	2	...
5	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	5	...	1	1	...	...	2	...
6	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	6	3	...	2	2	1	2	2
7	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	3	7	...	1	1	...	1	3	2
8	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	3	8	1	...	2	2	1	2	...
9	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	9	3	3	1	2	...	...	1
10	2	1	1	...	1	2	...	7	10	3	...	...	3	2	1	...
11	...	1	2	...	...	2	...	5	11	2	...	...	...	2	...	3
12	...	...	1	3	1	...	1	6	12	1	...	2	1	...	1	2
Total ...	9	3	12	8	11	9	8	60		19	6	11	12	10	15	15

GRAND TOTAL ... 148

B.

Summary of Weekly Calls.

	Week ending.	With steamer.	With hose, reel or manual.	Total.	No.	Week ending.	With steamer.	With hose, reel or manual.	Total.
1	April 7th				27	Octr. 6th ...	1	1	2
2	„ 14th				28	„ 13th	2	2	4
3	„ 21st		2	2	29	„ 20th ...	1	1	2
4	„ 28th	2	1	3	30	27th ...	1	...	1
5	May 5th	1	3	4	31	Novr. 3rd ...	2	3	5
6	„ 12th	...	3	3	32	„ 10th ...	3	1	4
7	„ 19th	1	4	5	33	„ 17th ...	1	2	3
8	„ 26th	2	1	3	34	„ 24th ...	4	3	7
9	June 2nd	1	.	1	35	Decr. 1st ...	2	2	4
10	„ 9th		1	1	36	8th ...	2	3	5
11	„ 16th				37	15th ...	...	...	...
12	„ 23rd		1		38	22nd ...	3	2	5
13	„ 30th			...	39	29th ...	1	2	3
14	July 7th				40	Jany. 5th ...	...	2	2
15	„ 14th				41	12th ...	2	2	4
16	„ 21st				42	19th ...	3	2	5
17	„ 28th				43	26th ...	2	3	5
18	Augt. 4th				44	Feby. 2nd ...	...	...	...
19	„ 11th				45	„ 9th ...	1	4	5
20	„ 18th				46	„ 16th ...	2	5	7
21	„ 25th				47	„ 23rd ...	1	4	5
22	Septr. 1st		1		48	March 1st ...	2	...	2
23	„ 8th		.		49	„ 8th ...	8	6	14
24	„ 15th		2	2	50	„ 15th ...	5	4	9
25	„ 22nd	2	...	2	51	„ 22nd ...	1	1	2
26	„ 29th	1	1	2	52	„ 31st ...	...	6	6
	Total	13	24				50	61	111

GRAND TOTAL ... 148

C.

Monthly Summary of Calls.

Months			Total.	Months			Total.
April	...	...	11	October	...	...	13
May	...	...	14	November	...	...	18
June	...	...	4	December	...	...	14
July	...	..	1	January	...	...	16
August	...	...	1	February	...	...	18
September	...	...	6	March	...	...	32
			Total	148			

9. *Prosecutions, etc.*—Four licenses were granted under section 36, Act I of 1893, for letting off fire-works, rockets, etc. None of them were suspended under section 37 of the Act during the year. Seven persons were arrested, of whom five were convicted and fined, for letting off fire-works under section 66, Act IV of 1866, one for selling fire-works without license, section 36, Act I, 1893, and one case was struck off.

Two prosecutions were instituted under Act IV of 1884 for possessing fire-works for sale. The accused were convicted and fined. Two licenses for the sale of fire-works were cancelled during the year.

10. *Water supply*—The water used by the Brigade is obtained from the street mains, wherever the unfiltered water supply has been extended. It is however necessary, as soon as the Brigade leaves the station, for the Pumping Station to be rung up on the telephone and a request made to put on pressure.

Where there are no street mains available, water is obtained from any tank, and in some cases, when the tide allows, from the river Hughli direct.

In Howrah the supply of water from tanks is very scanty and is getting less and less every year, there is no other source of supply except from the river Hughli.

Howrah, Chitpur, Garden Reach, and a portion of the added area are not supplied with unfiltered water.

The East Indian Railway goods sheds have a supply of water of their own for the protection of their goods sheds. They also keep 2 manual engines and a supply of hose and a staff of men to work their appliances.

They are also arranging for "Sprinklers" and electric pumps for the new three-storied godowns lately erected on the river front.

They also intend to put instantaneous instead of screw couplings wherever necessary, in order to bring their appliances into line with the Calcutta Fire Brigade.

11. *Telephones and Fire alarms.*—At the Head quarters Lal Bazar there is a telephone exchange with 55 connections (and space for 45 more) to all Police Stations.

Communication can also be obtained through the Head Telephone office and Government Telegraph Office with any subscriber on the General Telephone Exchanges.

The direct communication from Head-quarters is principally with Thanas and Pumping Stations and also to the Fire-Float stationed off Fort Point.

The East Indian Railway goods sheds are in direct telephonic communication with Howrah Fire station and also have a direct Fire alarm (the only one in Calcutta) to the Howrah Fire Station. Besides the telephone, for the purpose of reporting fires there are lookouts at all Fire Stations where steam or manual engines are kept.

At Head-quarters and Howrah, Tell-tale clocks have lately been introduced on the Look-out Towers and have proved a useful check.

The Port Commissioners and the Jute Association have been approached on the subject of introducing street fire alarms, and the suggestion has also been thrown out that the Mills and Press Houses within the area served by the Calcutta Fire Brigade should be connected with the Fire stations by a direct telephone system and alarm bells. At present the only connection most of the Mills have is a private wire to their own offices. This is far from satisfactory, as much valuable time may be lost before the Brigade is even advised of a fire having broken out. A delay of even a few minutes may mean a considerable loss of valuable property.

New Fire Appliances.—Sanction has been applied for to allot funds in the coming year's Budget to enable the Brigade to purchase a 65-foot combined Water-Tower and Fire-Escape. Although the majority of buildings in Calcutta are so built that escape from them on the outbreak of a fire, is easy, still a large number of very tall structures are being put up in Calcutta, for instance Chowringhee Mansions and the New Chartered Bank in Clive Street, where an escape might be necessary.

Water-Tower and Escape.

But the principal use to which it is intended to put this Water-Tower will be, at large Jute and Cotton Fires when the walls are in an unsafe condition and it is not possible to pump water direct on to the fire turn them.

By means of the Tower, a stream of water can be driven right into the heart of the flames.

A "Pompier" Ladder was during the year obtained from England and has already proved itself useful.

Ladder.

13. At the Aratoon Jute Mills fire, the Brigade had to drive some 7 miles from Head-quarters, and a portion of that distance was through the badly lighted Suburban roads and lanes.

Lamps.

In consequence, a pair of Acetylene head lights were purchased and have proved a great success, not only in Suburban lanes, but on foggy nights during the cold weather, in the town.

Two Acetylene hand lamps have been purchased. They have proved greatly superior to the old-fashioned oil lamps, which have hitherto been used when moving about at a fire.

The Port Commissioners' Fire Float materially assisted the Brigade on several occasions, by pumping water for the Engine from the River. On one occasion the Port Commissioner's Fire Engine stationed at the Port Commissioners' Docks came up to Chitpur to assist at a Jute Fire, but as the river was too distant, she was unfortunately unable to render help. This Engine should be supplied with a portable tank so that she can work at a distance, from the River or Docks with the assistance of the Fire Float.

Buckets.

Collapsible canvas buckets (German Army Pattern) have been substituted for galvanised iron. This is a great saving in weight as well as space.

These are principally used for carrying feed water to the boiler of the engine at fires. The Calcutta unfiltered water has so much dirt in it, that it is practically impossible to use it for the engine boilers. Clean water has to be frequently carried considerable distances. The Calcutta Corporation are unable to supply the Calcutta Fire Brigade with filtered water, when the supply is interrupted, as it usually is at night, when fires are most prevalent. The continuous supply of filtered water will, when universally introduced, considerably benefit the Brigade as well as the public.

Portable telephones.

Enquiries are being made as to the practicability of purchasing a portable telephone to communicate between the engine and firemen who often work at a considerable distance from the fire-engine.

It would also be most useful in communicating with Head-quarters by means of an attachment to over-head telephone wires.

Tourniquets.

Twenty-five Tourniquets or hose clamps of an instantaneous pattern were purchased during the year. They are exceedingly handy and easily and quickly fixed in case of a leak in the hose.

14. *Calls.*—Calls to the number of 148 were recorded during the year, being an increase of 28 over the previous year. The above figures include 7 River fires attended by the Brigade assisted by the Port Commissioners' Fire Floats. The distance travelled to and from fires by the Brigade was 326·5 miles. Eighty three fires were attended by the Brigade during the year. The average distance travelled per fire was 3·93 miles. Five horses died or were destroyed (under medical certificate) during the year.

15. *Fatality.*—The only fatality during the year was in the case of one Binda Bewah, an old woman, aged 90 years, who was burnt to death in a gole-patta hut, in which she was sleeping at 5 A.M. on 15th January 1908.

16. *Miscellaneous.*—There is a forge attached to the Brigade which does most useful work not only in shoeing the horses, but in making up a great deal of iron work.

Chief Engineer J. Holmes was granted combined leave for 23 months on August 30th, 1907.

Mr. J. G. Fulthorpe was appointed Chief Engineer in his place and took over charge from him on the 1st September 1907.

17. *Conference.*—The Port Commissioners, Jute Mills Association, Calcutta Fire Insurance Agents Association and Calcutta Fire-Brigade met in conference to consider the question of introducing a universal standard of hose (both in quality and size) and connections during the year under review.

The question of Fire Alarms was also considered. A final settlement had however not been arrived at before the close of the period under report.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

F. L. HALLIDAY,

Commissioner of Police.

APPENDIX I.

	Engines Steam.	Engines Manual.	Hose Carts.	Brakes.	Hose Reels.	Hose Carts (Hand).	Water Tower and Fire Escapes.	Coal Carts (Hard).	Tozer's Hand Pumps.	Ladders Scaling, 6 feet lengths.	Ladders, Pompier.	Stand Posts.	Branch pipes.	Nozzles.	Nozzles, Spreading.	Hydrant Keys.	Dividing Breechings.	Canvas Buckets.	Acetylene Head Lamps.	Acetylene hand Lamps.	Straw Hooks.	Rubber Gloves.	Adapters.	Hose Suction (lengths.)	Hose Delivery 2½ inch Extra Duh-Sub.	Tourniquets.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Head-quarters	4*	1	2	4	...	...	1†	...	3	14	1	10	28	7	5	6	7	12	2	2	18	2	5	18	5,700	19
Howrah	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	6	...	2	6	8	1	2	1	6	...	...	3	1	2	6	2,000	3
Chitpore	1	...	0-1	1-1†	...	...	..	1	1	6	...	2	6	2	1	2	1	6	...	...	...	1	2	6	2,000	3
Palmer's Bridge	...	1	...	...	.	...	..	..	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	700	...
Bhowanipur	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	500	...
Garden Reach	...	1	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	700	...
Watgunge	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	500	...
Sibpur	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	500	..
Sukea Street Thana	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1		1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	...
Comartollee Thana	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	...
Burtolla Thana	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	...
Jorabagan Thana...	...	...	...	...	.	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	...
Muchipara Thana...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	.	...	...	...	1	1	1	..	1	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	350	...
Taltollah Thana	...	...	...	..	1	...	..	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	...
Fenwick Bazar Thana	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	
Ballygunj Thana	...	...	...	...	1	...		...	.	.	...	1	1	1	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	.
Alipore	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		350	..
Total ...	6*	6	4	8	4	5	1	2	5	26	1	28	54	36	7	29	9	24	2	2	21	4	9	63	15,750	

* One out of Commission—For sale.
† One tumultum for exercising horses.
‡ Budgetted for 1908-09.

Disposition of permanent staff of the Calcutta Fire Brigade.

Station.	Superintendent.	Chief Engineer.	Inspector under jute warehouse and Fire Brigade Act.	Assistant Engineers.	European Drivers	Native Drivers.	Tindals.	Firemen Stokers.	Khalasis.	Blistis.	Mehters.	Horses.	Syces.	Peon (for No. 44.	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Head Quarters, Lal Bazar.	1	1	1	2	2	2	3	1	14	2	2	13	13	1	
Howrah	...	...	...	1	...	1	5	1	17	...	1	3	3	...	
Chitpur	...	...	...	1	..	1	2	1	11	...	1	3	3	...	
Palmer's Bridge ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	2	.	12	...	...	..	...	...	These men are employed on engine duties.
Bhowanipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	12	..	.	...	...	...	
Watganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	
Garden Reach ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	2	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	
Sibpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	..	12	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	1	1	1	4	2	4	20	3	102	2	4	19	19	1	This Station is immediately under Assistant Engineer in charge Howrah Fire Station.

This force is augmented by a permanent stand-by of 12 European Police Sergeants in two shifts.
These men are paid Rs. 5 per each fire they attend.
Hose reels with 350 feet of hose and necessary gear are posted at Fenwick Bazar, Taltolla, Sukea Street, Jorabagan, Kumartuli, Burtolla, Ballygunj, Muchipara and Alipur Thanas. These reels are used by the local police in case of fire, but can only work during the hours when water pressure is on; the supply being interrupted.
It is proposed to place another hose reel this year at Ekbalpur Thana, as the unfiltered water is now extended to that jurisdiction.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract of Receipts and Disbursements of the Fire-Brigade Fund for the year ending 31st March 1908.

RECEIPTS.	Budget estimate for 1907-1908	Actual receipts for 1907-1908	Increase.	Decrease.
		3		
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
the beginning of the		20,471 9 9		
ate cost payable by ion of Calcutta.	56,532	56,532 0 0		
Chitpur Municipality	14	.....		
a Municipality ...	8,844	8,844 0 0		
ditto	2,019	2,019 0 0		
ach ditto	1,211	1,211 0 0		
Total ...	80,700	80,760 0 0		
Petroleum Act	1,000	1,390 0 0	390 0 0	
ire-works suburbs ...	.....	10 0 0	10 0 0	
Total	1,000	1,400 0 0	400 0 0	
r Petroleum Act ...	...	2		
Fire Brigade Act ...	.....	30 0 0	30 0 0	
Jute Ware house Act	.....	.....	.....	
Total ...	...	52 0 0	52 0 0	
re Engines	.....	1,208 0 0	1,208 0 0	...
lephone lines	302	.....	.....	302 0 0
eds of unserviceable	200	33 8 0	.....	166 8 0
ous —	...	5 12 6	5 12 6	.....
Total	502	1,247 4 6	1,213 12 6	468 8 0
eds of horses	200			
sous	.....			
Total				
GRAND TOTAL ...	82,462	1,01,180 14 3	1,715 12 6	

PAYMENT.	Budget estimate for 1907-1908.	Actual charges for 1907-1908.	Increase.	Decrease.
			9	10
Establishment—	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lall Bazar	20,508	20,954 4 10	446 4 10	
Howrah	5,802	5,769 1 11		32 14 1
Bhowanipur	1,584	1,506 0 0		78 0 0
Watgunge	1,584	1,564 0 0		20 0 0
Palmer's Bridge ...	1,584	1,560 0		24 0 0
Chitpur	4,308	4,897 10 11	589 10 11	
Garden Reach	1,824	2,027 1 8	203 1 8	
Total ...	37,194	38,278 3 4	1,239 1 5	154 14 1
Contingencies ...	47,660	50,360 13 7	2,705 13 7	
Other charges ...	6,608	7,450 5 4	842 5 4	
Total	91,462	96,089 6 3	4,787 4 4	154 14 1
Closing balance on 31st March 1908.		8,091 8 0		
Total ...	.....	1,04,180 14 3		

CALCUTTA,
30th July 1908.

F. L. HALLIDAY,
Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.

APPENDIX III.

Memorandum of fires in the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah from 1st April 1907 to 31st March 1908.

Number.	Date.	Locality with Section letter.	Duration of fire.	Approximate value of property destroyed.	Remarks showing nature of damages done, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	1907.	*Town and Port Police.*		Rs. A.	
1	April 2nd ...	Hart Brothers Hospital Lane, J. Town.	1 hour and 20 minutes.	150 0	A godown containing hay. Not insured.
2	„ 6th ...	India General Steam Navigation Company Flat "Teesta", 1st Div., Port Police.	5 hours ...	5,000 0	Jute in kutcha bales and drums on board Indian General Steam Navigation Company's Flat "Teesta" damaged by fire and water. Insured.
3	„ 7th ...	Posta bagan, E. Town.	¼ hour ...	100 0	A tiled hut containing a quantity of waste paper. Not insured.
4	May 8th ...	No. 13, Bonfield's Lane, G. Town.	½ hour ...	86 0	Four barrels of coal tar. Insured and licensed under the Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I of 1893.
5	„ 17th ...	Bow Street, J. Town.	6 hours and 20 minutes.	5,000 0	Thirteen tiled huts containing personal effects, clothes, furniture, etc. Not insured.
6	June 23rd ...	No. 7, Upper Chitpur Road, F. Town.	1 hour and 50 minutes.	5,000 0	Three rooms on the ground floor of No. 7 Upper Chitpur Road containing Fire works and Opium. Licensed to sell Fire works.
7	Sept. 17th ...	No. 79, Lower Chitpur Road, H. Town	1 hour and 5 minutes.	50 0	A tiled hut containing some old clothes. Not insured.
8	„ 18th ...	No. 67, Strand Road, E. Town.	2 hours and 35 minutes.	3,000 0	A stock of timber and a corrugated iron hut with bamboo walls containing one ... mirah, one takta-posh and Rs. 1,000 currency notes, and personal effects. Not insured. Licensed under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade. Act I 1893.
9	„ 28th ...	Ram Mohan Ghose's Lane, H. Town.	4½ hours	150 0	Some bags of leather clippings. The godown in which stored was also slightly damaged by fire and water. Not insured.
10	„ 29th ...	No. 11, shed P. C. Docks, Kidderpore, 3rd Div., Port Police.	5 minutes.	200 0	Six bales of jute were slightly burnt. Not insured.
11	„ 30th ...	No. 67, Strand Road, India General Steam Navigation Company godown, E. Town.	3¼ hours	30,000 0	3,000 maunds of jute, 300 to 600 maunds of seeds damaged partly by fire and water. Insured and licensed under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I of 1893.
12	Oct. 2nd ...	No. 97, Lower Chitpur Road, G. Town.	1½ hours ...	50 0	Some baskets, mats and ropes which were stored on the ground floor in a pucca godown. Not insured.
13	„ 29th ...	3rd Division Port Police	14 hours	16,000 0	Eight boats laden with straw. Not insured.
14	Nov. 4th ...	Gonbagan Lane C. Town.	1½ hours ...	50 0	About 10 drums of jute partially burnt. Not insured.
15	„ 5th ...	No. 162 Harrison Road, G. Town.	1½ hours	71,700 0	A portion of a pucca building containing cloth and dried fruits; some of the property was insured.
16	„ 21st ...	No. 16 Manick Bose's Ghat Street, B. Town.	4½ hours ...	5,278 0	A tiled hut containing jute in kutcha bales and some tobacco. Not insured.
17	„ 23rd ...	No. 5-1 Govind Chand Dhar's Lane, G. Town.	½ hour ...	200 0	Some bags of pieces. Not insured.
18	„ 25th ...	Upper Chitpur Road, B. Town.	20 minutes ...	100 0	A cart load of jute. Not insured.
19	Dec. 3rd ...	Oodai Charn Dass Lane, M. Town.	40 minutes ...	150 0	Two tiled huts and a third, partly burnt. Not insured.
20	„ 7th ...	Bamatollah Street, B. Town.	2 hours and 50 minutes.	800 0	A pucca godown containing jute in kutcha bales, partly destroyed by fire and water. Not insured
21	„ 21st ...	Gulu Ostagar Lane, C. Town.	3½ hours	300 0	Two tiled huts consisting of 16 rooms. Not insured.
	1908.				
22	Jan. 8th ...	3rd Division Port Police.	1 hour ...	1,200 0	A cargo boat containing 300 bales of jute. Insured.
23	„ 10th ...	12 Bedford Lane, O. Town.	2½ hours	1,000 0	A sooki mill which was made of corrugated iron roof with mats walls and partly tiled hut. Not insured.

ber.	Date.	Locality with Section letter.	Duration of fire.	Approximate value of property destroyed.	Remarks showing nature of damages done, etc.
	2	3	4	5	6
	1908.			Rs. A.	
24	January 11th ...	7 Bonfield's Lane, G. Town.	¼ hour ...	1,000 0	Some chemicals and a portion of a pucca building damaged. Insured.
25	„ 17th ...	3rd Division Port Police, river Hughli, off Howrah Jute Mill.	1 hour and 25 minutes.	5,500 0	A cargo boat containing 125 kutcha bales of jute. Insured.
26	„ 19th ...	86-6 Wellesly Street N. Town.	1¾ hours	350 0	A Godown containing 70 cases of kerosine oil. Not insured.
27	„ 20th ...	Baghbazar Straw Ghat, 1st Division Port Police.	2¾ hours	2,100 0	A boat laden with 18 kahans of straw. Not insured.
28	„ 23rd ...	161, Upper Chitpur Road A. Town.	1¾ hours	1,000 0	Three tiled huts containing paint, turpentine, varnish, etc. Not insured.
29	February 14th...	61 Bysack Dighi Lane, F. Town.	½ hour ...	50 0	Some bedding and a portion of a room in a thatched hut. Not insured.
30	„ 22nd ...	R. S. N. Cos. Flat "Chitra" 1st Division Port Police.	21½ hours ...	60,000 0	Drums and bales of jute and cotton in a flat. Insured.
31	March 3rd ...	4, Wellesley Square, N. Town.	1¼ hours	400 0	A tiled hut containing 9 rooms and some household effects. Not insured.
32	„ 4th ...	37, Khangraputty Street, G. Town.	4 hours ...	53,050 0	A pucca two storied house containing miscellaneous articles, consisting of scissors, knives, needles, enamelled ware, wood, glass, beads, silk and cloth.
33	„ 5th ...	242-1, Upper Circular Road, C. Town.	5½ hours ..	2,00,000 0	Four corrugated iron godowns and one pucca building containing flour and machinery. Not insured.
34	„ 6th ...	Budge Budge, 3rd Division Port Police.	1 hour ..	1,500 0	A wooden cargo boat. Not insured.
35	„ 14th ..	12 Roop Chand Roy's Street, G. Town.	25 minutes ..	500 0	Wearing apparel and Government Currency Notes. Not insured.
36	„ 28th ...	1st Division Port Police	1 hour ..	300 0	An empty country boat. Not insured.
	1907.		SUBURBS.		
1	April 1st ...	Kasaibustee Lane, E. Suburbs.	4 hours ...	150 0	One tiled hut consisting of 3 rooms and two tiled huts partly destroyed. Not insured.
2	„ 23rd ..	Napit Bagan, E. Suburbs	1½ hours ..	1,000 0	Eight goleputta and tiled huts and some household effects. Not insured.
3	„ 25th ...	Palmers Bridge, F. Suburbs.	1½ hours ...	50 0	Four goleputta huts. Not insured.
5	„ 29th ..	Sowdagar putty, B. suburbs.	1 hour and 20 minutes.	100 0	About 4 cart loads of jute sweepings in a tiled hut. Not insured.
5	Aug. 28th ..	Tallygunge J. Suburbs	½ hour	100 0	Wooden roof and doors of a pucca house burnt. Not insured.
8	Oct. 10th ...	2-10, Gas Street E. Suburbs.	3½ hours .	700 0	A portion of a two-storied corrugated iron roofed hut containing some papers, jute sticks and bamboo tubes wrapped with jute and fire works composition. Not insured.
	„ 12th ...	223 Upper Chitpore Road, B. Suburbs.	½ hour ...	450 0	A private four-wheeled carriage. Not insured.
	„ 31st ..	Rajabagan F. Suburbs	¾ hour ..	50 0	A portion of a tiled hut and some straw. Not insured.
	Nov. 2nd ..	70 Narcoldangah North Road, E. Suburbs.	3½ hours ...	100 0	A stack of straw and a portion of a tiled hut. Not insured,
	„ 24th ...	Sutaputty, J. Suburbs.	8 hours ..	200 0	A stack of straw. Not insured.
	„ 24th ...	Choonaputty, F. Suburbs	2 hours ...	1,600 0	A tiled hut containing about 350 maunds of taizputta (spice leaves) and an adjoining tiled hut. Not insured.
	Dec. 4th .	Raja Rajendra Lall Mitter's Road. E. Suburbs.	2 hours ...	200 0	Three goleputta huts burnt. Not insured.
	„ 17th ...	Union Jute Press, Nawabputty Road B. Suburbs.	27 hours and 25 minutes.	2,40,000 0	A large double-storied godown containing 6,000 bales and about 1,500 maunds loose jute. Insured and licensed under the Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I of 1893.
	„ 18th ...	41 Canal West Road. C. Suburbs.	4 days and 20½ hours.	2,00,000 0	Three corrugated-iron godowns and one pucca godown containing jute in drums. Insured and licensed under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I of 1893.
	„ 29th ...	23-1 Joynagore Road, G. Suburbs.	½ hour. ...	300 0	A portion of a tiled hut and some sola hats. Not insured.

Number.	Date.	Locality with Section letter.	Duration of fire.	Approximate value of property destroyed.	Remarks showing nature of damages done, etc.
1					
	1908.			Rs. a.	
16	Jan. 16th ...	14 Belgatchia Road, C. Suburbs.	13 hours	20,000 0	Two corrugated-iron godowns containing jute in drums. Two tiled huts. Insured and licensed under the Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I of 1893.
17	Feb. 13th ...	Belgatchia Road C. Suburbs.	10 hours	22,000 0	A corrugated-iron godown containing jute in drums. Partly insured and licensed under the Jute ware house and Fire Brigade Act I of 1893.
18	„ 22nd ...	Fatehpore N. Suburbs.	40 minutes ...	80 0	A golepatta hut. Not insured.
19	Mar. 5th ...	69 Puddopookar Road I. Suburbs.	2 hours ..	200 0	One corrugated-iron shed. Not insured.
20	„ 7th ...	45 Tollygunge Road, G. Suburbs.	4 hours ...	300 0	4 shops with mat walls. Not insured.
21	„ 8th ...	46 Tollygunge Road, Shahanagore Kolopara J. Suburbs.	½ hour ..	50 0	Two golepatta huts one of them contained a heap of straw. Not insured.
22	„ 12th	Tallah Canal B. Suburbs	1½ hours ..	4,300 0	A cargo boat laden with drums of jute. Insured.
23	„ 15th ..	Cossipore Road A. Suburbs.	1½ hours ...	116 0	A tiled hut containing a small moody's shop and a small straw godown.. Not insured
24	„ 21st	New Canal Road C. Suburbs.	8½ hours ...	20,000 0	A corrugated iron godown containing drums of jute. Partly insured and licensed under the Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I of 1893.
			HOWRAH.		
1	May 10th ...	Raja Ballob Shaw's Lane, Sibpur. S. Section	½ hour ...	50 0	A small golepatta hut containing two rooms, with a cow shed attached containing 4 cows. One cow was burnt to death. Not insured
	„ 23rd ...	Thakoor Shaw Dass, Nanak Ram, Cotton Cleaning Godown, Bhat Bagan, Ghosery, G. Section.	1 hour and 35 minutes.	400 0	A godown containing cotton and machinery insured and licensed under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I of 1893.
3	June 2nd	Madhusudan Biswas Lane, G. Section.	¾ hour ...	200 0	Three golepatta huts. Not insured.
4	Dec. 1st	Gopal Banerjee's Lane, Sibpur Thana, Howrah.	1½ hours	250 0	Two golepatta huts containing some oilman's stores. Not insured.
5	„ 4th ...	Horrogunge Road, Golabaree Thana, Howrah.	5 hours and 10 minutes.	300 0	A two storied pucca building containing a small quantity of cotton, some wooden partitions and sweetmeats. Not insured
6	„ 24th ...	Ghosery Cotton Mills, Golabaree Thana, Howrah.	5 hours ...	1,50,000 0	A corrugated iron godown and a part another containing 1,600 bales of pressed cotton Insured.
7	Febr. 28th ...	Satghora Road, Sibpur Thana, Howrah.	1 hour and 40 minutes.	100 0	A golepatta hut containing images and some straw. Not insured.
8	Mar. 1st ...	Bandha Ghat, Golabaree Thana, Howrah	3 hours ...	250 0	A pucca building slightly burnt. A tiled hut containing a small quantity of loose cotton as also some loose cotton on the open space. Not insured. Licensed under the Licensed Warehouse and F. B. Act I of 1893.
9	„ 6th ...	Ramkristopur, Howrah.	½ hour ...	50 0	Some bags of paddy. Insured.
10	„ 11th ...	4 Old Ghoosery Road, Golabaree Thana, Howrah.	6½ hours ...	25,000 0	Two godowns containing linseed, linseed cake, linseed oil and machinery Insured.

CALCUTTA,
The 30th July 1908.

F. L. HALLIDAY,
Commissioner of Police.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1907-08 UNDER THE LICENSED WAREHOUSE AND FIRE-BRIGADE ACT I OF 1893, AS AMENDED BY ACT I OF 1894.

Dated Howrah, the 16th June 1908.

From—A. W. Cook, Esq., Chairman of the Howrah Municipality,
To—The Magistrate of Howrah.

I HAVE the honour to report that 309 warehouses were licensed in 1907-08 out of 347 registered during that year, against 314 out of 366 registered in 1906-07; the details are as follows:—

	Year.	Jute.	Cotton.	Hay.	Straw.	Wood.	Resin.	Waste paper.	Varnish.	Total
egistered	1906-07 ...	42	39	·1	42	238	1	3	...	366
	1907-08 ...	43	41	1	33	223	1	3	2	347
censed	1906-07 ...	35	30	1	34	211	1	2	...	314
	1907-08 ...	38	28	1	29	209	1	1	2	309

2. The income from license-fees during the year under report amounted to Rs. 6,977, of which Re. 1-8 were collected on account of arrears and Rs. 57 were due to a few extra items of demand on account of the year 1906-07, but realised in 1907-08.

3. The demand, collection, remission and balance for 1907-08 are shewn in Appendix A, and the details of licenses granted in this year to jute and cotton warehouses are entered in Appendix B. Owing to the comparative unimportance of the 243 licenses granted for the storage of straw, wood, hay, resin, waste paper and varnish in 1907-08 against 249 in the previous year, they have not been entered in Appendix B, and it may be noted that such license-fees have only been levied under the Fire-brigade Act since July 1893, prior to which they were levied under section 261 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

4. The decrease in collection is due to the reduction of rates—*vide* Resolution of the Commissioners passed at a meeting held on 27th April 1907 on account of the reduced demand of the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, for Fire-brigade establishment and also on account of the Commissioners undertaking to meet half that demand from General Revenues under section 10 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire-brigade Act.

5. There were 60 prosecutions in the year under review, which realized Rs. 164 against 36 in the previous year, which produced Rs. 126.

6. The expenditure incurred in assessing and collecting license-fees amounted to Rs. 1,025, as detailed below:—

	Rs.
Salary of General Supervisor and Assessor ...	600
Ditto Inspector	180
Commission of Inspector	125
Salary of clerk	60
Ditto peon	51
Contingencies	9
Total ...	1,025

7. The Fire-brigade establishment continued under the control of the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta. The Fire-brigade station in Howrah stands in a very central position north of the Municipal market, and from a wooden stage raised over it the whole town is overlooked. There were eleven fires during the year, the details of which are given in Appendix C. Besides these

there were five other petty fires: the brigade turned out to all of these fires and extinguished them, except one which was extinguished by neighbours before the arrival of the brigade. The eleven large fires above mentioned were all extinguished by the Fire-brigade.

8. The Commissioner of Police demanded Rs. 8,884 for the maintenance of the Fire-brigade in 1907-08, and this amount was remitted to him during the year.

APPENDIX A.

Statement shewing the demand, collection, remission and balance in Howrah on account of contributions for the Fire-brigade during the official year 1907-08.

Description.	Demand.			Collection.			Remission.			Balance.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(a) Rate on warehouses under sections 10 and 24	84 0 0	7,297 3 0 Excess demand 56 14 6	7,438 1 6	1 8 3	6,918 9 3 Excess demand 56 14 6	6,977 0 0	82 7 9	338 10 0	421 1 9		44 6 3	44 6 3
		7,354 1 6			6,975 7 9							
(b) Rate on other godowns under section 25 (1) (a)*	...											
(c) Rate on *bastis* under section 25 (1) (b)* ..	...											
(d) General rate under section 25 (1) (c)* ...	...											
Total ...	84 0 0	7,354 1 6	7,438 1 6	1 8 3	6,975 7 9	6,977 0 0	82 7 9	338 10 0	421 1 9	...	44 6 3	44 6 3

* No assessment was made under these sections.
NOTE.—Besides Rs. 25 realized as mutation fees.
To be set-off Rs. 4-6-3 in the next year.

APPENDIX B.

List of Jute and Cotton Warehouses licensed during the official year 1907-08.

No.	Name of owner or occupier of both.	Locality.	Number of warehouses.	Annual valuation.	Amount of arrear fees realized during the year 1907-08.	Amount of fees realized for the year 1907-08.	Total amount of fees realized.	Date of payment.	Remarks.
	Jute.			Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
1	Shama Charan Coondu	16, Rabindanath Lane	1 Warehouse ...	210		4 3 3	4 3 3	26th November 1907.	
2	Biraj Mohini Dasi	8, Bose's Bagan Lane.	1 Ditto ...	250		5 0 0	5 0 0	25th ,,	
3	The Central Jute Mills Co., Ld. ...	39, Joya Bibi's Lane	2 Warehouses ...	7,500		150 0 0	150 0 0	11th January 1908.	
4	Messrs. P. E. Guzder & Co. ...	38, Ditto ...	11 Ditto ...	9,644		192 14 0	192 14 0	24th September 1907.	
5	Messrs. W. H. Harton & Co. ...	127, Old Ghusery Road.	1 Warehouse ...						
5A	Ditto	127, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	7,125					Vacant.
5B	Ditto	127, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...						
5C	Ditto	127, Ditto ...	Portion of warehouses.						
6	Nasmyth's Patent Press Co., Ld.	106, Ditto ...	15 Warehouses ...	27,316		546 5 0	546 5 0	29th November 1907.	
7	Rai Mohon Lall Burman Bahadur, Proprietor, Empress of India Jute Press.	58, Ditto ...	12 Ditto ...	9,900		198 0 0	198 0 0	21st ,, ,,	
8	Jagernath & Co., Proprietors, Imperial Press.	61, Ditto ...	4 Ditto ...	15,000		300 0 0	300 0 0	24th January 1908	
9	Messrs. Landale, Clark & Co. ...	Old Ghusery Chur ...	Open land ...	3,250		65 0 0	65 0 0	29th November 1907.	
10	Shama Charan Coondu	29, Hurrogan Road	3 Warehouses ...	930		19 9 6	19 9 6	4th December ,,	
11	Foolchand Serogi	15, Old Ghusery Road	1 Warehouse ...	295		5 14 9	5 14 9	3rd ,, ,,	
12	Gonesh Das Joyram	163, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	900		18 0 0	18 0 0	30th November ,,	
13	Foolchand Serogi	16, Ditto ...	1 Ditto	587		11 11 9	11 11 9	12th March 1908.	
14	Raja Sewbux Bogla	21, Ditto ...	1 Ditto	900					Stored baled cotton.
15	Ditto Multan Chand Doga (occupier).	22, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ..	450		9 0 0	9 0 0	23rd March 1908.	
16	Kirtibash Samonto (owner), Nilmony Hazra (occupier).	25, Shumbhoo Haldar's Lane.	1 Ditto ...	240					Vacant.
17	Hurrodyal and Bissendoyal ...	36, Old Ghusery Road	3 Warehouses ...	1,000					
18	Hurby Mosmuth (owner), Hurmock Rai Amulock Chand (occupier).	37, Ditto ...	1 Warehouse	800		12 0 0	12 0 0	22nd November 1907	Cotton in jute
19	The Sulkea Jute Pressing House (owner), K. G. Ray Chaudhury (occupier).	Ditto ...	4 Warehouses ...	19,634		396 10 9	396 10 9	17th December ,,	
20	Surjamul Loohiah	25, Ditto ...	1 Warehouse ...	250		5 0 0	5 0 0	22nd November ,,	
21	Nundo Dulal Hazrah	40-1, Babudanga Road.	Ditto	90		1 12 9	1 12 9	11th ,, ,,	
22	Shome Lall Shewnarain ..	163, Old Ghusery Road	1 Ditto	400		8 0 0	8 0 0	16th December ,,	
23	Messrs. Landale Clark & Co.	Old Ghusery Road (Chur).	Open land	3,250		65 0 0	65 0 0	6th February 1908.	
24	Messrs. Anderson, Wright & Co.	32, Howrah Road	12 Warehouses	13,960		279 3 3	279 3 3	27th November 1907.	
25	Hurdut Rai Chamaria	67, Ditto	1 Warehouse	750		15 0 0	15 0 0	4th January 1908.	

ME OF OWNER OR OCCUPIER OR BOTH.	Locality.	Number of warehouses.	Annual valuation.	Amount of arrear fees realized during the year 1907-08.	Amount of fees realized for the year 1907-08.	Total amount of fees.	Date of payment.	REMARKS
JUTE—*concluded.*			Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
rs. Burjarji and Framji ...	5, Khetter Mitter's Lane.	2 Warehouses ...	634	.....	.....	.....	.....	Vacant.
Ditto	6, Ditto ...	2 Ditto ...	676	.....	.....	.....	.....	Do.
Ditto	7, Ditto ...	2 Ditto ...	574	.....	.....	.....	.....	Do.
dut Rai Chamuria	90, Howrah Road ...	1 Warehouse ...	800	.....	16 0 0	16 0 0	.....	Do.
Ditto (owner) kis & Co. (occupier).	8, Morapora Ghât	1 Ditto ...	750	.....	15 0 0	15 0 0	3rd December 1907.	
Ditto	7, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	820	.....	16 6 3	16 6 3	3rd " "	
Galastaun (owner), J. G. phanopoulo (occupier).	25, Banda Ghât Road	3 Warehouses ...	3,744	.....	74 14 0	74 14 0	24th February 1908.	
Galastaun (owner), R. L. Chowdhry (occupier).								
Guzdar & Co., ...	64, Rosemary Lane & Bastin's Lane.	7 Ditto ...	6,441	....	128 13 0	128 13 0	24th September 1907.	
General Traffic Manager, t Indian Railway.	28, Grierson Road ...	Portion of warehouse.	5,500	.....	110 0 0	110 0 0	4th January 1908.	
Lal Dutt, Indra Narain and Lakshmi Narain Pal, cutors of the estate of late Chintamoni Dey Bahadur.	3, Kuchil Sarkar's Lane.	1 Warehouse ...	450	....	9 0 0	9 0 0	19th December 1907.	
oni Mondol	26, Kantapuker 4th Bye-lane.	1 Ditto ...	100	.....	2 0 0	2 0 0	6th January 1908.	
Howrah Jute Mills Co., Ld.	474, Grand Trunk Road.	1 Ditto ...	22,238	.....	444 12 0	444 12 0	20th December 1907.	
Ganges Jute Manufacturing Ld.	473, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	22,000	....	440 0 0	440 0 0	16th " "	
Shibpur Jute Manufacturing Ld.	46, R. N. Ray Chowdhury Ghat Road.	1 Ditto ...	5,800	.....	116 0 0	116 0 0	18th " "	
Ganges Manufacturing Co.,	26, Foreshore Road ...	Open land ...	2,106	.....	42 2 0	42 2 0	16th " "	
ee Rope Co., Ld., Agents srs. Macneill & Co.	27, Ditto ...	Rope works ...	2,400	.....	48 0 0	48 0 0	16th " "	
Chandra Mullick	77, College Road ...	1 Warehouse ...	475	....	9 8 0	9 8 0	14th February 1908.	
s. Ahmuty & Co.	41, Shalimar Road...	1 Ditto ...	2,000	....	40 0 0	40 0 0	27th January "	
District Engineer, Calcutta rict, Bengal-Nagpur Railway	62, Ditto ..	3 Warehouses...	3,900	.....	78 0 0	78 0 0	6th March "	
COTTON.								
ordas Nanockram ...	1, Gosai Ghât Lane	3 Warehouses ...	800	....	12 0 0	12 0 0	23rd November 1907.	
Ramdoyal Cotton Mills ...	130, Naskerpara Lane	4 Ditto ...	4,560	.....	68 6 6	68 6 6	6th January 1908	
Ghusery Cotton Mills Co., Ld.	107, Old Ghusery Road	1 Warehouse ...	4,000	....	60 0 0	60 0 0	.....	
n Lal Burman	5, Goorgola Ghât ...	1 Ditto ...	450	...	.....	.....	... ..	
a Charun Coondu	6, do. Lane ...	3 Warehouses ...	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	Vacant.
doyal Hurrodoyal (owner),	164, Old Ghusery Road	1 Warehouse ...	1,200	...	.....	.....	... ..	Do.
esh Das Ramgopal (occu-),								Stored baled cotton.
ng Lal and Monga Lal ...	4, Gurgola Lane ...	1 Ditto ...	240	...	3 9 6	3 9 6	4th February 1908.	
kram	168, Old Ghusery Road	2 Warehouses ...	108	....	.....	.....	.....	
y Marwari (owner), Buzrang nd Monga Lal (occupier).	4, Gursola Lane ...	1 Warehouse ...	240	...	3 9 6	3 9 6	4th February 1908.	Vacant.
Brahmoditya (owner), neswari Das Seroji (occu-	141, Old Ghusery Road	2 Warehouses ...	2,000	.....	30 0 0	30 0 0	29th November 1907.	
Sewbux Rogia (owner), rs. Moll Schute & Co. piers).	132, Ditto ...	1 Warehouse ...	2,000	....	.....	.....	.....	Stored hemp and the license fee paid under the Municipal Act.
ok Rai and Foolchand ...	142, Ditto ...	3 Warehouses ...	5,000	.....	75 0 0	75 0 0	27th November 1907.	
and Padamraj Serogi ...	19, Ditto ...	1 Warehouse ...	1,520	.	39 6 6	39 6 6	3rd December "	Jute stored in cotton godown.
Sing Chowdhry (owner), nuck Rai Amulock Chand pier).	32, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	240	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	Stored baled cotton.
war Chandra (owner), ckram Marwari (occupier).	156 and 157, Old Ghusery Road.	3 Warehouses ...	1,350		20 4 0	20 4 0	23rd November 1907.	
n Das Jeyram	162, Old Ghusery Road	1 Warehouse ..	800		12 0 0	12 0 0	20th " "	
and Seroji	18, Ditto ...	Portion of warehouse.	775	.....	.....	.....	... ..	
Ditto	15, Ditto ...	1 Warehouse ..	569	....	11 6 0	11 6 0	3rd December "	
ram Seroji	31, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	2,722	..	40 13 3	40 13 3	22nd November "	Jute stored in cotton godown.
ck Rai Amulock Chand ...	31, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...						
Charan Kundu ...	2, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	168	.....	2 8 6	2 8 6	4th December "	
Lal Burman (owner), uram Murlidhar (occu-	3, Bandaghat Road	1 Ditto ...	70		1 2 0	1 2 0	28th February 1908.	
Charan Kundu	3, Old Ghusery Road	2 Warehouses ...	589	..	8 13 6	8 13 6	4th December 1907.	
uram Toolaram	173, Ditto	1 Warehouse ...	360		5 6 6	5 6 6	18th " "	
Marwary	174, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ..	144		2 2 6	2 2 6	9th " "	
doyal	12, Hurogunge Road	1 Ditto ...	200		3 0 0	3 0 0	21st November "	
Pal (owner), Bahadurmal pier).	172, Old Ghusery Road	1 Ditto ...	120	.....	1 12 9	1 12 9	8th March 1908.	
Rai Kedarnath	44, Dhurmotola Lane	1 Ditto ...	810	.....	12 2 3	12 2 3	5th December 1907.	
Chowdhury	178, Grand Trunk Road	1 Ditto ...	52		10 12 6	10 12 6	1st February 1908.	
Moll Schute & Co.... ...	46, Dhurmotola Lane	4 Warehouses	691	.....	10 5 9	10 5 9	21st December 1907.	
ck Rai and Fo band ..	79, Howrah Road ...	2 Ditto ...	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	
s Sadkhan (owner), Rai n Lal Burman Bahadur pier).	75, Ditto ...	3 Ditto ...	250	.....	.....	.....	.....	Vacant. Do.
handra Goenka and others	69, Ditto ...	8 Ditto ...	4,800	.. .	86 0 0	86 0 0	2nd December 1907	
oyal Surekha (owner), n Lal Burman (occupier).	74, Ditto ..	1 Warehouse ...	300	....	4 8 0	4 8 0	15th February 1908.	Jute stored in cotton godown
yal Surekha (owner), Marwari (occupier).	76, Ditto ..	1 Ditto ...	384	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stored baled cotton.
ra Naram Shaw (owner), lurman Hurdut Rai pier).	4, Hurogunge Road	1 Ditto ...	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	Vacant.
Dalal (owner), Guzarmul ari (occupier).	111, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	400	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	19th December 1907.	
doyal Bissendoyal (owner), mul Marwari (occupier).	117, Ditto ..	1 Ditto ...	225	.....	3 6 0	3 6 0	21st November "	
chand Marwari	120, Ditto ...	1 Ditto ...	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Lal Burman	80, Howrah Road .	1 Ditto ...	560	.....	.....	.....	.....	Closed.
doyal and Bisseswar Lall...	118, Hurogunge Road	1 Ditto ..	200	....	3 0 0	3 0 0	21st November 1907.	Stored baled cotton.
			...	.....	.....	...		

APPENDIX C.

Statement showing fires which occurred in Howrah during the official year ending 31st March 1908.

No.	Date.	Locality.	Duration of fire.	Approximate value of property destroyed.	Remarks showing nature of damage, &c.
	1907.		H. M.	Rs.	
1	10th May ...	Raj Ballav Shaw's Lane (Shibpur Thana).	0 30	50	A golepata hut and a cow was also burnt to death.
2	23rd „ ...	Bhotobagan Ghusery (Golabari Thana).	1 35	400	A godown containing cotton and machinery.
3	2nd June ...	Modhusudhan Biswas Lane (Golabari Thana).	0 49	200	Three golepatta huts.
4	29th Oct. ...	River Hooghly 3rd Division Port Office).	14 0	15,000	Three boats laden with straw.
5	1st Dec. ...	Gopal Banerjee Lane (Shibpur Thana).	1 30	250	Two golepata huts containing oilman stores.
6	4th „ ...	Hurogunj Road (Golabari Thana).	5 10	350	A two-storied pucca building containing a small quantity of cotton and some wooden partition (damaged by fire and water).
7	24th „ ...	Ghusery Cotton Mill (Golabari Thana).	5 0	1,50,000	A corrugated iron godown and a portion of another, containing bales of pressed cotton.
	1908.				
8	29th Feb. ..	Satghora Road (Shibpur Thana).	1 40	100	A golepata hut containing straw.
9	1st March ...	Bandaghat (Golabari Thana)	3 0	250	A pucca building slightly damaged and a tiled hut containing a small quantity of loose cotton.
10	6th „ ...	Ramkristopore (Howrah Thana).	0 45	30	Some bags of paddy.
11	11th „ ...	Old Ghusery Road (Golabari Thana).	5 30	25,000	Two godowns containing linseed linseed oil and machinery.
				1,92,000	

In addition to the above fires, five other petty fires occurred. The Brigade turned out to all these fires and extinguished them, except one which was extinguished by neighbours before the arrival of the Brigade. The eleven large fires above mentioned were all extinguished by the Fire-brigade.

CALCUTTA,
The 8th June 1908.

GRAHAM HAULTAIN,
Superintendent, Fire-Brigade.

No. 54J., dated Calcutta, the 30th June 1908.

From—The Hon'ble Sir Charles Allen, Kt., I.C.S., Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department.

I have the honour to submit the following report under section 41 of Act I (B.C.) of 1893 for the year 1907-08.

2. The amount to be realised by fees during the year was Rs. 28,266 as against Rs. 34,368 in the year 1906-07. The rate for calculating the fees under section 10 was in consequence reduced from $8\frac{1}{2}$ to $6\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the annual valuation of warehouses.

3. The work of assessment under the Act was done, as heretofore, by the general assessing staff of the License Department.

4. During the year 132 licenses were granted and 18 refused. In 1906-07 the figures were 132 granted and 15 refused. The following statement gives the result of applications for license :—

Applications pending since last year.	Applications received during the year.	Total.	Nature of application.	Number sanctioned.	Number refused.	Number pending.
1	24	25	Jute ...	14	10	1
...	129	129	Wood, etc.	118	8	3
1	153	154	...	132	18	4

5. During the year under report one license was issued for 1904-05, two for 1905-06, 35 for 1906-07 and 765 for 1907-08. The following is a statement of the aggregate amount of receipts :—

			Rs.	A.	P.
License fee for 1904-05	...	...	116	0	0
Ditto for 1905-06	...	...	98	8	0
Ditto for 1906-07	...	...	2,232	8	0
Ditto for 1907-08	...	...	30,469	8	0
Mutation fee	...	...	15	0	0
Fines, etc.	...	...	1,373	0	0
	Total	...	34,304	8	0

6. Of 744 licenses for warehouses issued in 1906-07, 656 were renewed, 46 were cancelled as the premises were reported vacant or not assessable under the Act, while the fees in respect of 42 remained unrealised at the close of the year.

7. The following statement shows the receipts and disbursements of the licensed Warehouse Fund during the year 1907-08 :—

Abstract account of the Licensed Warehouse Fund for the year 1907-08.

Receipts.	Amount.	Total.	Expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
To balance on the 1st April 1907.	.....	6,919 6 9			
Fees and licenses	32,916 8 0		By Assessing and Collecting Establishment.	3,000 0 0	
Fin	1,373 0 0				
Miscellaneous	15 0 0		Contribution to the Fire-brigade.	56,532 0 0	59,532 0 0
Contribution from Corporation Revenue.	28,366 0 0				12,957 14 9
Ditto from Government.	3,000 0 0		March 1908.		
		65,570 8 0			
		72,489 14 9			72,489 14 9

8. The list of jute and other than jute warehouses licensed during the year 1907-08 is hereto appended.

List of Warehouses other than Jute Licensed in 1907-08.

Serial No.	Locality of warehouse.	Premises No.	Name of licensee.	Description of warehouse.	Amount of tax. Rs.	A.	P.
			WARD No. 1.				
1	Upper Chitpore Road	161/H/18	Shaik Sobiruddy	Firewood ...	6	0	0
2	Ditto ...	176	Nilmoney Dass	Wood ...	1	8	0
3	Ditto ...	176/H/9	Manmathanath Mukherjee ...	Do ...	1	8	0
4	Ditto ...	199/1	Kherodamoye Dassi	Hay & straw	12	8	0
5	Ditto ...	199/1	Narain Chandra Khan	Ditto ...	10	8	0
6	Ditto ...	199/1	Harinarain Mullick & Radhagobindo Mullick.	Ditto ...	30	0	0
7	Ditto ...	199/1/1	Thacoram Dass	Ditto ...	28	0	0
8	Ditto ...	199/6	Hari Dass Chuckerbortty & Bistoopado Hazrah.	Ditto ...	30	0	0
9	Ditto ...	199/6	Gopikristo Roy	Ditto ...	22	8	0
10	Ditto ...	199/6/H/3	Khroda Charan Samanto ...	Ditto ...	17	0	0
11	Ditto ...	199/6/H	Bama Charan Dass & Soshi Bhushan Samanto.	Ditto ...	22	8	0
12	Upper Circular Road	228/2/H/24	Tarucknath Nandy	Teakwood	4	0	0
13	Cornwallis Street ...	81	Konye Laul	Wood ...	4	8	0
14	Ditto ...	82/2	Haridass Mandal	Timber ...	3	0	0
15	Ditto ...	82	Oriental Trading Co, Ld. ...	Do. ...	20	0	0
16	Ditto ...	82	Banwarilal	Wood ...	9	0	0
17	Ditto ...	129	Ramanath Nandy	Do. (teak)	14	0	0
18	Ditto ...	96	Chandi Charan Pal	Do. ..	6	0	0
19	Ditto ...	129/1/58	Jatindra Nath Nandi	Teakwood	12	0	0
20	Ditto ...	137/H/5	Rambromho Dey	Timber ...	11	8	0
21	Ditto ...	138	Gangaram Biswas	Wood ...	2	8	0
22	Ditto ...	138	Tulshi Charan Mullick ...	Timber ...	6	8	0
23	Ditto ...	138	Khetter Mohan Sen	Wood ...	7	8	0
24	Ditto ...	138	Haridas Das	Do. ...	2	0	0
25	Ditto ...	138	Baneymadhab Panday	Do. ...	3	8	0
26	Ditto ...	138/h/2	Haridas Mandal	Timber ...	11	0	0
27	Canal West Road ...	37/H/3	Mohendra Nath Mukherjee ...	Firewood ...	3	0	0
28	Ditto ...	39	Ram Chandra Biswas	Wood ...	7	8	0
29	Ditto ...	41	B. B. Sen & Radha Gobinda Bose ...	Do. ...	19	8	0
30	Ditto ...	42	Taresh Chandra Ghose	Teakwood	10	0	0
31	Ditto ...	43	Amrito Lal Roy	Wood ...	10	0	0
32	Ditto ...	43	Ramdoyal Shoree & Rasick Lal Ghose	Salwood ...	10	0	0
33	Ditto ...	43	Bholanath Borah	Wood ...	20	8	0
34	Ditto ...	43	Rasick Lal Bose	Timber ...	8	0	0
35	Ditto ...	43	Amrita Lal Roy & Nil Kamal Chatterji	Teakwood	19	8	0
36	Ditto ...	43	Gunpat Roy	Salwood ...	11	8	0
37	Ditto ...	43/2/1	Dwarka Nath Muhury	Firewood ...	18	8	0
38	Ditto ...	43/3	Panchcouri Biswas	Ditto ...	14	0	0
39	Gailiffe Street ...	18	Bhoreo Mistry	Wood & golepata.	5	0	0
40	Ditto ...	18	Shama Charan Aditya	Wood ...	4	8	0
41	Ditto ...	1/8/2	Jogendra Nath Neogee ...	Do. ...	4	8	0
42	Ditto ...	19	Ashutosh Neogee	Timber ...	7	8	0
43	Ditto ...	19	Madan Mohan Ghose	Wood ...	9	0	0
44	Ditto ...	20	Chandra Kanto Chatterji ...	Do. ...	9	0	0
45	Ditto ...	22/H/1	Bijoy Chandra Bose	Do. ...	9	0	0
46	Ditto ...	22/H/3	Monindra Nath Pal	Do. ...	7	8	0
47	Ditto ...	23	Kanto Bewah	Firewood ...	7	0	0
48	Raja Rajballabh St.	53/2	Lalit Mohan Ganguli	Teakwood	4	8	0
49	Ultadinghee Road ...	9	Kherode Chandra Sadkhan ...	Firewood ...	3	8	0
			WARD No. 2.				
50	Ahiritollah Street ...	161	Rash Behary Mitter	Wood, &c.	6	8	0
51	Bonomali Sirkar St.	1/H/15	Sheikh Umriruddy	Firewood ...	6	8	0
52	Upper Chitpore Road	220 & 224	Gonesh Chandra Bhaduck ...	Straw & hay	14	8	0
53	Ditto ...	243	Beni Madhab Mukherji ...	Teakwood	8	0	0
54	Ditto ...	243/H/20	Mati Lal Roy	Wood ...	8	8	0

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			WARD No. 2—*concld.*		
55	Upper Chitpore Road	243/H/14	Manmatha Nath Mukherji ...	Wood ...	9 0 0
56	Ditto ...	262	Sheikh Jomiruddy	Firewood ...	7 8 0
57	Ditto ...	331/332	Poirag Das	Wood ...	19 8 0
58	Ditto ...	335	Sheikh Karimbux	Firewood ..	6 8 0
59	Kasi Mitter Ghat St.	33	Dwarka Nath Sircar & Adhur Chandra Chakraburtty.	Ditto ...	9 0 0
60	Nimtolla Ghat Street	71/1	Shekh Ashiruddy	Ditto ...	7 8 0
61	Sovabazar Street ...	33	Fool Chand	Ditto ...	19 8 0
62	Ditto ...	58	Shaik Dilloo	Ditto ...	10 8 0
63	Strand Road ...	67/10	Narasingdas Sagoremall	Teakwood ...	29 0 0
64	Ditto ...	67/10	Ram Prosad Chiman Lal ...	Ditto ...	69 0 0
65	Ditto ...	67	Rajaram Singh	Wood ...	31 0 0
			WARD No. 3.		
66	Beadon Street	81	Shaik Sonatullah	Firewood ...	3 8 0
67	Brindabone Bose Lane.	3/H/2	Roma Nath Nandy	Timber ...	14 8 0
68	Canal West Road ...	20	Lalit Mohan Ghosh	Firewood ...	4 8 0
69	Upper Chitpore Road	139	Shaik Asiruddy	Ditto ...	9 0 0
70	Ditto ...	140 H/1	„ Basiruddy	Ditto .	7 8 0
	Ditto ...	149	„ Abbas	Ditto ...	7 0 0
72	Cornwallis Street ...	76/1	Rambrambo Dey	Timber .	11 8 0
73	Ditto ...	79/3/1	Manmotho Nath Chakraburtty ...	Wood ...	15 8 0
	Ditto ...	148	Jogendra Nath Khan	Timber ...	13 8 0
75	Durga Ch. Mitter Street.	105/1	Haroo Mollah	Firewood ...	5 0 0
	Miniktollah Road ...	114/H/1	Surendra Nath Nayak	Ditto ...	10 0 0
	Ditto ...	146	Shaik Foolan	Ditto ...	3 0 0
	Ultadinghee Road ...	86 H/2	Muchiram Ghose	Ditto ...	6 0 0
			WARD No. 4.		
	Canal West Road ...	19/H/3	Purna Chandra Das	Firewood ...	9 0 0
	Ditto ...	15/H/3	Poresh Nath Bose	Ditto ...	10 0 0
	Ditto ...	18/H/3	Ansuddy Mullick	Ditto ...	4 8 0
	Ditto ...	18/H/4	Surendra Nath Nayek	Ditto ...	9 0 0
	Ditto ...	18/H/2	Rai Charan Dey	Ditto ...	8 8 0
	Ditto ...	18	Purna Chandra Raha	Ditto ...	7 8 0
	Ditto ...	18	Moti Lal Mitter	Ditto ..	7 8 0
	Ditto .	17/H/48	Bhagowan Maity	Ditto ...	5 0 0
	Ditto ...	18/H/1	Raghubar Roy	Ditto ...	5 0 0
	Ditto ...	18/H/1	Anurup Chandra Sen	Ditto .	9 0 0
	Ditto ...	17/H/36	Sirajuddy Mirdya	Ditto ...	4 8 0
	Ditto ...	17/H/35	Kali Kamal Bhattacharjee ...	Ditto ...	9 0 0
	Ditto ...	19/2	Manmatha Nath Shee	Ditto ...	7 0 0
	Ditto ...	19/H/30	Shaik Jungly	Ditto ...	7 8 0
	Ditto ...	16	Nibaran Chandra Dey	Ditto ...	7 0 0
	Ditto ...	19/H/9	Shaik Bakarally	Ditto ...	8 8 0
	Ditto ...	17/17	Dabendra Nath Ker	Ditto ...	8 8 0
	Ditto ...	17/H/6	Shaik Nando	Ditto ...	9 0 0
	Ditto ...	19/H	Sitanath Raha	Ditto ...	9 0 0
	Ditto ...	19/H/41	Ditto	Ditto ...	7 8 0
	Ditto ...	19/1	Kunjo Behary Sen and Koylash Chandra Dutt.	Ditto ...	7 8 0
	Ditto ...	19/H/8	Ramdoyal Shome	Ditto ...	8 8 0
	Ditto ...	19/H/9	Dabendra Nath Das	Ditto ..	8 8 0
	Ditto ...	19	Rai Charan Ghose and Uma Charan Ghose	Ditto ...	10 0 0
	Ditto ...	19/H/2	Rai Charan Dey	Ditto ...	7 8 0
	Ditto ...	19/H/3	Bhupendra Nath Raha	Ditto ...	9 0 0
	Ditto ...	19/h	Abinash Chandra Sen	Ditto ...	8 8 0
	Ditto ...	19/4	Armani Bibee	Ditto ...	4 8 0
	Ditto ...	18/H/4	Shibcodas Bhattacharjee ...	Ditto ...	8 0 0

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			WARD No. 4—*concld.*		Rs. A. P.
108	Canal West Road ...	17/H/1	Ofazuddy Mullick and Abdul Sukoor Kajid.	Firewood ...	8 8 0
109	Ditto ...	18/H/5	Nissarun Bibee	Ditto ...	1 8 0
110	Ditto ...	19/H/11	Shaik Nando Goledar	Ditto ...	7 8 0
111	Ditto ...	17	Kinkar Chandra Pal	Wood ...	5 0 0
112	Upper Circular Road	121	Nripendra Nath Bhattacharjee ...	Straw and hay.	7 0 0
113	Ditto ...	92/2	Gonopaty Nandy	Wood ...	19 8 0
114	Ditto ...	258/15/1	Durgadut Ramlal	Do. ...	4 8 0
115	Ditto ...	258 15/2 & 258/16.	Kinkar Ch. Pal	Timber ...	11 8 0
116	Ditto ...	258/17	Romanath Nandy	Wood ...	11 8 0
117	Gas Street ...	3	Nando Goledar	Firewood ...	7 0 0
118	Ditto ...	3/H/3	Mofizuddy Mullick	Ditto ...	6 8 0
119	Ditto ...	3/H/3	Chattu	Ditto ...	3 0 0
120	Ditto ...	5	Mohammed Hossain	Ditto ...	7 0 0
121	Ditto ...	5/3/H/1	Shaik Khodabux	Ditto ...	7 0 0
122	Ditto ...	6/H/2	Somiruddy Sircar	Ditto ...	14 0 0
123	Gurpar Road ...	Nil	Sarat Ch. Bose and Basanto K. Mitter.	Ditto ...	5 8 0
124	Manicktolla Street ..	88/1	Amrito Lal Ghose	Wood ...	6 0 0
125	Manicktolla Road ...	13/H/20	Durga Charan Dey	Firewood ...	7 8 0
			WARD No. 5.		
126	Burtolla Street ...	31/1	Shamsuddy Mullick	Firewood ...	4 8 0
127	Durpanarayan Tagore Street.	17	Ramkissen	Ditto ...	5 0 0
128	Durmahatta Street ...	22	Karim Mullick	Ditto ..	6 0 0
129	Ditto ...	34	Sk. Khorsedally	Ditto ...	9 0 0
130	Ditto ...	37	Kristodhone Sircar	Wood ...	32 8 0
131	Ditto ...	63 & 63/H/1	Horendra Nath Biswas	Do. ...	78 8 0
132	Ditto ...	64/H/1/2	Kala Chand Shaw and Ramprosad Biswas.	Do. ...	31 8 0
133	Ditto ...	64/H/3	Profulla K. Sircar	Do. ...	45 0 0
134	Ditto ...	64/H/4	Bunbehary Jugut Ch. Shaw ...	Do. ...	39 8 0
135	Ditto ...	64/H/1/1	Purna Chandra Bama Charan Kumar	Do.	55 0 0
136	Ditto ...	65	Prolhad Chandra Bhowmick ...	Do. ...	31 0 0
137	Ditto ...	65/H/1	Ramlal Ghose & Co.	Do. ...	29 0 0
138	Ditto ...	65/H/1/65/H/2/3	Lal Behary Sircale	Do. ...	26 0 0
139	Ditto ...	65 & 65/1/2/H	Hiralal Sircar	Do ...	27 0 0
140	Ditto ...	65/H/4	Koylash Chandra Biswas ...	Do. ...	7 0 0
141	Ditto ...	65/1	Rai Charan Biswas & Co. ...	Do. ...	9 0 0
142	Ditto ...	65/1/o	Peary Mohan Soshi Mohan Shaw ...	Do. ...	7 8 0
143	Ditto ...	65/1	Bissessur Das, Bhuban Mohan Ghose	Do. ...	8 8 0
144	Ditto ...	65/1/F	G. C. Bose, Airram Sett ...	Do. ...	5 0 0
145	Ditto ...	65/1/h/62	Ram Chandra Ker	Do. ...	34 0 0
146	Ditto ...	65/1	Baroda Kanto Rai Chowdhury ...	Do. ...	28 0 0
147	Ditto ...	65/1	Rai Charan Biswas & Co. ...	Do. ...	45 0 0
148	Ditto ...	65/1/H/7/65/1/H/8, 65/1/H/18.	Ram Chandra Chatterji and Juggessur Serkel.	Do. ...	46 0 0
149	Ditto ...	65/1/2/h	Nerode Mohan Roy	Do. ...	23 0 0
150	Ditto ...	65/1/H/1/65/1/H 15 65/1/H/16.	Gopal Chandra Sikdar	Do. ...	35 0 0
151	Ditto ...	65/1	Bissessur Das and Bhuban Mohan Ghose.	Do. ...	21 0 0
152	Ditto ...	65/1/H/17	Purna Chandra Biswas	Do. ...	11 0 0
153	Ditto ...	65/1/H/19	Surendra Nath Sircar & Co ...	Do. ...	13 0 0
154	Ditto ...	65/1/H/20	Ramdas Dey	Do. ...	26 8 0
155	Ditto ...	65/1/H/21	Koylash Chandra Biswas ...	Do. ...	21 8 0
156	Ditto ...	65/1/H/22	Peary Mohan, Soshi Mohan Shaw ...	Do. ...	14 8 0
157	Ditto ...	65/1/H/23	Dinobandhu Shaw Brothers, carrying on business as Kala Chand Shaw.	Do. ...	21 0 0

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		WARD No. 5—*concld.*		Rs. A. P.
Durmahatta Street ...	65/1	Woodhab Chandra Biswas ...	Wood ...	13 0 0
Ditto ...	65/1	Ramlal Bose and Rajani Kanto Dutt	Do. ...	4 8 0
Ditto ...	65/1/H/27	Dissessur Das and Bhuban Mohan Ghose.	Do. ...	9 0 0
Ditto ...	65/1/H/1	Peary Mohan Soshi Mohan Shaw ...	Do. ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	65/1/H/27/4	Ditto ditto ...	Do. ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	65/1/H/28	Ramlal Ghose	Do. ...	23 0 0
Ditto ...	65/1/H/29	Gopal Chandra Sikdar and Akhoy Kumar Serkel.	Do. ...	5 0 0
Ditto ...	H/1	Ram Chandra Chatterji and Juggessur Serkel.	Do. ...	5 0 0
Ditto ...	65/1/H/30	G. C. Bose, Airram Sett ...	Do. ...	14 0 0
Ditto ...	65/1	Satish Chandra Biswas & Co. ...	Do. ...	10 0 0
Ditto ...	65/1/H/32	Bhuban Mohan Mitter	Do. ...	14 0 0
Ditto ...	65/1/H/35	Thakurdas, Bhutnath Bera ...	Do. ...	9 0 0
Ditto ...	65/1/H/36	Koylash Chandra Dutt ...	Do. ...	25 0 0
Ditto ...	67/H/1	Dinobandhu Shaw Brothers, carrying on business as Kala Chand Shaw.	Do. ...	30 8 0
Ditto ...	68/H/1	Peary Mohan, Soshi Mohan Shaw ...	Do. ...	21 8 0
Ditto ...	68/H/2	Herambo Nath Banerji	Do. ...	21 0 0
Ditto ...	69	Girish Chandra Bose	Do. ...	52 0 0
Ditto ...	182/H/2, 183/H/1	G. C. Bose and Juggessur Bose ...	Do. ...	27 0 0
Ditto ...	184/H/1, 187/H/3/2.	Girish Chandra Bose	Do. ...	33 0 0
Ditto ...	185/h/1, 186/h/2	Purna Chandra Biswas	Do. ...	30 0 0
Ditto ...	184 & 186/H/1	G. C. Bose, Rhedoy Nath Biswas ...	Do. ...	26 8 0
Ditto ...	107/H/1/2	Ganendra Naravan Dey ...	Do. ...	21 0 0
Ditto ...	187/H/2	Kedar Nath, Bejoy Lal Sircar Brothers	Do. ...	21 0 0
Ditto ...	187/H/4, 187/H/5	Bhuban Mohan Mitter	Do. ..	46 8 0
Ditto ...	187/H/6	Janoki Nath Sircar	Do. ...	18 0 0
Ditto ...	187/H/7	G. C. Bose, Airram Sett	Do. ...	11 0 0
Ditto ...	187/H/8	Ditto	Do. ...	12 8 0
Ditto ...	187/H/9	Bhuban Mohan Mitter	Do. ...	25 0 0
Ditto ...	187/H/10, 187/H/11.	Sreeram Chandra Ghose and Baroda Kanto Chowdhury.	Do. ..	32 8 0
Ditto ...	187/H/12	Ramdas Gangully	Do. ...	40 0 0
Ditto ...	187/H/12/1	Surendra Nath Sircar & Co. ...	Do. ...	16 8 0
Ditto ...	187/H/13	Upendra Nath Kumar	Do. ...	27 8 0
Ditto ...	187/H/14	Dharanidhar Sircar & Co. ...	Do. ...	31 8 0
Ditto ...	187/H/15	Benwari Lal Bose	Do. ...	28 8 0
Ditto ...	187/H/16 and 187/h/17.	Dinobandhu Shaw Bros. carrying on business as Kala Chand Shaw.	Do. ...	79 0 0
Ditto ...	187	Nabakumar Ghose	Do. ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	187	Krishna Chandra Sircar ...	Do. ...	9 0 0
Ditto ...	192	Kristodhone Sircar	Do. ...	4 8 0
Nimtala Ghat Street	20/1/1	Ismail and Kasimuddy ...	Firewood ...	8 8 0
Ruttun Sircar Garden Street.	56	Abdulbaree Khan	Ditto ...	6 0 0
Govaram Byaack Street	10	Delaruddy Khan	Ditto ...	6 0 0
Strand Road ...	62	Rakhal Das Sircar	Timber ...	66 0 0
Ditto ...	67/16	Gladstone, Wyllie & Co. ...	Wood ...	102 8 0
Ditto ..	67/16	Bhikraj Sagoremall	Do. ...	209 0 0
Ditto ...	67/19	Joharmall Birjimohan	Do. ...	117 0 0
Ditto ...	67/19	Sewdutray Serojee	Do. ...	62 0 0
Ditto ...	67/20	Golapray Sewbux	Do. ...	118 8 0
Ditto ...	67/21	Anando Chandra Kundoo ...	Do. ...	140 0 0
Ditto ...	67/21	Rai Bhagowandas Bagla Bahadoor ...	Timber ...	283 0 0
Ditto ...	67/23/24	Memraj Muralidhar Bagla ...	Do. ...	210 0 0
Ditto ..	67/24	Balmukund Lachminarayan ...	Do. ..	83 0 0
Ditto ...	67/25	Banira Timber Agency	Do. ...	85 0 0
Ditto ...	67/26	Motilal Radhakissen	Do. ...	140 0 0
		WARD No. 6.		
Jachuabazar Street	159	Namjadik Goledar	Firewood ..	3 8 0
Juktaram Babu's Street.	139	Budun Mullick	Ditto ...	6 0 0

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			WARD No. 7.				
213	Armenian Street ...	20	Sk. Somiruddy	Firewood ...	6	0	0
214	Bonfield's Lane ...	11	Omesh Chandra Dutt	Tar & pitch	9	0	0
215	Ditto ...	13	Janokidas Sewnarayan	Ditto ...	13	0	0
216	Canning Street ...	48	Ditto	Resin ...	7	8	0
217	Ditto ..	56/1	Janokidas Gaharally	Do. ...	9	0	0
219	Ditto ...	56/1	Golam Kadir Mullick	Do. ...	11	8	0
220	Ditto ...	60	Sk. Erfanally	Do. ...	14	8	0
221	Ditto ...	60	Sk. Meajan	Do. ...	11	8	0
222	Ditto ...	95	F. P. Nalladoroo & Co.	Matches ...	17	0	0
223	Ditto ...	95	Gopeswar Laha	Do. ...	8	8	0
224	Ditto ...	98	M E Patell	Do. ...	14	0	0
225	Ditto ...	140	Hoare Miller & Co.	Resin ...	78	0	0
226	Ditto ...	56/1	Tasiruddy	Packing box	7	8	0
227	Ditto ...	104	Mukbullally	Matches ...	15	8	0
228	Clive Street ...	36	Sreebash Dutt	Tar & pitch	16	0	0
229	Ditto ...	40	Haridas Rukhit	Tar, pitch & resin.	7	0	0
230	Ditto ...	41	Motilal Das	Tar & pitch	14	0	0
231	Ditto ...	48	Chinibash Dey	Ditto ...	17	8	0
232	Ditto ...	61	Gostobehary Ker and Hem Chandra Ker.	Ditto ...	9	0	0
233	Ditto ...	63	Benode Behary Laha and Kedar Nath Ghose.	Ditto ...	9	0	0
234	Ditto ...	63	Bhubanesswar Laha and Sons ...	Ditto ...	5	8	0
235	Ditto ...	63/1	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	5	0	0
236	Ditto ...	69/2	Haripado Dutt	Ditto ...	9	0	0
237	Ditto ...	77/1	Rameswar Singh	Ditto ...	16	0	0
238	David Joseph's Lane	16	Shib Chandra Dhong	Matches ...	20	0	0
239	Ditto ...	16	Benode Behary Seal	Do. ...	9	0	0
240	Ditto ...	16	A. M. Essobhoy	Do. ...	17	0	0
241	Ditto ...	4	Ashutosh Dutt & Co.	Do. ...	27	0	0
242	Ezra Street ...	9	Mirzamall Juggernath	Shellac ...	117	0	0
243	Jackson Ghat Street	34	Ralli Brothers	Do. ...	238	8	0
244	Monohar Das Street	113	Gostobehary Bandhoo	Tar & pitch	7	8	0
245	Ramseback Mullick Lane.	14	Koylash Chandra Ker	Tar & resin	11	8	0
246	Ditto ...	21	Kedarnath Ghose & Kali Pado Ghose	Tar ...	7	8	0
247	Ditto ...	28/1	Gokul K. Bhattacharjee ...	Do. ...	6	8	0
248	Strand Road ...	67	Surjo Mahato	Firewood ...	23	0	0
249	Sukea's Lane ..	11/1	Shib Chandra Dhang	Matches ...	31	0	0
250	Ditto ...	13	A. M. Essabhoy	Do. ...	78	0	0
251	Ditto ...	15	Nabin Chandra Ghose	Do. ...	27	0	0
252	Ditto ...	1	Baney Madhab Das	Shellac ...	195	0	0
			WARD No 8.				
253	Blackburn's Lane ...	34	Babujan Mullick	Straw ...	5	0	0
254	Bow Bazar Street ...	225	Heralal Bama Ch. Mandal ...	Timber ...	28	8	0
255	Ditto ...	236	Upendranath Bose	Teakwood	30	8	0
256	Ditto ...	257	A. C. Nandy & Co.	Ditto ...	48	8	0
257	Ditto ...	309	Davenport & Co.	Packing box	136	8	0
258	Kalootolla Street ...	11	Hazi Kudrathulla & Sons .	Matches ...	31	0	0
259	Machuabazar Street...	14/6	Rohomuthally Mistry	Wood ...	23	0	0
260	Phear's Lane ...	58	Jewan Bukhsh & Co.	Matches ...	7	8	0
			WARD No. 9.				
261	Amherst Street ...	133/H/1	Bromhanando Chatterji ...	Timber ...	50	8	0
262	Ditto ...	134/H/1	Purnanando Adhikary	Do. ...	41	0	0
263	Ditto ...	137/H/1	Doyal Ch. Pal & Sons	Do. ...	30	8	0
264	Ditto ...	149	Soshi Bhusan Mukherji & Co.	Do. ...	7	8	0
265	Bow Bazar Street ...	171 & 167	Boistub Charan Dey	Do. ...	19	8	0
266	Ditto ...	167/H/5	Omesh Chandra Chunder ...	Do. ...	30	8	0
267	Ditto ...	172	Rajendralal Dutt	Wood ...	7	8	0
268	Ditto ...	172	Nilmoney Dey & Co. ...	Do. ...	19	8	0
269	Ditto ...	172	Huro Gobindo Mullick & Digambari Dassi.	Do. ...	7	8	0

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			WARD No. 9—*concld.*		
)	Bow Bazar Street ...	207/H/1	Tarini Ch. Singha carrying on business as Mohesh Chandra Singha.	Wood ...	19 8 0
	Belliaghatta Road ...	133	Dinonath Dey	Durma ...	9 8 0
	Ditto	137	Nafar Chandra Kolay	Timber ...	19 8 0
	Canal West Road ...	1	Shama Charan Sen	Wood ...	6 8 0
	Ditto ...	2	Gogun Chandra Dey	Do. ...	7 8 0
	Ditto ...	6	Ofazuddy Khanshama	Firewood ...	5 0 0
	Upper Circular Road	4 & 7	Kedarnath Ghose	Timber ...	23 0 0
	Ditto ...	7 & 8	Ditto	Do. ...	15 8 0
	Ditto ...	15	Super Mantosh & Co.	Matches ...	19 8 0
	Gas Street ...	14	Oriental Gas Co.	Tar ...	.....
	Mirzapore Street ...	27 & 27/1	Mukherjee, Banerji & Co. ...	Teakwood	27 8 0
	Ditto ..	27/H/1	Ditto	Ditto ...	37 8 0
	Ditto ...	28/1	Brojolal Addy	Timber ...	19 8 0
	Ditto ..	27/5	Nandolal Shaw	Do. ...	13 0 0
	Ditto ...	29/2	A. T. Chatterji, Manager, East India Timber Co.	Do. ...	22 0 0
	Ditto ...	29/H/7	Jogendranath Shaw	Do. ...	23 0 0
	Ditto ..	29/1/1	Ashutosh Chatterji	Teakwood	16 8 0
	Ditto ...	31/H/2	Boikantonath Chakraburtty ...	Ditto ...	20 0 0
	Ditto ...	62	Ram Kumar Jitmall Gonariwalla ...	Timber ...	19 8 0
	Ditto ...	63	Gagan Chandra, Nishikanto Mukherji	Do. ...	14 0 0
	Ditto ...	63	Abhoy Kumar Nandy	Do. ...	20 0 0
	Ditto ...	63	Ramlal Birjmohan	Do. ...	20 8 0
	Ditto ...	63/1	Jadunath Mukerji	Do. ...	9 8 0
	Ditto ...	63/1	Ram Prosad Chunilal of East India Timber Co.	Do. ...	6 8 0
	Ditto ...	63/H/1	Kalipado Mukherji Co.	Do. ...	32 8 0
	Ditto ...	63/H/2	Nandalal Mullick	Do. ...	34 8 0
	Ditto ...	63/H/6	Kalibhusan Mukherji	Do. ...	31 0 0
	Ditto ...	63/H/8	Kanti Chandra Ghose	Do. ...	19 8 0
	Boitukhanna Road ...	1 & 2	Kedar Nath Ghose	Do. ...	23 0 0
	Ditto ...	3, 4, 8, 9 & 10	Srikanta Bhattacharjee	Do. ...	32 8 0
	Ditto ...	5/H/1	Ditto	Do. ...	7 8 0
	Ditto ...	11/H/1	Ditto	Do. ...	16 0 6
	Ditto ...	12	Bholanath Ghose	Wood ...	20 0 0
	Ditto ...	30	Nandy Brothers	Do. ...	11 8 0
	Ditto ...	168/H/1	Sreekanta Bhattacharjee ...	Timber ...	21 0 0
	Ram Kanto Mistry Lane.	2	Probodh Chandra Dey and Akshoy Kumar Banerji.	Do. ...	23 0 0
	Prem Chand Boral Street.	40	Dina Nath Shao	Wood ...	4 8 0
	Ditto ...	40	Banku Behary Dutt	Do. ...	3 8 0
			WARD No. 10.		
	Bentinck Street ...	56/3	Misree Lal & Co.	Shellac ...	140 0 0
	Ditto ...	80	W. Haworth & Co.	Do. ...	195 0 0
	Ditto ...	77	John Miller & Co.	Do. ...	128 8 0
	Bow Bazar Street ...	46	Pitambar Sircar & Co.	Wood ...	22 0 0
	Grant's Lane ...	1	Lal Behary Dutt	Shellac ...	109 0 0
	Ditto ...	2	Whiteaway, Laidlaw & Co. ...	Wood ...	113 8 0
	mambaree Lane ...	5, 6, 10, 11, 12 & 13.	C. Lazarus & Co.	Timber ...	52 8 0
	ebb Lane ...	3	Mackintosh Burn & Co. ...	Wood ...	32 8 0
	Kenderdine Lane ...	9 & 10	Ralli Brothers	Shellac ...	122 8 0
	Malanga Lane ...	71	Azaham Tewari	Wood ...	4 8 0
			WARD No. 11.		
	ow Bazar Street ..	121	Bepin Behary Dhur	Wood ...	9 0 0
	Ditto ...	126	Ananta Lal Ghose	Old timber	14 0 0
	Ditto ...	131	Ashutosh Dey & Co.	Timber ...	15 8 0

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			WARD No. 11—*concld.*		Rs. A. P.
321	Bow Bazar Street ...	132/H/1	Chatterji Tripe:ty & Co. ...	Timber ...	35 0 0
322	Ditto ...	137—144	Martin & Co.	Wood ...	195 0 0
323	Creek Row ...	15	Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation, Ld.	Bitumen ...	3 8 0
324	Lower Circular Road	124	Kedar Nath Ghose	Wood ...	13 8 0
			WARD No. 12.		
325	Bentinck Street ...	6 & 7	Thomas Lehzen & Co.	Shellac ...	81 8 0
326	Ditto ...	6	Hutchinson & Dutt	Do. ..	175 8 0
327	Ditto ...	28	J. C. Galstaun, Esq.	Do. ...	62 0 0
328	Ditto ...	29	Becker, Gray & Co.	Do. ...	128 8 0
329	Fancy Lane ...	4	Hera Lal Agarwalla & Co. ...	Do. ...	62 0 0
330	Hare Street ...	8	Ralli Brothers	Do. ...	234 0 0
331	Lal Bazar Street ...	11	Moran & Co.	Do. ...	390 0 0
332	Mission Row ...	1	W. Howarth & Co.	Do. ...	153 0 0
333	Ditto ...	5	K. G. Banerji & Co.	Do. ...	156 0 0
334	Ditto ..	8	J. Thomas & Co.	Do. ...	234 0 0
335	Mangoe Lane ...	2/1	Misreelal Agarwalla & Co. ...	Do. ...	280 8 0
336	Ditto ...	25	Lyall Marshall & Co.	Do. ...	39 0 0
337	Strand Road, South...	7	Ahmuty & Co.	Tar and varnish.	105 0 0
			WARD No. 13.		
338	Free School Street ...	3/6	Ram Sundar Shaw	Hay & straw	10 8 0
339	Ditto ...	3/9	Mowllabux Mullick	Ditto ...	11 8 0
340	Ditto ...	3/12	Gonesh Shaw	Ditto ...	10 8 0
341	Ditto ...	72	Shaik Fakir Mohammed ...	Ditto ...	10 8 0
342	Ditto ...	72	,, Dewanally	Ditto ...	10 0 0
343	Grant Street ...	3/H/1	Akhoy Ghose and Parmessur Ghose ...	Straw ...	22 0 0
344	Ditto ..	3/H/2	Mowlabux Mullick	Straw & hay	31 8 0
345	Ditto ...	3/H/3	Arubdee Mandal	Ditto ...	31 8 0
346	Ditto ...	3/H/5	Haridas Babajee	Hay ...	58 8 0
347	Corporation Street ...	22	Bundhu Khar	Firewood ...	4 8 0
348	Ditto ...	122/1	Adhar Chandra Kanooi and Upendra Nath Pal.	Wood ...	17 0 0
349	Ditto ...	131	Ramjan Khan	Firewood ...	7 0 0
350	Market Street ...	43	Bundhu Khan	Do. ...	7 0 0
351	Uma Charan Das Lane.	14	Bibi Rabia Khatoon and Golam Moslem Khan.	Wood ...	23 0 0
352	Wellesley Street ...	2/H/1	Ram Chandra Mahindar ...	Teakwood	32 0 0
353	Lower Circular Road	88	Sree Kunto Bhattacharjee ...	Wood ...	14 0 0
354	Ditto ...	93	Adhar Chandra Sircar	Do. ...	30 0 0
355	Corporation Street ...	34	Uttum Charan Kundoo	Timber ...	15 0 0
356	Ditto ...	49/50	Durbaree Goledar	Straw ...	9 0 0
357	Ditto ...	106	Becharam Pal & Sons	Teakwood	49 8 0
358	Mott's Lane ...	30	Narayan Chandra Ghose ...	Ditto ...	19 8 0
359	Munshi Alimuddin Lane.	21	Shaik Sookoor	Wood ...	15 8 0
360	Ditto ...	21	Shaik Mowlabux	Do. ...	12 0 0
361	Ditto ...	37	Shaik Sookoor	Do. ...	3 8 0
362	Dr. Durga Charan Banerji's Lane.	12/1	P. P. Mukherji & Co.	Do. ...	16 8 0
363	Ditto ...	12/1/1	Hury Mohan Das Brothers ...	Do. ...	4 8 0
			WARD No. 14.		
364	Newgeepoker East Lane.	11/4	Gagan Moni Dasi	Wood ...	4 8 0
365	Ripon Street ...	99	Shaik Taruf	Straw ...	9 0 0
366	Wellesley Street ...	83	Tulsi Prosad & Co.	Timber ...	24 8 0

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		WARD No. 15.		Rs. A. P.
Lower Circular Road	36	Shaik Naziruddin	Wood ...	6 0 0
Ditto ...	38	„ Mohammedally	Teakwood	7 8 0
		WARD No. 19.		
Anando Gopal Palit Lane.	17/1 & 18	Natober Das	Timber ...	12 8 0
Ditto ...	32	Surèndra Nath Das Brothers ...	Teakwood	13 0 0
Baliaghatta Road ...	2/1/H/1	Romanath Sikdar	Firewood ...	1 8 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/28	Gosto Behary Jona	Ditto ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	3/1/H/29	Mothur Mohan Sikdar	Ditto ...	4 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/28	Ram Chandra Maity	Ditto ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/5	Shaik Khodabux Mollah	Ditto ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/2	Kripasindhu Adhikary & Ram Chandra Das, carrying on business as Juggomohan Biswas.	Ditto ...	8 0 0
Ditto ...	2/7 & 8	Dinonath Dey and Ram Chandra Dey	Ditto ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	3/13	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	3 8 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/23	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	3 8 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/25	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	3 8 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/9/1	Shaik Mohammedally	Ditto ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/11 & 12	„ Gomani Goledar	Ditto ...	5 0 0
Ditto ...	3 & 14	Hetab Lusker and Gopal Chandra Chakraburtty.	Ditto ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/6	Kristo Chandra Nayek	Ditto ...	5 8 0
Ditto ...	3/19	Haree Ojha	Ditto ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	3/19	Horee Shaw	Ditto ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	3/20	Sarat Chandra Chakraburtty ...	Ditto ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	2/H/19	Khodabux Mollah	Ditto ...	1 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/20	Shaik Essoop Meah	Ditto ...	4 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/21	Bissumbher Maity	Ditto ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/21	Kristo Chandra Nayek	Ditto ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/1	Shaik Essoop Meah	Ditto ...	4 0 0
Ditto ...	3/15	Hetab Lusker	Ditto ...	10 0 0
Ditto ...	3/26	Shaik Rohimbux Meah	Ditto ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	3/37	Ram Doyal Singh and Nando Singh ...	Ditto ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/32	Janoki Nath Sikdar	Ditto ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/33	Abinash Chandra Kundoo ...	Ditto ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/34	Kedar Nath Biswas	Ditto ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/27	Shaik Rasoonally	Ditto ...	1 8 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/29	Ramanath Sikdar	Ditto ...	4 0 0
Ditto ...	3/A/H/25	Shaik Dursatulla	Ditto ...	1 8 0
Ditto ...	2/1/H/26	Saboor Mullick	Ditto ...	2 8 0
Bitto ...	3/17	Shaik Soleman	Ditto ...	3 8 0
Ditto ...	2	Kanaye Lusker	Ditto ...	3 8 0
Ditto ...	10/1	P. P. Mukherji & Co.	Timber ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	11	Sreeram Chandra Mondal ...	Ditto ...	7 8 0
Canal South Road Municipal Culvert.	.....	Rhedoy Nath Dey	Firewood ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	1	Motilal Mitter	Ditto ...	6 0 0
Ditto ...	1/H/1 & 4	Radhakanto Chakraburtty and Chunilol Ghose.	Ditto ...	16 8 0
Ditto ...	3/H/1	Goberdhone Pal and Nogendra Nath Dey.	Ditto ...	20 8 0
Ditto ...	2/H/1	Bepin Behary Bose	Ditto ...	12 0 0
Ditto ...	3/H/2	Uma Charan Dalal	Ditto ...	21 0 0
Ditto ...	4/H/1	Soshibhusan Dey	Ditto ...	12 8 0
Ditto ...	5	Bepin Behary Kundoo	Ditto ...	12 0 0
Canal South Road ...	7	Khitish Chandra Sircar ...	Ditto ...	11 8 0
Ditto ...	7/H/1	Jadub Chandra Chakee	Ditto ...	12 0 0
Ditto ...	7	Gowharally Mollah and Fakir Chandra Kundoo.	Ditto ...	8 8 0
Ditto ...	8/H/1	Mohima Charan Dey	Ditto ...	20 0 0
Ditto ...	9/H/1	Ananto Kumar Roy	Ditto ...	13 8 0
Ditto ...	10	Shaikh Abdool	Ditto ...	5 8 0

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			WARD No. 19—*concld.*		
421	Canal South Road ...	10/H1	Nasiruddi Goledar and Romanath China.	Firewood ...	15 0 0
422	Ditto ...	11/H1	Dwarkanath Biswas	Ditto ...	13 8 0
423	Ditto ...	12/H1	Nasir Goledar	Ditto ...	3 8 0
424	Ditto ...	13	Bhuban Chandra Nandy ...	Ditto ...	5 8 0
425	Ditto ...	14/H1	Peary Mohan Shaw and Luskhy Charan Shaw.	Ditto ...	17 0 0
426	Ditto ...	15/H1	Bissessur Roy	Ditto ...	6 0 0
427	Ditto ...	16	Jhoomuk Shaw	Straw ...	4 8 0
428	Ditto ...	16/H1	Boikunto Nath Kundoo ...	Firewood ...	16 0 0
429	Ditto ...	16/H1	Tazemally and Baberally Khan ...	Straw ...	10 8 0
430	Ditto ..	18	Chand Meah	Straw and hay.	6 0 0
431	Ditto ...	19	Shaikh Eaddally	Straw ...	5 8 0
432	Ditto ...	21	Luchman Mohato	Do. ...	3 0 0
433	Ditto ...	21	Gopee Shaw	Do. ...	6 0 0
434	Ditto ...	21	Ramdhari Panday and Sewdhari Panday.	Do. ...	2 0 0
435	Ditto ...	21/H/1	Nobin Chandra Kundoo and Haradhone Kundoo.	Timber ...	8 0 0
436	Ditto ...	20/H/1	Akhoy Kumar Majumdar ...	Straw ...	3 0 0
437	Ditto ...	22	Soshibhusan Banerjee ...	Do. ...	6 0 0
438	Ditto ...	28	Shaik Eadally	Do. ...	4 8 0
439	Ditto ...	28	„ Elahibux	Do. ...	2 8 0
440	Ditto ...	28	„ Chand Meah	Do. ...	6 0 0
441	Ditto ...	32	Soshi Bhusan Biswas	Firewood and hay.	3 0 0
442	Lower Circular Road	53/1	Akhoy Kumar Sur	Wood ...	10 0 0
443	Ditto ...	154	Ram Chandra Pal	Firewood ...	15 0 0
444	Ditto ...	154	Chunder Kanto Sircar	Wood ...	19 8 0
445	Convent Road ...	2	Surendra Nath Ghose	Firewood ..	9 8 0
446	Coolia Tangra Road	2	A. C. Nandy & Co.	Timber ...	11 8 0
447	Dehi Entally Road	17/1	Joy Gopal Das	Wood ...	2 0 0
448	Police Hospital Lane	6	Hazi Romjan	Do. ...	2 0 0
449	South Road Entally	5	Bistoopado Kundoo and Kristodas Kundoo.	Teakwood ...	21 0 0
450	Ditto ...	17	Godadhur Das	Timber ...	7 8 0
451	Ditto ...	18	Amullya Chandra Khan ...	Wood ...	10 8 0
452	Ditto ...	53	Bhupatty Charan Sett & Co. ...	Teakwood ...	7 8 0
453	Ditto ...	68	Abinash Chandra Das ...	Timber ...	12 8 0
454	Ditto ..	68/1	Amullya Chunder Khan ...	Teakwood ...	13 0 0
455	Tangra Road ...	48/1	Peary Shaw Luskhy Charan Shaw ...	Straw ...	2 0 0
			WARD No. 20.		
456	Jannagore Road ...	2	Belayet Hossain	Wood and golepata.	3 8 0
457	Ditto ...	3	Babujan Goledar	Wood and straw.	7 0 0
458	Ditto ...	41	Shaikh Dobiruddy	Wood and golepata.	4 8 0
459	Phulbagan Road ...	43	Mohamed Tahir Budlar	Wood ...	6 0 0
			WARD No. 21.		
460	Chukreburry Lane ...	12	Uma Charan Bose	Straw ...	4 8 0
461	Kurrya Road ...	18	Meer Abdul Rejak	Wood ...	3 8 0
462	Nopal Bhattacharjee, 1st Lane.	21	Gopal Chandra Koley	Firewood ...	2 0 0
463	Ditto ...	21/2	Durgaram Sadkhan	Ditto ...	1 8 0
464	Ditto ...	21	Phani Bhusan Mukherji ...	Wood ...	1 0 0
465	Russa Road, South ...	133	Hurish Chandra Ghose ...	Timber ...	7 0 0

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		WARD No. 21—*concld.*		Rs. A. P.
Tallyganj Road ...	22	Panchanan Das	Firewood and straw.	3 8 0
Ditto ...	71	Shama Charan Ghose and Ambica Charan Ghose.	Wood and straw.	3 8 0
Ditto ...	72	Gobindo Chandra Das	Firewood ...	3 8 0
Ditto ...	73	Nim Chand Nandy	Straw ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	73	Uttam K. Ghose	Do. ..	2 0 0
Ditto ...	74	Brojo Nath Bose	Firewood ...	8 8 0
Ditto ...	75	Audhor Chandra Sett	Straw ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	75	Prosonno Kumar Das	Do. ...	3 8 0
Ditto ..	75	Dino Nath Sett	Do. ...	1 0 0
Ditto ..	76	Brojo Nath Bose	Do. ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	77	Bepin Behary Das	Do. ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	109	Monmohine Dabee	Firewood ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	109	Kristna Chandra Banerji ...	Do. ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	113	Soshi Bhusan Payne	Do. ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	113	Nibaran and Ishan Chandra Chakrabutty.	Do. ...	7 0 0
Tallyganj Bridge Road.	4/1	Abinash Ch. Das Bairagee ...	Straw ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	4/1	Upendra Nath Das	Firewood and straw.	3 0 0
		WARD No. 22.		
Baloram Bose Ghat Lane.	12	Bissessur Banerji	Wood ...	3 0 0
Chowlpatty Road ...	2	Matangini Dassi and Krishna Chandra Sircar.	Wood and straw.	6 0 0
Ditto ...	4/H/1	Dino Nath Pal	Straw ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	13	Biraj Krishna Poddar	Do. ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	15	Sital Chandra Singha	Do. and wood.	7 8 0
Ditto ...	50/1	Kalidas Nandy and Nasibulla Goledar	Wood ...	4 8 0
Ditto ...	53	Moti Lal Laha	Straw and golepata.	4 8 0
Ditto ...	61	Kali Nath Chakrabutty	Straw, &c....	4 8 0
Ditto ...	66	Shaikh Imranally	Firewood and straw.	8 8 0
Ditto ...	67	Lal Behary Banerji	Straw ...	5 0 0
Haldarpara Road ...	1	Brindaban Chandra Shaw ...	Firewood and straw.	4 8 0
Hurish Ch. Chatterji's Street.	1/H/1	Shaikh Haniff	Firewood ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	27/2	Kirtibash Patro	Hay and straw.	4 8 0
Ditto ...	28/1	Shamapado Dutt	Straw ...	4 8 0
Ditto ...	29/1	Russick Lal Samanto	Do. ...	2 0 0
Ditto ...	29/H/1	Judistir Mondal	Do. ...	4 8 0
Ditto ...	33	Baroda Kanto Sircar	Firewood ...	3 8 0
Ditto ...	34/1/2	Hari Charan Shaw	Ditto ...	7 0 0
Ditto ...	38	Adhur Chandra Shaw	Timber ...	16 0 0
Ditto ...	62/H/1	Kala Chand Koomar	Straw ...	9 0 0
Ditto ...	87	Bissessur Chatterji	Firewood ...	3 8 0
Ditto ...	30/1	Haridas Pal and Prosad Ch. Dey & Co.	Timber ...	7 8 0
Kallyghat Road ...	23	Jotadhari Munshi	Teakwood ...	11 8 0
Katoa Khooti Road	6/1	Thakoordas Ghose	Straw ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	8/H/1	Shaikh Nazibulla	Firewood ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	9/H/3	Koykash Chandra Nandy ...	Do. ...	6 0 0
Ditto ...	19	Shibnarayan Samanto	Do. ...	2 0 0
Lansdowne Market ...	67	Prankissen Sen	Straw ...	1 0 0
Madan Pal Lane ...	3/1	Ram Chandra Nandy	Firewood and straw.	6 8 0
Ditto ...	4	Baikantha Gangully	Hay and straw.	6 0 0
Ditto ...	9/H/5	Shaikh Ahadally	Firewood and straw.	5 8 0

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			WARD No. 22—*contd.*		Rs. A. P.
514	Madan Pal Lane ...	15 & 15H/1	Kristo Chandra Sircar	Timber ...	13 0 0
515	Ditto ...	36	Nahazuddy Goledar	Firewood and straw.	4 0 0
516	Ditto ...	36/H/1	Shaikh Tabb Goledar	Firewood ...	4 0 0
517	Puddapukar Road ...	44	Sarat Chandra Das	Timber ...	4 8 0
518	Russa Road, North ...	61/1	Tripondessur Mitter	Teakwood	13 0 0
519	Ditto ...	66	Poiragdas Agarwalla	Wood ...	6 0 0
521	Ditto ...	12/1	Luskhminarayan Roy	Straw ...	1 8 0
522	Ditto ...	12/2	Rash Behary Ghose ...	Wood ...	3 0 0
523	Sankaripara Road ...	12	Shaikh Karamuthulla and Madutally	Firewood ...	4 0 0
524	Tallyganj Road ...	124	Sagore Dhar	Firewood and straw.	3 8 0
			WARD No. 23.		
525	Bridge Road ...	3	Brindaban Chunder Shaw ...	Firewood, plants and golepata.	2 0 0
526	Ditto ...	3/H/6	Abhur Chander Shaw ...	Firewood and plants.	6 8 0
527	Chetla Road ...	1	Sadhoo Sirdar	Firewood ...	3 8 0
528	Ditto ...	17/1	Horaykristo Jona	Ditto ...	5 0 0
529	Chetla Hât Road ...	16-1/2	Janokinath Tewary	Ditto ...	2 0 0
530	Gopalnagor Road ...	3/179	Amritalal Dhara	Ditto ...	2 0 0
531	Ditto ...	16	Joygopal Roy	Wood ...	1 0 0
532	Kallyghat Bridge Road.	2/2/1 2/4/2	Chunderkanto Bose	Firewood ...	10 8 0
533	Mayerpore Road ...	73	Ambica Churn Dey	Straw ...	2 8 0
534	Ditto ...	73	Gopal Chunder Dey	Do. ...	2 8 0
535	Ditto ...	1/2	Gungaram Mistree	Firewood ...	3 0 0
536	Tallygunj Circular Road.	4	Ganesh Chunder Goswamy ...	Ditto ...	2 0 0
537	Ditto ...	21	Sarat Chunder Das	Straw ...	1 8 0
538	Ditto ...	39	Purna Chunder Sadkhan ...	Do. ...	3 0 0
539	Ditto ...	92	Akhoy Coomar Sadkhan	Straw and firewood.	2 0 0
			WARD No. 24.		
540	Circular Garden Reach Road.	24/1	Shaw Brothers & Co.	Wood ...	3 8 0
541	Mamiupore Lane ...	1/1	Juggessur Sadkhan	Firewood ...	3 8 0
			WARD No. 25.		
542	Berapuker Road ...	12	Chundy Churn Sircar	Wood ...	4 8 0
543	Ditto ...	12	Satish Chunder Ghose	Wood and straw.	4 8 0
544	Ditto ...	14/1	Shaw Brother & Co.	Wood ...	2 0 0
545	Circular Garden Reach Road.	100	Wazuddin	Firewood ...	4 8 0
546	Ditto ...	116	Norendra Nath Ghose	Wood and straw.	6 0 0
547	Ditto ...	116/H	Shaw Brother & Co.	Wood ...	3 8 0
548	Ditto ...	118	Priyanath Burdhan	Do. ...	6 8 0
549	Ditto ...	132	Goracband Das	Do. ...	6 8 0
550	Garden Reach Road	71/1	Hurrymohan Ghose	Straw ...	19 8 0
551	Diamond Harbour Road.	89	Punchanon Kurmocar and Kunjalal Shaw.	Wood ...	10 0 0
552	Ditto ...	89	Umachurn Das and Promotho Nath Ghose.	Do. ...	13 0 0
553	Ditto ...	90/1	Dwarkanath Mistree	Do. ...	4 8 0
554	Ditto ...	89	Nepal Chunder Das	Do. ...	10 8 0
555	Ditto ...	89	Mohendra Nath Burdhan ..	Do. ...	3 8 0
556	Ditto ...	89	Giribala Dassee	Do. ...	4 8 0
557	Ditto ...	89/H/1	Narain Chunder Bera	Do. ...	10 8 0

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		WARD No. 25—*concld.*		
Diamond Harbour Road.	89	Annodaprosad Das	Wood ...	4 8 0
Ditto ...	90/1/H/3	Pormanando Pal	Do. ...	14 8 0
Ditto ...	89	Troylokhonath Dutt	Do. ...	15 0 0
Munshigunge Road...	3	Omed Khan	Firewood ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	4/H	Shamachurn Roy Chowdhury ...	Firewood and straw golepata.	11 0 0
Ditto ...	4/6	Nerodcoomar Banerji	Straw ...	12 8 0
Ditto ...	4/8	Nilratan Mondal C. B. as Bhoobanmohon Mondal.	Firewood ...	22 0 0
Ditto ...	6/1	Notobor Mukerjee	Straw ...	10 0 0
Ditto ...	9/18	Harjohurn Mukerji	Do. ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	12	Manmatha Nath Mukerjee ...	Do. ...	7 8 0
Ditto ...	12/5	Lolit Mohon Roy	Straw and firewood.	10 8 0
Ditto ...	12/H/5	Suresh Chunder Mukerji ...	Wood ...	13 0 0
Ditto ...	12/6	Hem Chander Chattopadhaya ...	Firewood ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	29	Huromoney Bewah	Straw ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	26	Muktaram Halder	Wood ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	26/4	Sarodaprosad Koyal	Do. ...	2 8 0
Ditto ...	32	K. C. Banerjee & Co.	Straw ...	3 8 0
Ditto ...	32	Promothonath Ghose	Wool ...	13 0 0
Ditto ...	32	Ramlagan Mistree	Golepata and straw.	6 8 0
Ditto ...	33	Akhoycoomar Sen as Beharylal Sen ...	Firewood and straw.	25 8 0
Ditto ...	32	Punchanan Ganguli	Firewood ...	6 8 0
Ditto ...	35	Ganesh Chunder Shaw	Straw and golepatta.	5 8 0
Ditto ...	35/1	Mohender Shaw	Straw and wood.	6 0 0
Ditto ...	36	Sukdeb Sen	Straw ...	10 0 0
Ditto ...	37	Saboor Khan	Firewood ...	3 0 0
Nalooapara Road ...	2	Sattyachurn Dutt	Ditto ...	1 8 0
Puddopuker Square...	10	Fakeer Bera	Ditto ...	3 0 0
Puddopuker Street ...	32	Kherodgopal Mukerji	Timber ...	21 0 0
Ditto ...	41	Troylokhonath Roy	Do. ...	11 8 0
Puddopuker West Lane.	10	Nurakal	Firewood ...	3 0 0
Ditto ...	28	Jugdeo Singh	Ditto ...	3 0 0
Rameamal Mukerji Street.	28/1	Narain Chander Seal	Timber ...	21 0 0
Sastitola Road ...	32/11	Soshibhusan Coondoo	Wood ...	10 0 0
Ditto ...	17	Juggobandhu Coomar	Durma ...	9 0 0
Ditto ...	32/11	Nilmoney Banerjee	Do. ...	2 0 0
Sonai 3rd Lane ...	55	Shaik Umberally	Hogla ...	1 8 0
Tarafdar Tank 2nd Lane.	10	Panchanan Kurmokar and Kunjobehary Shaw.	Wood ...	1 8 0
Ditto ...	8	Troylokhonath Dutt	Do. ...	3 0 0
		WARD No. 1.		
Baugbazar Street ...	1/1	Tirthamoni, Bhajomoni Sarala Chowdhurani.	Jute ...	27 0 0
Upper Chitpore Road	178 to 178/4	Finlay, Muir & Co.	Do. ...	210 8 0
Ramkanta Bose Street	2 & 2/2, 202	Radhicaprosad Das, agent to S. C. Deb & Co.	Do. ...	25 0 0
Durga Churn Mukerji Street.	202/1, 45	Murari Krishna Mitter	Do. ...	96 8 0
Ditto ...	206	Kanye Lal Khan	Do. ...	87 8 0
Ditto ...	208	S. J. Soloman	Do. ...	90 0 0
anal West Road ..	37/1	Harish Chunder Dutt	Do. ...	43 8 0
Ditto ...	37/5	Atul Krishna Dutt	Do. ...	13 0 0
Ditto ...	39/1	Surjacoomar Guru Churn Shaw ...	Do. ...	46 8 0

Serial No.	Locality of warehouse.	Premises No.	Name of licensee.	Description of warehouse.	Amount of tax.
			WARD No. 1—*concld.*		Rs. A. P.
10	Canal West Road ...	39/2	Harish Chunder Dutt	Jute ...	78 0 0
11	Ditto ...	39/3	Ramsaran Poddar	Do. ...	39 0 0
12	Ditto ...	39/3/a	Ditto	Do. ...	3 8 0
13	Ditto ...	41 & 41/A	Hurish Chunder Bissonath Shaw ...	Do. ...	31 0 0
14	Ditto ...	45/2	Mohendra Nath Sirdar	Do. ...	7 8 0
15	Ditto ...	46	Chunder Nath Dalal ...	Do. ...	16 0 0
16	Ditto ...	46	Bhim Chunder Pal and Chandra Nath Dalal.	Do. ...	1 8 0
17	Ditto ...	46	Ditto ditto ...	Do. ...	15 0 0
18	Ditto ...	46/3	Mohendra Nath Sirdar ...	Do. ...	10 8 0
19	Ditto ...	46/4	Ditto	Do. ...	10 0 0
20	Ditto ...	46/5	Bhim Chunder Pal	Do. ...	2 8 0
21	Chitpore Bridge approach.	1	Radhicalal Roy Chowdhury ...	Do. ...	85 8 0
22	Known as Banga Bazar Jute Godown.	.....	Secretary to the Port Commissioners...	Do. ...	577 0 0
23	Dhaniabagan Road	7/2	Hurish Chunder Bissonath Shaw ...	Do. ...	29 0 0
24	Durga Churn Mukerji Street.	3 & 4	Narain Chunder Shaw Brother ...	Do. ...	41 0 0
25	Ditto ..	5	Kedarnath Shaw	Do. ...	89 8 0
26	Ditto ...	6	Doyal Chand Shaw	Do. ...	52 8 0
27	Ditto ...	7	Peary Mohun Biswas	Do. ...	23 0 0
28	Ditto ...	14 & 15	Binode Sundary Dasi	Do. ...	35 8 0
29	Ditto ...	33	Gobinda Chunder Pal	Do. ...	42 8 0
30	Ditto ...	41 & 41/1	Dinobandhu Pran Bandhu Shatchowdhury.	Do. ...	101 8 0
31	Ditto ...	42 & 43	Ditto	Do. ...	205 0 0
32	Gailiffe Street ..	22	Nagendra Nath Ghose	Do. ...	22 0 0
33	Ditto ...	22	Rashbehary Coondoo	Do. ..	17 0 0
34	Ditto ...	22	Norendra Nath Dutt	Do. ...	12 0 0
35	Ditto ...	22	Kedarnath Pal	Do. ..	13 0 0
36	Ditto ...	23	Chunder Nath Dalal	Do. ...	13 8 0
37	Ditto ...	12	Ramsunder Sikdar ...	Do. ...	32 8 0
38	Ditto ...	25	Mohomed Rasick and Motiar Rohoman Brothers.	Do. ...	15 8 0
39	Ditto ...	26	Dabendra Nath Bullubh ...	Do. ...	62 0 0
40	Ditto ...	10/1	Macneill & Co., Agents, R. S. N. & Co.. Ld.	Do. ...	44 8 0
41	Ditto ...	23/1/2/3	Sitanath Das Janendranath Biswas ...	Do. ...	78 0 0
42	Gopal Chandra Neogi Lane.	5/1, 5/2, 5/3, 16, 16/1, 16/2.	Sarada P. Mukerji	Do. ...	56 8 0
43	Ditto ...	20	Roy M. Chowdhury	Do. ...	9 0 0
			WARD No. 2.		
44	Aheeretola Street ...	1	Thansing Kurumchand ...	Do. ...	94 8 0
45	Ditto ...	5	Ditto	Do. ...	117 0 0
46	Ditto ...	10	Ambicachurn Pal and Bankubehary Pal.	Do. ...	85 8 0
47	Ditto ...	169	Kisen Chand Bhoomsing ...	Do. ...	195 0 0
48	Ditto ...	170	Bhajahari, Purnachander Dey Chowdhury, Satish Chandra Palchowdhury and others.	Do. ...	88 8 0
49	Ditto ...	172	Idogopeenath Jew Sebayet Harinarain Dey.	Do. ...	113 8 0
50	Bonomally Sircar Street.	9	Purnanando Shaw	Do. ...	65 0 0
51	Upper Chitpore Road, Kasi Mitter Ghat Street.	247-48, 15	Finlay, Muir & Co.	Do. ...	750 0 0
52	Ditto ...	215 to 219	Hem Chandra Bose	Do. ...	61 8 0
53	Ditto ...	243 to 246	Bolaichand Ghattner	Do. ...	163 8 0
54	Durmahatta Street ...	77	Beharilal Pyne	Do. ...	70 0 0
55	Ditto ...	75/2, 80, 80/1	Ditto	Do. ...	162 0 0
56	Ditto ...	81	Ditto	Do. ...	45 8 0

Locality of warehouse.	Premises No.	Name of licensee.	Description of warehouse.	Amount of tax.		
		WARD No. 2—*contd.*		Rs.	A.	P.
Durmahatta Street ...	87 to 87/53	Kalyan Das, Agents Nawab of Rampur.	Jute ...	585	0	0
Ditto ...	97	Aroonbala Dabee	Do. ...	27	0	0
Ditto ...	108	Mothuramohun Nandy	Do. ...	63	0	0
Ditto ...	121	Radhagobinda Beharylal Mozumdar & another.	Do. ...	130	0	0
Ditto ...	135	Chundylal Singhee	Do. ...	234	0	0
Ditto ...	134	Kanyelal Khan	Do. ...	67	0	0
Ditto ...	136 to 136/8	Dakhayonee Dasi	Do. ...	168	0	0
Ditto ...	138/39	Adoytochurn Mondol and others ...	Do. ...	27	0	0
Ditto ...	140/7 to 140/14	Monmohiney Dasi	Do. ...	132	0	0
Ditto ...	143 & 143/1	Gurugobinda Shaw	Do. ...	585	0	0
Ditto ...	144	Secretary to the Port Commissioners...	Do. ...	312	0	0
Ditto ...	133	Gourhory Khan	Do. ...	65	0	0
Gailiff Street ...	1/1	Kaminikumar Roy	Do. ...	245	8	0
Hurrochandra Mullick Lane.	16	Guruchandra Shaw	Do. ...	32	8	0
Ditto ...	23	Badan Ch. Gurugobind Shaw and another.	Do, ...	15	8	0
Ditto ...	24	Surjee Coomar Biswas and another ...	Do. ...	47	0	0
Ditto ...	2	Bissumbhor Mullick	Do. ...	45	8	0
Ditto ...	4	Prolhad Chunder Shaw	Do. ...	63	0	0
Ditto ...	5	Jagobandhu Soshimohon Shaporamanick.	Do. ...	93	8	0
Ditto ...	6	Mokundasundari Dasi	Do. ...	72	8	0
Ditto ...	7 & 7/1	Jogendranath Chakraburty ...	Do. ...	50	8	0
Ditto ...	9	Sitanath Shachowdhury	Do. ...	58	8	0
Ditto ...	10	Ditto ...	Do. ...	57	8	0
Ditto ...	11	Dwarkanath Shaw	Do. ...	71	0	0
Ditto ...	12	Benodilal Roy and others ...	Do. ...	226	0	0
Ditto ...	13	Aghornath Mozumdar	Do. ...	42	8	0
Ditto ...	13/6	Bissonath Luckheynath Poramanick...	Do. ...	81	0	0
Ditto ...	16	Horendra Coomar Roy Chowdhury and others.	Do. ...	83	8	0
Ditto ...	19	Nilmadhub Shaw and others ...	Do. ...	147	0	0
Hurrochundra Mullick Street.	20 & 21	Soshibhusan Shachowdhury ...	Do. ...	101	0	0
Ditto ...	23	Radharoman Shaw	Do. ...	87	8	0
Ditto ...	25	Gurudas Coondoo Chowdhury ...	Do. ...	85	0	0
Ditto ...	27	Chundersiker Radhicalal Shaw ...	Do. ...	39	8	0
Ditto ...	28	Benodbehary Khan	Do. ...	46	8	0
Joy Mitter Ghat Street	2/1	Giridharilal Roy	Do. ...	76	8	0
Kasi Mitter Ghat Street.	27/2 & 28	Ditto	Do. ...	162	8	0
Manick Bose Ghat Street.	17/1 & 18	Noderchand Shaw	Do. ...	49	8	0
Ditto ...	18/1	Ditto	Do. ...	10	8	0
Ditto ...	36, 36/1 to 36/7	Kamini Dasi	Do. ...	120	0	0
Ditto ...	40, 41, 41/1, 42	Nittyanando Shaw	Do. ...	89	0	0
Ditto ...	44	Jogendra Deb Mannah	Do. ...	97	8	0
Ditto ...	43	Nader Chand Shaw	Do. ...	17	0	0
Ditto ...	46	Nittyanando Shaw	Do. ...	106	0	0
Nimtolla Ghat Street	58	Goormukroy Sureka	Do. ...	315	8	0
Ditto ...	62, 62/1, 62/6	Ditto	Do. ...	750	0	0
Nayan Soor Lane ...	7	Shambhunath Gobindanath Chowdhury	Do. ...	126	8	0
Ditto ...	8	Budhan Ch. Gurugobinda Shaw ...	Do. ...	108	8	0
Ditto ...	9	Nobin Chunder Hurynath Coondoo ...	Do. ...	78	8	0
Natherbagan Street...	23	Satcouree Chatterji	Do. ...	19	8	0
Bobhabazar Street ...	3 to 3/3	Rashbehary Shaw and others ...	Do. ...	523	0	0
Ditto ...	4	Kanyelal Khan	Do, ...	72	8	0
Ditto ...	5	Birsumbhor Mullick	Do. ...	162	8	0
Ditto ...	6	Surendranath Ghose	Do. ...	57	8	0
Ditto ...	7	Chandersiker Srikanto Saporamanick	Do. ...	62	0	0
Ditto ...	10	Horendracoomar Roy Chowdhury and others.	Do. ...	99	8	0

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			WARD No. 2—*concld.*		Rs. A. P.
112	Sobhabazar Street ...	12	Sarodeprosad Sur ...	Jute ...	56 8 0
113	Ditto ...	17	Gooroodas Coondoo Chowdhury ...	Do. ...	104 0 0
114	Ditto ...	19/1	Raimohon Rabotimohon Roy Chowdhury.	Do. ...	97 8 0
115	Ditto ...	71/1	Goyasundary Dasi	Do. ...	52 0 0
116	Ditto ...	72	Damodar Paramanik and another ...	Do. ...	117 0 0
117	Ditto ...	73	Dhaniram Kasinath Shaw ...	Do. ...	135 8 0
118	Ditto ...	78 & 79	Mohinikanto Shaw	Do. ...	189 8 0
119	Ditto ...	90	Jullodhur Shaw	Do. ...	107 8 0
120	Ditto ...	91 & 92	Adoyto Churn Mondol and others ...	Do. ...	123 8 0
121	Noyan Soor Lane ...	93 & 94/1	Sabitry Sundari Dasi and Lal Behary Sadkhan.	Do. ...	210 8 0
122	Sobhabazar Street ...	95 & 96	Kumar Dhirajbullabh Roy and others	Do. ...	161 0 0
123	Ditto ...	97	Sitanath Shachowdhury ..	Do. ...	27 0 0
124	Ditto ...	98	Ditto	Do. ...	195 0 0
125	Ditto ...	98/1	Juggobundho Saratchunder Shachowdhury.	Do. ...	58 8 0
126	Ditto ...	98/2	Ditto	Do. ...	195 0 0
127	Ditto ...	100	Adoyto Churn Mondal and others ...	Do. ...	97 8 0
128	Strand Bank Road, Ruthtola Jute godown.	.....	Secretary to the Port Commissioners	Do. ...	92 0 0
129	Strand Bank Road, Nimtola Jute godown.	.....	Ditto	Do. ...	235 8 0
130	Strand Bank Road, Shahibbazar Jute godown.	.....	Ditto	Do. ...	273 0 0
			WARD No. 3.		
131	Budreedas Temple Street.	1	Goopee Mohun Roy	Jute ...	62 0 0
132	Ditto ...	4	Manick Chunder Coondoo ...	Do. ...	66 0 0
133	Ditto ...	6	Surju Coomar Guru Churn Shaw ...	Do. ...	31 0 0
134	Ditto ...	19	Behary Lall Shaw	Do. ...	19 8 0
135	Ditto ...	24	Guru Charan Shaw	Do. ...	39 0 0
136	Ditto ..	25	Trannath Banerji	Do. ...	31 8 0
137	Canal West Road ...	32/A	Durgadhan Shaw	Do. ...	35 0 0
138	Ditto ...	24/A	Lalit Mohan Brindaban Chunder Shaw.	Do. ...	46 8 0
139	Ditto ...	25	Ditto	Do. ...	35 0 0
140	Ditto ...	25/3	Guru Charan Shaw	Do. ...	44 0 0
141	Ditto ...	26	Ditto	Do. ...	63 0 0
142	Ditto ...	27/1	Hiridhari Lal Roy	Do. ...	55 8 0
143	Ditto ...	29	Gopi Mohon Roy	Do. ...	85 0 0
144	Ditto ...	29/1	Ditto	Do. ...	29 0 0
145	Ditto ...	31	Kisory Mohon Shaw ...	Do. ...	54 8 0
146	Ditto ...	32	Issur Chunder Amuluk Chand Shaw	Do. ...	46 8 0
147	Ditto ...	35/4	Gobinda Chunder Shaw ...	Do. ...	24 8 0
148	Ditto ...	35/4/1	Ditto	Do. ...	63 8 0
149	Ditto ...	35/5	Parbaty Churn Roy and another ..	Do. ...	78 0 0
150	Ditto ...	33/34	Durjodhan Shaw	Do. ...	35 0 0
151	Goureebare Lane ...	55	Trannath Banerjee	Do. ...	28 8 0
152	Ditto ...	56 & 57	Gobinda Chunder Shaw ...	Do. ...	38 0 0
153	Ditto ...	58	Beharylal Shaw	Do. ...	46 8 0
154	Halseebagan Lane ...	4	Lolit Mohun Brindaban Chunder Shaw.	Do. ...	15 8 0
			WARD No. 5.		
155	Durmahatta Street ...	195	Adoyto Churn Mondal and others ...	Jute ...	31 0 0
156	Jorabagan Street ...	26	Ramessur Aitch	Do. ...	34 0 0
157	Nimtola Ghat Street	43	Goormukhroy Sureka	Do. ...	195 0 0
158	Strand Road ...	57	Jodunath Shachowdhury ...	Do. ...	113 0 0

Locality of warehouse.	Premises No.	Name of licensee.	Description of warehouse.	Amount of tax.
		WARD No. 5—*concld.*		Rs. A. P.
Strand Road	66	Rashbehary Kooroory	Jute	58 8 0
Ditto	67/9	Macneil & Co., Agents, River Steam Navigation Company, Limited.	Do.	429 0 0
Ditto	67/27/H/1/B	India General Navigation and Railway Company, Limited.	Do.	200 0 0
Ditto	67/H/5/67/H/6	Secretary to the Port Commissioners...	Do.	75 8 0
		WARD No. 9.		
Baliaghata Road ...	135	George Henderson & Co., Agents, Baranagar Jute Mill.	Jute	130 0 0
Canal West Road ...	4	Manager, Baranagar Branch Mill ...	Do.	147 8 0
Upper Circular Road	308	Manager, Eastern Bengal Railway ...	Do.	277 0 0
		WARD No. 12.		
Strand Bank Armenian Ghat Jute godown.		Secretary to the Port Commissioners...	Jute ...	750 0 0
		WARD No. 19.		
Guriapara Road		Bird & Co., Agents, Union Jute Mill	Jute ...	268 8 0
		WARD No. 25.		
Circular Garden Reach Road.	9	Gillanders, Arbuthnot & Co., Agents, Hooghly Jute Mill.	Jute ...	187 0 0

RESOLUTION ON THE SECOND ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BENGAL SMOKE NUISANCES COMMISSION FOR THE YEAR 1907-08.

No. 2830Marine.

Government of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 14th September 1908.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

Letter No. 66, dated the 3rd Sepetmber 1908, from the Secretary to the Bengal Smoke-nuisances Commission.

Read also—

The second Annual Report of the Commission for the year 1907-08.

During the year under review the Chief Inspector and the Assistant Inspector of Smoke-nuisances made 3,900 observations of smoke emitted from chimneys, and over 2,400 inspections of furnaces. The appliances for stoking were tested in 71 cases, and mechanical stokers and smoke-preventing appliances were fitted to 91 furnaces. Statutory warnings were served on the owners of mill-factories in 74 cases. Prosecutions were instituted in three cases, in all of which a conviction was obtained.

Observations, warnings and Prosecutions.

2. In Calcutta and Howrah there was an average emission of dense black smoke for 2·5 minutes in the hour in March 1908, against 3·28 minutes in the hour in April 1907 and 13 minutes in the hour in April 1906, when the work of the Commission was first commenced. This result is satisfactory. Gas and electric motive power supplied from street mains are being introduced into a few factories in place of steam-power so as to avoid smoke.

Reduction of smoke in Calcutta and Howrah.

3. The Commission received during the year 15 written complaints, all of which were attended to promptly. Formerly considerable difficulty was experienced in getting the chimneys of mill factories raised, but this difficulty is likely to diminish, as owners realise that a better draught, easier steam, and smaller consumption of fuel are obtained by so doing. The Lieutenant-Governor recognizes with pleasure the assistance afforded to the Commission by factory owners and those in charge of furnaces in trying to prevent smoke.

Complaints.

4. The thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are due to the President and other members of the Commission, and particularly to the non-official members who have willingly given their time and services to its work.

ORDER—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry; the President of the Smoke-nuisances Commission; the Commissioners of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions; the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta; the Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce; the Secretary, Calcutta Trades' Association; and the Secretary, Bengal National Chamber of Commerce.

Ordered, also, that the Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. A. INGLIS,

Secretary.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CIVIL VETERINARY DEPARTMENT, BENGAL, AND OF THE BENGAL VETERINARY COLLEGE FOR THE YEAR 1907-08.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT—AGRICULTURE.

Calcutta, the 11th September 1908.

RESOLUTION—No. 3963Agri.

READ—

The Annual Report of the Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal, and of the Bengal Veterinary College for the year 1907-08.

Lieutenant-Colonel Raymond,. F.R.C.V.S., held combined charge of the Bengal Veterinary College and the Provincial Civil Veterinary Department throughout the year. He was assisted by Mr. Harris, who joined his appointment as Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, Eastern Bengal and Assam, on 28th May 1907, and by Mr. D. Quinlan, the present Superintendent of the Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal.

2. *The Bengal Veterinary College.*—The popularity of the Bengal Veterinary College has increased considerably. There were 151 students on the roll during the year, compared with 104 in the previous year, of whom 60 came from Eastern Bengal and Assam and 12 from Burma, Madras, the United Provinces and the Punjab. That the students have been able to appreciate the instruction is proved by the report of the Board of Examiners, which shows that 82, 90 and 88 per cent. of the students passed in the first, second and third years, respectively. The Institution itself has grown rapidly, and during the year the new hostel to accommodate 156 students, the *post-mortem* room, and quarters for the Assistant Surgeon and the Overseers were completed. Lieutenant-Colonel Raymond has been able to do much scientific work in the new bacteriological laboratory, and in addition to ordinary research he has made important investigations in connection with rabies cases and the Glanders and Farcy Act. It is unfortunate that the completion of the buildings has been retarded this year through want of funds. Lieutenant-Colonel Raymond has now organised the administration of the Glanders and Farcy Act in Calcutta. The area has been divided into six districts, each in charge of a Veterinary Inspector. No animal has been destroyed except after personal examination by Lieutenant-Colonel Raymond, whose administration of the Act has been most tactful.

3. *The Veterinary Infirmary, Belgachia.*—The popularity of the Infirmary has increased, and the number of cases treated was 4,132 as compared with 3,095 in 1906-07. It is satisfactory to note also that the number of out-door patients has increased nearly 100 per cent.

4. *Veterinary Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—There are now 25 Veterinary dispensaries in Bengal. One dispensary at Arrah was opened during the year, and dispensaries at Chapra and Bhagalpur haye been completed since the end of the year. The latter, on which over Rs. 10,000 have been spent, was due to the liberality of Babu Ramani Mohan Singh. The Lieutenant-Governor would draw the attention of the Superintendent to last year's Resolution and again ask him to record more fully his opinion about the working of the several institutions during the year and the causes of their comparative success or failure. During the present year there has been a very large increase in the cases treated at Hooghly, the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Jessore, Darjeeling, Bhagalpur, Angul, Puri and Ranchi, and a large decrease in Darbhanga, Monghyr, and Hazaribagh. The causes of these fluctuations should be ascertained by the Superintendent, and in the case of the Sonthal Parganas, an explanation of the remarkable increase should be submitted to Government. The total number of patients rose during the year from 32,736 to 61,557. The number of horses treated during the year was 10,430 (which is almost the same as last year), but the number of cattle treated has increased from 18,525 to 49,458.

5. *Diseases.*—The information given in Table II of the number of deaths from contagious diseases is founded upon the reports of chaukidars, checked in a few cases only by the Veterinary staff. The results at present obtained in this way are not reliable, and in the particular case of the 24-Parganas are so obviously incorrect that the Superintendent will be asked to submit a special report on them. Leaving the figures of that district out of account the number of deaths from contagious diseases was 10,557 compared with 21,025 last year. There were 259 cases of death from glanders, of which 249 were detected in Calcutta. It is observed that there has been a large decrease in the number of cattle inoculated for rinderpest from 22,613 to 5,978. The reasons for this considerable falling-off should be reported to the Lieutenant-Governor, who attaches the greatest importance to this branch of the Superintendent's work. The percentage of fatal cases was only ·33.

6. *Breeding Operations.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to see that some progress has been made in the improvement of the breed of cattle, and that steps are being taken to protect the Bramhani breeding bulls in the districts. There are now three herds of cattle at Sripur, Pusa and Kalimpong respectively, and in time it will be possible to supply good bulls to the surrounding villages.

7. *Fairs and Shows.*—There were 13 fairs and shows held during the year, and all but two were attended by officers of the Department.

8. *General.*—During the year the scheme for the reorganisation of the Civil Veterinary Department received the final sanction of the Secretary of State and the service has been made pensionable. According to this scheme there will ultimately be two Veterinary Assistants in every subdivision in the Province with a superior staff consisting of 30 Inspectors and 9 Deputy Superintendents. The scheme will be brought into force gradually as funds permit. The separation of the Civil Veterinary Department from the administration of the Bengal Veterinary College was sanctioned during the year and took effect from the 1st of April 1908. Mr. D. Quinlan, who was under training with Lieutenant-Colonel Raymond, has been appointed Superintendent of the Civil Veterinary Department, while Lieutenant-Colonel Raymond takes charge of the Bengal Veterinary College and the administration of the Glanders and Farcy Act in Calcutta. The first Imperial Veterinary Conference was held at Calcutta in February 1908 when the members visited the Bengal Veterinary College.

9. The Lieutenant-Governor desires to acknowledge the uniformly excellent character of Lieutenant-Colonel Raymond's work, and he endorses the opinion expressed by him of the good work done by Mr. D. Quinlan, I.C.V.D., and Mr. E. H. Brand, the Assistant Principal of the College.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 14th September 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc
		Inches.			
	BURDWAN ...	5·42			Rainfall at Kalna 2·69, at Katwa 4·99 and at Raniganj 3·26 inches. Weather hot and cloudy with occasional showers. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute continuing. Weeding of *aman* paddy going on. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair and that of winter rice good. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Fodder and water sufficient. Three cases of cattle-disease reported from thana Jamalpur. 436 persons receiving gratuitous relief in Katwa.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·27			Rainfall at Rampur Hât 3.39 inches. Weather seasonable. Weeding going on. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7¾ seers per rupee at Rampur Hât.
3	BANKURA ...	2·83		7½	Rainfall at Vishnupur 4·44 inches. Weather seasonable. *Aus* paddy ripening in places. Prospects of winter rice good. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 223, women 664 and children 208—total 1,095. People attending 6 test works—481 men, 328 women and 25 children—total 834—on the 11th September. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 6 to 7½ seers per rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE ..	0·91			Rainfall at Contai 5·59, at Tamluk 1·77 and at Ghatal 2·02 inches. Transplantation of winter rice finished. Harvesting of autumn rice commenced. Early cotton being sown. Prospects of autumn rice and *bhadoi til* fair; that of jute and winter rice good.
5	HOOGHLY	1·96	6½	6½	Rainfall at Serampore 2·95 inches. Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair. *Aus* and *aman* paddy doing well. Cutting of jute going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Arambagh report not received.
	HOWRAH ...	2·02	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Uluberia 2·46 inches. Transplantation of paddy completed in Sadar, but still going on in parts of Ulubaria. Prospects of rice fair, but of jute not good. Harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy already begun in places. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
	24-PARGANAS	2·35		6	Weather seasonable. Rainfall sufficient everywhere. Condition of jute fair. Paddy damaged by insects in Barasat. Insects disappeared from Basirhat. Damage done by excessive rain to crops in Magrahat, Fulta, Vishnupur and Jaynagar thanas. Common rice selling at 6¼ seers per rupee at Barasat, 6½ seers at Basirhat and Barrackpore and 7 seers at Diamond Harbour.
	NADIA ...	2·39	8*	6¾	Rainfall at Ranaghat 6·61, at Chuadanga 1·06, at Meherpur 2·82 and at Kushtia 2·87 inches. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute continuing. Prospects of standing crops fair; that of jute not good. Sowing of *kalai* and *rabi* crops begun in Meherpur. Price of common rice falling. Stocks of food-grains not sufficient. Situation improved. No further apprehension of famine. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Persons attending test works on 7th September—1,232 men and 12 women—total 1,244. No gratuitous relief given.

No.	Name of district.	*Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	8·99	7	7	Rainfall at Lalbagh 11·70, Kandi 4·77 and Jangipur 1·92 inches. Good rain received during the week. Harvesting of *aus* paddy progressing. Prospects of *aman* paddy favourable. Condition of jute and sugarcane fair except in the Kandi subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and drinking water sufficient. 917 labourers employed on District Board test-works.
10	JESSORE ...	1·12	8*	8*	Rainfall at Jhenidah 1·43, at Magura 1·25, at Narail 1·47 and at Bangaon 5·35 inches. Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. More rain wanted. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute going on. Prospects of jute not favourable. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good. High prices continuing. 3,564 persons given gratuitous relief.
11	KHULNA ...	1·30	8	8	Rainfall at Bagerhat 1·24 and at Satkhira 4·12 inches. Weather seasonable. More rain wanted. Prices of staple food-crops almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops fair; that of jute not favourable. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	0·76	7 12†	7 12†	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Standing crops benefited by light showers, but heavy rain still needed for transplantation of paddy seedlings on unirrigated areas. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Sugarcane doing well. Prices almost stationary. Food-stocks being supplemented by importation from outside. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	1·27	8¾* 11†	8¼* 9½†	Rainfall during the week almost general, but not sufficient. Weather showery at first—later in the week hot. Sugarcane doing well. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy still continuing in places. More rain wanted for it. Harvesting of *marua* and *maka* going on. Prices slightly fallen at the Sadar and the Aurangabad subdivisions. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	0·92	8	7¾ 10†	Rainfall at Bhabua 2·16, at Buxar 0·86, at Sasaram 0·81 and at Dehri 0·98 inches. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy in progress. Transplantation of paddy nearly completed, but more rain wanted. Standing crops doing well. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks below the normal, but sufficient if not exported. Agricultural stock in normal condition. Cattle-disease reported from Bikramganj thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	0·96	8½ 12†	9 10¼†	Rainfall at Siwan 7·03 and at Gopalganj 9·04 inches. Weather hot. Standing crops generally much benefited by the recent rain, but it was insufficient at Sadar. Prices of food-grains stationary. Scarcity apprehended in the northern half of the Sadar subdivision. Food-stock resources external. Agricultural stock in good condition. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0·46	$7\frac{1}{2}$ / $10\frac{1}{2}$*	$7\frac{1}{2}$ / $10\frac{1}{2}$*	Rainfall at Bettiah 7·98 inches. Good rain reported from most parts of the district. Rainfall at the beginning of the week beneficial. Transplantation of winter paddy and harvesting of several crops going on. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. Prospects of jute and sugarcane fair.
7	MUZAFFARPUR	2·04	8 / 11*	8 / $10\frac{1}{4}$*	Weather hot and sometimes cloudy. Rainfall at Sitamarhi 0·90 and at Hajipur 3·35 inches. Agricultural outlook greatly improved by recent rain, but more rain wanted. Transplantation of paddy continuing. *Marua* and *makai* being harvested at places. Prospects of jute fair. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice and *makai* selling at $7\frac{1}{4}$ and 10 seers per rupee, respectively, at Hajipur and at $7\frac{1}{2}$ and 12 seers a rupee at Sitamarhi.
	DARBHANGA ...	3·61	7 / 11*	7 / $9\frac{3}{4}$*	Weather hot and at times cloudy. Agricultural prospects improved by rain, which was general during the week. *Bhadoi* crops benefited by the rainfall and transplantation of paddy resumed. More rain urgently wanted. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Fodder and water available. No cattle-disease reported.
	MONGHYR ...	1·90	$6\frac{3}{4}$ / 11*	$6\frac{3}{4}$ / $9\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather hot and often cloudy. *Bhadoi* crops doing well. More rain wanted for transplantation of paddy. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Price of *makai* fallen. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	BHAGALPUR ...	1·10	$8\frac{1}{2}$ / $11\frac{3}{8}$*	$7\frac{5}{8}$ / $10\frac{1}{8}$*	Rainfall at Banka 5·27, Midnapore 4·53 and Supaul 2·69 inches. Weather hot—sometimes cloudy. Much good done to standing crops and transplantation of paddy facilitated by the recent rain. But the rain least where most needed, *i.e.*, in the Sadar subdivision. More rain absolutely essential to prevent general failure. Harvesting of *marua* and *makai* going on. Condition of jute fair. Future prospects dependent on rain during the next week.
	RNEA ...	4·00	7	7	Rainfall at Kishenganj 4·26 and at Araria 7·93 inches. Weather hot. Harvesting of jute and *bhadoi* paddy in progress. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy begun in places owing to recent showers. Prospects of standing crops fair. Condition of jute fair. Stocks of food-grains and agricultural stock adequate. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Forbesganj and Raniganj. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Araria and at 6 seers at Kishanganj.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
22	DARJEELING ...	Inches. 3·21	{ 7 11†	{ 7 11†	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Siliguri 7·47 inches. Hills—Maize and potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi dhan* being sown and harvested in some places. Winter rice and *bara marua* growing. Terai—Transplantation of winter rice nearly finished. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and jute going on. Prospects of jute and other standing crops improved by the recent rain. Food-grains and agricultural stock sufficient.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	3·35	{ 8* 16½†	{ 8* 10¼†	Rainfall at Deoghur 4·32, Godda 2·56 Jamtara 1·70, Pakour 8·56 and Rajmahal 2·71 inches. More rain wanted in Godda and Rajmahal, where transplantation of paddy is still going on. Prospects of maize fair. Jute being cut and steeped. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. Prices of staple food-grains falling. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Burma rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Deoghur and at 8½ seers at Jamtara and Pakaur.
24	CUTTACK ...	1·66	6⅞	6⅞	Rainfall general except at Kendrapara. *Biali* paddy and *mandia* being cut and harvested. *Saradh* paddy being transplanted. Sugarcane thriving. Condition of cattle generally good. Fodder and water sufficient. Agricultural operations resumed in flooded tracts, where crops have been damaged by floods in some villages. 695 men, 1,764 women and 3,615 children—total 6,074—given gratuitous relief. 40 men, 147 women and 165 children—total 352—on test-works.
25	BALASORE ...	1·04	8½	8	Weather seasonable Rainfall at Bhadrak 3·54 inches. Transplanting and weeding of *saradh* paddy continuing. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and jute commenced at places. Prospects of jute fair. Sugarcane and vegetables promising well. Winter rice entirely destroyed by floods, in low lands of thanas Dhamnagar, Chandbali and Baliapal, over 150 square miles. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Scarcity existing in some parts of Basudebpur, Bhadrak, Jellasore, Baliapal, Chandbali, Dhamnagar and Basta thanas. Fodder and water sufficient, except in flood affected areas of Chandbali and Dhamnagar thanas. Common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee at Bhadrak. 291 men, 808 women and 725 children—total 1,734—at Sadar, and 7,012 persons at Bhadrak receiving gratuitous relief. Test-works closed.
26	ANGUL ...	1·15	6	5	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Phulbani 1·61 inches. Harvesting of millets and *bhadoi* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops in progress. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Cheapest rice selling at 7½ seers in the Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief—87 men, 181 women and 596 children—total 864—in Angul, and 119 men, 156 women and 66 children—total 341—in Khondmals. Persons on test-works—350 men, 138 women and 72 children—total 560—in Angul, and 467 men, 83 women and 67 children—total 617—in the Khondmals.
27	PURI ...	1·20	6 9/16	6 9/16	Rainfall at Khurda 0·54 inch. Floods subsiding over the whole district except Mariohpore. Transplantation and weeding of *saradh* paddy continuing. Insect-pests disappearing in Khurda. Crops damaged by floods replaced by retransplantation. *Biali* paddy and *mandia* ripening. Vegetables and other miscellaneous crops growing well. Prices of common rice stationary. Persons attending test-works—292 men, 103 women and 306 children—total 701. Number of persons on gratuitous relief—398 men, 1,452 women and 1,299 children—total 3,149. Seven men attending piece-works.

* Burma rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
		3	4		6
		Inches.			
28	Sambalpur ...	1·46	10	9½	Weeding of winter rice and sowing of *til*, *kurthi* and *urid* still continuing. Reaping of autumn rice commenced in some places. Condition of sugarcane good and that of *bhadoi til* fair. Stocks of food-grains and fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Cattle-disease in many villages in both tansils. Cheapest rice selling at 11¼ seers a rupee at Bargarh.
29	Hazaribagh...	1·47	8·* 9†	8* 10†	Rainfall at Giridih 5·17 inches. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops finished. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Rice selling 6 to 8½ seers per rupee and maize 7 to 9½ seers per rupee in the interior. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 669, women 1,722 and children 1,272—total 3,663. No attendance on District Board work.
30	Ranchi ...	1·49	8*	7 9/16*	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Sowing of *sirguja* and *kurthi* continuing. Plant-disease locally called *sanda* reported to have attacked paddy crops in thana Torpa. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6¼ seers per rupee. Persons attending test-works—men 265, women 261 and children 93—total 619. On gratuitous relief in undeclared area—men 33, women 259 and children 12—total 304. Persons on famine relief-works in declared area—men 1,127, women 1,396 and children 757—total 3,280. On gratuitous relief in declared area—men 832, women 2,645 and children 1,778—total 5,255.
1	Palamau ...	1·47	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. *Kurthi* and *til* being sown. *Bhadoi* paddy generally doing well. Fields for *rabi* crops being prepared. Local grain stocks insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease.
	Manbhum ...	1·01	8	8	Rainfall at Gobindpur 3·10 inches. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Outturn of autumn rice and *marua* estimated at 90 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease not reported. Agricultural stock in fair condition. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate. Demand for labour good.
	Singhbhum ...	2·64	6	6	Weather generally hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *gora* paddy commenced. Sowings of *kurthi* and *sirguja* in progress. Outturn of harvest good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and 7½ seers at Seraikella.
	Cooch Behar	11·14	6¾	6¾	Weather cloudy. Transplantation of *haimantik* paddy and cutting and steeping of jute continuing. Prospects of crops improved. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Common rice.
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1	2	3		4	5
		Inches.			
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

Name of State.	Inches.
Daspalla ...	2·09
Athgarh ...	2·50
Talcher ...	2·13
Dhenkanal ...	4·83
Baramba ...	3·35
Hindol ...	0·95
Keonjhar ...	3 36
Bonai ...	2·59
Ranpur ...	1·95
Kalahandi ...	0·95
Sonpur ...	7·09
Boad ...	0·56
Mayurbhanj ...	2·15
Rairakhol ...	3·37
Patna ...	4·22
Nayagarh ...	1·89
Nilgiri ...	1 22
Gangpur ...	1·60
Bamra ...	4·4[illegible]
Narsingpur ...	3·50
Pal Lahera ...	4·03
Khondpara ...	Copious rain for two days in the week.

Heavy rain in Sonpur. Transplantation of paddy plants completed in some of the States and approaching completion in other States. Weeding in progress in all States. Sowing of *til* in progress in Hindol, Keonjhar, Ranpur, Kalahandi, Sonpur, Patna, Gangpur and Dhenkanal. and land being prepared for sowing it in Boad and Baramba. Standing crops and sugarcane in good condition. Cotton in flower in Baramba and Nayagarh. Some damage reported to paddy plants in riparian tracts in Narsingpur and Khandpara and paddy injured in ten villages in Baramba. Harvesting of early rice crops commenced in Athgarh, Baramba, Hindol, Kalahandi, Mayurbhanj and Nilgiri and *gora* paddy in Keonjhar and *gulji* in Bonai and Kalahandi. Fodder and water sufficient and agricultural stock sufficient also except in Narsingpur and Pal Lahera. Price of rice fallen from 7 to 8 seers per rupee in Daspalla, 8¼ to 8⅛ in Boad, 7 to 7½ in Rairakhol and 10 to 11 in Patna and stationary elsewhere.

* The report is for the week ending the 8th September 1908.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Rain was general all over the Province, the fall being good in the Presidency and Bhagalpur Divisions and in North Bihar. In the latter tracts transplantation of paddy has been resumed and the agricultural outlook has improved. More rain is still needed in North Bihar Harvesting of jute and *bhadoi* paddy continues. Sugarcane is doing well. Prospects of *aman* paddy are fair in the tract where transplantation has been finished. Damage has been caused by floods in Puri, Cuttack, and especially in Balasore. Insect-pests are still doing injury in the 24-Parganas and Ranchi. The price of common rice has fallen in Bankura, Nadia, Gaya, Shahabad, Bhagalpur, Balasore, Angul, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh and Ranchi and risen in Saran only. Stocks of food-grains are still reported to be insufficient in Nadia and Palamau. Scarcity is apprehended in parts of Saran. Cattle-disease is reported from Burdwan, Shahabad, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient throughout the Province. The number of persons attending test works in Bankura, Nadia, Murshidabad, Cuttack, Angul, Puri and Ranchi was 5,851. Gratuitous relief was given to 33,491 persons, of whom 19,174 are in Orissa. The number of persons on famine relief works in Ranchi was 3,280.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 15th September 1908.

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... Districts of the Districts of Bengal for the month of July 1908.

Divisions.	Districts	Population under registration.	Births. Number registered.	Births. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Deaths. Cholera. Number registered.	Cholera. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Deaths. Small-pox. Number registered.	Small-pox. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Deaths. Plague. Number registered.	Plague. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Deaths. Fever. Number registered.	Fever. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Deaths. Dysentery and Diarrhœa. Number registered.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Deaths. Respiratory diseases. Number registered.	Respiratory diseases. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Deaths. Injury. Number registered.	Injury. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Deaths. Other causes. Number registered.	Deaths. Other causes. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Deaths. Total of all causes. Number registered.	Deaths. Total of all causes. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Average of corresponding month of previous five years. Number registered.	Average of corresponding month of previous five years. Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Remarks.
...	Burdwan	1,532,716	[illegible]	15·09	[illegible]	·60	[illegible]	·24	...	...	[illegible]	18·24	102	·72	21	·15	48	·36	482	3·60	3,090	24·12	3,209	25·08	
...	Birbhum	[illegible]	[illegible]	21·56	[illegible]	4·56	[illegible]	·24	...	...	[illegible]	23·92	25	·24	11	·12	51	·60	179	2·28	2,580	34·20	2,098	27·84	
...	Bankura	1,1[illegible]	2,77[illegible]	29·76	97[illegible]	2·88	[illegible]	·56	...	...	[illegible]	22·92	67	·72	11	·10	45	·48	6[illegible]	6·48	3,[illegible]74	34·08	2,208	24·72	
...	Midnapore	2,[illegible]8[illegible],114	[illegible]	21·56	[illegible]	9·52	[illegible]	·24	...	...	[illegible]	16·20	157	·60	11	·03	59	·36	1,[illegible]15	4·32	5,710	24·48	5,503	23·64	
...	Hooghly, including Serampore.	1,049,041	1,[illegible]	17·52	5[illegible]	·60	25	·24	...	...	[illegible]	15·72	180	2·04	31	·24	94	·96	334	3·96	2,114	24·12	1,970	22·44	
...	Howrah	859,514	1,712	21·24	12	·60	2	·56	...	...	[illegible]	8·52	236	3·24	39	·48	87	1·08	4[illegible]	5·76	1,452	20·40	1,607	22·56	
...	24-Parganas	2,074,359	3,964	21·24	813	1·80	64	·36	...	...	1,[illegible]	10·68	88	·48	33	·12	180	·96	557	3·12	3,102	17·88	3,315	19·08	
...	Calcutta	847,786	1,[illegible]	15·48	19	1·08	30	·36	1	1·52	1[illegible]	·264	138	1·92	305	4·80	42	·48	787	11·04	1,712	24·12	1,587	22·44	
...	Nadia	1,667,491	3,323	23·58	24	·12	11	·07	...	...	2,[illegible]43	16·08	11	·07	4	·02	119	·84	345	2·40	2,756	19·80	3,161	22·68	
...	Murshidabad	1,333,154	2,[illegible]55	25·68	106	·84	15	·12	...	...	2,[illegible]75	18·60	16	·12	5	·02	106	·84	404	3·60	3,731	24·48	3,102	28·68	
...	Jessore	1,813,155	3,[illegible]0[illegible]	25·32	121	·72	4	·03	...	...	2,[illegible]73	16·80	14	·08	8	·04	118	·72	347	2·28	3,187	20·88	3,088	20·40	
...	Khulna	1,253,043	2,[illegible]8[illegible]	25·68	38	·24	1	·04	...	...	1,237	11·76	41	·36	1	·008	68	·60	514	4·92	1,904	18·12	2,419	23·04	
...	Patna	1,624,742	3,[illegible]02	28·56	324	4·56	332	2·40	2	·01	2,[illegible]01	14·52	251	1·80	105	·72	143	·96	1,699	11·88	5,057	37·32	6,440	47·52	
...	Gaya	2,089,953	5,[illegible]8[illegible]	34·08	7,370	42·84	112	2·40	2	·01	5,[illegible]82	32·40	117	·60	17	·09	167	·96	1,211	6·96	14,[illegible]78	86·64	7,674	44·64	
...	Shahabad	1,962,696	5,196	31·68	1,823	11·16	187	1·08	1	·006	4,[illegible]76	26·76	40	·24	6	·03	91	·48	699	4·20	7,044	42·96	7,414	45·24	
...	Saran	2,409,911	6,[illegible]73	32·64	1,666	5·40	961	1·20	...	...	3,[illegible]21	16·08	906	·96	40	·12	195	·96	2,167	10·68	7,206	35·88	7,084	35·16	
...	Champaran	1,790,463	5,[illegible]69	40·20	501	3·24	193	1·20	...	...	3,[illegible]75	23·28	12	·07	2	·01	177	1·08	941	6·24	5,289	35·40	6,089	40·80	
...	Muzaffarpur	2,755,633	8,[illegible]01	35·64	1,[illegible]30	5·64	44	·12	...	...	5,[illegible]96	24·72	52	·24	5	·01	293	1·20	984	4·08	8,393	36·48	8,147	35·40	
...	Darbhanga	2,912,611	7,[illegible]77	32·40	972	1·80	16	·03	...	...	5,[illegible]53	22·68	64	·24	1	·003	223	·84	851	3·48	7,143	29·40	8,228	33·84	
...	Monghyr	2,068,894	4,[illegible]73	27·72	1,[illegible]20	7·80	76	·36	6	·02	3,[illegible]05	22·68	13	·10	1	·01	166	·84	721	4·20	6,211	36·24	6,572	38·04	
...	Bhagalpur	2,048,953	4,[illegible]77	28·56	4,[illegible]28	6·96	35	·12	...	...	3,[illegible]52	21·96	18	·09	...	...	125	·60	505	2·88	5,738	32·88	5,308	30·48	
...	Purnea	1,871,724	2,[illegible]59	22·92	[illegible]	·04	6	·03	...	...	2,[illegible]38	20·88	3	·02	...	...	78	·48	165	·60	3,482	22·20	4,102	26·16	
...	Darjeeling	249,117	[illegible]	34·92	[illegible]	·96	...	...	...	...	[illegible]7	51·20	193	9·24	...	...	7	·24	174	8·28	1,045	50·28	979	47·04	
...	Santhal Parganas	1,[illegible]8[illegible],757	1,[illegible]70	29·76	[illegible]0[illegible]	17·28	15	·84	...	...	[illegible]47	56·56	15	·84	8	·04	65	·36	361	2·28	8,501	58·32	4,467	29·52	
...	Cuttack	2,062,755	[illegible]1[illegible]	30·36	[illegible]1[illegible]	8·52	17	·24	...	...	[illegible]5[illegible]	22·92	142	8·16	70	·36	142	·84	2,204	12·72	9,359	54·12	5,274	30·60	
...	Balasore	1,071,197	[illegible]2[illegible]	20·10	[illegible]0[illegible]	6·24	4	·48	...	...	1,[illegible]31	11·88	240	2·76	...	...	96	·72	1,650	18·60	3,924	45·02	2,621	29·28	
...	Puri	1,017,284	[illegible]2[illegible]	31·32	1,[illegible]0[illegible]	15·36	35	·96	...	...	1,[illegible]07	11·04	848	10·44	230	3·00	77	·84	1,554	18·24	5,370	63·24	2,816	33·12	
...	Sambalpur	636,589	1,[illegible]0[illegible]	33·96	[illegible]2[illegible]	5·52	12	·60	...	...	[illegible]7	11·40	296	5·52	52	·96	38	·60	756	14·16	2,[illegible]78	42·12	1,[illegible]57	29·52	*For two years. Not under registration.
...	Angul and Khondmals	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	Hazaribagh	1,177,061	3,[illegible]04	30·60	1,[illegible]75	17·52	39	1·92	...	...	4,[illegible]69	41·04	123	1·20	4	·03	76	·72	681	6·36	6,784	69·00	3,298	33·48	
...	Ranchi	1,187,825	3,[illegible]05	30·50	[illegible]1	9·36	24	2·04	...	...	2,[illegible]25	19·92	204	5·00	9	·08	71	·60	881	8·88	3,721	37·56	2,577	25·92	
...	Palamau	615,609	1,[illegible]52	30·00	3,[illegible]58	61·08	7	·12	...	...	1,[illegible]72	87·80	22	·36	1	·01	35	1·20	216	4·68	5,151	193·60	2,389	45·60	
...	Manbhum	1,301,364	2,[illegible]51	33·04	9[illegible]	6·36	31	·24	...	...	[illegible]1[illegible]	27·72	57	·24	...	...	33	·24	328	4·80	4,338	59·96	3,141	28·92	
...	Singhbhum	618,579	1,[illegible]08	33·72	17[illegible]	5·52	10	·24	...	...	[illegible]1[illegible]	28·92	51	·60	...	...	15	·84	121	2·28	1,[illegible]94	56·56	1,051	20·52	
	Total	54,528,446	120,[illegible]1[illegible]	26·56	25,[illegible]23	2·08	2,[illegible]7[illegible]	·60	14[illegible]	·02	88,[illegible]31	21·12	5,579	1·52	1,103	·24	3,[illegible]06	·72	21,[illegible]8[illegible]	5·88	150,[illegible]27	37·20	130,284	30·84	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	147,270	31·92	15,[illegible]52	3·72	1,[illegible]21	·36	285	·01	78,302	18·60	3,717	·84	775	·12	3,[illegible]37	·84	25,[illegible]23	6·12	130,281	30·84	...	...	
	Difference + or −	.....	−20,[illegible]75	−6·36	+[illegible],[illegible]79	+3·56	+1,[illegible]27	+·24	−12[illegible]	−·02	+10,[illegible]39	+2·52	+1,862	+·48	+328	+·12	−2[illegible]	−·12	−3·0	−·24	+20,543	+6·36	...	...	

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,
The 12th September 1908

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of July 1908.

Dists.	Towns.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.		REMARKS.
					CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURY.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
	1. Burdwan	35,266	28	9·48	2	·60	1	·24	...	...	24	8·16	9	3·00	4	1·32	2	·60	10	3·36	52	17·64	67	22·68	
	2. Bankura	20,737	29	20·76	3	3·96	...	...	...	...	22	12·72	1	·48	1	·48	2	1·08	9	5·16	42	24·24	37	21·36	
	3. Midnapore	33,140	66	23·88	16	5·76	8	2·88	...	...	76	27·48	23	8·28	3	1·08	...	...	13	4·68	139	50·28	112	40·44	
	4. Hooghly and Chinsura	29,285	26	10·56	4	1·56	2	·72	...	...	41	16·68	10	4·08	1	·36	1	·36	11	4·44	70	28·56	62	25·32	
	5. Serampore	44,451	44	11·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	9·96	14	3·72	4	·96	...	...	19	5·04	74	20·04	70	18·84	
	6. Howrah	157,594	188	14·28	15	·84	13	·96	...	...	173	13·08	35	2·64	10	·72	13	·96	91	7·08	350	26·64	343	26·04	
	7. Cossipore-Chitpur ...	40,750	34	9·96	2	·48	...	...	...	...	8	2·28	1	·24	...	...	...	...	2	·48	13	3·72	24	6·96	
	8. Maniktala	32,387	24	8·88	2	·72	...	...	...	...	13	4·80	1	·36	...	...	...	...	2	·72	18	6·60	17	6·24	
	9. South Suburban ...	26,374	41	18·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	7·20	5	2·16	4	1·80	5	2·16	7	3·12	37	16·80	37	16·80	
	10. Garden Reach ...	28,211	41	17·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2·52	...	...	...	...	1	·36	2	·84	9	3·72	34	14·40	
	11. Barnagore	25,433	25	10·80	4	1·80	...	...	...	...	12	5·64	1	·36	1	·36	2	·84	6	2·76	28	12·24	30	18·36	
	12. Bhatpara	21,540	25	13·92	...	...	1	·48	...	...	22	12·24	2	1·08	1	·48	13	7·20	5	2·76	44	24·48	34	18·84	
	13. Calcutta	847,796	1,097	15·48	79	1·08	30	·36	98	1·32	192	2·64	138	1·92	346	4·80	32	·48	787	11·04	1,712	24·12	1,587	22·44	
	14. Krishnagar	24,547	18	8·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	12·12	1	·48	1	·48	2	·96	3	1·44	32	15·60	33	16·08	
	15. Santipur	26,898	42	18·72	1	·36	...	...	...	...	29	12·84	2	·84	1	·36	2	·84	2	·84	36	15·96	61	27·12	
	16. Berhampore	24,797	48	20·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	17·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	3·36	42	20·64	68	33·36	
	17. Patna City	123,091	280	22·32	114	11·04	19	1·80	1	·09	125	12·12	42	4·08	17	1·20	11	·96	156	14·52	475	46·20	495	48·24	
	18. Bihar	45,063	82	21·72	19	4·92	...	...	...	...	19	4·92	3	·48	3	·72	3	·72	27	7·08	73	19·32	109	28·92	
	19. Dinapore Nizamut ...	33,699	44	15·60	3	·96	3	·96	...	...	18	6·36	1	·24	4	1·32	...	...	21	7·44	50	17·76	63	22·32	
	20. Gaya	71,416	155	26·04	111	23·64	13	2·16	...	...	102	28·32	12	3·12	6	·96	4	·60	71	11·88	423	71·04	316	53·04	
	21. Arrah	46,170	61	15·84	37	9·60	1	·24	...	...	42	10·80	3	·72	2	·48	5	1·20	10	2·52	100	25·92	87	22·56	
	22. Sasaram	23,844	53	26·88	90	45·60	...	...	...	...	58	29·40	5	2·52	2	·96	2	·96	4	1·92	161	81·60	113	57·24	
	23. Chapra	45,901	131	34·20	60	15·60	2	·48	...	...	52	13·56	8	2·04	4	·96	5	1·20	75	19·56	206	53·76	133	34·68	
	24. Bettiah	24,696	66	32·04	3	1·44	3	1·44	...	...	23	11·16	4	1·92	1	·48	...	...	17	8·16	51	24·72	79	38·28	
	25. Muzaffarpur	45,617	81	21·24	...	...	3	·72	...	...	32	8·40	4	·96	1	·24	1	·96	32	8·40	76	19·92	103	27·00	
	26. Hajipur	21,398	57	31·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	7·80	3	1·68	...	...	1	·48	27	15·12	44	24·60	75	42·00	
	27. Darbhanga	56,344	152	27·48	5	·84	...	...	...	...	45	8·28	5	·84	...	...	2	·36	180	18·00	158	28·56	164	29·64	
	28. Monghyr	35,880	77	25·68	2	·60	...	...	6	1·92	18	6·00	2	·60	...	...	3	·96	37	12·36	68	22·68	121	40·44	
	29. Bhagalpur	75,760	125	29·16	25	4·32	2	·24	...	...	94	14·88	3	·36	...	...	...	...	37	5·52	162	25·56	206	32·52	
	30. Cuttack	51,564	121	28·20	37	8·52	...	...	...	...	44	10·20	30	6·96	2	·36	1	·12	58	13·44	172	40·08	138	32·16	
	31. Balasore	20,880	21	19·00	10	8·64	...	...	...	...	1	·48	6	5·36	...	...	...	...	7	3·96	24	13·68	26	14·88	
	32. Puri	49,334	41	9·96	24	5·76	1	·24	...	...	38	9·24	20	4·80	6	1·44	3	·72	59	14·28	151	36·60	207	50·28	
	33. Ranchi	23,810	55	27·60	28	14·04	3	1·44	...	...	24	12·00	2	·96	...	...	3	1·44	17	8·52	77	39·24	59	29·64	
	Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	2,222,570	3,330	17·88	734	3·84	105	·48	107	·48	1,547	8·28	462	2·16	421	2·16	151	·60	1,726	9·24	5,107	27·84	5,119	27·60	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	3,796	20·40	628	3·36	66	·24	112	·60	1,904	8·64	462	2·40	316	1·68	129	·60	1,892	9·72	5,119	27·60	...	...	
	Difference + or —	... ...	—466	—2·52	+102	+·48	+39	+·24	—7	—·12	—57	—·36	—69	— 24	+105	+·48	+2	Equal	—76	—·48	+48	+·24	...	...	

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 12th September 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 12th September 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 14th September 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
	No.	Mds.	Rs.	No.	Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	466	37,962	625	446	42,388	489
Jute	103	81,985*	466	266	72,038†	1,156
Firewood	78	55,200	844	44	26,370	390
Other articles	841	2,31,382	2,506	900	2,33,586	2,475
Total ...	1,488	3,56,532	4,441	1,656	3,74,382	4,610

* Weight by canal measurement, 88,725 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 88,412½ ,,

CALCUTTA,
The 15th September 1908.

A. N. DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT

Meteorological Division.	Division	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
South West Bengal.	Burdwan.	Burdwan	Kalna	0·25	0·37	0·18	0·25	0·31	0·43	1·01	0·34	0·25	...	0·38	0·21	0·75	0·62	0·32	0·93	1·73	0·20	0·10	0·2
			Burdwan ..	0·78	0·07	0·12	0·49	0·71	0·22	...	0·62	0·15	0·09	0·01	0·01	0·04	0·64	0·01	0·01	0·26	0·07	0·02	0·0
			Katwa ...	...	0·28	0·72	0·30	...	...	0·17	0·87	0·10	0·01	0·32	0·08	...	0·94	0·31	...	0·25	0·22	...	0·5
			Ranigani .	0·03	0·14	1·15	0·30	...	0·02	0·13	0·05	0·80	0·11	0·78	0·05	0·08	0·87	0·65	0·22	1·02	0·35	...	0·3
			Mankar ...	...	...	...	0·50	...	0·53	0·45	...	0·25	0·65	...	...	...	1·30	0·12	...	0·23	..	...	0·5
		Birbhum	Suri .	0·09	0·33	0·56	0·61	0·05	...	0·96	0·07	0·13	0·11	...	0·28	0·04	0·08	0·22	0·03	0·05	0·83	0·02	0·0
			Hetampur ...	0·08	0·58	1·14	0·67	0·21	0·03	0·07	0·75	0·09	0·24	0·11	0·04	0·14	0·56	1·32	0·07	0·42	0·21	0·34	0·5
			Rampur Hat	...	0·70	0·26	0·09	...	...	...	0·81	0·50	0·05	...	...	0·04	0·15	...	...	0·62	0·16	0·35	0·0
			Bolpur ...	0·03	0·20	0·22	0·81	...	0·5	0·06	0·53	0·12	0·03	...	...	...	2·04	0·28	...	0·73	0·10	...	0·1
			Murari ...	0·32	0·21	...	0·35	0·05	...	0·75	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·10	0·31	..	...	0·07	0·0
			Labpur ...	0·23	0·21	0·37	0·45	0·05	0·12	0·60	..	0·56	...	..	0·23	..	0·31	0·12	...	0·56	0·34	0·13	0·1
		Bankura	Bankura ...	0·34	0·28	0·81	0·52	1·77	...	0·01	0·06	0·26	...	2·55	0·41	0·14	1·20	0·18	0·01	0·57	0·08	...	0·0
			Vishnupur ...	0·13	0·21	0·38	0·81	0·52	...	0·17	0·89	0·12	0·20	0·27	0·05	0·12	0·91	0·61	0·37	0·45	0·04	...	0·2
			Malara ...	0·07	0·14	0·21	0·60	0·01	...	0·09	...	0·38	0·08	0·27	0·16	0·05	1·95	0·17	0·41	0·58	0·19	...	0·1
			Khatra ..	0·22	0·20	0·44	0·31	0·21	...	0·66	0·19	0·37	0·08	0·60	0·78	0·13	0·75	0·51	0·41	0·82	0·16	...	0·0
			Indas ...	0·20	0·32	0·54	0·91	...	0·11	0·34	0·71	..	...	0·18	0·20	0·21	0·82	0·33	...	0·50	0·50	...	...
			Kotalpur ...	0·91	...	2·41	..	0·16	...	...	...	1·04	...	0·48	..	...	0·05	0·04	...	0·93	...	...	0·5
			Onda ...	0·03	0·17	...	...	1·05	0·77	0·09	0·14	...	...	0·05	0·05	0·04	0·61	0·11	...	1·07	...	0·13	...
			Gangajalghati	0·88	0·38	0·21	0·54	0·81	0·02	0·39	0·52	0·08	...	0·53	0·21	0·04	1·21	0·27	0·78	0·44	0·05	...	0·0
			Raipur ...	0·21	1·06	0·7	1·21	0·06	...	0·51	0·25	...	...	0·21	0·04	0·03	0·40	0·31	1·75	0·40	..	...	0·1
			Sonamukhi ...	0·14	...	...	0·71	...	0·07	0·70	0·12	1·50	...	0·26	0·21	0·11	1·10	0·44	...	0·55	...	...	...
		Midnapore	Pachet ...	0·01	0·21	1·91	0·87	0·14	..	0·17	0·06	0·21	0·24	0·41	0·57	0·80	0·29	0·21	1·02	...	0·33	..	0·2
			Contai .	0·19	0·24	1·01	0·25	0·03	0·16	0·62	...	1·04	0·04	0·14	0·88	1·44	0·07	1·16	3·57	1·15	0·02	..	0·1
			Tamluk ...	0·73	0·22	0·69	1·40	...	..	0·16	0·27	...	0·35	0·03	0·50	0·41	0·06	0·14	0·05	0·20	0·16	..	0·1
			Midnapore	0·10	0·57	1·08	0·61	...	...	0·04	0·28	1·15	0·21	0·44	0·35	0·11	1·21	0·03	0·65	0·52	...	...	0·0
			Ghatal .	0·25	0·28	0·69	1·07	..	0·34	..	0·03	0·18	0·54	0·46	0·03	0·55	1·32	0·09	1·75	0·03	0·10	...	...
			Kharagpur .	0·37	0·31	0·41	1·22	...	0·05	1·32	1·06	...	...	0·42	0·49	0·30	0·31	...	0·27	0·53	0·34	...	0·1
			Ambigura .	0·35	0·38	0·50	1·56	0·08	...	...	1·25	0·85	0·15	0·95	0·19	...	0·42	...	0·11	0·57	...	...	...
			Panskura .	0·34	0·17	1·53	1·45	...	..	0·56	0·01	0·13	0·21	0·23	...	0·14	1·05	0·11	0·21	0·31	0·15	...	0·1
			Dantan .	1·01	0·48	0·6	1·01	1·21	...	...	...	1·01	0·21	0·38	..	1·57	...	...	1·50	0·31	...	...	...
			Chandrakona	...	0·30	0·30	1·09	...	0·07	...	0·21	0·24	0·19	0·27	0·27	0·50	1·05	0·07	0·34	0·57	...	0·05	...
			Bhagwanpur .	0·18	0·32	0·73	0·15	...	0·13	2·21	0·02	0·38	0·18	0·16	0·30	1·07	0·50	0·46	0·17	0·02	...	...	...
		Hooghly	Serampore ..	0·55	0·17	0·67	0·15	0·41	0·01	0·16	1·01	0·09	0·20	0·01	0·06	0·14	0·98	0·11	0·10	0·34	...		
			Hooghly .	...	...	0·35	0·14	0·21	0·12	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·17	0·12	0·21	...	0·14	...	...
			Arambagh (Jahanabad).	0·06	0·08	1·84	0·19	0·58	...	...	0·54	0·31	...	0·06	0·23	0·01	0·72	0·35	0·12	0·89	0·19	0·08	0·
		Howrah	Howrah ...	0·25	0·13	0·35	0·71	0·14	..	...	0·21	0·10	0·23	0·05	0·05	0·17	0·24	0·10	0·04	0·68	0·17	0·08	
			Mohseresa ..	0·38	0·34	0·4	0·2	0·5	0·1	0·07	0·04	0·27	0·04	0·08	...	0·70	0·04	0·02	0·24	0·07	0·04	0·03	
			Uluberia .	0·39	0·5	0·72	0·4	0·70	..	0·08	0·05	0·02	0·03	0·21	...	0·40	0·48	0·07	0·44	0·23	...	...	
			Amta ...	0·2	0·27	1·12	0·4	0·3	..	0·22	0·07	0·22	0·20	...	0·1	0·23	0·54	1·2	...	0·41	...	0·11	1·
	24-Parganas	24-Parganas ...	Sagar Island	0·15	0·21	0·27	0·16	0·31	..	1·03	0·31	0·17	0·37	...	0·37	0·15	0·07	0·10	0·31	0·31	0·37	0·42	0·1
			Diamond Harbour.	0·35	0·2	0·31	2·17	0·21	0·04	0·22	1·50	0·02	0·04	0·25	0·23	0·17	0·3	...	0·10	0·52	0·08	0·11	0·0
			Budge-Budge	0·20	0·31	1·14	0·28	..	0·02	0·05	0·03	0·05	...	0·01	0·15	0·11	0·05	...	0·12	0·05	...	...	
			Canning Town	0·05	0·20	0·45	...	1·72	0·06	0·31	1·15	0·12	0·51	0·14	0·20	0·04	0·15	...	...	0·04	0·54	0·02	
			Alipore (Observ.)	0·06	0·27	0·14	0·52	0·51	0·01	...	0·99	0·02	0·11	0·26	0·01	0·11	0·08	...	0·84	1·16	0·12	0·00	
			Barrackpore .	0·07	0·21	0·41	1·35	0·24	...	0·15	0·82	0·11	0·17	...	0·14	0·15	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	
			Dum-Dum ..	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·15	0·10	...	0·35	...	...	...	
			Barasat ..	0·19	0·01	0·27	0·06	0·05	...	0·19	1·20	0·28	0·12	0·27	...	0·2	0·03	...	...	0·51	...	...	
			Kasipha)	..	0·24	0·55	1·31	0·37	..	0·17	1·06	...	...	0·16	1·04	0·1	...	0·17	...	...	0·24		
			Fraserganj ...	0·31	0·85	0·58	...	0·31	...	0·70	0·40	...	0·50	...	1·47	0·11	0·0	0·15	0·15	2·90	0·23	0·02	
	Nadia	Nadia ...	Ranaghat.	0·17	0·13	1·07	0·61	0·32	0·21	0·30	1·32	0·52	0·07	0·05	0·27	0·18	0·11	0·07	0·27	0·07	0·08	..
			Krishnagar		0·22	0·23	0·47	0·11	...	0·11	0·45	0·25	...	...	0·18	0·1	0·1	...	0·1	0·41	0·30	
			Chuadanga .	0·13	0·04	0·09	0·71	0·12	...	0·09	0·15	0·04	0·12	0·13	0·2	0·4	0·5	...	0·13	0·06	0·51	0·07	
			Meherpur .	0·5	0·15	0·05	0·52	...	...	...	0·10	0·24	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·07	0·13	0·40	...
			Kushtia .	0·17	0·01	0·15	0·0	0·1	0·10	0·11	0·14	...	0·01	...	0·07	0·03	0·1	0·14	0·05	0·41	0·28	...
			Harinkhata ...	0·08	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·17	0·03	0·11	0·03	0·17	0·10	0·12	0·10	0·51	...	...	0·50
		Murshidabad	Kandi ...	0·14	0·07	0·14	0·29	...	..	...	0·08	0·02	0·03	...	...	...	0·39	0·10	0·25	0·51	0·15	0·0
			Berhampore...	...	0·2	0·10	0·5	0·51	..	0·07	0·40	0·01	0·10	0·37	..	0·3	..	0·2	0·14	0·05	..	
			Lalbagh .	0·02	0·15	...	0·5	0·4	..	0·08	0·50	0·03	0·04	0·1	...	...	...	0·2	...	0·10	0·52	
			Azimganj .	...	0·15	...	0·55	0·51	...	...	0·44	1·12	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·51	0·34	...
			Jangipur ...	0·21	0·47	...	0·52	0·5	...	0·07	1·35	0·14	0·10	...	0·04	0·02	0·12	...	...	0·51	0·17	0·1	...
			Lalgola .	0·50	...	...	0·28	...	...	0·18	0·41	0·35	...	...	...	...	0·5	0·12	...	...	0·34	...
			Akrigunj ...	0·25	1·31	0·5	0·10	0·62	...	0·12	0·15	0·07	0·06	...	0·02	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...
			Palsanari .	0·2	...	...	0·15	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	1·01	...	0·88	1·05	...	
			Dunkal .	0·0	0·14	...	0·05	0·10	..	..	0·50	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·11	0·12	0·20	0·25	0·15	...
			Kaliyanganj																			
		Jessore	Narail ...	0·27	0·16	0·22	0·15	...	0·12	0·05	0·23	0·17	...	...	...	0·16	0·05	0·05	0·23	0·08	0·10	0·0
			Jessore .	0·06	0·05	0·05	0·05	...	0·18	0·11	0·05	0·08	0·05	...	0·07	0·02	0·04	0·03	0·04	0·03	0·09	...
			Jhenida .	0·17	0·04	...	0·30	0·04	0·05	0·03	0·13	0·31	...	0·05	0·19	0·10	0·07	0·2	0·08	1·22	0·18	0·2
			Magura .	...	0·18	0·10	0·37	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·35	...	...	0·02	0·29	0·11	0·10	0·12	0·29	...
			Bankson .	0·08	0·12	0·14	0·52	0·36	0·12	...	0·35	0·11	0·05	0·08	0·06	0·07	0·25	0·14	0·08	0·09	0·05	...
		Khulna	Satkhira .	0·19	0·7	...	0·82	0·36	0·26	1·10	0·55	0·42	0·30	0·10	0·04	0·02	0·15	0·22	...	0·46	0·26	0·2
			Bagerhat .	0·14	0·12	0·15	0·04	...	0·10	0·14	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·23	0·33	0·07	0·1
			Khulna .	0·36	0·59	0·22	0·07	0·02	0·08	0·22	0·20	0·15	0·08	0·03	0·05	0·05	0·15	0·10	0·06	0·31	0·03	0·1
			Kaliganj .	...	0·5	0·5	...	0·01	...	0·45	1·25	...	0·25	...	...	0·7	...	...	0·27	0·80	0·48	...	1·0
			Nakipur .	0·11	0·05	0·39	0·53	0·10	...	0·30	0·44	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·80	0·48	...	...
			Dumuria ...	0·2	0·13	...	0·12	0·17	0·15	0·51	...	...	...	1·02	0·05	...	1·02	0·03	0·75	1·07	0·87	0·2
			Rampal .	0·11	0·52	0·05	0·42	0·11	0·16	0·30	0·53	0·41	0·03	...	...	0·10	0·42	0·11	...	0·12	0·45	0·
			Koluera ...	0·5	0·54	0·11	...	1·75	0·07	...	0·70	0·18	...	...	0·17	0·42	0·14	0·30	...	0·50	...	0·2
			Paikgachha .	0·10	0·10	0·20	0·17	0·14	0·04	...	0·58	0·27	0·02	...	0·22	0·05	0·01	0·03	...	0·31	0·17	0·
			Mollahat .	0·39	0·24	0·15	0·23	0·27	0·20	0·15	0·36	0·05	...	...	0·20	0·24	...	0·24	0·17	0·06	0·08	0·
			Morelganj ...	0·31	0·5	0·11	0·24	0·12	...	...	0·64	0·03	0·09	...	0·37	0·28	0·13	0·05	0·13	0·51	..	0·
			Tala ...	0·03	0·51	0·24	0·27	...	...	0·04	0·17	0·36	...	...	...	0·25	0·07	0·46	...	0·75	0·61	0·1
	Patna	Patna	Patna ...	0·05	0·15	...	...	...	...	0·52	0·12	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	...	...	...	...
			Dinapore ...	1·30	0·01	...	...	...	...	3·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...
			Bihar ...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·06	0·01	...	0·50	...	...	0·02	...	...	0·31	...
			Barh ...	0·73	1·01	...	0·10	...	...	0·44	0·21	0·16	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·0
			Bikram ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	0·25	0·20	0·38	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·22	...
			Ilsa ...	0·03	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	1·55	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...
			Isampur ...	0·3	0·08	...	...	...	...	1·20	0·06	0·70	...	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Asthawan ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·15	0·12	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gaya	Gaya ...	Aurangabad	0·02	0·15	0·03	...	...	0·15	1·38	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·03	0·61	0·02	...	...	0·05	...
			Gaya .	0·72	0·11	0·07	0·03	0·03	...	0·17	0·18	0·20	0·13	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	0·12	...
			Nawadah ..	0·29	0·21	...	...	...	...	0·44	0·08	0·10	...	...	...	0·13	0·23	0·10	...	...	...	...
			Jamanabad ..	...	0·07	0·01	...	...	...	1·30	0·09	0·03	0·14	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Arwa ...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	1·45	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...
			Dobhuara .	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	2·45	0·71	0·89	0·18	...	0·05	0·70	0·93	1·00	...	...	0·02	...
			Goradah .	...	0·22	0·19	...	...	0·15	...	0·90	0·57	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Gurarn ..	1·05	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Pakri Barawan	...	...	...	0·16	...	1·70	..	0·03	...	0·09	...	...	...	0·28	0·06	...	...	...	...
			Do.	...	...	0·27	...	...	2·74	0·87	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
			Nehisapur ..	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·41	0·11	0·19	1·47	0·10	0·08	...

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3	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 31st Aug. 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 31st Aug.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
10	0·13	0·08	0·50	0·25	0·35	0·43	1·40	0·29	0·75	29	13·90	13·83	11·34	1·73	45·65	(35·60	Kalna	Burdwan ...	Burdwan.	South-West Bengal.
13	...	0·03	0·30	0·59	0·04	2·36	0·80	0·18	0 80	16	16·48	9·04	11·49	2·36	51·63	37·25	Burdwan			
32	...	...	0·49	0·08	0·11	0·76	2·20	...	0·31	18	15·32	9·69	11·18	2·20	40·18	34 78	Katwa.			
30	0·03	0·02	0·07	...	0·80	0·37	0·52	0·85	0·60	19	16·00	10·74	13·01	1·15	35·35	39·58	Ranigan).			
12	...	...	...	...	...	1·53	0·50	0·53	0·36	14	14·31	8·01	11·79	1·53	41·59	38 47	Mankur.			
34	0·11	0·31	0·19	0·16	0·04	1·38	1·46	0·68	0 52	18	16·19	9 93	12·54	1·46	44·04	40·65	Suri	Birbhum ...		
16	0·28	0·39	0·57	0·42	0·67	1·52	0·46	0·64	0·60	25	16·12	12·81	12·09	1·52	50·34	37·93	Hetampur.			
15	...	0·03	1·12	0·05	...	2·14	0·58	0·60	0·22	13	15·58	8·65	11·75	2·14	38·54	36·04	Rampur Hat.			
28	0·10	...	0·50	0·16	0·14	0·91	2·27	0·29	0·15	20	14·31	10·63	10·18	2·27	46·76	35·40	Bolpur.			
	0·37	0·31	1·50	0·90	0·35	0·25	0·46	0·09	0·91	15	13·77	7·42	10·56	1·30	26·85	39·65	Murari.			
	0 28	...	1·32	0·04	...	1·00	1·32	0·16	0·57	21	14·71	9·35	8·43	1·32	40·48	33·28	Labpur.			
7	...	0·04	0·07	...	0·05	0·88	1·21	0·65	0·08	17	16·66	12·96	11·58	2·55		37·07	Bankura ...	Bankura ...		
17	0·80	0·36	0·33	...	0·07	0·39	0·39	1·46	0·50	22	15·53	11·25	13·18	1·46	46·54	39·21	Vishnupur.			
6	0·05	1·85	0·41	...	0·.6	1·39	0·39	0·78	1·00	20	15·67	13·54	11·35	1·95	42·78	36·40	Maliara			
	0·68	...	...	0·19	0·24	0·79	0·10	0·89	0·84	25	16·43	12·54	12·01	0·96	42·79	40·66	Khatra.			
	...	...	0·50	...	0·72	0·97	0·50	1·00	0·36	21	15·00	10·07	9·35	1·00	38·10	36·06	Indas.			
	0·40	0·60	...	1·10	0·40	0·50	0·04	0 00	0·25	15	12·63	11·09	11·37	2·11	47·01	39·04	Kotalpur.			
7	0·09	0·03	1·00	0·13	...	0·76	0·28	1·06	0·26	15	13·69	8·51	11·76	1·06	33·39	34·08	Onda.			
3	0·08	1·78	0·08	...	...	3·03	0·37	0·23	0·74	20	13·63	15 07	12·17	3·03	41·02	38·27	Gangajalghati			
	1·09	...	...	...	1·28	0·65	0·10	1 10	0·36	20	16·13	12·29	14·54	1 75	45·15	41·86	Raipur.			
8	0·14	...	0·05	...	0 32	1·20	1·59	0·92	0·70	20	13·56	18·67	10·52	1·59	47·60	35·41	Sonamukhi.			
3	2·86	...	...	...	...	1·14	2·83	1·79	0·88	27	?	17·23	?	2·86	37·76	?	Pachet	Midnapore ...		
3	...	0·36	...	...	...	0·37	1·95	1·01	0·27	21	15·58	17·98	13·26	3·57	40 69	40·48	Contai.			
3	...	0·36	...	...	0·54	1·50	0·56	1·56	1·25	21	14·30	12·17	13·18	1·56	36·11	37 89	Tamluk.			
	...	1·78	0·28	...	0·09	0·34	1 14	1·05	0·37	19	16·00	12·74	12·14	1·72	40·13	36·09	Midnapore.			
3	...	...	0·98	...	...	0·86	0·47	2·42	1·40	19	15·13	16·14	13·05	2·42	54·82	38·97	Ghatal.			
3	...	1·82	0·22	...	0·11	2·10	0·82	1·27	1·82	22	15·64	16·32	12·02	2·10	52·34	38·40	Kukrahaty.			
	...	1·45	1·15	...	...	0·75	0·55	0·95	0·35	19	15·13	12·89	12·30	1·45	40·02	40·64	Amlagura.			
3	...	0·06	0·19	...	...	1·59	0·60	1·05	1·65	20	15·75	11·68	12·48	1·65	42·24	37·41	Panskura			
	...	0·70	0·25	...	...	1·10	1·50	1·04	0·21	17	14·38	17·31	12·07	4·50	35·06	36·75	Dantan.			
	...	0·23	2·53	...	0·05	2·12	0·54	1·05	0·09	17	?	13·44	?	2·53	53·40	?	Chandrakona.			
3	...	0·40	...	...	...	0·44	0 74	0·61	0·14	20	?	10·42	?	1·06	37·17	?	Bhagwanpur.			
	0 82	1·70	0·47	...	0·04	1·05	0·64	0·37	0·15	21	17·43	11·51	12·08	1·70	56·72	37·59	Serampore ...	Hooghly ...		
	...	1·50	...	0·35	...	0·39	0 20	0·15	0·07	18	16·26	6·09	11·64	1·50	37·98	36·86	Hooghly.			
	0 30	0·35	0·53	...	0·02	0·48	1·03	0·95	0·19	18	16·33	10·70	13·80	1·83	48·12	39·23	*Arambagh* (Jahanabad).			
	0·22	0·72	0·84	...	0·25	0·75	1·58	0·75	0·13	23	17·74	10·50	12·12	1·58	57 90	38·15	Howrah	Howrah ...		
	0·00	1·25	0·51	...	0·25	0·49	0·45	0·81	0 60	19	16·73	9·52	13·00	1·25	61·68	38·23	Mohesreka.			
	...	0·12	0·40	...	0·02	0 21	0·15	0·23	0·11	19	16·22	8·75	9 08	0·95	56·54	33·83	Ulubaria			
	0·10	1·11	0·16	...	0·02	1·.2	0·22	0·55	0·17	21	?	9·31	?	1·22	56·25	?	*Amta.*			
	0·93	0·07	...	...	0·36	0·50	0·25	0·12	...	22	17·00	15·04	15·18	4·45	40·12	44·45	Saugor Island	24-Parganas ...		
	0·14	0·82	0 32	1·11	...	1·09	0·96	0·57	1·70	26	18·06	15·30	14·18	2·70	55·07	42·32	Diamond Harbour.			
	0·09	0·85	0·36	...	0 24	0·14	0·32	0·57	0·10	22	?	9·88	?	0·95	58·39	?	*Budge-Budge.*			
	0·18	0 23	0·15	...	0·08	0·52	0·81	1·90	1·14	21	16·69	11·44	14·96	1·90	39·06	42·71	Canning Town.			
	0·06	0·47	0·70	...	1·10	1·27	1 51	1·08	0·17	22	18·86	14·43	12 69	1·51	68 96	38·99	Alipore (Obsy.)			
	0·50	0·05	0·26	...	0·01	1·25	0·85	0·60	0·20	25	15·94	10·21	11·77	1·25	55·46	36·86	Barrackpore			
	1·03	1·40	0·48	...	0·50	0·43	1·38	0·41	0·16	16	16·71	10 58	13·32	1·38	45 88	38·41	Dum-Dum.			
	0·8.	0·66	0·39	...	0·10	1·02	0·75	0·30	0·05	23	17·45	9·59	12·04	1·20	49·21	36·17	Barasat.			
	0·24	0·45	...	0·19	0 69	...	0·71	...	1·08	16	16·06	7·85	12 53	1·08	44 14	40·33	Basirhat.			
	0 08	...	...	...	0 07	0·88	0·32	0·20	...	16	?	14·29	?	2·90		?	Fraserganj.			
	0·28	0·56	0·60	0·54	0·03	0·09	1·07	0·16	0·63	24	14·74	11·75	11 60	1·22	37 79	36·33	Ranaghat ...	Nadia ...		
	...	...	0·02	0·17	0·11	1·50	0·95	1·05	0·73	21	14·26	11·41	10 25	1·59	44·48	33·40	Krishnagar.			
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			Sasaram	..	0·85	...	...	...	0·16	0·05	0·09	0·03	0·05	...	0·07	1·61	0·84	0·51	0·01	0·45	0·11	0·06	0·06
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			Kaliagan	.	...	..	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·20	...	0 30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Santhal Parganas.	Rajmahal	..	0·52	0·05	...	0·22	...	...	0·50	0·35	0·22	0·01	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	0·30	...	...
			Godda	...	0·25	0·25	0·02	...	...	...	...	1·57	1·64	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·01	...	0·19	...
			Pakaur	...	0·30	0·15	0·10	0·19	0·18	...	...	0·85	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...
			Naya Dumka		0·39	0·70	0·45		0 41	...	...	1·42	0·35	0·83	...	0·24	0·02	0·01	0·11	0·22	0·32	1 05	...
			Deoghur	.		0·17	0·45	...	...	0·87	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...
			Jamtara	..	0·06	0·30	0·93	1·07	...	0·46	0·15	0·50	2·11	0·01	...	...	...	0·45	0·41	0·24	0·18	0·25
			Mohagama	...	0 21	...	...	0·40	...	0·60	0·39	0·12	0·10	...	...	...	0·80	...	...	0·60	0·21	...	...
			Nanihat	...	...	...	...	0·69	..	0·33	0·48	0 15	3·19	...	...	...	0·59	0·52	4·30	0·34	...	...	...
			Asansoni	..	0·30	...	0·14	0·27	...	0·07	0·55	0·75	...	...	0·07	...	0·15	...	0·45	...	0·05	...	...
			Katikund	...	0·21	0·21	0·08	0·21	..	...	0·05	1·14	0·01	0·80	0·09	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·47	1 15	...
			Jladhpur	...	0·30	0·20	0·22	0·25	0·50	0·75	0·46	...	...	0·10	0·50	...	0·15	0·16	0·06	0·10	...	...	...
			Sarwan	...	...	...	0 32	0·31	0·13	...	..	0·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	0·20	...	...	...
			Sarath	...	0·21	0·27	0·15	0·20	0·06	0·21	...	0·84	0·20	0·10	0·10	0·33	...	0·14	0·30	0·12	...	0·20	...
			Poorya	..	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·40	0·65	0·30	...	...	...	0·20	0·13	0·07	...	...	...
			Bhagya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·42	...	...	...	...	...
			Mahespur	...	0·18	0·33	0·17	...	0·09	...	...	0·69	0·03	...	...	0·03	...	0·10	0·38	0·08	...	...	0·04
			Miranpur	...	0·30	0 09	...	.2.	0·07	...	1·24	0 38	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 52	...	0·28	...	...
			Barnarwa	...	0·07	0·20	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·93	0·78	0·07	...	...	...	0·04	0·04	0·06	...	0·07	...
			Sanibganj	...	0·23		...	0·10	...	...	0·05	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·90	...	...	...
			Berio	...	0·07	0·35	...	0·02	...	...	...	0·17	0·17	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·28	0·36	...	0·47	...
			Amarapura	...	0·10	0 39	0·06	0·21	0·30	...	...	0·48	0·73	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·07	0·04	0·17	0·41	0·02

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22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 31st Aug. 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 31st Aug.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
..	0·35	0·07	0·15	0·30	3·78	0·19	...	0·19	0·07	13	13·25	11·61	11·03	3·78	26·08	29·61	Buxar ...	Shahabad ...		
..	...	...	0·84	0·56	2·05	0·13	...	0·38	...	12	14·44	8·78	12·92	2·07	16·71	31·68	Dehri			
..	0·12	0·20	0·32	0·25	2·95	0·50	0·16	0·26	0·35	15	14·29	13·90	12·33	2·95	19·75	33·30	Bhabhua.			
..	...	...	0·75	0·07	2·47	0·41	...	0·45	0·61	11	14·06	9·22	12·49	2·47	17·16	30·38	Sasaram.			
..	...	0·28	0·19	0·86	6·17	0·70	...	...	0·69	11	12·87	12·56	10·50	6·17	22·04	31·85	Arrah.			
..	0·83	0·15	...	...	1·30	0·41	...	0·15	...	15	11·00	7·35	13·20	1·68	11·89	33·88	Mohanea.			
..	...	...	...	...	7·07	0·30	...	...	...	8	10·00	9·75	9·22	7·07	14·00	32·52	Ageaon.			
..	...	0·13	0·40	...	2·04	0·30	...	0·13	...	9	12·67	7·85	10·37	4·20	20·71	30·92	Ramagar.			
..	...	0·67	0·29	0·22	1·10	0·55	...	0·13	...	13	13·44	7·11	11·62	1·75	21·80	31·01	Koath.			
..	0·23	0·01	0·06	0·39	1·25	0·41	...	0·21	...	8	13·44	5·97	11·37	1·02	20·34	28·58	Sikroul.			
..	...	0·30	0·58	...	2·17	...	...	0·17	...	14	13·22	9·61	12·04	2·37	16·95	32·15	Bussowan.			
..	0·40	1·39	0·01	0·15	2·23	0·14	...	...	...	11	13·78	11·41	12·51	4·55	21·61	31·61	Monaharpur.			
..	0·46	0·07	0·16	1·13	3·54	0·96	0·17	0·31	0·68	20	?	15·23	?	2·87	26·76	?	*Akberpur.*			
..	...	...	...	...	1·16	0·10	...	...	...	7	11·36	7·00	10·81	4·04	19·79	31·28	Gopalganj ...	Saran ...		
..	...	...	...	0·49	2·09	0·19	...	...	0·10	11	13·74	11·86	11·51	4·85	19·09	31·56	Siwan.			
..	...	...	..	0·65	0·48	0·18	...	...	0·08	6	12·75	5·74	11·83	2·80	11·02	31·69	Ekma.			
..	...	...	0·05	0·19	1·74	0·33	...	...	0·29	6	12·61	4·70	9·73	1·50	11·27	28·53	Chapra.			
..	...	...	...	0·31	1·50	0·10	...	...	...	11	?	13·15	?	4·99	26·33	?	*Hathua.*			
..	...	0·10	...	...	1·10	..	0·05	...	0·20	8	11·75	4·42	11·74	2·07	14·52	34·15	Ammor.			
..	...	0·21	...	0·15	2·10	0·05	...	...	0·82	8	9·88	9·85	10·35	4·99	20·15	31·86	Basanipur.			
18	...	1·26	...	0·60	0·37	0·20	...	...	0·09	11	?	11·76	?	6·35	22·07	?	*Darauli.*			
..	...	...	...	0·82	1·75	0·70	...	...	...	7	?	17·59	?	7·09	35·35	?	*Bhoreh.*			
..	...	...	...	0·66	1·51	...	...	...	0·11	9	?	14·87	?	8·56	28·30	?	*Sripur.*			
..	...	...	...		1·00	...	...	...	0·05	5	12·97	2·80	12·24	1·00	13·89	35·50	Motihari ...	Champaran ...	Patna—*concluded.*	
32	...	0·08	...	0·19	3·53	...	...	0·05	...	11	12·99	8·26	12·23	3·53	21·12	39·31	Bettiah.			
..	...	0·19	...	0·20	4·17	0·02	...	...	..	10	14·19	11·74	14·01	4·17	37·52	43·66	Bagaha.			
..	...	...	...	...	3·46	...	...	...	0·06	6	13·69	6·02	12·78	3·46	19·02	34·27	Burhurwa.			
..	2·01	...	...	3·35	...	...	...	...	...	10	?	8·86	?	3·35	32·73	?	*Ramnagar.*			
..	4·55	...	...	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	5	?	9·16	?	4·55	24·54	?	*Narkotiaganj.*			
..	...	...	...	..	2·98	0·30	...	...	...	8	?	9·68	?	4·35	18·17	?	*Kissoriah.*			
..	...	0·90	...	..	1·50	..	...	...	...	9	?	15·30	?	4·00	31·31	?	*Dhanaha.*			
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11·83	2·90	9·61	2·85	12·21	32·47	Sitamarhi ...	Muzaffarpur		
..	...	...	...	...	0·80	0·72	...	...	...	5	13·03	4·35	10·60	1·85	13·20	37·95	Muzaffarpur.			
..	...	...	0·04	...	5·66	0·04	...	...	0·16	7	14·77	7·42	10·77	5·65	21·61	31·44	Hajipur.			
..	...	...	...	...	4·10	0·50	...	...	...	5	11·96	6·97	12·59	4·10		32·69	Para.			
..	...	...	0·04	...	4·30	0·21	...	...	0·15	6	12·07	6·60	11·98	4·30	16·97	33·87	Mahua.			
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	3	10·47	4·02	10·15	2·50	19·66	29·26	Shiuhar.			
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	12·38	3·45	11·38	2·77	18·40	32·53	Pupri.			
..	...	...	0·15	0·56	1·98	0·18	...	0·19	0·68	6	12·87	3·55	11·04	1·98	19·20	32·46	Tajpur (Samastipur).	Darbhanga ...		
..	...	0·05	0·83	...	0·25	...	...	...	0·91	6	14·07	4·53	12·24	1·47	19·68	33·39	Darbhanga.			
..	...	...	0·13	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	4	14·17	1·01	11·72	0·42	14·39	34·03	Madhubani.			
..	...	...	0·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	14·06	2·26	14·10	1·45	10·24	37·56	Bahera.			
..	...	0·09	0·42	0·05	1·58	0·72	0·04	0·43	0·65	7	13·53	6·51	13·38	1·58	13·21	33·53	Kosetha.			
..	1·50	1·80	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	?	6·20	?	1·80	10·56	?	*Khutonia.*			
..	...	0·54	1·99	0·02	0·04	...	...	...	...	5	?	5·30	?	1·29	14·30	?	*Ladania.*			
..	...	0·20	1·33	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	5	?	2·33	?	1·33	18·56	?	*Laukahi.*			
..	...	1·30	0·25	0·62	...	...	...	...	...	6	?	3·56	?	1·33		?	*Madhepore.*			
..	0·16	0·34	0·31	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	11	?	3·60	?	0·81		?	*Khajouli.*			
..	...	0·19	0·05	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	3	?	0·74	?	0·17		?	*Bantpatti.*			
..	...	...	1·20	...	1·11	1·70	0·90	0·03	1·86	13	13·42	7·04	10·86	1·70	19·00	30·90	Begusarai ...	Monghyr ...		
..	0·01	...	1·26	...	0·30	0·65	0·34	0·18	0·28	14	14·23	7·09	11·03	1·26	14·01	32·02	Monghyr.			
..	...	...	...	...	2·40	1·30	0·15	0·25	0·70	10	14·35	6·63	11·65	2·40	19·74	34·06	Jamui.			
..	..	...	0·26	0·48	...	...	0·50	0·74	0·25	12	11·13	5·46	12·87	1·75	14·54	37·43	Gogri.			
..	...	...	1·40	...	0·54	0·41	0·11	0·16	0·85	14	14·67	6·60	12·36	1·40	10·19	38·35	Jamalpur.			
..	...	0·24	...	1·14	0·43	...	...	0·45	0·75	5	9·56	3·01	11·37	1·14	15·57	31·64	Shaikhpura.			
2	..	..	0·15	...	0·45	1·50	0·20	0·26	0·68	16	16·75	7·76	9·56	1·50	26·43	37·32	Chakai Bamda.			
3	...	...	0·07	0·41	0·04	...	0·61	0·17	...	7	11·38	2·65	11·77	0·61	9·58	30·62	Chupreon.			
	...	...	...	...	2·00	1·60	0·05	0·60	0·05	10	15·14	7·01	14·30	2·00	19·16	30·71	Gidhor.			
	...	0·29	0·26	0·75	...	1·25	0·52	...	0·95	12	16·50	7·38	11·82	1·37	20·70	32·41	Kharagpur.			
	...	2·00	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·55	..	6	14·05	4·01	11·91	2·09	11·61	35·46	Madhipura ..	Bhagalpur ...	Bhagalpur.	
	...	...	0·65	..	...	...	...	0·90	...		9·58		13·96			33·62	Bangaon (Syfabad).			
	...	0·34	0·94	0·18	0·06	...	...	0·09	...	7	14·13	3·39	12·27	1·15	15·52	35·56	Supaul			
5	...	0·56	...	0·22	1·20	...	...	...	...	8	12·85	3·59	11·84	1·20	18·43	40·06	Pratapganj.			
	0·02	...	0·32	...	0·02	...	0·07	0·14	0·09	8	13·32	3·85	11·26	1·16	10·20	33·47	Bhagalpur.			
	...	...	0·13	0·10	...	0·56	1·20	0·36	0·85	12	15·87	6·87	10·95	2·30	18·81	42·75	Banka.			
	0·23	...	0·17	0·35	0·14	...	0·38	0·05	0·20	9	13·81	3·78	10·75	0·56	10·25	38·42	Colgong.			
	...	0·34	0·21	...	0·30	...	1·30	0·80	0·76	13	14·67	7·75	12·88	1·25	20·04	31·93	Bansil.			
	0·13	5·14	4·68	6·23	0·23	...	...	...	0·19	18	21·28	30·63	24·17	6·23	76·27	86·47	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling ...	Bhagalpur.	
9	...	0·84	3·25	0·15	2·13	0·03	..	1·15	0·21	17	29·15	19·29	24·84	3·32	63·48	86·66	Darjeeling.			
4	...	0·39	3·27	0·35	2·12	...	...	0·60	0·01	15	20·39	42·83	18·15	3·27	48·84	64·58	kalimpong.			
5	0·05	0·02	3·86	0·06	2·11	...	...	0·03	0·05	13	21·63	16·54	25·20	3·66	64·28	90·84	Mongpoo.			
3	0·82	1·55	5·25	0·18	3·20	...	...	1·51	0·93	20	26·05	25·52	33·74	5·25	103·86	1·8·90	Kursiong			
7	0·87	0·13	3·45	0·41	1·74	0·25	0·01	0·30	0·04	28	26·25	19·76	22·01	3·45	67·13	69·57	Pedong.			
5	...	0·03	0·46	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	9	16·70	5·56	15·80	2·19	20·37	54·33	Kishanganj ...	Purnea ...		
	0·19	...	0·50	0·77	...	...	...	0·18	...	13	15·43	6·83	14·16	1·30	32·93	48·78	Araria.			
	...	...	0·77	...	0·23	...	...	0·16	0·07	6	16·57	3·48	15·90	0·77	18·31	42·17	Purnea.			
	...	1·76	...	0·20	...	...	0·14	...	...	8	13·81	4·63	14·27	1·76	16·38	38·57	Gondwara (*Korah*).			
	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	0·80	...	5	13·38	2·13	17·19	0·70	16·84	48·44	Barsoe.			
7	...	0·88	0·59	0·42	1·64	...	...	0·49	...	12	14·44	5·73	15·69	1·85	24·89	47·04	Forbesganj.			
	1·50	1·70	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	17·50	4·40	18·78	1·70	25·30	65·18	Kaliaganj.			
5	...	0·19	3·45	0·04	0·10	...	0·55	0·25	0·50	13	14·03	7·55	10·01	3·45	22·10	34·69	Rajmahal ...	Santhal Parganas.	Bhagalpur.	
	0·02	...	0·24	...	0·11	0·28	0·95	0·75	0·57	11	14·08	6·52	10·51	1·62	21·60	32·47	Godda.			
	...	...	1·11	0·54	0·06	...	0·36	0·88	0·74	13	15·32	6·31	11·64	1·11	23·85	38·69	Pakaur.			
	...	...	0·37	0·41	1·05	0·37	0·84	0·68	0·48	20	15·33	10·74	13·41	1·23		39·67	Naya Dumaa.			
	...	0·23	...	...	0·32	0·06	...	1·68	...	9	16·00	4·74	13·09	1·67	25·82	38·19	Deoghur.			
7	...	0·01	0·53	...	0·75	0·11	0·85	0·90	0·97	19	17·18	12·30	13·69	2·11	37·33	37·93	Jamtara			
	...	...	0·26	0·01	0·43	0·22	0·32	...	...	13	?	4·62	?	0·80	20·82	?	*Mohagama.*			
	...	2·03	...	...	1·80	...	0·10	...	2·04	13	11·31	17·40	9·49	4·30	49·28	30·33	Nanihat.			
9	...	0·35	1·10	0·25	1·30	0·47	0·27	...		17	17·33	8·24	14·56	1·30	40·89	37·95	Asseuboni.			
3	...	...	0·17	0·88	0·35	0·84	0·08	...	1·61	15	15·29	9·62	13·30	1·61	35·02	42·43	Katikund.			
	...	0·23	2·40	...	...	0·40	0·60	0·55	0·05	17	18·48	8·13	12·57	2·40	30·23	37·10	Madhupur.			
	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·14	0·70	10	16·14	4·34	10·30	0·98	27·64	34·80	Surwan.			
	0·14	0·10	0·10	...	0·45	0·13	0·50	1·00	0·60	24	16·39	6·87	11·89	1·00	29·36	34·89	Sarath.			
	...	0·05	0·07	...	1·17	...	0·92	...	1·10	11	17·83	6·25	11·47	1·17	30·41	32·23	Poorya.			
	...	...	0·50	0·25	...	...	...	0·35	...	4	10·14	2·52	9·70	1·43	16·97	29·25	Bhagya.			
	0·37	0·13	1·24	1·67	0·08	..	0·35	0·15	1·13	14	16·00	7·04	12·29	1·67	29·03	36·62	Mohesur.			
	..	0·07	...	0·03	.	1·90	1·21	0·53	...	10	?	7·82	?	2·00	25·57	?	*Hiranpur.*			
5	...	0·02	2·32	1·20	0·70	...	0·90	1·18	0·06	11	10·57	9·09	10·76	2·32	29·20	34·05	Batharwa.			
3	...	0·07	4·00	0·11	...	...	0·13	0·18	...	9	13·80	6·76	11·38	4·00	26·62	30·55	sahibganj.			
	0·06	0·26	1·55	0·03	1·42	...	0·13	0·61	1·89	14	?	7·64	?	1·59	23·23	?	*Baria.*			
3	0·01	...	0·74	2·73	0·80	0·12	0·13	0·08	1·12	15	?	9·00	?	2·75	35·08	?	Amarapura.			

MIRAN—*concluded.*

Meteorological Division	Division	District	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Orissa.	Orissa.	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur ...	0·41	0·36	0·15	0·14	...	0·27	1·68	0·28	0·13	3·27	1·18	0·73	0·32	0·36	3·47	0·31	1·71	0·38	0·29	1·31
			Bargarh ...	0·46	1·24	0·11	0·10	0·04	0·08	2·61	1·16	0·18	2·32	1 77	1·90	0·51	0·36	0·41	..	0·75	0·21	0·05	0·88
			Padampur (Barasamber).	0·90	4·00	...	0·12	...	...	1·66	1·82	...	1 28	0·54	0·96	0·38	0·44	0·14	...	...	0·10	...	...
		Uria Feudatory States.	Bhawanipatna	0·10	0·80	...	...	0·40	0·20	1·88	2·37	1·88	0·40	0·10	4 20	0·80	1·80	0·35	1·00	0 20	0·27	...	1·60
			Bolangir ...	1·47	...	...	0·44	0·25	0·39	0·35	2·27	...	2·31	2·47	0·70	0·35	1·37	...	...	...	...	0·41	1·40
			Sonepur ...	1·90	0·33	0·32	...	0·30	...	1·16	1·47	0·05	0·57	3·08	3·20	2·20	1·00	1·00	0·50	0·63	1·00	1·03	1·98
			Sampur ...	0·64	1·04	...	0·30	0·10	0·60	1·13	3·50	0·40	1·40	0·09	0·63	0·70	0·70	0·08	0·40	1·44	0·47	0·48	0·62
			Deoghur ...	2·65	1·30	2·33	0·67	0·07	0·50	1·00	3·46	0·10	0·32	0·07	0·24	0·75	1 65	0·50	1·50	4·50	0·20	0·27	1·33
			Gangpur ...	0·46	0·49	3·61	0 19	0·16	0·07	0·31	1·25	0·03	0·45	...	0·19	0·68	2·42	6 85	0·36	1·72	1·93	1·38	1·57
			Bonaigurh ...	0·14	0·64	1·50	0 12	...	...	0·61	3·36	0·77	0·03	0·30	0·27	1 12	3·10	0·16	3 72	2·80	0·20	0·33	2·50
		Cuttack ...	Jagateingpur	0·45	0·28	0·13	...	...	0·59	0·20	...	0·35	0·49	0 80	2·94	0 08	...	0·10	...	...	1·79	5·30	1·07
			Banki ...	0·83	0·22	3 96	0·65	...	0·67	0 40	2·05	0 30	0·20	0·05	0·28	2·71	...	0·53	0·53	0·04	...	1·37	2·13
			Cuttack ...	3·86	1·00	0·52	...	...	1·21	0·91	1·72	0·56	0·00	0·85	0·68	2·75	0·02	0·30	...	0·43	0·38	0·15	5·65
			False Point ...	1·80	1·05	0·60	1·12	1·70	0·73	0·15	...	...	...	0·10	0·89	1·61	0·09	...	...	0·30	...	...	0 63
			Kendrapara ...	1·99	0·39	0·20	0·08	...	0·23	0·15	0·20	...	...	0·41	0·55	0·34	0·10	0·07	0·21	0·16	...	...	0 83
			Jajpur ...	1·12	0·36	0·34	0·31	0·01	...	0·48	0·05	1·05	0·52	0·02	0·30	6·00	0·08	0·07	2·12	0·57	...	0·77	1·35
			Dharmsala ...	0·16	1·65	...	...	0·10	1 10	...	0·70	0·51	0·06	0·07	1·40	0·20	0·42	0·08	0·51	0·15	0·35	0·01	2·00
			Salepur ...	...	...	1·10	0 04	...	0·18	1·12	0 80	0·58	0·15	0·07	1·11	0·96	0·35	0·30	...	0·54	0·64	0·06	0·38	1·00
		Balasore ...	Athyapada ...	1·25	0·40	1·07	0·48	...	0·55	0·04	...	0·34	0·37	0·19	3·28	3·31	0·08	...	0·85	0·37	0·40	...	3·70
			Chandbali ...	1·17	0·40	1·36	0·16	...	0·11	0·18	0·02	0·54	0·07	0·52	0·07	0·78	0·06	0·18	0·15	0·07	...	0·14	1·13
			Bhadrak ...	0·31	0·95	0·86	...	...	...	0·09	...	0·19	0·06	...	0·18	0·17	0·15	0·09	0·41	0·12	0·11	0·44	0·28
			Soro ...	0·30	1·50	1·40	0·18	...	...	1 30	0·05	0·95	0·10	0·13	0·32	0·80	0·06	0·32	2 80	0·05	...	1·20	0·23
			Balasore ...	1·45	2·31	2·55	2·36	2·35	0 21	0·23	0·18	0·51	0 61	0·61	0·59	1·51	1·53	...	...	...	...	2·35	1·61
			Jellasore ...	0·61	1·47	1·05	0·85	0·65	...	0·41	0·03	1·38	0·05	0·12	0 08	2·08	0·24	0·11	6·62	1·16	...	...	1·02
			Baliapal ...	1·08	2·20	0·69	2 63	...	...	0·30	0·30	0·23	...	0·20	0·43	0·51	0·35	0·16	3·30	0·67	...	...	0·1
			Eram (Basudebpur).	1·06	1 06	0 36	0·20	1·30	...	...	...	1·43	...	0·08	0 32	0·14	0·30	...	0·48	0·25	0·12	0·63	0·56
			Turigaria ...	0·75	0·65	0·27	1·75	0·44	0·20	0·40	0·10	0·40	0·10	...	0·83	0·00	0·22	0·05	3·10	0·81	0·09	1·80	0·4
			Banath ...	0·40	0·40	1·00	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	0·25	0·10	0·40	0·20	1·50	0·10	0·25	0·40	0·10	...	0·6
		Angul ...	Angul ...	0·12	3·60	0 27	0·15	0·15	...	1·70	0·50	0·10	0·11	...	0·50	0·50	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	1·0
			Bissipara ...	1·93	0·77	0 04	0·83	0·29	0·20	0·47	0·71	0 13	0 42	0·61	0·84	1 13	0·16	0·03	0 12	0·46	0·14	0·08	1·0
			Chhendipada ...	2·38	0·32	0·31	0·7	0·10	0 50	0 36	...	0·47	...	0·85	1·18	0·42	0·16	0·10	2·80	0·42	0·32	1·25	1·5
			Tikerpara ...	0·08	0·21	0·16	1·98	...	...	1·45	2·67	0·24	0·34	0 13	0·33	1·13	0·29	0 21	...	0·07	0 13	0 07	1·3
			Balandapara ...	8·26	1·81	0·35	0·95	0 13	0·17	0 94	2 47	0·25	1·50	0·35	0·30	1·13	0·80	0·60	0·28	0·43	0·54	0 34	0·5
		Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	0·60	0 27	2·27	0·17	..	0·05	0·69	3 61	0·24	1·50	1·08	0·49	0·52	...	0·12	...	...	...	0·04	1·0
			Kunjabongarh	0·38	0·64	1·25	0·98	0·11	0·48	1·14	0 32	0·25	0·02	1·48	1·00	1·10	0·02	0·04	0·08	0·24	...	0·17	1·3
			Dhenkanal ...	0·94	1·52	3 52	...	0·08	1·53	0·88	0·26	0·29	0·01	0·70	0·40	0·78	...	0 10	0·30	0·24	...	0 07	4·5
			Baisinga ...	1·72	0·31	1·74	1 27	...	0·10	2·92	1·65	0·07	0·43	0·20	0·15	5·18	0 08	0·03	0·11	0 18	0·07	0·50	2·1
			Keonjhar ...	0·46	0·25	...	0·35	0·08	1·21	1·05	...	1·42	...	0 19	1·40	1 60	0·84	0·54	0·90	2·70	...	0·56	0·1
			Anandapur ...	0·18	0·68	0 62	0·78	0·12	0·45	2·18	...	1·42	1·58	0·02	0 23	0 10	0·22	1·24	0·31	0·82	...	0·89	0·4
			Haripada ...	1·38	0·64	1·51	0·63	0·12	...	1·18	0·02	0·58	0·04	0·20	0·05	0·80	0·90	0 37	4·20	0 61	...	0·50	0·1
			Karanjia ...	0·30	0·06	0·40	0·06	...	0·25	0·27	0·90	0·16	0·02	0·45	0·08	0 33	0·30	0·08	1 13	1·10	0·05	0·02	0·2
			Narsinapur ...	...	0·81	0·91	...	...	1·02	1 30	0·13	...	1·25	1 31	0 73	...	0·12	0 12	...	...	...	2 40	0·7
			Nayagarh ...	0·26	1·00	...	0·03	0·12	0 13	1·06	0·60	0·29	2 35	0 25	0·45	...	0·15	0·08	0 18	...	0·35	2·20	0·4
			Pal Lahera ...	2 08	0·90	2 05	0·30	0·02	0 2	0 55	1·06	0·20	1 10	0·14	0·55	1·60	1 00	0 10	1 20	3·03	0·06	1·0
			Ranpur ...	1·40	0·30	0·55	...	...	0·10	0·92	0·25	0·68	0·41	0·75	1·04	0·32	0·10	0 72	0·68	0·05	0·16	0·50	1·0
			Talcher ...	0·25	0·72	1·23	0·25	...	0 04	1·50	0·34	0·19	0 40	0·34	1 03	4·25	0·50	...	0·07	0·53	...	0·02	0·4
			Athmalik ...	4·58	0·53	0·06	0·18	0·50	0·65	0·41	0 69	0·35	1 29	...	1 17	1·42	0·27	0·10	0 50	...	0·60	0·15	0·4
			Hindol ...																				
			Boad ...	2·02	...	...	1·02	0·10	1·11	1·35	0·75	3·00	0·52	0·62	0·54	0·34	0·43	0 08	0·37	0·07	1·20	0·30	1·0
			Nilgiri ...	2·23	1·30	1·14	1·50	0·17	...	0·10	0·03	0 80	0·05	0·44	0·46	1·15	2 11	0·04	0 92	...	0·06	0·07	1·4
			Athgarh ...	0·35	2·40	1·10	...	...	0 28	2·00	1·20	1·20	0·30	0·14	0 30	1·10	...	0 30	0 35	0 60	0·10	0·35	2·4
	Puri ...		Puri ...	1·07	0·18	0·12	0·02	...	0 04	0·21	0 31	0·33	0 56	0·01	2 08	0·53	...	0 02	0·30	0·32	0·57	0·08	2·4
			Khurda ...	1·11	...	1·58	...	...	...	0·20	0·83	1 33	0·48	...	1·72	1·09	...	0 13	...	2·12	0 85	1·30	1·5
			Bhanpur ...	0·70	0·16	...	...	...	0·18	0·25	0 25	0·87	0·82	1·37	1·18	0·10	...	0·40	0·72	0·06	...	0·75	1·4
			Gop ...	0·83	0·84	0·45	0·06	0·06	0·05	0·44	0 42	2·20	0 71	1·73	1·74	...	0 12	0·29	0·37	0 71	0·30	1 30	0·5
			Satpara ...	1·82	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·00	...	1·65	0 19	...	2 48	...	...	0 22	0·24	0·51	...	0·95	
			Sunakhalla ...																				
			Kanas ...	...	0·80	...	...	...	0·05	0·21	2·45	2·02	1·00	1·00	...	0·18	0 38	0·20	0·57	...	1·17	3·03	
			Tangbi ...	1·00	0·20	0·34	...	...	0 10	0·20	0·68	1·30	0·66	2·00	1·01	0·12	...	1·00	1·02	0 50	...	...	
			Jenkia ...	0·83	...	0·58	...	...	0 01	0 28	1·31	1·09	1 90	0·27	0·10	0·61		0 08	1·66	0·59	0·10	0·48	
	Hazaribagh		Pachamba (*Giridih*).	0·34	0·10	0·83	0·30	0·16	...	0 30	0·27	0·32	1·37	0·50	0 10	0 35	0·56	0 30	0·70	...	0·08	0·01	
			Hazaribagh ...	0·08	0 37	0·44	0·31		1·38	0·26	0·12	0·41	0·34	0·48	...	0·19	0·31	0·46	...	0·25	0·11	...	
			Barhi ...	...	0·36		0 15	0·18	...	0·62	0·64	0·32	...	...	0·35	0·08	...	0·19	...	...			
			Chatra ...	1·95	0·07	0·09	0·52	0·45	0 30	0·33	...	1·12	...	...	0·01	0·18	0·24	0 23	0·04	0·56	0·04	0·18	
			Kharagdiha ...			0·46	0·75	0·28		0 35	0·42	...	...	...	...						0 07		
			Kamar ...	0·60	0·60	...	...	0 65	0·30	1·60	0·81	0·03	...	0 03	0·70	0·70	0 50	0·50	0·90	...	0·80	0·2
			Kederma ...	1·08	0·10	0 27	0·10	0·12	0 07	1·52	0 20	0·06	...	...	1·30	...	0·20	0 16	...	...		
			Bagadar ...	0 25	0·36	0 51	0·63	...	0·07	0·03	0·64	0·50	0·03	0 20	0 17	1 01	0·41	0·53	0 13	0·38	0·60	0·01	
	Ranchi ...		Lohardaga ...	0·42	...	...	0 48	0·24	0·35	0·10	...	1·45	0 65	0 88	...	0·05	...	0·05	...	2 00	...	...	
			Ranchi ...	0·12	0·38	0·29	1·58	0·05	0·13	0·49	0·01	0·19	0·13	0·03	0·05	0 06	0·48	1·22	0 14	0 70	0·74	0·12	
			Silli ...	0·09	...	0 50	1 51	...	0 08	0 08	0·92	0·04	0·53	0 33	...	0 12	0·35	1·17	0 76	0 28	1·02	...	
			Palkot ...	1·50	3·20	2·50	0·15	0·35	1·25	2·15	0 50	0 25	0·10	0·58	0·15	0·85	1·02	1·12	2·25	1·05	1·35	2·16	
			Bano ...	0·15	0·89	1·11	0 21	0·09	1·99	0·90	0·57	0·43	0·74	0·20	0 15	0·64	0 76	0 37	0·30	2·13	0·78	0·00	
			Tamar ...	0·21	0·91	1·28	0·35	0·07	0·91	1·02	0·55	0·67	0·06	...	0 25	0·76	1·18	1 50	0 48	0·48	0·18	...	
			Kurdeg ...	0·06	0·91	0·37	0·26	0·62	0·50	0·35	0·27	0·28	0·60	0·60	0·38	0·45	0 86	1·03	0·88	1·20	1·17	1·22	
			Gumla ...	0·26	0·51	0·50	2·35	0·07	0 04	0·30	1·67	0 08	0·34	1 23	...	0·40	0·90	3·06	0 31	0·46	0 13	0·12	
			Chainpur ...	0·41	0·10	0·20	1·09	0 03	0·90	1·15	0·08	0·11	0·70	0·50	...	0·07	0·90	1·85	1·05	0·67	0·91	0·45	
			Khunti ...	0·50	0·30	0·60	1 24	0·23	0·03	...	2·60	0 10	2·10	0·20	0·08	1·40	0·78	0·36	0·5	1·55	0·10	...	
Chota Nagpur.	Palamau ...		Palamau (*Daltonganj*).	0·20	0·18	0·12	0·31	0·11	..	0 24	0·10	3·05	0·32	0·99	0·05	0·08	0·08	0·99	...	...	0·60	0·06	
			Balumath ...	..	...	...	...	2·65	0 84	0·25	...	0·75	0·30	...	...	...	0·75	0·20	0·40	1·35	0·47	...	
			Husainabad ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 50	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	0·50	...	...	...	0 40	...	
			Garuwa ...	0·19	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·19	1·42	0·06	0·28	0·39	...	0 29	0·86	0·08	0 14	...	0·38	...	
			Mahuadanr ...	1·80	1·30	...	1·10	0·10	...	...	0·10	0·10	2·50	2·30	...		0 30	1·00	...	0·10	0 70	...	
			Panki ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·35	0·15	...	...	...	0 20	0·30	0·50	1·25	...	...	0·15	0·10	
			Latehar ...	0·84	...	0·12	0·37	0·15	0·20	2·40	...	0 60	0·50	0·10	0·12	0 70	0·76	0 35	3·00	...	0·65		
			Nagaruteri ...		...	...	0·35	...	...	...	1·05	1·00	0·55	0 40	...	1·50	0·50	1·80	...	...	1 0	...	
			Lanka ...	0·01	...	...	1·20	...	...	2 75	1 06	1 20	...	0·50	...	0·20	1·70	0 40	0·60	...	0·84	0·50	
			Chattarpur ...									0·70	1·00	...	...	0·30	0·55		0·15	...	0 20		
			Bhaonathpur ...	...	0·23	0·33	0·10	...	...	...	0 91	...	0·05	0·60	...	0 34	0·94	0·71	0·91	...	0·26	...	
			Patan ...	0·15	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	2·00	0 47	...	0 03			
			Manatu ...	0·15	0·35	0·11	0·75	0·10	...	...	...	0·50	0·50	...	0·75	...	0 05	0·05	...	0·10	0·18	0 35	
			Lesligunj ...	0·04	...	0·40	0·10	0·05	0·36	0·40	...	0·05	...	0·20	0·24	0·05	1·70	0·30	...	0·05	0 10	...	
			Kerh ...	0·05	...	...	0·80	...	0·11	1·13	0·30	0·16	1·05	...	...	0 20	0·20	0·84	0·14	0·09	0·21	0·05	
			Garu ...	0·89	0·10	0·88	0·98	...	...	0·75	0·27	0·70	2·55	...	...	0·40	0·00	0·03	0 14	0·40	0·50	1·10	
	Manbhum ...		Purulia ...	1·34	0·33	0 05	1·25	0·45	...	0·33	0·78	0·40	0·55	0·25	0·08	0·17	0·53	0·01	0·37	2·27	0·28	...	
			Gobindpur ...	0 22	0·09	0·73	0·22	...	...	...	0·02	0·62	...	0·78	0 07	0 18	0 16	0·18	0·28	...	0 75	...	
			Raghunathpur	0·09	0·33	0·48	0 41	...	...	0·43	0·12	...	0·18	0·93	0·09	...	0 11	0·73	2·49	0·31	0·24	0·17	
			Barabhabum	0·40	0·38	0·63	1·00	...	...	0 31	0·20	..	0·16	0 25	0·11	0·17	0·65	0·45	1·28	0·31	0·13	...	
			Jhalda ...	...	0·45	0·71	0·88	0·05	...	0·03	0·49	1·53	0·06	...	...	0·23	0·34	0·49	0·50	0·50	...	...	
			Chas ...	0·50	0 85	...	0 40	...	1·50	...	0·59	0 39	0·15	0·19	...	0·09	1·08	0·16	1·10	...	0·50	0·50	
			Panora ...	0·19	0·04	0·42	0·30	0·70	...	0·03	...	2·00	...	0 25	...	...	0 17	0 22	...	0·60	0·18	...	
			Mahisasar ...	0 10	1·25	0·40	0·40	0·58	...	...	...	...	...	1 01	...	...	0 50	0 39	0·08	...	0·38	...	
			Kottapal ...	0·21	0 35	0·89	...	...	...	0·35	1·01	0 13	0 30	0·41	0 11	...	1·11	1·10	0·20	...	0·08	0·22	
	Singhbhum ...		Chaibasa ...	...	0·19	0·45	0·90	...	0·82	0 80	1·60	0·16	0·19	...	...	...	1·60	0·26	1·55	0·82	...	0·17	
			Chakradharpur	0·09	0·82	0·08	...	0·08	0·43	1·08	...	0·38	...	0·43	0·87	0·88	0·46	2·50	1·32	...	0·09	0·91	
			Ghatsila ...	0·31	0·50	0·61	0·90	0·03	...	...	0·39	0·10	0·02	...	0·80	...	1·25	0·58	2·01	1·16	0·42	...	
			Baharagora ...	2·32	0·02	0·48	0·39	...	...	0 95	0·68	0·85	0·13	...	...	0·34	0·36	0·27	4·10	1·92	0·42	0·2
			Patkura ...	0·25	0·27	0·49	1·32	0·55	2·38	0·66	1·78	1·70	1 41	0·51	...	0 69	2·18	0·13	2·49	1·88	0·16	0·13	
			Kalikapur ...	1·12	0·84	0 05	0·02	...	...	1·18	0·30	...	0·11	...	...	0·31	0·06	1·53	2·62	1·80	0·32	0·11	
			Monoharpur ...	0·04	0·45	0·23	0·50	0·30	3·80	2 18	0·98	0·94	0·42	0·07	...	2·04	2·17	0·14	0·93	0·80	0·50	0·08	
			Kolburi ...	...	0·26	0·18	0·30	1·00	...	0·84	0·84	0·09	...	...	0·21	0 30	0·27	0·25	1·69	0·81	0·22	
			Sarabilla ...	0·07	0 25	1 32	0·33	...	...	0·75	0·91	1·19	0·00	0·13	0·04	0 07	0·96	0·45	0·48	1·60	0·13	0·17	
			Kasaroda ...	0·07	...	0·82	2 07	...	0·28	0·04	0·94	...	1·55	...	0·07	0·85	0·99	0·77	1·04	0·67	...	0·56	0·76

23	25	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 31st August 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 31st August.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
1·67	0·30	1·91	3·13	0·06	...	0·12	0·53	3·92	0·32	28	16·39	20·78	17·10	3·92	63·60	40·75	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur ...		
0·51	0·20	0·27	0·26	0·02	0·10	0·44	0·05	3·06	0·05	24	13·96	30·55	15·20	2·46	57·11	41·44	Bargarh.			
0·80	...	...	0·76	...	...	...	...	1·14	0·15	17	?	16·83	?	4·00	36·90	?	*Padampur (Barasamber)*			
0·40	1·50	1·80	0·09	0·50	0·31	0·10	2·40	...	...	26	?	26·82	?	4·20	48·31	?	Bhawanipatna.	Uria Feudatory States.		
...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	1·56	0·69	...	17	?	22·96	?	5·28	33·90	?	Bolangir.			
0·50	0·34	0·60	0·50	0·20	0·10	...	2·03	1·08	...	26	?	26·99	?	3·08	5·42	?	Sonepur.			
0·18	0·45	0·18	2·65	0·04	0·02	...	...	3·04	0·03	23	?	22·47	?	3·50	64·98	?	Rampur.			
0·80	0·18	4·00	3·50	0·00	0·02	0·50	0·70	4·00	0·01	26	?	39·18	?	4·00	71·60	?	Deoghur.			
0·41	0·50	0·82	0·39	0·35	...	0·48	0·07	0·17	0 21	26	12·37	22·24	16·03	3·61	47·37	44·94	Gangpur			
0·13	0·04	1·08	0·70	...	0·31	0·11	0·25	1·22	...	25	?	27·60	?	3·72	56·14	?	Bonaigurh.			
9·20	...	...	...	1·78	2·05	0·86	0·29	...	...	14	14·38	19·41	12·18	5·20	54·70	34·48	Jagatsingpur	Cuttack		
0·06	...	0·34	1·12	0 07	...	0·25	2·66	1·36	...	21	15·33	23·77	11·5	3·36	49·77	33·90	Banki.			
0·57	0·12	1 36	0·02	0·26	0·01	1·05	1·25	0·93	...	24	16·19	27·08	12·12	5·65	45·1	38 21	Cuttack.			
0·43	0·90	0·08	...	1·05	...	0·60	0 77	0·16	0·08	20	16·10	16 47	13·91	1·50	32·71	30·03	False Point.			
0·18	...	0·12	...	0·06	...	0·78	0·41	0·17	...	20	15·50	9·4	13·17	1·91	34·45	37·51	Kendrapara			
0·44	0·53	0·73	...	...	...	0·58	0 85	0·06	0·50	21	15·45	21·09	12·32	6·00	44 22	38·42	Jajpu			
0·17	0·45	...	...	...	0·90	0·75	0·21	0·11	0·73	24	14·88	14·85	12·55	1·65	41·96	38·39	Dharmsala.			
1·30	0·20	2·20	...	0·50	...	0·70	1·10	0·40	...	22	16·20	22·57	15·76	6·38	53·69	37 71	Salepur.			
0·18	...	0·61	...	...	.	0·15	0 63	0·10	0·25	21	15·35	17·45	12·92	3 70	3·72	36·63	Akhyapata ...	Balasore ...		
0·08	...	0·63	0·04	...	0·07	0·90	0·60	0·18	0·18	20	14·20	10·73	11·57	1·46	37·85	3·60	Chandbali.			
0·33	...	0·06	0·12	...	0·31	0·37	0·83	0·12	0·39	20	14·61	7·35	11 77	0·91	27·87	37·14	Bhadrak.			
...	...	0·12	0·25	...	0·74	1·80	0·47	0·37	0 12	23*	15·11	10·46	10·48	2·80	54·88	34·13	Soro.			
...	...	...	...	2·35	2·51	2·41	1·51	1·35	...	21	16·03	3·79	12·27	2·55	41·21	37·58	Balasore.			
...	0·02	0·21	0·09	...	0·08	0·70	1·75	0·55	0·11	20	14·36	2·27	11 44	0·52	48·40	36 15	Jellasore.			
0·10	...	0·09	...	...	0·03	0·22	1·10	0·23	0·80	21	?	16·02	?	3·30	37·61	?	*Baliapal.*			
0·03	...	...	0·16	...	0·64	1 70	0 80	0·27	0·20	21	?	13·24	?	1·70	33 88	?	*Eram* (Basudepur).			
0·30	...	0·10	0·12	...	0·70	0·62	0·50	0·82	0·32	25	?	15·15	?	3·10	37·16	?	*Turigaria.*			
0·52	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·80	0·10	0·30	20	?	9·12	?	1·50	24·07	?	*Banath.*			
0·08	0·25	0·37	0·10	...	...	0·12	0·76	1·99	0·08	20	14·21	14·12	10·01	3·20	37·48	32·53	Angul ...	Angul ...	Orissa.	Orissa.
0·03	0·01	0·42	0·37	0·01	0·10	0·20	1·11	0·64	0·05	24	16·42	14·27	10·83	1·93	37·67	35·17	Bissipara.			
...	1·50	0·42	...	...	0·62	0·02	3·42	0·12	...	25	?	21·06	?	3·42	34·44	?	*Chhendipada.*			
...	0·07	1·45	0·45	...	...	0·06	0·35	0·03	...	21	?	16·25	?	2·57	34·57	?	*Tekerpara.*			
0·01	0·28	0·37	1·21	0·32	0·48	0·57	0·55	3·77	0·09	27	?	32·03	?	8·26	60·35	?	*Balandapara.*			
0·74	...	0·48	0·45	0·03	...	0·48	1·18	1·11	...	19	16·75	18·41	11·84	3·65	45·87	33·07	Baramba ...	Orissa Tributary Mahals.		
...	0·83	1·08	1·36	...	...	1·02	0·58	0·39	0·78	23	14·74	18·65	9·60	1 98	42·76	31·30	Kunjabeharh.			
0·09	...	2·17	0·39	0·10	...	0·80	0 95	0·92	1·47	21	16·32	25·18	11·97	4·50	57·30	31·35	Dhenkanal			
0·33	0·05	0·32	0·30	...	0·26	0·07	1·17	0·48	0·69	23	?	24·77	?	5·16	40 11	?	*Basinga.*			
...	...	...	...	...	0·43	0·58	1·72	0·69	...	20	13·78	20·85	7 76	3·12	36·21	26·15	Keonjhar.			
0·11	...	...	0·14	...	0·15	0·22	0·14	4·38	0·43	26	13·75	19·30	10 78	4·38	36·79	31·59	Anandapur.			
...	0·01	0·45	0·35	0·52	0·54	0·74	1·52	1·60	0·90	23	10·36	21 36	12·04	4·20	57·16	38·46	Baripada.			
0·20	0·13	0·37	0 70	...	0·73	0·30	0·25	0·40	0·20	23	?	11·41	?	1·37	35·96	?	*Kuranjia.*			
0·12	0·08	0·80	...	...	0·30	0·88	0·15	0·10	2·34	20	15·33	15·07	9·06	2·40	40·04	29·07	Narsinghpur.			
...	0·31	0·40	0·10	...	0·08	3 45	0·66	...	1·22	23	12·80	17·23	12·10	2·35	3·20	37·07	Nayagarh.			
1·32	0·60	3·00	2·30	0·20	0·03	0 45	0·51	1·52	0·52	28	18·45	31·5	16 18	3·10	62·86	52·16	Pal Lahara.			
0·21	...	0·52	0·70	0·30	...	0·15	2 25	0·55	...	25	16·98	15·52	13·23	2·25	34·24	35·42	Ranpur.			
0·33	0·37	1·34	0·19	0·20	0·05	0·18	0·46	1·31	0·03	23	14·42	1·08	11·29	4·23	4·40	35·02	Talcher.			
0·30	1·07	...	0·46	0·02	...	0·30	0·17	...	0·20	23	?	16 45	?	4·58	39·74	?	*Athmalik.*			
											?		?			?	*Hindol.*			
...	1·24	...	0·12	...	...	0·23	1·08	...	0·23	21	?	18·97	?	3·00	53·25	?	*Boad.*			
...	...	0·78	0·47	...	1·30	0·85	1·17	0·65	0·49	21	?	19·32	?	2 11	35·91	?	*Nilgiri.*			
0·43	0·23	2·80	0·20	0 13	...	0·47	1·10	0·60	0·12	27	?	25·81	?	5·41	52·57	?	*Athgurh.*			
0·10	...	0·01	0·13	...	0 10	1 11	5·30	0·75	...	20	12·85	18·69	1 60	5·30	35·07	3·01	Puri	Puri ...		
0·10	0·40	0·80	0·25	0·83	0·31	0·28	1·30	0·12	...	23	16·05	1·87	13·09	2·12	42·03	37·28	Khurda.			
0·06	1·14	...	0·50	...	...	1·15	4·25	0·49	..	18	15·58	16·84	11 89	4·25	35·96	31·15	Bhanpur.			
0·06	0·10	0·02	0·13	0·01	2 45	3 45	0·03	...	...	20	14 87	18 74	12 53	3·45	46·22	33·67	Gop.			
...	...	...	...	..	...	1·30	9·13	0·35	...	12	1·74	20·68	8·81	9·14	32·96	25·11	Satpara			
											16 13		14·48			36·66	Sunakhalla.			
0·50	...	0·10	...	0·41	1·21	1·21	0 11	0·14	0·40	20	?	17·74	?	3·03	40·80	?	*Kanas*			
...	1·32	0·10	0·20	...	0·30	0·60	3·80	...	...	21	?	1·85	?	3·60	39·19	?	Tangki.			
0·16	0·18	0·47	0·12	0·36	0 1	0·26	2·00	0·17	...	25	?	18·08	?	2·00		?	Jenkia.			
...	...	0·15	0·77	...	2 00	0·19	0·87	1·20	2·04	22	17·35	14·65	12 11	2·04	29·12	35 43	Pachamba ... (*Giridih*)	Hazaribagh		
0·09	...	..	...	...	0·18	0·07	0·08	0·27	2·37	16	17·77	8·96	12·72	2·37	37·64	34·41	Hazaribagh			
...	...	...	...	...	2·88	0·15	0·97	0·12	0 09	13	15·31	8 24	11·98	2·88	31·45	33·63	Barhi.			
0·03	0·04	0·15	1·43	...	1·94	...	0·30	0·21	0·46	17	16·25	10·10	11·79	1 94	28·64	37 88	Chatra.			
...	...	0 58	...	0·47	1·36	0·42	0·46	0·17	0·05	11	15·69	5·69	18·31	1·36	22·21	38 54	Kharasdiha.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·60	0·10		16·07		15 69			37·78	Ramgar.			
...	...	...	...	...	4·10	0·80	0·39	0 26	0·15	15	?	10·73	?	4·11	24·16	?	*Kolerma.*			
0·23	0·16	...	0·23	...	4·72	0·14	0·64	0 80	...	21	?	12·71	?	4 02	30·81	?	*Bagador.*			
0·73	...	0·38	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	0·47	14	18·00	10 07	13·5.	1·45	2·18	37 41	Lonardaga ...	Ranchi ...	Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur.
1·08	0·05	0 02	0·33	0 02	0·05	0·68	0·61	0·10	1·30	24	17 84	14·11	11·6	1·90	45·0	34·9	Ranchi.			
...	0·80		0·20	...	0·78		1·15	0·77	0·36	20	14·04	14·45	10·54	1·51	30·70	30·76	Silli.			
0·05	0·05	0·30	1·05	0·05	0·85	1·53	1 25	0·30	0·45	28	16·21	31·12	14·30	3·21	65·07	48 58	Palkot.			
0·62	0·30	4·30	0·07	0·30	0·47	0·34	0·55	0·15	0·07	27	...	2·42	?	4·50	51·07	...	*Bano.*			
1·00	0·11	0 25	0·22	0·04	0·30	0 72	0·41				19 57		11·62			30·54	Pamar.			
0·34	0·40	0·72	0·08	0·44	0·03	0·02	...	0·03	...	25	?	16·03	?	1·21	13·11	?	*Kurdag.*			
0·90	...	1·40	1·41	0·06	1·15	0·03	0·80	0·35	0·41	24	?	20·54	?	3·06	55·08	?	*Gumla.*			
1·32	0·11	0·54	1·75	0·02	0·55	0·12	0·68	0·25	1·37	25	15 14	18·21	0 11·10	1 85	37·53	31·83	Chainpur.			
0·60	0·30	2·28	...	0·05	1·76	0 14	0·30	1·50	1·54	25	?	22·52	?	2·60	41·60	?	Khunti.			
...	0·22	...	0·11	0·08	0·85	0·46	0·02	0·78	0·30	21	15·74	11 18	10·14	3·05		31·55	Palamau (*Daltonganj*)	Palamau ...		
0·31	...	...	0·55	1·45	...	...	0·45	...	0·85	15	16 13	11·57	11·71	2·05	2·92	37·90	Balumath.			
...				1·05	2·00	1·00	...			7	1·38	6·...	1·40	2·06	13·10	35·15	Husainabad.			
0·05	0·05	0·16	0·14	0·12	0·43	...	...	0·47	0·11	18	17·10	7·00	14·05	1·42	18·88	36·70	Garhwa.			
0·36	2·00	0·30	1·35	...	0·50	...	0·18	0·16	0·30	20	?	7·50	?	2·50	37·55	?	*Mahuadanr.*			
...	...	0·80	1 15	0·50	0·14	0·30	...	0·20	0·35	17	?	6·95	?	1·75	21·10	?	*Panki.*			
...	0·25	1·62	2·00	0·50	2·00	0·07	0·01	...	0·32	22	?	18·85	?	3·01	52·37	?	*Latenar.*			
...	1·00	...	...	0·55	0·15	0·35	...	0 13	0·50	18	?	17·79	?	1·81	30·16	?	*Nagarutara.*			
0·15	0·84	0·17	...	...	0·08	0·21	0·14	...	0·98	0·32	?	14·80	?	2·75	5·20	?	*Ranka.*			
...	...	0·80	0·10	1·70	...	0·15	0·25	...	...							?	*Chatterpur.*			
...	0·20	...	0·12	1·07	0·70	0 20	0·18	...		19	?	8·48	?	1·07	17·71	?	*Bhaonathpur.*			
0·18	...	0·30	...	1·80	...	0·50	0·70	...	...	13	?	7·08	?	2·09	1·58	?	*Patan.*			
...	0·55	...	1·40	...	1·50	0·85	0·40	...	...	17	?	9·61	?	1·50	21·31	?	*Monatu.*			
0·05	3·25	0·15	0·32	3·22	0·12	0·15	0·25	0·10	...	20	?	12·54	?	3·27	28·22	?	*Lesliganj.*			
0·16	0·80	0·03	0·04	0·43	3·53	...	0·08	0·02	0·04	17	?	11·23	?	3·58	28·04	?	*Kera.*			
0·15	0·80	1·10	1·80	1·00	4·10	0·10	0·50	0·10	0·22	26	?	21·87	?	4·10	26·23	?	*Garu.*			
...	...	...	0·03	...	1·23	0·45	0·61	0·27	0·83	23	16·52	15·73	12·28	2·27	39·88	34·58	Purulia ...	Manbhum ...		
0·38	...	0·20	...	...	3·25	1·25	1·40	0·50	0·83	19	14·87	14 44	13·40	3·25	44·21	38·42	Goomdpur.			
0·04	...	0·07	...	...	1·87	0·41	0·97	0·74	0·15	18	14·88	10·85	14·58	2·40	39·74	35 47	Raghunathpur.			
...	...	1 14	...	...	0·62	0 40	0·10	0·32	0·08	22	15·75	9·65	11·75	1·22	4·19	37·43	Barahabhum.			
0·02	...	...	0·53	0·01	1·77	0·22	1·37	0·75	0·59	18	16 75	12 78	14 00	1·77	3·38	39·45	Jnaida.			
...	...	0·30	0·50	1·30	0·56	1·60	0·11	1·00	...	21	16·69	14·88	12·46	1·30	30·04	34·54	Chas.			
0·15	...	...	...	...	0·92	1·90	1·00	1·63	0·02	17	16 41	12·33	11·85	2·03	39·68	36·90	Pandra.			
0·10	...	1·57	...	1·00	1·00	...	...	0·90	0·50	18	?	10·75	?	1·57	3·52	?	*Manbazar.*			
...	0·20	0·40	0·30	0·20	0·78	0·20	0·25	0·55	0·10	25	?	12·27	?	1·11	40·47	?	*Kotapal.*			
0·25	...	0·36	1·65	0·11	...	1·15	0·40	0·60	0 75	23	16·24	14·00	13·11	3·46	38·87	37·08	Chaibasa ...	Singhbhum ...		
...	1·72	0·76	...	...	0·16	0·88	0·21	0·45	0·56	22	18·23	18·50	12·28	2·50		37·11	Chakradharpur			
0·53	...	0·62	0·11	0·43	...	0·75	0·08	0·88	1·05	20	16·73	15·01	14·71	2·02	41 19	40·79	Gunsela.			
0·18	0 34	...	0·15	0·28	0·30	2·90	1·52	0·20	1·75	24	14·33	22·21	11·55	4·10	41·54	38·27	Baharagura.			
0·88	0·08	2·28	2·20	0·30	0·52	0·12	1·00	0·18	0 62	29	19·00	28·58	16·88	2·49	62·80	44 54	Gailkura.			
...	...	0·28	0·18	0·26	2·02	0·28	0·10	0·14	0·52	28	16·00	1·05	13·00	2·62	39·78	40 10	Kalikapur.			
1·04	0·28	1·29	0·50	0·80	1·35	0·25	0·47	0·25	0·35	27	18·83	31·83	13·88	6·80	61·12	54·08	Monabarpur.			
0·14	...	0·77	0·11	...	0·30	2·40	0·18	0·13	1·50	23	?	15·21	?	2·40	36·80	?	*Katbari.*			
1·08	...	0·14	0·48	0·21	1·08	0·64	0·23	0·35	1·43	24	?	17·17	?	2·27	38·24	?	*Seraikella.*			
0·59	...	1·08	...	...	1·01	0·11	0·70	0·46	1·40	21	?	18·74	?	2·97	43·71	?	*Kharsawan.*			
0·94	0·56	0·37	0·67	0·13	0·19	0·44	0·56	0·86	0·89	29	?	21·25	?	3·84	48·71	?	*Jaintgarh.*			
1·00	...	1·76	...	...	2·65	0·33	1·40	0·56	2·13	20	?	25·73	?	0·45	53·12	?	*Jayanathpur.*			

DISTRICT RAINFALL TABLE OF THE PROVINCE OF BENGAL
for the month of August 1908.

Meteorological Divisions.	Division.	District.	District Observations. Rainfall. Of month. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Since 16th May 1908. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	10·26	11·76	−1·50	19·20	15·20	43·88	37·13	+6·75	53·80	45·83
		Birbhum	9·80	10·98	−1·18	18·67	15·13	41·17	37·00	+4·17	53·68	46·80
		Bankura	12·06	11·88	+0·18	19·50	14·89	42·95	37·68	+5·27	54·66	45·43
		Midnapore	14·65	12·82	+1·83	19·75	15·24	46·45	38·38	+8·07	51·90	45·80
		Hooghly	9·40	12·53	−3·13	19·00	16·67	47·60	37·87	+9·73	55·67	49·04
		Howrah	9·59	11·40	−1·81	20·33	16·90	58·63	36·73	+21·90	57·99	50·78
	Presidency	24 Parganas	11·79	13·29	−1·50	21·00	16·70	50·13	40·16	+9·97	56·25	49·88
		Calcutta	24·43	12·69	+1·74	22·00	18·88	68·06	38·99	+29·07	56·50	54·40
		Nadia	7·95	10·96	−3·01	18·40	15·0	41·94	35·03	+6·91	54·40	47·63
		Murshidabad	7·04	10·45	−3·41	14·25	14·53	33·67	34·74	−1·07	42·64	45·95
		Jessore	6·42	10·67	−4·25	15·60	15·37	40·97	36·77	+4·20	53·00	49·77
		Khulna	9·11	12·32	−3·21	20·40	16·71	41·74	41·69	+0·05	59·60	52·81
Bihar.	Patna	Patna	6·46	11·21	−4·75	8·50	13·18	15·02	32·49	−17·47	23·50	36·87
		Gaya	7·04	11·72	−4·68	9·89	13·83	19·69	31·48	−11·79	26·45	36·63
		Shahabad	9·51	11·66	−2·15	11·92	12·96	19·26	31·17	−11·91	25·84	35·54
		Saran	7·26	11·00	−3·74	7·67	12·19	15·15	31·52	−16·37	17·17	34·47
		Champaran	7·43	12·81	−5·38	8·00	13·19	22·80	37·44	−14·64	25·50	38·91
		Muzaffarpur	5·10	11·00	−5·90	4·14	12·27	17·00	31·88	−14·88	16·85	35·15
		Darbhanga	3·57	12·49	−8·92	5·00	13·74	12·97	33·97	−21·00	18·80	37·71
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr	6·05	11·41	−5·36	11·30	13·52	17·29	33·59	−16·30	28·93	38·18
		Bhagalpur	4·64	11·66	−7·02	9·00	13·53	15·71	34·78	−19·07	27·84	40·22
		Darjeeling	20·60	24·86	−4·26	18·50	23·29	70·62	86·12	−15·50	69·51	75·51
		Purnea	4·88	14·98	−10·10	8·43	15·32	22·19	49·20	−27·01	30·65	48·51
		Santhal Parganas.	7·98	11·66	−3·68	13·25	15·60	29·71	35·69	−5·98	39·88	45·38
Orissa.	Orissa	Sambalpur	30·17	15·18	+14·99	26·00	16·15	63·37	44·63	+18·74	62·50	46·15
		Angul	14·35	14·45	+3·90	22·00	15·31	26·29	33·85	+2·44	57·50	47·94
		Cuttack	19·35	12·77	+6·58	21·25	15·51	46·75	37·33	+9·42	51·01	43·46
		Balasore	17·64	11·85	+5·79	20·83	14·96	35·87	36·21	−0·34	47·70	43·92
		Puri	18·97	12·05	+6·92	18·60	14·63	39·06	32·48	+6·58	41·20	39·48
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	9·39	12·60	−3·21	15·80	16·51	29·78	36·63	−6·85	43·77	45·09
		Ranchi	17·46	13·31	+4·15	22·20	16·91	41·40	38·34	+3·06	53·60	46·95
		Palamau	9·09	13·42	−4·33	15·25	14·91	21·11	34·83	−13·72	30·24	40·19
		Manbhum	13·10	12·78	+0·32	19·71	16·27	37·88	36·97	+0·91	51·70	46·27
		Singhbhum	21·29	14·54	+6·75	24·00	17·02	45·17	42·28	+2·89	55·96	48·93

SUMMARY OF THE RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL DURING THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1908.

During the month of August, the rainfall was in general defect throughout Bihar and Bengal proper, Bankura, Midnapore and Calcutta excepted, where it was slightly in excess of the normal. It was heavy in Orissa, Ranchi, and Singbhum. Expressed in percentage figures, Sambalpur, Angul, Cuttack, Balasore, Puri, Ranchi, and Singbhum received 199, 137, 152, 149, 157, 131 and 146 per cent. of rain respectively. In Bihar the fall was in defect. The deficiency was greatest in the districts of Patna, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, and Purnea. All the above districts recorded less than 60 per cent. of the normal fall. On an average South-West Bengal received 10·04 inches, Bihar 6·29 inches, Orissa 19·32 inches, and Chota Nagpur 13·71 inches. The departure from the normal was −1·70 inches in South-West Bengal, −5·54 inches in Bihar, +7·04 inches in Orissa, and +0·37 inches in Chota Nagpur.

From the Divisional percentage tables attached it will be seen that South-West Bengal received 86 per cent., Bihar 53 per cent., Orissa 157 per cent., and Chota Nagpur 103 per cent. of rain.

The total rainfall from January to August was 105 per cent. in South-West Bengal, 59 per cent. in Bihar, 102 per cent. in Orissa, and 90 per cent. in Chota Nagpur.

The following table compares the rainfall in the four divisions during the month of August with the normal fall, the actual being given as a percentage of the normal. The table also shows the actual falls for each of the previous months of the year expressed in the same way, and the last column of the table shows the total rainfall of the past eight months of the year 1908:—

Meteorological Divisions.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Actual rainfall of first eight months of 1908 expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the period.
South-West Bengal	275	20	16	16	78	145	123	86	105
Bihar ...	83	282	56	12	62	52	59	53	59
Orissa ...	396	Nil	43	7	47	76	108	157	102
Chota Nagpur ...	118	247	39	1	81	76	87	108	90

PERCENTAGE TABLE FOR AUGUST 1908.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for August.	Actual district rainfall for August 1908.	Percentage of actual to normal rainfall.	Percentage excess (+), deficit (—).
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	11·76	10·26	87	— 13
	Birbhum	10·93	9·80	90	— 10
	Bankura	11·88	12·06	102	+ 2
	Midnapore	12·82	14·65	114	+ 14
	Hooghly	12·53	9·40	75	— 25
	Howrah	11·40	9·59	84	— 16
	24-Parganas	13·29	11·79	89	— 11
	Calcutta	12·69	14·43	114	+ 14
	Nadia	10·96	7·95	73	— 27
	Murshidabad	10·45	7·04	68	— 32
	Jessore	10·67	6·42	60	— 40
	Khulna	12·32	9·11	74	— 26
Bihar ...	Patna	11·21	6·46	58	— 42
	Gaya	11·72	7·04	60	— 40
	Shahabad	11·66	9·51	82	— 18
	Saran	11·00	7·26	66	— 34
	Champaran	12·81	7·43	58	— 42
	Muzaffarpur	11·00	5·10	46	— 54
	Darbhanga	12·49	3·57	29	— 71
	Monghyr	11·41	6·05	53	— 47
	Bhagalpur	11·66	4·64	40	— 60
	Darjeeling	24·86	20·60	83	— 17
	Purnea	14·98	4·88	33	— 67
	Sonthal Parganas ...	11·66	7·98	68	— 32
Orissa ...	Sambalpur	15·18	30·17	199	+ 99
	Angul	10·45	14·35	137	+ 37
	Cuttack	12·77	19·35	152	+ 52
	Balasore	11·85	17·64	149	+ 49
	Puri	12·05	18·97	157	+ 57
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	12·60	9·39	75	— 25
	Ranchi	13·31	17·46	131	+ 31
	Palamau	13·42	9·09	68	— 32
	Manbhum	12·78	13·10	103	+ 3
	Singhbhum	14·54	21·29	146	+ 46

The following table gives the Summary of the Rainfall data of each of the four Meteorological Divisions of the Province of Bengal for the month of August 1908:—

Meteorological Divisions.	Rainfall of month.			Rainy days.			Rainfall since 16th May 1908.	
	Average.	Normal average	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal ...	10·04	11·74	—1·70	18·40	15·53	+2·87	42·75	37·53
Bihar	6·29	11·83	—5·54	9·07	13·80	—4·73	19·16	34·69
Orissa	19·32	12·28	+7·04	21·04	15·08	+5·96	38·16	35·53
Chota Nagpur ...	13·71	13·34	+0·37	18·53	16·44	+2·09	33·85	38·11

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The 15th September 1908.

Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of August 1908.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29·569		
The average pressure of August from 44 years' registers	29·596		
The highest pressure in the month	29·735	31st	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29·453	26th	16
The range of pressure	0·282		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	126·7		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	398·4		
The mean temperature of the month	83·3		
The average temperature of August from 20 years' registers ...	82·5		
The highest temperature in the month	90·8	9th and 25th	
The lowest temperature in the month	76·5	30th	
The range of temperature during the month ...	14·3		
The mean daily range of temperature	9·5		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	12·4	4th	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	87		
The average humidity of August from 20 years' registers ...	88		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	0·956		
The average vapour tension of August from 20 years' registers ...	·957		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	8·31		
The average cloud proportion of August from 31 years' registers	8·08		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	14·43		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 8 feet above the ground)	14·27		
The average fall of August from 24 years' registers	12·69		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	1·51	29th	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	22		
The average number of rainy days in August from 24 years' registers	19		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	145·7		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures .. .	57		
The greatest sun temperature	155·5	25th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature .	64·7	25th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	76·7		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	2·1		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	3·1		
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day . .	113·1		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	226·0		
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	13		9 to 10½ A.M. and 11 to noon of 1 t. 10 to 11 A.M. and 3 to 4 P.M. of 2nd. 10 to 11 A.M. 3rd. 9 to 10 A.M. 29th.

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—

N. 1, N.E. 25, E. 179, S.E. 287, S. 188, S.W. 33, W. 4, N.W. 10, Calm 17.

C. W. PRAKE,
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METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,

ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 14th September 1908.*

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 6th to 12th September 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rains.	Weather.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Fan e.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1908.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches.	°	%			Inches.	
Sept.	6th	88·3	Nil	29·664	78·1	82·1	7·4	74·7	74·5	0·839	73·9	91	SSW and S ...	106	0·56	Cloudy, o, p, g.
,,	7th	152·7	1·9	·725	82·9	89·1	11·9	77·2	79·1	·972	78·4	90	S, SSW and SW by S.	79	0·74	Chiefly cloudy, d, p, ≤.
,,	8th	150·7	6·2	·705	83·0	39·4	12·2	77·2	78·7	·944	77·5	85	SW by S, S and SW.	121	1·28	Partially cloudy.
,,	9th	150·7	4·9	·729	84·8	90·6	11·0	79·6	79·8	·965	78·2	83	SW and SSW ...	185	Nil	Partially cloudy.
,,	10th	149·2	3·5	·697	85·0	89·6	8·7	80·9	80·8	1·002	79·3	83	SW and SSW ...	177	Nil	Partially cloudy, o.
,,	11th	136·6	0·9	·708	82·2	88·1	11·3	76·8	79·4	0·977	78·5	89	NNW and WSW	79	0·66	Chiefly cloudy, o, p, d, t, ≤.
,,	12th	137·2	1·4	·706	83·6	89·1	10·4	78·7	79·3	·975	78·5	90	WSW, N by E and calm.	45	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p, g, t, ≤.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·713
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·652
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		18·8
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		86·6
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		82·8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·2
The extreme variation of temperature		15·9
The maximum temperature		90·6
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		13
		%
The mean relative humidity		88
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 6th to 12th September 1908		3·24
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		3·03
The total fall from 1st January to 12th September 1908		74·63
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		53·68

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; p, passing temporary showers; g, dark, gloomy; t, thunder; ≤, lightning d, drizzling rain.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), *the 14th September 1908.*

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WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 29th August 1908 on 769 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	45,000	26,500 0 0	2,53,000 0	46,000 0 0	3,500 0 0	76,000 0 0	13,340	22,951	36,297
Or per mile of railway ...	58·50	34·51	328·15	59·66	4·54	98·71	19·08	29·77	49·73
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	378,710	2,28,494 0 0	18,83,115 0	3,28,702 0 0	31,394 0 0	5,88,680 0 0	119 954	146,618	266,572
Total for 9 weeks ...	423,710	2,54,994 0 0	21,36,115 0	3,74,702 0 0	34,894 0 0	6,64,680 0 0	133,300	169,569	304,869
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	43,394	27,672 0 0	2,10,430 0	31,633 0 0	3,190 0 0	84,495 0 0	14,842	18,784	33,626
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	56·50	36·03	410·42	66·07	6 73	109·73	19·33	24·36	43·69
Total to corresponding date of previous year	412,087	2,40,192 0 0	27,71,903 0	5,03,229 0 0	34,412 0 0	7,77,833 0 0	126,933	17	

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

Receipts for week ending 29th August 1908.			Receipts for week ending 31st August 1907.			Total receipts from 1st April 1908 to 29th August 1908.			Total receipts from 1st April 1907 to 31st August 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile	Mean mileage	Receipts.	Per mile	Mean mileage	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	76,000	98 71	771	84,495	109·73	771	17,05,565	...	771	18,84,359	...	.....	1,18,794

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 29th August 1908 on 1,791 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,791 miles open	315,910	(a)1,11,770	7,36,150	(b)90,200	(c)22,800	2,33,853	37,325	(d)37,476	94,871
Or per mile of railway ...	176·39	62·41	411·03	50 42	12·73	130·56	.....	.....	... ...
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year (e)	2,598,090	10,29,236	66,95,853	8,00,935	1,57,489	19,95,659	414,272	308,127	742,399
Total for 8½ weeks ...	2,914,000	11,41,006	74,32,005	8,91,135	1,82,289	22,29,480	451,597	345,603	837,269
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,705 miles open	255,259	93,473	10,60,486	85,264	21,323	2,00,059		38,488	93,181
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	147·01	54·82	621·99	50·01	12·51	117·34			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,382,840	10,03,636	93,10,092	10,08,835	1,83,014	22,84,539	478,505	384,012	
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...		1·05		2·65	·24	2·47			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		1 71			·23	2·15			

(a) Increase chiefly under local and foreign outward.
(b) Decrease in weight with increase in amount due to an adjustment of ballast train weight last year and improved local movements in this year. Foreign inward traffic is still low.
(c) Increase principally under steam boat.
(d) Includes 6,110 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes audited figures for first 11 days of July 1908.
(f) Includes 2,570 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
...l traffic for the week ...	350,390	1,58,490 0 0	35,50,180 0	4,72,550 0 0	78,110 0 0	7,09,150 0 0	73,734	(b)1,06,066	179,850
...er mile of railway	275	124 0 0	2,794 0	371 0 0	(a)17 0 0	(a)542 0 0	...		
...previous 8 weeks of half-...ar (c)	3,518,433	13,11,833 0 0	1,25,79,540 0	17,81,730 0 0	1,62,916 0 0	32,56,479 0 0	563,256	317,057	880,313
Total for 9 weeks ...	3,868,823	14,70,323 0 0	1,61,29,720 0	22,54,280 0 0	2,41,026 0 0	39,65,629 0 0	637,040	423,123	1,060,163
COMPARISON.									
...l for corresponding week ...previous year...	340,182	1,54,718 0 0	36,04,888 0	4,75,159 0 0	1,66,280 0 0	7,36,157 0 0	72,021	68,506	140,527
...mile of railway correspond-...g week of previous year ...368 miles)	273	122 0 0	2,843 0	375 0 0	69 0 0	566 0 0	...		
...l to corresponding date of ...vious year	3,819,997	14,44,290 0 0	1,77,73,433 0	24,77,053 0 0	2,89,068 0 0	42,10,321 0 0	636,988	493,892	1,130,880

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 18,560.
(b) ...ncludes ballast train-miles, 55,093 and car... Rs. 25,000.
(c) Audited up to period ending 11th July 1908.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1908 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
...raffic for the week	36,150	12,340 0 0	1,10,... 0	6,... 0 0	310 0 0	19,070 0 0	4,956	(a)3,650	8,606
...mile of railway	421	144 0 0	1,295 0	74 0 0	4 0 0	222 0 0	...		
...revious 8 weeks of half-...(b)	313,449	93,... 0 0	2,85,424 0	23,... 0 0	1,943 0 0	1,18,976 0 0	42,844	10,828	53,672
Total for 9 weeks ...	349,599	1,05,945 0 0	4,00,382 0	28,... 0 0	2,253 0 0	1,37,146 0 0	47,800	14,478	62,278
COMPARISON.									
...for corresponding week ...evious year	40,869	13,886 0 0	1,... 1 0	10,647 0 0	720 0 0	25,253 0 0	5,052	1,963	7,014
...le of railway corresponding ...of previous year	475	162 0 0	2,371 0	124 0 0	8 0 0	294 0 0	.....	.....	.....
...to corresponding date of ...ous year	325,031	98,475 0 0	7,... 0	42,... 0 0	1,911 0 0	1,42,896 0 0	44,569	12,039	56,608

(a) Includes ballast train-miles, 2,...0.
(b) Audited up to period ending 11th July 1908.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1908 on 33·6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
...affic for the week ...	4,050		18,010 0	1,680 0 0	20 0 0	3,300 0 0	470	(a)5,034	5,510
...mile of railway	121	49 0 0	536 0	50 0 0	1 0 0	100 0 0	.....		
...vious 8 weeks of half-...)	28,656	11,360 0 0	1,34,023 0	11,762 0 0	79 0 0	23,201 0 0	3,403	9,805	13,208
...tal for 9 weeks ...	32,706	13,020 0 0	1,52,033 0	13,442 0 0	99 0 0	26,501 0 0	3,879	14,839	18,718
COMPARISON.									
... corresponding week ...vious year	3,607	1,290 0 0	19,547 0	1,912 0 0	22 0 0	3,224 0 0		2,051	2,527
...of railway correspond-...ek of previous year ...	107	38 0 0	582 0	57 0 0	1 0 0	96 0 0			
...corresponding date of ...s year	29,784	10,790 0 0	1,55,382 0	14,666 0 0	99 0 0	25,555 0 0	3,971	18,273	22,244

(a) Includes ballast train-miles, 4,250.
(b) Audited up to period ending 11th July 1908.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th August 1908 on 54 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	9,960	3,590 0 0	71,639 0	5,190 0 0	130 0 0	8,910 0 0	2,118	(a)768	2,886
Or per mile of railway ...	184	67 0 0	1,326 0	96 0 0	2 0 0	165 0 0			
For previous 8 weeks of half-year (b)	90,074	30,189 0 0	2,32,284 0	11,961 0 0	243 0 0	42,393 0 0	15,961	2,369	
Total for 9 weeks ...	100,034	33,779 0 0	3,03,914 0	17,151 0 0	373 0 0	51,303 0 0	18,079	3,137	
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	9,361	3,547 0 0	46,844 0	3,690 0 0	571 0 0	7,808 0 0	1,925	675	2,600
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	185	70 0 0	924 0	73 0 0	11 0 0	154 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	87,098	29 863 0 0	3,01,320 0	17,166 0 0	2,443 0 0	49,472 0 0	17,377	4,205	21,482

(a) Ballast train-miles, *nil*.
(b) Audited up to period ending 11th July 1908.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 5th September 1908	Coaching ...	6,692 0 0	15,886 0 0
	Goods ...	9,157 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	37 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907	Coaching ...	6,084 0 0	15,451 0 0
	Goods ...	9,336 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	31 0 0	
	Increase ...		435 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 5th September 1908			311 7 10
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907			302 15 4
	Increase		8 8 6
Receipts from 1st July to 5th September 1908 ...			1,46,900 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907 ...			1,55,352 0 0
	Decrease		8,452 0 0

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PART I.

and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 6649A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6554A.—The 17th September 1908.*—Mr. W. N. Delevingne, District and Sessions Judge, on leave, is appointed to act temporarily as

Jessore. District and Sessions Judge, Jessore, *vice* Mr. Lokendranath Palit, on leave.

No. 6608A.—The 18th September 1908.—Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is appointed

Nadia. temporarily to have charge of the Meherpur subdivision of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Chandi Charan Chatarji.

No. 6639A.—The 21st September 1908.—Mr. Kedar Nath Ray, District and Sessions Judge, Birbhum, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Burdwan, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 25th September to the 20th October 1908. He is authorized, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Mr. A. Goodeve.

Birbhum. Burdwan.

Mr. Kedar Nath Ray is also authorized, under section 9 (4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Suri or at Burdwan for the disposal of cases arising in either of these districts.

This cancels the notification No. 6170A , dated the 8th September 1908.

No. 1978A.D.—The 22nd September 1908.—Babu Nrisinha Ranjan Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Diamond Harbour, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Darbhanga district.

24-Parganas. Darbhanga.

POLICE.—*No. 1955A.D.—The 21st September 1908.*—Mr. E. P. Walker, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Birbhum, is transferred to Sambalpur, *vice* Mr. W. D. Abercrombie, on deputation.

Birbhum. Sambalpur.

No. 1957A.D.—The 21st September 1908.—Mr. W. H. Cornish, Superintendent of Police, Midnapore, is transferred to Birbhum.

Midnapore. Birbhum.

No. 1959A.D.—The 21st September 1908.—Mr. F. L. Peters, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Eastern Bengal State and North-Western Railways, is appointed to be Superintendent of the Government Railway Police, Howrah.

Sealdah. Howrah.

No. 1961A.D.—The 21st September 1908.—Mr. L. H. Burton, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Khulna, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Eastern Bengal State and North-Western Railways.

Khulna. Sealdah.

No. 1963A.D.—The 21st September 1908.—Mr. W. A. P. Sealy, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Cuttack, is transferred to Khulna.

Cuttack. Khulna.

No. 1965A.D.—The 21st September 1908.—Mr. F. D. Savi, Superintendent of Police, Balasore, is transferred to Cuttack.

Balasore. Cuttack.

No. 1967A.D.—The 21st September 1908.—Mr. H. A. S. Burt, Superintendent of Police, Puri, on leave, is transferred to Balasore.

Puri. Balasore.

No. 1969A.D.—The 21st September 1908.—Lieutenant P. A. R. Pritchard, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on probation, Ranchi, is posted to Midnapore, *vice* Mr. C. T. Brett, on deputation.

Ranchi. Midnapore.

No. 1971A.D.—The 21st September 1908.—Mr. R. B. Hyde Officiating Superintendent, Government Railway Police, Howrah, is transferred to Midnapore.

Howrah. Midnapore.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 6556A.—The 17th September 1908.*—Mr. Lokendranath Palit, District and Sessions Judge, Jessore, is allowed leave for two months and sixteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which Mr. W. N. Delevingne may join his appointment as District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Jessore.

No. 6605A.—The 18th September 1908.—Babu Chandi Charan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Meherpur, Nadia, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Nadia.

No. 6619A.—The 19th September 1908.—Babu Shyama Charan Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Monghyr, is allowed leave, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved, up to the 28th September 1908.

Monghyr.

POLICE.—*No. 6623A.—The 19th September 1908.*—Mr. A. O. Johnstone, Superintendent of Police, Bengal, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave on private affairs up to the 27th October 1908.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 16th September 1908 :—

No. 3715A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Nilalohit Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, Pabna and Bogra, is allowed privilege leave for twenty-three days, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1908, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 3716A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Bipin Bihari De, Munsif of Serajganj, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of the same district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nilalohit Mukharji, or until further orders.

No. 3749A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Bhagabati Charan Mitra, Munsif of Faridpur, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3750A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Biswas, Munsif of Rampur Boalia in the district of Rajshahi, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Feni, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Feni Munsifi.

No. 3751A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Manmatha Chandra Basu, Munsif of Feni, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Pirojpur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Pirojpur Munsifi.

No. 3752A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Tej Chandra Mitra, Munsif of Pirojpur, in the district of Bakarganj, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3753A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Annada Kumar Sen, Munsif of Rangpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Faridpur. He is also vested with the powers under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Faridpur.

No. 3754A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Lalit Mohan Das, Munsif of Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Rangpur, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Rangpur.

No. 3755A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Sarada Kumar Sen Gupta, Munsif, now on deputation to Settlement duty, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Madaripur, and is invested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Madaripur Munsifi.

No. 3756A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Bhupal Chandra Gangali, Munsif of Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Madaripur Munsifi.

No. 3757A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Upendra Chandra Mukharji, Munsif of Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3758A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Suresh Chandra Sen, Munsif, now on deputation to the Settlement Department, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Rangpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Kurigaon, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Kurigaon Munsifi.

No. 3759A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Bhubaneswar Banarji, Munsif of Kurigaon, in the district of Rangpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at Patiya, but for the present to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Pabna and Bogra, now on deputation to Bogra.

No. 3760A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Gyan Chandra Banarji, Munsif of Patiya, in the district of Chittagong, now acting as Additional Munsif of Bogra, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Bhanga, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Bhanga Munsifi.

No. 3761A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Brajesh Chandra Singh, Munsif of Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3762A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Shyama Charan Banarji, Munsif of Karimganj, in the district of Sylhet, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3763A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Ram Shiromani Ray Sen, Munsif of Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3764A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Jadab Chandra Bhattacharji, Munsif of Nator, in the district of Rajshahi, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dacca, to be ordinarily stationed at Narayanganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Narayanganj Munsifi.

No. 3765A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Sharat Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3766A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Paresh Nath Ray Chaudhuri, Munsif of Maulvi Bazar, in the district of Sylhet, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Lakhmipur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Lakhmipur Munsifi.

No. 3767A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Sukumar Bhattacharji, Munsif of Lakhmipur, in the district of Noakhali, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3768A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Rebati Mohan Thakurta, Munsif of Chikandi, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Rangpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Nilphamari, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Nilphamari Munsifi.

No. 3769A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Surjyamani De, Munsif of Nilphamari, in the district of Rangpur, is appointed to be an Additional Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, but for the present to be on deputation to Netrakona.

No. 3770A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Mr. Nut Bihari Chatarji, Munsif of Gaibanda, in the district of Rangpur, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3771A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Sarada Prasad Datta Munsif of Rampur Boalia, in the district of Rajshahi, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3772A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Sen, Munsif of Habiganj, in the district of Sylhet, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Kasba, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Kasba Munsifi.

No. 3773A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Shashi Kumar Ghosh, No. II, Munsif of Kasba, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Sylhet, to be ordinarily stationed at Habiganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Habiganj Munsifi, but for the present to be on deputation as Additional Munsif, Sunamganj, in the same district.

No. 3774A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Narendra Nath Ghosh, Munsif of Feni, in the district of Noakhali, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 3775A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Mahendra Nath Mukhati, Munsif of Chittagong, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Patuakhali, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Patuakhali Munsifi.

No. 3776A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, Munsif of Patuakhali, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Chittagong.

No. 3777A.—The 15th September 1908.—The services of Babu Jitendra Prasad Chatarji, Munsif of Pabna, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 4043For.—The 18th September 1908.—Mr. A. L. McIntire, Conservator of Forests' Bengal, is allowed combined leave for two years, viz., privilege leave for two months and eight days or the amount due, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect, from the 1st November 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

No. 4080.—The 19th September 1908.—Consequent on the transfer of Mr. T. I. Pocock, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, second grade, the following promotions are ordered with effect from the 17th July 1908:—

Mr. R. G. A. Hannah, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, third grade, to be Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, second grade.

„ E. R. Comber, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, fourth grade, substantive and third grade, sub. *pro tem.*, is confirmed in the latter grade.

„ W. Breakey, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, fourth grade, to be Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, third grade, sub. *pro tem.*

„ Gokul Chandra Chatarji, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, fourth grade, sub. *pro tem* is confirmed in that grade.

„ Tarak Brahma Biswas, Officiating Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, fourth grade, is appointed sub. *pro tem* in that grade.

No. 4084.—The 21st September 1908.—The Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, having submitted, for consideration by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, a report by the Collector of the 24-Parganas, under section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, II (B.C.) of 1882, for the construction of a foot-bridge over the Kulpi sluice in that district, at an estimated cost of Rs. 2,512, the Lieutenant Governor is pleased, under the provisions of section 14 of the aforesaid Act, to order that the foot-bridge shall be constructed in accordance with the plan prepared by the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, and approved by the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle. The cost will be realized from the zamindars of estates benefited by the scheme.

24-Parganas.

No. 1437T.R.—The 21st September 1908.—Under section 5, Regulation III of 1822, as amended by section 2 (2) and Schedule II of the Obsolete Enactments Act, XII of 1891, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to authorise the Hon'ble Mr. R. T. Greer, C.S.I., who was, by notification No. 1337L.R., dated the 3rd March 1908, placed in charge of the Department of Land Revenue of the Board of Revenue, to exercise, with effect from the 29th September to the 11th October 1908, in addition to his duties as Member in charge of the Land Revenue Department, generally throughout the territories subject to the control of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, all the duties, powers and authority which are vested in the Board collectively in respect of the Department of Miscellaneous Revenue. This includes Excise, Income-tax, Salt, Opium, Customs, Stamps and Stationery Marine, the partition of estates and the acquisition of land for public purposes.

No. 4101.—The 22nd September 1908.—Mr. A. C Dobbs, late Principal of the Punjab Agricultural College, is appointed as Principal, Bengal, Agricultural College at Sabour (Bhagalpur), with effect from the afternoon of the 24th August 1908, *vice* Mr. H. H. Corbin, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Government of Punjab for employment in the Agricultural Department of that Government.

Bhagalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 4019L.A.—The 16th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Garden Reach Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the trenching ground in the village of Belpukur, pargana Magura, zilla 25-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land

24-Parganas.

DECLARATION.

No. 4092L.A.—The 21st September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Manbhum for a public purpose, viz., for a pound house at Kotra in the village of Kotra, pargana Charra, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 cottahs 6 chitaks 30 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

North—By Rakhal Bowri chaukidar's bastu bari,
East—By Chuni Bowri and Genda Bowri's bastu bari,
South—By waste land of village Kotra,
West—By Purulia-Barakar roadside land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kotra.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3 clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Manbhum.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 4093L A.—The 21st September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Muzaffarpur for a public purpose, for viz., a rest-house on the third mile of the Baji Ghat road, in the village of Faridpur, pargana Bissara, zilla Muzaffarpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the public road of the District Board, south by the Sakra Post Office, east by the Sakra police-station, and on the west by the fallow land of Malik Syed Mohboob Hussan Khan, is required within the aforesaid village of Faridpur.

Muzaffarpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Muzaffarpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 4650.—The 22nd September 1908.—It is notified for the information of the officers of the Indian Educational Service who are required to pass the Higher Standard examination in Bengali prescribed for military officers that the Government of India have decided to adopt, as the official text-books for that examination, the "Indira" by the late Bankim Chandra Chatterji and the "Sansara" by Romes Chandra Dutt in place of the works at present prescribed in Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, Appendix V, item 12.

No. 4640.—The 21st September 1908.—It is notified for general information that during the ensuing Durga Puja holidays, the Reading-room of the Imperial Library will be entirely closed on the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th October 1908. On all other days (including Sundays) it will remain open from 2 to 5 P.M.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Registration.

No. 4632.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Mahendra Nath Roy, Sub-Registrar, Narayangarh, in the district of Midnapore, is transferred to Jara, in the same district.

Midnapore.

No. 4634 — The 15th September 1908.—Babu Lakshmi Narayan Pathak, Sub-Registrar of Pataspur, in the district of Midnapore, is transferred to Narayangarh, in the same district.

Midnapore.

No. 4636.—The 15th September 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Ahmed, Probationer, Calcuttâ, now Officiating Sub-Registrar of Jara, in the district of Midnapore, is temporarily appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Pataspur, in the same district.

Calcutta.
Midnapore.

No. 4638.—The 16th September 1908.—Saiyid Riza Karim, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Arrah, in the district of Shahabad, was appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar at that place, with effect from the 12th April 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent District Sub-Registrar.

Shahabad.

No. 4661.—The 18th September 1908.—Babu Nalini Kanta Singh, Sub-Registrar of Kajlagarh, in the district of Midnapore, is transferred to Jhargram, in the same district.

Midnapore.

No. 4663.—The 18th September 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Bakhshi, Sub-Registrar of Jhargram, in the district of Midnapore, is transferred to Kajlagarh, in the same district.

Midnapore.

No. 4706.—The 22nd September 1908.—Babu Srish Chandra Ghose, Sub-Registrar, Paikgacha, in the district of Khulna, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulation, for three weeks, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his special duty.

Khulna.

He is permitted to affix to his leave the Durga Puja holidays and Sunday, the 11th October 1908.

H. C. Streatfeild,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 819-O.—The 17th September 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that no examination will be held in the year 1909 for the admission of European and Eurasian candidates into the Opium Department.

No. 827-O.—The 18th September 1908.—Mr. E. James, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 6th October 1908.

Benares Agency.

No. 830-O.—The 18th September 1908.—Mr. A. B. Cookburn, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 6th October 1908.

Benares Agency.

No. 833-O.—The 18th September 1908.—Babu Abinash Chandra Roy, Akbarpur, (Fyzabad), is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 338 of the Regulations, with effect from the 15th November 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Fyzabad.

C. E. A. W. Oldham,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1837Medl.—The 21st September 1908.—Dr. R. H. Pulipaka, Civil Surgeon, Nadia, is allowed privilege leave for four weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th October 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Nadia.

No. 1839Medl.—The 21st September 1908.—Assistant Surgeon Kali Mohan Sen, attached to the Krishnaghar Charitable Dispensary, is appointed temporarily to hold medical charge of the Civil station of Nadia, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Dr. R. H. Pulipaka, or until further orders.

Nadia.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1840San.—The 21st September 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 1 of Bengal Act IV of 1871 (the Puri Lodging-house Act), the Lieutenant-Governor vests Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, Deputy Magistrate in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under the aforesaid Act.

Nadia.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6650A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6376A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Bhagabati Charan Mitra, Munsif, appointed to be a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Sealdah, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of that portion of the Sealdah Munsifi which lies outside the limits of the jurisdiction of the Small Cause Court proper at Sealdah. He is also vested with powers, under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the Sealdah Munsifi.

24-Parganas.

No. 6377A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Tej Chandra Mitra, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Birbhum, to be ordinarily stationed at Bolpur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Bolpur Munsifi.

Birbhum.

No. 6399A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Upendra Chandra Mukharji, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Cuttack.

Cuttack.

No. 6408A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Brajesh Chandra Singh, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Serampore.

Hooghly.

No. 6415A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Shyama Charan Banarji, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Ulubaria, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Ulubaria Munsifi.

Hooghly.

No. 6424A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Ram Shiromani Ray Sen, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Birbhum, to be ordinarily stationed at Bolpur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Bolpur Munsifi.

Birbhum.

No. 6429A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Sharat Chandra Ghose, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Narail, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Narail Munsifi.

Jessore.

No. 6434A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Sukumar Bhattacharji, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Diamond Harbour, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Diamond Harbour Munsifi.

24-Parganas.

No. 6439A.—The 15th September 1908.—Mr. Nut Bihari Chatarji, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Patna, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the thanas comprised in the Sadar Munsifi of Patna, exclusive of the area over which the Cantonment Magistrate as Small Cause Court Judge of Dinapore has jurisdiction.

Patna.

No. 6451A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Sarada Prasad Datta, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Serampore.

Hooghly.

No. 6456A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Narendra Nath Ghose, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at Puri, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Puri Munsifi.

Cuttack.

No. 6477A.—The 15th September 1908.—Babu Jitendra Prasad Chatarji, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Kandi, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Kandi Munsifi.

Murshidabad.

No. 1980A.D.—The 22nd September 1908.—Babu Debendra Nath Pal, Munsif, Amta Hooghly, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of the same district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Uma Charan Kar, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 1982A.D.—The 22nd September 1908.—Babu Praphulla Krishna Ghosh, M A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Amta, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Debendra Nath Pal, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 6590A.—The 17th September 1908.—The officers named below are confirmed in their present appointments:—

Babu Prayag Nath, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Darbhanga.

„ Upendra Nath Datta, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Monghyr.

„ Pankaja Kumar Chatarji, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Saran (now acting as Additional Subordinate Judge, Muzaffarpur).

„ Gopeswar Banarji, Officiating Munsif, Katwa, Burdwan.

No. 6610A.—The 18th September 1908.—Babu Subodh Kumar Bhattacharji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Diamond Harbour, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Praphulla Chandra Dutt, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 6647A.—The 22nd September 1908.—Babu Nistaran Banarji, Subordinate Judge, on leave, is appointed to be Small Cause Court Judge of Howrah, Hooghly and Serampore, and is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge.

Howrah.
Hooghly.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 6558A.—The 17th September 1908.—The following promotions, confirmations and appointments are sanctioned in the Judicial Branch of the Provincial Civil Service after consultation with the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam:—

Promoted to the first grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Aghor Chandra Hajra, with effect from the 1st February 1908, *vice* Babu Hari Nath Ray, confirmed as Fifth Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta.

„ Purna Chandra De, from the 12th April 1908, *vice* Babu Annada Prasad Bagchi, retired, up to the 13th July 1908.

„ Pran Krishna Biswas, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, *vice* Babu Dina Nath Sarkar, retired.

„ Bipin Bihari Chatarji, with effect from the 14th July 1908, *vice* Babu Purna Chandra De, retired.

Promoted to the second grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Raj Narayan Mukharji, with effect from the 1st February 1908, *vice* Babu Aghor Chandra Hajra, promoted.

„ Sarada Prasad Basu, with effect from the 12th April 1908, *vice* Babu Purna Chandra De, promoted.

„ Uma Nath Ghoshal, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, *vice* Babu Pran Krishna Biswas, promoted.

„ Hari Lal Mukharji, with effect from the 14th July 1908, *vice* Babu Bipin Bihari Chatarji, promoted.

Appointed to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Sarada Prasad Sen, with effect from the 1st February 1908, *vice* Babu Raj Narayan Mukharji, promoted.

„ Prayag Nath, with effect from the 12th April 1908, *vice* Babu Sarada Prasad Basu, promoted.

„ Upendra Nath Datta, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, *vice* Babu Uma Nath Ghoshal, promoted.

„ Pankaja Kumar Chatarji, with effect from the 14th July 1908, *vice* Babu Hari Lal Mukharji, promoted.

Promoted to the first grade of Munsifs.

Babu Tara Pada Chatarji, with effect from the 1st February 1908, *vice* Babu Sarada Prasad Sen, appointed to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

„ Jogesh Chandra Guha, with effect from the 28th February 1908, *vice* Babu Krishnadhan Mukharji, deceased.

„ Akshay Kumar Das, with effect from the 12th April 1908, *vice* Babu Prayag Nath, appointed to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

„ Umesh Chandra Sen (No. II), with effect from the 2nd July 1908, *vice* Babu Upendra Nath Datta, appointed to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

Maulvi Abdur Rahim, with effect from the 14th July 1908, *vice* Babu Pankaja Kumar Chatarji, appointed to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

Promoted to the second grade of Munsifs.

Babu Haripada Mazumdar, with effect from the 1st February 1908, *vice* Babu Tara Pada Chatarji, promoted.

„ Ananta Nath Mitra, with effect from the 28th February 1908, *vice* Babu Jogesh Chandra Guha, promoted.

„ Kshetra Nath Banarji, with effect from the 12th April 1908, *vice* Babu Akshay Kumar Das, promoted.

„ Bamandas Mukharji, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, *vice* Babu Umesh Chandra Sen (No. II), promoted.

„ Kumud Kanta Bose, with effect from the 14th July 1908, *vice* Maulvi Abdur Rahim, promoted.

Promoted to the third grade of Munsifs.

Babu Ram Shiromani Ray Sen, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 18th October 1907, *vice* Babu Gopal Das Ghose, on Settlement duty, and substantively, with effect from the 1st February 1908, *vice* Babu Haripada Mazumdar, promoted.

„ Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 22nd October 1907, *vice* Babu Brajendra Kumar Ghose, on Settlement duty, and substantively, with effect from the 28th February 1908, *vice* Babu Ananta Nath Mitra, promoted.

„ Manmatha Chandra Bose, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 8th November 1907, *vice* Babu Ananga Mohan Lahiri, on Settlement duty, and substantively, with effect from the 12th April 1908, *vice* Babu Kshetra Nath Banarji, promoted.

Mr. Shaikh Ahmad Husain Khan, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 9th November 1907, *vice* Babu Mahendra Nath Das, on Settlement duty, and substantively, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, *vice* Babu Bamandas Mukharji, promoted.

Babu Chandra Shekhar Sen, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 10th November 1907, *vice* Babu Atul Chandra Das Gupta, on Settlement duty, and substantively, with effect from the 14th July 1908, *vice* Babu Kumud Kanta Bose, promoted.

Promoted to the third grade of Munsifs—concld.

Babu Natabihari Ghosh, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 11th November 1907, *vice* Babu Sarada Kumar Sen Gupta, on Settlement duty.

„ Lakshmi Narayan Patnaik, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 11th November 1907, *vice* Babu Suresh Chandra Sen, on Settlement duty.

„ Surjya Mani Dey, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 11th November 1907, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Mitra (No. II), on Settlement duty.

„ Praphulla Chandra Dutt, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 17th November 1907, *vice* Babu Brajendra Kumar Ghose, confirmed.

„ Ramesh Chandra Basu (No. II), substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 8th January 1908, *vice* Babu Brajendra Kumar Biswas, confirmed.

„ Hemanta Kumar Haldar, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 1st February 1908, *vice* Babu Ram Shiromoni Ray Sen, confirmed.

„ Gyan Chandra Banarji, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 28th February 1908, *vice* Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, confirmed.

„ Rajeswar Prasad, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 12th April 1908, *vice* Babu Manmatha Chandra Bose, confirmed.

„ Birendra Kumar Datta, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, *vice* Mr. Shaikh Ahmad Husain Khan, confirmed.

„ Kamini Kumar Datta, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 14th July 1908, *vice* Babu Chandra Shekhar Sen, confirmed.

Confirmed in the fourth grade of Munsifs.

Babu Jatindra Nath Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Munsif, Tangail, Mymensingh, with effect from the 1st February 1908, *vice* Babu Ram Shiromoni Ray Sen, confirmed in the third grade.

„ Sushil Chandra Mitra, Officiating Munsif, Chittagong, with effect from the 28th February 1908, *vice* Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, confirmed in the third grade.

„ Gopal Chandra Biswas, Officiating Munsif, Manikganj, Dacca, with effect from the 8th March 1908, in consequence of the permanent retention of the appointment of Additional Munsif of Dacca and Narayanganj.

Maulvi Lutfar Rahman, Officiating Munsif, Satkania, Chittagong, with effect from the 12th April 1908, *vice* Babu Manmatha Chandra Bose, confirmed in the third grade.

Babu Gopeswar Banarji, Officiating Munsif, Katwa, Burdwan, with effect from the 2nd July 1908, *vice* Mr. Shaikh Ahmad Husain Khan, confirmed in the third grade.

„ Jogesh Chandra Sen Gupta, Officiating Munsif, Phatikchari, Chittagong, with effect from the 14th July 1908, *vice* Babu Chandra Shekhar Sen, confirmed in the third grade.

Appointed substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade of Munsifs.*

Lala Tarak Nath, Officiating Additional Munsif, Kushtia.

Babu Ras Bihari Mukharji, Officiating Munsif, Sudharam, Noakhali.

„ Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, late Officiating Munsif, Dantan, Midnapore.

„ Nani Gopal Mukharji, Officiating Munsif, Chikandi, Faridpur.

„ Rajani Kumar Ghosh, Officiating Additional Munsif, Sandip, Noakhali.

„ Binod Bihari Ray, Officiating Munsif, Arambagh, Hooghly.

POWERS.

No. 1984A.D.— The 22nd September 1908.—Maulvi Khundkar Fazl-ul-Hakk, Deputy Magistrate, Birbhum, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Birbhum.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3394J.—The 18th September 1908.—Under section 8 of the Sonthal Parganas Justice Regulation, No. V of 1893, the Lieutenant-Governer hereby appoints Babu Hira Lal Banarji, temporarily Subdivisional Officer of Jamtara in the Sonthal Parganas, to be a Subordinate Judge within the local limits of the Jamtara subdivision.

Sonthal Parganas.

RESIGNATION.

No. 3368J.—The 17th September 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Triveni Prasad Singh of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Supaul Independent Bench, in the district of Bhagalpur.

Bhagalpur.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3381J.—The 17th September 1908.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Anisur Rahman, authorizing him to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the police-stations of Pataspur and Egra, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 3383J.—The 17th September 1908.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Anisur Rahman, appointing him Kazi of thanas Pataspur and Egra, in the district of Midnapore, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

Midnapore.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

PROCLAMATION.

No. 3507P.—The 21st September 1908.—In accordance with proclamation No. 1652P.D., dated the 26th July 1906, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st August 1906, additional police were appointed for a period of two years in the villages of Gogachi, Kishenpur, Balrampur, Tepra, Chharamari and Basantpur, within the jurisdiction of Manahari outpost, subordinate to the Katihar police-station, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Purnea. Under section 15 of Act V of 1861, as amended by Act VIII of 1895, the Lieutenant-Governor now declares that that proclamation shall remain in force, and that the additional police appointed thereunder shall remain quartered in the aforesaid villages for a furtlier period of one year, with effect from 21st September 1908.

Purnea.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 19th September 1908.

No. 169.—Babu Raghabananda Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to exercise the powers of a Canal Officer, under sections 82 to 85 of Part VII, Act III (B.C.) of 1876, for the period during which he holds charge of the Revenue Divisions, Midnapore and Orissa Canals.

No. 170.—Mr. C. B. Bayley, Assistant Secretary to this Government, is granted under articles 260, 336 and 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined leave for twelve months, viz., privilege leave for nineteen days and leave on medical certificate for eleven months and eleven days, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

The 21st September 1908.

No. 171.—Mr. C. W. Sibold, Executive Engineer, Nadia Rivers Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month, with effect from 25th September 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 172.—Babu Gyanesh Chandra Bhattacharji, Assistant Engineer, Cossye Division, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer, Nadia Rivers Division, during the absence of Mr. C. W. Sibold on privilege leave, or until further orders.

No. 173.—Mr. A. S. Thomson, Superintending Engineer, first class, was attached to the office of the Chief Engineer, Bengal, from the 14th to the 18th September 1908.

The 22nd September 1908.

No. 175.—The following extract from a notification issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department is republished for information:—

No. 142, dated the 18th September 1908.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to order the following promotions to and in the classes of Superintending Engineers of the Public Works Department, with effect from the dates specified:—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
			1908.
Sarkar, A. P. ...	Officiating Superintending Engineer.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary rank.	15th July.
Hewitt, J. C. ...	Officiating Superintending Engineer.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary rank	23rd July.
Banarji, K. C. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary rank.	5th August.
Arnott, M. H. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary rank.	17th ,,
Green, H. H. ...	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary rank.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank.	17th ,,

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 16th September 1908.

No. 105Marine.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Hongkong is declared free from plague, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, issued by this Government, which were imposed in the ports of Orissa against vessels arriving from Hongkong, are hereby withdrawn.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 17th September 1908.

No. 106Marine.—In the Notification of this Department No. 103Marine, dated the 15th September 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, *for* the words "two months, with effect from the 1st September 1908, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it," *read* "one month from the afternoon of the 7th September 1908."

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 19th September 1908.

No. 168.—Sergeant F. E. Chapman, Overseer, first grade, is transferred, in the interest of the public service, from the Third Calcutta to the Second Calcutta Division.

A. S. THOMSON,
Offg. Chief Engineer.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 21st September 1908.

No. 174.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Chatarji, Junior Supervisor, second grade, Eastern Sone Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for two months, with effect from 8th August 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6651A.

No. 6525A.—*The 17th September 1908.*—Babu Subodh Chandra Mitra, whose services have been placed at the disposal of this Government in the notification of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, No. 3706A., dated the 8th September 1908, is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the third grade. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

No. 6526A.—*The 18th September 1908.*—The services of Babu Braja Nath Rav, Sub-Deputy Collector, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, on being relieved of his present Settlement duties in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 6596A.—*The 18th September 1908.*—Babu Tarak Chandra Gangali, Sub-Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is transferred to the Rampur Hât subdivision of that district.

Birbhum.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2675D., dated Darjeeling, the 16th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Garib Das Gupta did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 6th to the 25th June 1908, both days inclusive.

No. 2677D., dated Darjeeling, the 16th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Garib Das Gupta is appointed, with effect from the 26th June 1908, to be a House Surgeon in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, *vice* third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Rajendra Chandra Barory, transferred.

No. 2679D., dated Darjeeling, the 16th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Ekendra Nath Ghosh is appointed as Assistant Professor of Biology in the Medical College, Calcutta, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge of the appointment.

No. 2681D., dated Darjeeling, the 16th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Mithilesh Chandra Ghosh did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 8th June to the 15th August 1908. both days inclusive.

No. 2683D., dated Darjeeling, the 16th September 1908.—The services of third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Mithilesh Chandra Ghosh are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, for special duty in connection with the Malaria enquiry, until further orders, with effect from the 17th August 1908.

No. 2706D., dated Darjeeling, the 17th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Kshetra Gopal Mukharji is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the 19th August 1908.

No. 2708D., dated Darjeeling, the 17th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Kshetra Gopal Mukharji was employed under the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, on special duty in connection with the Malaria enquiry from the 17th July to the 17th August 1908, both days inclusive.

No. 2743D., dated Darjeeling, the 18th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeons Babus Jyotilal Sen and Saileswar Mukharji are appointed, with effect from the 3rd August 1908, to be Demonstrators in the Biological Department, Medical College, Calcutta, until further orders.

No. 2750D., dated Darjeeling, the 18th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Radha Raman Ghosh was employed under the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, on special duty in connection with the Malaria enquiry from the 17th July to the 17th August 1908, both days inclusive.

No. 2752D., dated Darjeeling, the 18th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Radha Raman Ghosh is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the 19th August 1908.

No. 2770D., dated Darjeeling, the 19th September 1908.—The services of third grade Assistant Surgeons Braja Gopal Chatarji and Nandalal Mukharji are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, for special duty in collecting statistics to shew the effect on public health of certain drainage schemes, with effect from the 15th October 1908.

No. 2800D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1908.—Senior Assistant Surgeon Babu Kshirod Chandra Chaudhuri, of the Charitable Dispensary, Burdwan, did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, on the 29th August 1908.

No. 2822D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Gopal Chandra Mitra is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the afternoon of the 9th September 1908.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Temple Medical School, Patna.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held at 10 A.M. on Thursday, the 15th October 1908, at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore.

2. Every candidate must produce certificates of training, age and previous education as required by Rules 9 and 11 of Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th September 1907, except in those cases provided for in Rule 10.

3. These certificates must comply with the conditions laid down in Rule 10 of the above resolution.

4. Male candidates must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs 5, at least one week before the 15th October 1908 at the office of the undersigned.

Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

(*Exception.*—The students belonging to the Compounder class of a Vernacular Medical School will be exempted from paying this fee on producing a certificate from the Superintendent that they have already paid the school entrance fee.)

5. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination, he will forfeit his fee.

6. No candidate for the Compounders' examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

B. C. OLDHAM, MAJOR, I.M.S.,

The 7th September 1908. *Superintendent, Temple Medical School, Patna.*

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Orissa Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated the 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 9 A.M. on **Monday**, the 19th October 1908, at the Orissa Medical School.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Orissa Medical School, at least one week before the 19th October 1908, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge. No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.

3. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to rules 9 and 10, and of the persons granting the certificates to rules 11 and 14 (3) and to the certificate forms C (3), D, and E, F in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification, as circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Calcutta Hospitals, Medical Schools, and Lunatic Asylums with his Circular No. 74, dated the 14th November 1907.

CUTTACK, E. E. WATERS, M.D., MAJOR, I.M.S.,

The 12th September 1908. *Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU HAR SAHAI LAL, who has been placed in charge of the Champaran Treasury, is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, *Personal Assistant to Commissioner of Patna.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE BANKIPUR, *the 17th September 1908.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 9th September 1908.—An exchange of appointments is sanctioned between the following officers:—

(1) Babu Abhaya Charan Mitra, M.A., Head Master, Chaibassa Zilla School, class I of the Subordinate Educational Service.

(2) Babu Hira Lall Bhattacharji, Head Master, Ranchi Training School, class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service.

The 10th September 1908.—Babu Bipin Behari Chatterji, an Assistant Master in the Hooghly Branch School (class VII), was absent on leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd July 1908.

An exchange of appointments is sanctioned between the following officers:—

(1) Babu Ram Prasad Nandi, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the Orissa Tributary Mahals (class VI), and

(2) Babu Bhabani Sankar Das, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Balasore, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII).

Babu Khirod Chandra Chandra, late a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Jessore (class VII), is declared to have been on leave without allowances, under article 539 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 14th November 1907 to the 24th April 1908.

Babu Satis Chandra Mitra, B.A. (class VI), is confirmed as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas, with effect from the 17th July 1908.

The 11th September 1908.—Babu Jagamohan Tewari, an Assistant Master in the Sambalpur High School (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for one month and-a-half under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th October 1908.

Babu Ram Naresh Ram, an Assistant Master in the Sambalpur High School (substantively *pro tempore* in class II of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Jagamohan Tewari, on leave.

In partial modification of this office orders of the 15th May 1908, Babu Durga Das Sur, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Burdwan (class VI), is allowed combined leave for six months, under article 253 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for one month under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations, with effect from the 14th June 1908.

Babu Sitalmani Prasad, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Saran (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), was absent on leave, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to 31st March 1908, in extension of the leave granted to him, under the orders of the 22nd February 1908.

The 19th September 1908.—Babu Srish Chandra Ghosh, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Midnapore, and now an Assistant in the Office of Director of Public Instruction, is confirmed in the latter appointment and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 26th April 1908.

Babu Satish Chandra Mukerjea, B.A., is confirmed as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Birbhum, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 10th February 1908.

Babu Nalmani Mukerjea, a Sub-Inspector of Schools on probation, in the district of Jessore, under orders of transfer to Nadia (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII) on leave, is appointed to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Mukerjea, transferred.

Babu Baijnath Singh, B.A., Assistant Head Master of the Gaya Zilla School, and now Officiating Head Master of that institution (class V), is confirmed in his latter appointment, *vice* Babu Jnanendra Lal Sen, who has left the Department.

Babu Sankar Sarangi is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Puri and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 19th July 1908.

Babu Keshab Chandra Misra is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the Orissa Tributary Mahals and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 2nd August 1908.

The 21st September 1908.—Babu Bhairab Sahay, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Shahabad (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th September 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Gaya Sinha, an Assistant Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Shahabad (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in that district, in addition to his own duties and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Bhairab Sahay, on leave.

Maulvi Ekramal Huq, an Assistant Master in the Murshidabad Nawab's High School (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 10th September 1908, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 17th August 1908 is cancelled.

Maulvi Ali Akbar, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Champaran, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for twenty-six days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd September 1908.

The 22nd September 1908.—Babu Tripura Charan Banerjee, Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas (class I), is allowed to affix the Puja holidays to the privilege leave granted to him under the order of the 17th September 1908, under article 220 of the Civil Service Regulations.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Second Half-yearly Departmental Examination during 1908 of Assistant and Deputy Magistrates and Sub-Deputy Collectors of Regulation and non-Regulation districts, of Cantonment Magistrates and of officers employed in the Police, Forest and Public Works Departments in the districts of the Patna and the Bhagalpur Divisions (except Darjeeling) will be held at Bankipore in the hall of the Behar School of Engineering on Wednesday, the 21st October 1908, and the two following days.

Officers employed in the district of Darjeeling will be examined in Calcutta at the office of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

The examination will begin at 11 A.M. on each day.

A. EARLE,
Commissioner and President, Local Examination Committee for the Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others at Bankipore.

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 16th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 4018A.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. R. T. GREER, C.S.I., I.C.S.

Calcutta, the 21st September 1908.

THE price-lists of staple food-crops in the local areas in the Lower Provinces, prepared under section 39 (4) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, for the period from the 1st of April 1908 to the 30th of June 1908, having been approved by the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, are published for general information under sub-section 4 of that section.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

E. LISTER,
Offg. Secy. to the Board of Revenue, L. P.

Price list (retail) of Staple Food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39.

BURDWAN

District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
Burdwan ...	Sadar subdivision	Burdwan ...	Rice ... ...
	Asansol ditto ...	Raniganj ...	Do. ... ...
	Katwa ditto	Katwa ...	Do. ... ...
	Kalna ditto ...	Kalna ...	Do. ... ...
Birbhum ...	Sadar ditto	Suri ...	Do. ... ...
	Rampur Hât ditto	Rampur Hât	Do. ... ...
Bankura ...	Sadar ditto	Bankura ..	Do. ... ...
	Visnupur . ditto	Visunpur ...	Do. ... ...
Midnapore ...	Sadar ditto	Midnapore ...	Do. ... ...
	Ghatal ditto	Ghatal ...	Do. ... ...
	Tamluk ditto	Tamluk ...	Do. ... ...
	Contai ditto	Contai ...	Do. ... ...
Hooghly ...	Sadar ditto	Hooghly ...	Do. ... ...
	Serampur ' ditto	Bhadreswar ...	Do. ... ...
	Arambagh ditto	Arambagh ...	Do. .. ...
	Howrah dttto	Howrah ...	Do. ... ...
	Ulubaria ditto	Ulubaria ...	Do. .. ...

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24-Parganas ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Chetla Hat ...	Rice ... ...
	Barasat and Barrackpore subdivisions.	Barasat ...	Do. ... ...
		Bistopore ...	Do. ... ...
	Diamond Habour subdivision ...	Mugra Hat ...	Do. ... ...
	Basirhat subdivision ...	Baduria ...	Do. ... ...

of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), for three months, from April to June 1908.

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Market days for the preparation of Price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1908.	Remarks.
	April.	May.	June.		
5	6	7	8		10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last day of the month ...	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 11	
27th of the month ...	7 8	7 4	6 12	7 3	
Ditto ...	7 3	6 14	7 0	7 0	
28th of every month ...	6 13	6 8	6 8	6 10	
Last day of each month ...	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 13	
Ditto ...	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 1	
Last day of the month ...	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	
Ditto ...	6 14	6 4	6 14	6 11	
Last day of each month ...	6 12	6 9	6 10	6 10	
27th of every month ...	7 4	7 8	7 4	7 5	
3rd Wednesday of every month	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 13	
Any market day, from 27th to 30th of every month.	7 8	8 0	7 8	7 11	
Last Thursday of each month	7 3	6 13	6 10	6 14	
Ditto	6 12	6 10	6 8	6 10	
Ditto	7 4	7 4	6 10	7 1	
Last day of each month	7 7	7 0	7 0	7 2	
Last Saturday of each month	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 9	

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ast Wednesday of every month ...	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 3
Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 4
Ditto ditto ...	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 1
Ditto ditto ...	8 0	7 14	7 11	7 14
econd Tuesday of every month ...	7 5	6 15	7 0	7 1

PRESIDENCY

DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
NADIA ..	Sadar Subdivision ...	Goari ...	Rice ... ...
	Ranaghat ditto ...	Ranaghat ...	Do. ... ...
	Meherpur ditto ...	Kaliabazar ...	Do. ... ...
	Chuadanga ditto ...	Chuadanga ...	Do. ... ..
	Kushtia ditto ...	Bahadurkhali ...	Do. ... ...
MURSHIDABAD ...	Sadar ditto ...	Berhampore ...	Do. ... ...
	Lalbagh ditto ...	Lalbagh ...	Do. ... ...
	Kandi ditto ...	Kandi ...	Do. ... ...
	Jangipur ditto ...	Jangipur ...	Do. ... ...
JESSORE ...	Sadar ditto ...	Jessore ...	Do. ... ...
	Narail ditto ...	Narail ...	Do. ... ...
	Magura ditto ...	Magura ...	Do. ... ..
	Jhenida ditto ...	Jhenida ...	Do. ... ...
	Bongaon ditto ...	Bongaon ...	Do. ... ...
KHULNA ...	Sadar ditto	Khulna ...	Do. ... ...
	Satkhira ditto	Satkhira ...	Do. ... ...
	Bagerhat ditto	Bagerha ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1908.	Remarks.
	April.	May.	June.		
	6	7	8		10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last day of the month	11 12	11 8	11 4	11 8	
	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	
Ditto	12 0	11 8	11 12	11 12	
	8 4	8 4	8 6	8 5	
Last day of every month ...	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 3	
	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	
Last Wednesday of every month ...	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	
	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	
3rd day from the end of the month	9 12	10 2	10 2	10 0	
	7 9	7 7	7 4	7 7	
Last day of each month ...	12 10	13 3	12 2	12 10	
	7 11	7 2	6 9	7 2	
28th of each month, except in February when it will be 26th.	12 6	11 10	11 10	11 14	
	8 8	8 13	8 8	8 10	
Ditto ditto ...	10 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	
	8	7 4	7 8		

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Last day of every month ...	9 4	9 9	9 4	9 6
	7 8	7 6		7 5
25th of every month	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 13
	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
29th of every month	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	7 8	7 0	6 8	7 0
The date preceding the close of the month.	10 2	12 10	12 10	11 13
	8 3	8 3	8	8 3
The last hát day in the month but one	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
		8	7 8	7 11
Ditto ditto	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0
	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
The hát day that falls between the 24th and 27th of the month.	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0
	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 3

BHAGALPURI

DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
PURNEA ...	Sadar Subdivision	Beamsganj ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Araria ditto	Araria ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Kishanganj ditto	Kishanganj ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...

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CUTTACK ...	Sadar Subdivision ...	Cuttack town ...	Rice ... ...
		Charchika Hát ...	Do. ... ...
	Jajpur ditto ...	Jajpur town ...	Do. ... ...
	Kendrapara ditto ...	Kendrapara ,, ...	Do. ... ...
BALASORE ...	Sadar ditto ...	Balasore ...	Do. ... ...
	Bhadrak ditto	Bhadrak ...	Do. ... ...
		Chandbali ...	Do. ... ...
PURI	Sadar ditto	Puri	Do. ... ...
		Banamalipur ...	Do. ... ...
	Khurda ditto ...	Khurda ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1908.	Remarks.
	April.	May.	June.		
	6	7	8	9	10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last market day of the month	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 3	
	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 3	
Ditto ditto	12 0	12 0	13 0	12	
	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 13	
Ditto ditto	7 8	7 0	6 8	7 0	
	8	8 0	8 0	7 13	

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1st Sunday of each month	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	
Ditto ditto	7 14	7 14	6 15	7 9	
Ditto ditto	7 4	7 4	6 9	7 0	
Ditto ditto	8 3	7 14	7 14	8 0	
1st Saturday of every month	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 5	
1st Wednesday of every month	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	
1st Thursday of every month	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	
The 5th of every month	7 14	7 8	6 14	7 7	
First hat day of the month	7 4	7 4	6 15	7 2	
The 5th of every month	8 0	7 14	7 4	7 11	

No. 4948B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of 1,867 chests of season 1905-06 and 83 chests of season 1906-07 ...	1,950
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of season 1906-07	1,950
Total ...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 19th and 29th October 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 19th October 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 29th October 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Wednesday, 4th November 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December ,, ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	3,900	3,900	7,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

R. B. MISRA, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 7th September 1908.*

CUSTOM HOUSE NOTICE.

Durga and Lakshmi Puja Holidays.

ON the 29th and 30th September and 1st, 6th, 7th and 8th October 1908, the Custom House (including the Treasury) will be open for work as usual.

2. On the 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 9th and 10th October 1908, the Treasury will be closed, but the office will be open for the despatch of urgent business from 11-30 A.M., to 1-30 P.M.

P. R. CADELL, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 16th September 1908.*

DIVISION—*Concluded.*

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1908.	Remarks.
	April.	May.	June.		
	7	8		9	10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last day of each month	6 9	6 8	6 7	6 8	
28th of each month	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 5	
Ditto	6 11	6 6	6 4	6 7	
Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of each month.	7 3	7 3	7 4	7 3	
28th of each month	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	
28th of every month	7 1	6 15	6 12	6 15	
1st Monday of each month ...	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 1	
Market day which falls immediately before the 28th of each month.	7 10	7 2	6 13	7 3	
Ditto ditto ...	8 8	8 0	7 10	8 1	
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	7 10	7 2	7 7	7 6	
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.		6 15	6 15	7 0	
Ditto ditto ...	8	7 2	7 8	7 6	
Ditto ditto ...	7 12	7 0	7 0	7 4	
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	4	6 10	6 11	6 14	
Last market day of every month ...		7 12	6 11	7 4	
28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the 26th.	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	
Sunday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Sunday falling on or before the 26th.	8 8	8 0	7 3	7 14	

PATNA

District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
Patna ...	Sadar subdivision, excluding thana Maner.	Marufganj ...	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land
	Barh subdivision	Barh	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land
	Bihar ditto	Bihar	*Marwa* up-land Rice low-land
	Dinapore subdivision, with thana Maner.	Dinapore	Barley up-land Rice low-land
Gaya	Sadar subdivision	Gaya ...	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
	Nawada ditto	Nawada	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
	Jahanabad ditto	Jahanabad	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
	Aurangabad ditto	Aurangabad ...	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
Shahabad ...	Sadar subdivision	Arrah ...	Wheat up land Rice low-land
	Buxar ditto	Buxar ...	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
	Sasaram ditto	Sasaram	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
	Bhabhua ditto	Bhabhua	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
Saran ...	Sadar ditto	Shahebganj ...	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land
	Gopalganj ditto	Mirganj	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land
	Siwan ditto	Siwan ...	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land

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Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1908.	REMARKS.
	April.	May.	June.		
					10
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
3th of each month	11 7	11 7	10 15	11 4	
	8	7 10	8 0	15	
Ditto	10 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	
	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	
Ditto	10 4	Nil	Nil*	10 4	* Not selling in the market.
	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 12	
Ditto	13 0	13 0	12 4	12 12	
	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 11	
st day of the month	7 11	8 0	7 15	7 14	
	7 3	6 10	6 10	6 13	
st market day of the month ...	8 0	8 6	8 6	8 4	
	7 6	7 5	7 4	7 5	
Ditto	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 1	
		7 4		7 3	
st market day of the month, being not less than three days before the lose of the month.		12	7 12	7 11	
	7 8	7 12	7 4	7 8	
Saturday of each month ...	7 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	
	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 3	
Thursday of every month	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 3	
	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 11	
Ditto	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 1	
	7 7	7 3	7 4	7 5	
Ditto	8 2	8 10	8 10	8 7	
	8 15	8 6	8 8	8 10	
of each month	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 1	
	8 4	7 0	7 0	7 7	
market day immediately preceding the 15th of each month.	10 1	10 3	10 12	10 5	
	8 6	7 13	7 9	7 15	
Ditto ..	9 9	10 3	9 9	9 12	
	7 12	8 1	8 1	7 15	

PATNA

District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2		
Champaran ...	Sadar Subdivision ..	Motihari	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land
	Bettiah ditto ...	Bettiah ...	*Makai* up-land ... Rice low-land
Muzaffarpur ...	Sadar ditto ...	Muzaffarpur	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land ...
	Sitamarhi ditto ...	Sitamarhi ...	*Makai* up-land ... Rice low-land
Darbhanga	Hajipur ditto	Hajipur	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land
	Sadar ditto	Darbhanga ..	*Marua* up-land Rice low-land
	Madhubani ditto ..	Madhubani ...	*Marua* up-land Rice low land
	Samastipur ditto	Samastipur ...	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land

BHAGALPUR

Monghyr ...	Sadar Subdivision ...	Monghyr ..	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
	Begusarai ditto	Begusarai	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
	Jamui ditto	Jamui	Wheat up-land Rice low-land
	Sadar ditto	Bhagalpur ...	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land
Bhagalpur ...	Banka ditto	Banka ...	*Makai* up-land Rice low-land
	Madhipura ditto	Madhipura	*Marua* up-land Rice low-land
	Supaul ditto	Supaul	*Marua* up-land Rice low-land

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of September 1908, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th September 1908.

Description of Salt.	In Bonded Warehouses in Calcutta.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 1st to the 15th September 1908 inclusive.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	.....	94,759	3,70,710	4,65,469	85,824	5,51,293	1,03,627	2,03,866	69,720	63,666
Other European countries—										
Spanish salt	.....	6,12,021	81,784	6,93,805	41,284	7,35,089	41,173	1,53,653	25,050	35,490
Hamburg salt	.....	3,06,559	3,700	3,10,259	.....	3,10,259	46,822	.....	.....	41,440
Hamburg rock	.....	879	.....	879	.....	879	200	.....	.....	200
Port Said salt	.....	1,18,047	.....	1,18,047	.....	1,18,047	35,235	2,263	20,850	30,135
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	1,70,906	10,100	1,81,006	.....	1,81,006	67,698	1,620	54,388	33,068
Salif salt	.....	4,33,647	.....	4,33,647	.....	4,33,647	47,460	2,786	.....	30,334
Do. rock salt	.....	2,605	.....	2,605	.....	2,605	200	.....	.....	900
Rawayah salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto ditto rock salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British India—										
Bombay salt	.....	81,226	807	82,033	.....	82,033	52,376*	.....	.....	50,838
Madras salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coromada salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vizagapatam salt ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other places—										
Phoree salt	.....	46,262	.....	46,262	.....	46,262	500	.....	.....	700
Total ..	.....	18,66,911	4,67,101	23,34,012	1,27,108	24,61,120	3,95,291	3,64,188	1,70,008	2,85,771

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	...
Ditto in Sulkea golas	1,197
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	2,230
Abandoned and destroyed	26

In transit—

	Mds.
Liverpool and other Panga salt	47,560
Salif salt	14,100

* This quantity includes 46 maunds 30 seers Bombay salt on which the duty was levied in Calcutta.

A. E. McKenna,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

Calcutta Custom House, *the 22nd September 1908.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on Monday, the 31st August 1908, Babu Parmeshwar Dyal was duly elected a Commissioner in Ward No. V of the Gaya Municipality, in the district of Gaya, *vice* Babu Ram Bahadur Lal, deceased.

A. G. Hallifax, *Addl. Commissioner.*

Patna Commr.'s Office, Bankipore, *the 14th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 17th of October 1908, has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, in the place of Revd. A. S. P. Tulloch, resigned.

Prabodh Chandra Chatterji, for *Commr. of the Bhagalpur Divn.*

Commr.'s Office, Bhagalpur, *the 14th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held on the 5th of September 1908 in Ward D of the Jamalpur Municipality, Babu Kali Pada Basu was duly elected as a Commissioner in the place of Babu Poonit Lall Munder, removed.

PRABODH CHANDRA CHATTERJI, for *Commr. of the Bhagalpur Divn.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 15th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 9 of Act III (B.C.) of 1885, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as members of the Suri Local Board of the district of Birbhum :—

Thana for which elected.		Names.
Suri	...	1. Babu Protap Chandra Ghose. 2. „ Lala Mritunjoy Lal.
Labpur	...	1. Babu Komolaksha Chatterjee.

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, *the 17th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 32 of the Rules framed under section 138 (*a*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Wednesday, the 9th December 1908, is fixed for holding fresh elections of members for thana Burdwan of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Burdwan, in supersession of the election for Burdwan thana held on the 24th August 1908.

M. A. KADIR, *Deputy Magistrate*, for *Magistrate.*

BURDWAN MAGISTRACY, *the 18th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU MAHABIR SINGH is appointed a member of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Mokameh, in the district of Patna, *vice* Babu Faujdar Singh, deceased.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *Addl. Commr., Patna Divn.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 18th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, the Revd. E. T. Noakes has been appointed member of the Committee for the management of the Krishnagar Charitable Dispensary, in the district of Nadia, *vice* the Revd. J. F. Hewitt, resigned.

M. N. GHOSH, *Personal Assistant*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are pointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Gobindpur, in the district of Manbhum :—

1.	Subdivisional Officer, Dhanbaid	*Ex-officio* President.
2.	Thakur Lal Behari Singh	Members.
3.	Babu Durpa Narayan Dutta	
4.	„ Dwarika Nath Bhakat	
5.	„ Badri Narayan Shah	
6.	„ Sukhi Ram Marwari	

GANGA GOVINDA GUPTA, for *Commissioner,*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 16th September 1908.*



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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 16th September 1908.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Military Supply, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 18th September 1908.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 82.—With reference to paragraph 7 of Military Department Notification No. 1047, dated the 24th October 1903, in which revised rates of pension were prescribed for officers of the Indian Medical Service, it is hereby notified that the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India has sanctioned a rate of pension at £600 per annum for officers who have completed 27½ years' service for pension. This new rate of pension will have effect from the 2nd August 1908.

E. W. S. K. MACONCHY, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1566L.S.-G.—The 18th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to cancel so much of the Notification No. 150T.M., dated the 15th June 1895 (published at pages 134-135, Part I-B, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem), as relates to the constitution of the Senhati Union in the district of Khulna, and to direct that, with effect from the 15th October 1908, in place of the said Senhati Union two Unions, to be called the Senhati and Doulatpur Unions, shall be constituted as follows:—

Khulna.

Name of Local Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union.
Sadar ...	Senhati ...	9	... Senhati. Chandanimahal.
	Doulatpur ...	9	... Doulatpur. Goalpara. Maheswarpasa. Deana. Pabla.

No. 1596M.—The 21st September 1908.—Under Rule 9 of the Rules framed under section 5 of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Lieutenant-Governor intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Bhagalpur Municipality for a loan of Rs. 22,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, and repayable in forty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 804-3-8 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said Municipality.

Bhagalpur.

Application from the Municipal Commissioners of Bhagalpur for a loan of Rs. 22,000.

The work or works for the construction or repairs of which the loan is required and an estimate of the cost thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	Receipt of Loan. (a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) Rate of Interest.	(c) The number of instalments, if any, in which the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The dates proposed for receiving such instalments.	Repayment of Loan. (f) Date of instalments, if any.	Amount of each instalment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Estimated cost Rs. 8,000.	8,000.	Funds.	III (B.C.) of 1894 as amended.	...ears.	...per annum.	...stalment.	...ment.	...Annexure I-B.	...the 31st May 1939 till the loan is paid off.	...ment.

A detailed account of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Authority for the three last preceding years.

Revenue. Sources from which the revenue was derived.	Amount for 1907-08.	Amount for 1906-07.	Amount for 1905-06.	Expenditure. Objects on which the expenditure was incurred.	Amount for 1907-08.	Amount for 1906-07.	Amount for 1905-06.	All existing prior charges upon the funds of the local authority.
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
A.—Municipal Rates and Taxes.				*A.—General Administration.*				(1) Government loan of Rs. 3,00,000 of 1895-1896, of which Rs. 75,872-0-4 have been paid. Balance Rs. 2,24,127-15-8. (2) Government loan of Rs. 85,500 of 1907-1908, of which Rs. 1,415-5-8 have been paid. Balance Rs. 84,084-7-9.
1. Tax on houses and lands—				1. Office establishment	4,055	3,650	3,542	
Arrear collections for the previous year.	1,982	2,037	3,547	Cost of audit	750	650	650	
Collections for the current year ...	40,147	40,593	33,928	Contribution towards establishment in offices of Account and Treasury.	1,240	1,110	1,180	
2. Tax on animals	2,273	2,360	2,350	2. Collection of taxes, etc.—				
Tax on vehicles	4,245	4,105	3,900	Collection establishment	5,083	5,025	5,080	
Cart registration fees	4,534	4,655	4,926	Other charges	329	403	258	
Ekka tax	19	28	76	House-numbering and street-naming.	386	734	803	
3. Tax on professions and trades... ...	823	838	780	Survey of lands	340	......	... ..	
4. Tolls on ferries	1,823	10,505	10,763	5. Refunds	59	11	83	
5. Water-rate—				*B.—Public Safety.*				
Arrear collections for the previous year.	472	749	1,898	2. Lighting	1,802	1,602	1,419	
Collections for the current year ...	26,883	26,815	23,462	4. Rewards for destruction of wild animals.	133	9	22	
7. Latrine fees—				*C.—Public Health and Conveniance.*				
Arrear collections for the previous year.	295	428	1,121	1. Water-supply—				
Collections for the current year ...	14,382	14,427	12,140	Capital outlay	63,458	5,026	121	
9. Warrant fees	506	744	678	Establishment	7,459	7,901	6,818	
B.—Realisation under Special Acts.				Repairs	29,570	25,472	19,184	
1. Pounds	1,233	1,097	978	2. Drainage—				
2. Hackney carriage	328	322	346	Capital outlay	378	669	1,484	
3. Vaccination fees	33	30	13	Establishment	740	724	703	
4. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Repairs	.....	45	157	
				3. Conservancy—				
				Public latrine	4,272	4,111	5,096	
				Private privies and cess-pools ...	15,607	12,506	12,085	

For the construction of a new Municipal office

Bengal Municipal

Four

Forty equal half-yearly instalments, payable on 31st May and 30th November each year, comm

1. Rent on lands, houses, etc.	549	527	579
2. Sale proceeds and produce of land ...	882	1,337	481
3. Conservancy receipts other than taxes and rates.	21	24	2
4. Fees and revenue from medical institutions.	2,397	2,539	1,936
6. Markets and slaughter-houses ...	302	301	297
9. Other fees (water-supply to jail, etc.)	7,534	6,970	8,459
10. Fines under Municipal Act	1,369	155	453
11. Interest on investment—			
For medical purposes ...	81	79	103
D.—Grants and contributions for general and special purposes.			
From Government—			
For general purposes	56,070	19,555	48,700
For medical purposes	5,958	205	615
From Local Funds—			
For general purposes	5,000	5,000	5,000
For medical purposes	813	687	700
From other sources—			
For general purposes	1,393	129	86
For medical purposes	752	852	948
E.—Miscellaneous.			
1. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals.	219	236	85
2. Other items	846	510	541
F.—Extraordinary and Debt.			
1. Sale proceeds of Government securities and withdrawal from Savings Bank.	... ...	.....	2,049
2. Loan from Government	85,500	.....	.....
3. Realization of Sinking Fund for payment of loan.	23,241	.....	... .
Total Revenue ...	3,02,303	1,41,532	1,69,194
Total of Suspense Heads ...	26,396	23,243	17,915

4. Hospitals and dispensaries—			
Charges to be met from endowment and special receipts.	16,608	8,593	8,654
(a) Other sanitary requirements—Plague.	4,710	9,351	7,237
5. Vaccination	373	364	380
6. Markets and slaughter-houses ...	97	82	49
7. Pounds	328	23	122
9. Arboriculture, public gardens and experimental cultivation.	1,398	1,121	864
10. Public works—			
Establishment	1,823	1,858	1,980
Building repairs	108	165	455
Road repairs	12,221	6,285	12,579
Stores, tools and plant	76	124	151
D.—Public Instruction.			
Contribution	2,359	2,809	2,454
E.—Contribution for general purposes.	228	252	254
F.—Miscellaneous.			
1. Interest on loans, current year ...	10,528	10,180	11,141
2. Actual cost of work done for private individuals.	46	26	33
3. Other items—			
Printing charges	992	614	877
Law charges	473	1,507	1,105
Provident Fund	304	293	235
Miscellaneous	290	90	284
G.—Extraordinary and Debt.			
2. Payment to sinking fund	.....	2,000	2,000
3. Repayment of loans	30,053	7,740	7,440
Total Expenditure ...	2,37,390	1,32,313	1,25,653
Total of suspense heads ...	13,538	19,461	18,339

No. 1600M.—The 21st September 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. J. Small to be a Commissioner of the Garden Reach Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. A. Small, resigned.

24-Parganas.

No. 1602M.—The 21st September 1908.—Whereas notifications Nos. 750-51M., dated the 6th April 1908, and No. 1000M., dated the 10th July 1908, were published at pages 50 and 99, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th April and 15th July 1908, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of Part X and the marginally-noted sections of Part VI and of section 241 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to the Bankura Municipality including the area comprising mauzas Kethiardang, Demurari, Gopinathpur, Murra and Ladiha, situated within the Municipality, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notifications within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Bankura Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said Municipality, including the said area within the above Municipality.

Bankura.

Sections 224 to 240, 242, 242A, 243, 244, 249 to 251, 252 to 256, 256B, 257, 259, 260, 261, 262, 265, 266, 268, 270 to 272, 273 (so far as it relates to sections now extended or to section 241) and 274 to 278.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

ENGLISH TEACHERSHIP EXAMINATION, 1908.

THE examination will be partly written and partly oral and practical.

2. The written examination will be held at the Training School at Calcutta on the 1st December 1908 and the two following days. Three papers will be set, as shown below:—

				Marks.
I.—Art of teaching,	1st December,	10 A.M. to 2 P.M. ...	...	100
II.—Discipline,	2nd ,,	10 ,, 2 ,,	...	100
III.—Organisation,	3rd ,,	10 ,, 2 ,, ...	...	100

3. The oral and practical examination will be in actual class teaching and in notes of lessons. The necessary arrangements for holding this examination will be made by Inspectors of Schools. One hundred marks will be assigned to this examination.

4. In the case of a candidate who is a teacher, the Inspector may, at his discretion, conduct the practical examination at the candidate's own school. This examination may be conducted any time in the month of December 1908.

5. Candidates obtaining 50 per cent. of the marks or upwards in each of the subjects, both written and practical, will be declared to have passed, and will be granted English Teachership Certificates, under the signature of the Director of Public Instruction.

6. Candidates for first grade certificates must have passed the B. A. examination. Candidates for second-grade certificates must have passed the F. A. examination, and served as teachers for at least three years. Candidates for third-grade certificates must have passed the Entrance examination, and served as teachers for at least three years.

A teacher who has held a certificate of a certain grade with credit for five years, will also be permitted to compete for the next higher grade of certificate, if his capacity as a teacher and his knowledge of the subjects of examination are certified as satisfactory by the Inspector of Schools.

7. Candidates for the examination should apply, on or before the 7th November 1908, to the Head Master of the Training School at Calcutta, and should send a fee of Rs. 5 at the same time.

8. Candidates who have failed at a previous examination will be admitted to the examination, if they have worked as teachers for at least six months since their failure.

9. Further particulars regarding the examination will be supplied on application by Head Masters of Training Schools.

CALCUTTA;
The 5th September 1908.

G. W. KITCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Dow Hill School, Kurseong.

THE Continuation classes for the study of Shorthand and Type-writing will be held as usual during 1909. It is also intended to include in future the teaching of Business Methods and of Commercial subjects generally in the course of the Continuation classes.

No High School classes will be held.

CALCUTTA,
The 12th September 1908.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following list of books, which, on re-examination under orders contained in the last paragraph of Notification No. 1284, dated the 12th March 1901, of the Government of Bengal in the General Department, have been found unsuitable for retention on the list of approved books, is published for general information. This cancels this office Notification, dated the 2nd April 1908.

CALCUTTA,
The 21st September 1908.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

No.	Name of book.	Author.	Publisher.	REMARKS.
	BENGALI.			
	Sisu-Sakha ...	Bipradas Mukherji	Gurudas Chatterjee.	
	Sahitya Sar ...	Sarat Chandra Chaudhuri	Hare Press.	
	Bimal Path, Part II	Amar Chandra Dutt	Bhattacharyya and Sons.	
	Nava Siksha ...	Srinath Chanda	Ditto.	
5	Jnanmala, Part II	Sasadhar Sen	Students' Library.	
6	Jnan Prasun ...	Sumati Devi	Sanskrit Press Depository.	
7	Rachana, Book I	Ganga Dhar Mukherji	Kedar Nath Bose.	
8	Sisu Siksha	Radha Govinda Ganguli ...	Siddheswar Press Depository.	
9	Sisu Bodh	Sarat Chandra Chaudhuri	Hare Press.	
10	Nutan Bangala Path, Part I		Students' Library.	
11	Sankshipta Patiganit	Srinath Bhattacharyya ...	Bhattacharyya and Sons.	
12	Ganit Prabes ...	Prasanna Narayan Kali ...	Sanyal & Co.	
13	Sisubodh Patiganit	Adhar Chandra Mukherji ...	Kedar Nath Bose.	
14	Kshetra Tattwa, Book I	Mohan Chand Basak ...	B. L. Chakravarty.	
15	M. V. Science Reader		Longmans, Green & Co.	
16	U. P. Science Reader		Ditto.	
	URDU.			
1	Urdu ki Pahli Ketab	Sasadhar Sen ...	Khadga Vilas Press, Bankipur.	
2	Haroof Tahji ...	Raja Siva Prasad	E. J. Lazarus & Co., Allahabad	

No.	Name of successful candidate.	Title conferred.	Government reward.	Private rewards.	Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Government reward.	Private reward.
				KAVYA.				
				First Division.				
1	Batuknath Bhattacharyya ...	Kavya-tirtha.	25	Jaganmohan Mukherji prize of Rs. 50.	Ramchandra Smrititirtha ...	39-1, Pathatola lane, Calcutta.	...	Rajkrishna Ray's prize of Rs. 50.
				Second Division.				
1	Avani Kanta Upadhyaya ..	...	20	Raja Krishna Nath Ray stipend of Rs. 4 per month	Priyanath Sakhyatirtha ...	Baruikhali, Binodpur, Jessore.	...	Burdwan prize of Rs 45.
2	Sarat Chandra Chakravarti ...	...	20	.....	Damodar Lal Darsanacharyya	Navadwipa, Nadia ...	...	
3	Narayan Misra	...	...	.....	Biswanath Mahapatra ...	Sanskrit School, Puri ...	100	
4	Purnachandra Bhattacharyya	...	...	.....	Kumudbandhu Bhattacharyya	Navadwipa, Nadia ...	...	
5	Surendra Kumar Brahmachari	...	...	.....	Rames Chandra Sankhyatirtha	Jagatpur Asram, Mahamuni, Chittagong	200	Principal Sanskrit College.
6	Jagannathprasad Pandeya, B A.	...	...	.....	Private	.....	...	
7	Ramnarayan Bhattacharyya .	...	...	.....	Maheschandra Tarkachudamani.	Rajarampur, Dinajpur	...	
8	Satis Chandra Chattopadhyaya	...	...	.....	Sasi Kumar Siromani ...	Paschimpur, Kotalipar, Faridpur.	...	
9	Prabhatchandra Bhattacharyya	...	...	.....	Bireswar Smrititirtha ...	Bhatpara, 24-Parganas ...	...	
10	Surendranath Bhattacharyya ...	...	...	.....	Ram Chandra Siromani ...	Deyapara, Noapara, Jessore	...	
11	Parikshit Das	...	...	* Gaurisyam prize of Rs. 40.	Mukunda Kavyatirtha ...	Padmanabhatol, Ganja Cuttack	...	
12	Ananda Satpathi	...	...	.....	Ramsatya Vedantatirtha ...	Banitol Belyabera, Midnapore.	...	
13	Chintaharan Brahmachari ...	...	...	.....	Ramesa Chandra Sankhyatirtha	Jagatpur-Asram, Chittagong.	...	
14	Aswini Kumar Samaddar ...	...	...	.....	Lalitmohan Das Gupta ...	Kavindra College, Goila, Backerganj.	..	
15	Devkrishna Goswami ...	...	...	.....	Ram Raksha Tarkatirtha ...	Manikyaram Chatuspathi, Aliganj, Midnapore.	...	
16	Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya	...	...	.....	Rambrahma Tarkatirtha ...	Ghurisha, Birbhum ...	...	
17	Haridas Sen Gupta ...	...	...	.....	Government Sanskrit College, (first class).	Calcutta	...	
18	Dharmakanta Vyakaranatirtha	...	...	.....	Hrishikesa Sastri and Taraprasanna Vidyaratna.	Ditto	...	

* Is a resident of Gopinathpur, Cuttack.

No.	Name of successful candidates.	Title conferred.	Government reward.	Private rewards.	Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Government reward.	Private reward.
				KAVYA—*concluded.*				
				SECOND DIVISION—*concluded*				
19	Lalmohan Vyakarantirtha ..	KAVYA-TIRTHA.	...	.....	Chandra Kanta Tarkaratna ...	Machuakhal, Tipperah ...	...	
20	Ramsahaya Bhattacharyya ...	...	...	.....	Panchanan Tarkaratna ...	Bhatpara, 24-Parganas .	...	
21	Prafulla Kumar Chattopadhyaya.	...	...	.....	Government Sanskrit College ...	Calcutta	..	
22	Asutosh Vyakarantirtha ...	..	...	.....	Gopaldas Shastri	Nager Bazar. Dum-Dum	...	
23	Annada Charan Chakravarti ...	...		.....	Haripada Smrititirtha ...	Mulajore, Sanskrit College	...	
24	Panchanan Bandyopadhyaya ..	...	...	... ..	Taraknath Smritiranjan ...	Hatibagan, Simla, Calcutta	...	
25	Nibaran Chandra Bhattacharyya.	...	...	.....	Haripada Smritititirtha ...	Mulajore, Sanskrit College	...	
26	Surendranath Chattopadhyaya	...	...	.....	Devnath Smritititirtha ...	Daulatpur, Saraswat Chatuspathi.	...	
27	Vishnudatta Vaidik Sastri ...	...	...	.....	Randhir College ...	Kapurthala, Punjab ...	...	
28	Kasiswar Bhattacharyya ...	...	...	.....	Government Sanskrit College	Calcutta	...	
29	Gopinath Das	...	...	... ..	Biswanath Mahapatra ...	Sanskrit School, Puri ...	..	
30	Nepal Chandra Bhattacharyya	...	...	.....	Devnath Smritititirtha ...	Daulatpur, Saraswat Chatuspathi.	...	
31	Pratap Chandra Bhattacharyya	...	...	.....	Yajneswar Vedantabhushan ...	Konnagar, Hooghly ...	...	
32	Benimadab Tripathi ...	...	...	.....	Ramsatya Vedantatirtha ...	Banitol, Bellyabera, Midnapur.	50	
33	Gadadhar Jha	..	...	.....	Yogi Jha	Bisuddhananda Vidyalaya, Harrison Road, Calcutta.	...	
34	Bamacharan Bhattacharyya ...	...	...	...	Ramanibhushan Vyakarantirth	Deolia, Midnapur.		
35	Harendra Chandra Mukhuti ...	...	...	.....	Mahesachandra Turkachudamani.	Rajarampur, Dinajpur.		
36	Govindachandra Das Gupta	...	...	.....	Government Sanskrit College	Calcutta.		
37	Ambikadatta Chaturvedi ...	...		...	Hrishikesa Sastri	Patuatola Lane, Calcutta.		
38	Upendranath Bhattacharyya ...	...	...	.....	Umacharan Nyayaratna ...	3-1 Mukherji's lane, Kalighat, Calcutta.		
39	Paramananda Shadanghi ...	...	...	.....	Ramsatya Vedantatirtha ...	Banitol, Bellyabera, Midnapur.		
40	Lalitmohan Goswami ...	...	...	.....	M. M. Yadaveswar Tarkaratna	Rangpur.		
41	Trailokyanath Panda ..	...	...	.. ...	Dwarkanath Nyayabhushan	Mugberia, Midnapur.		
42	Yatis Chandra Bhattacharyya	...	...	... ..	Nibaran Chandra Vidyaratna	Ghalghalia, Taki, Sripur, Khulna.		
43	Ramapati Bhattacharyya ...	...	..	.....	Kamal Krishna Smritititirtha ...	Bhatpara, 24-Parganas.		
44	Nisikanta Chakravarti ...	...	...	.....	Government Sanskrit College	Calcutta.		
45	Bhubanmohan Nanda ...	...	..	.....	Ramraksha Tarkatirtha ...	Manikyaram Chatuspathi Aliganj, Midnapur.		
46	Durga Charan Ghoshal				Rakhaldas Kavyatirtha ...	52 Guruprasad Chaudhuri's Lane, Calcutta.		

1	Yogendranath Ray ...	VYAKARAN TIRTHA.	
2	Ramesa Chandra Chakravarti	...	
3	Nilmani Chattopadhyaya ...	...	
4	Amulyaratna Bhattacharyya	...	
5	Sarat Kamal Bhattacharyya ...	...	
1	Ramsaran Ghosh ...	VYAKARAN TIRTHA.	50
1	Bhavanath Bandyopadhyaya ...	...	...
1	Nakuleswar Das Gupta ...	VYAKARAN TIRTHA.	25
2	Ramsankar Thakur Chakravarti	...	20
3	Sriprasanna Thakur ...	...	20
4	Harimohan Bhattacharyya ...	...	
5	Kumud Chandra Bhattacharyya	...	
6	Bisweswar Bhattacharyya ...	...	
7	Durga Sundar Bhattacharyya	...	
8	Rajkumar Bhattacharyya ...	...	
9	Ramesa Chandra Das Gupta ...	...	
0	Banga Chandra Bhattacharyya	...	
11	Umesa Chandra Bhattacharyya		
12	Yasoda Kumar Chakravarti ...		
13	Aswini Kumar Bhattacharyya		
14	Devendra Mohan Bhattacharyya		
15	Tripura Charan Chakravarti ...		
16	Chandi Charan Bhattacharyya		

MUGDHABODHA VYAKARAN.

SECOND DIVISION.

	Phanibhushan Tarkavagis	Darsantol, Pabna	
	Ditto ditto	Ditto.	
	Ajitnath Nyayaratna	Navadwip, Nadia.	
.....	Private.		
.....	Phanibhushan Tarkavagisa	Darsantol, Pabna.	

SUPADMA VYAKARAN.

FIRST DIVISION.

	Ramakshaya Bhattacharyya ...	Bishnupur, Kadaku Bankura.

SECOND DIVISION.

	Kamal Krishna Smrititirtha	Bhatpara, 2 Parganas.

KALAP.

SECOND DIVISION.

...	Lalitmohan Kavisagar ...	Kavindra College, Goila...	200
...	Ditto	Ditto ditto ...	...
...	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto ...	...
..	Chandra Kisore Nyayaratna ...	Sahapura Kamlasagar, Tipperah.	....
..	Ananda Kisore Nyayalankar ...	Katihali, Mymensingh ...	...
..	Haranath Shastri ...	25, Raja Navakrishna's Street.	...
..	Suresa Chandra Vidyanidhi ...	Jasodal, Bolai, Mymensingh	...
.	Gopaldas Sastri ...	Nager Bazar, Dum-Dum	50
.	Lalitmohan Das Gupta ...	Kavindra College, Goila...	...
.	Chandrakisore Nyayaratna ...	Sahapura Kamlasagar, Tipperah.	50
	Barada Kanta Vidyaratna ...	Unasia, Faridpur ...	...
	Kulachandra Siddhantabhushan	Machuakhal, Tipperah ...	...
	Gopaldas Sastri	Nager Bazar, Dum-Dum	...
	Kulachandra Siddhantabhushan	Machuakhal, Tipperah ...	...
	Bamacharan Vyakarantirtha ...	Jantrail, Dacca ...	...
	Harinath Shastri ...	Tangra, Faridpur ...	...

No.	Name of successful candidates.	Title conferred.	Government reward.	Private rewards.	Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Government reward.	Private reward.
				SANKSHIPTASAR.				
				First Division.				
1	Rampada Bhattacharyya ...	Vyakaran Tirtha.	25	.....	Rambrahma Tarkatirtha ...	Ghurisha, Birbhum ...	...	
				Second Division.				
1	Priyanath Bhattacharyya ...	...	...	.....	Rameswar Tarkasiddhanta ...	Bhemua, Midnapur ...	50	
2	Bhavasankar Bandyopadhyaya	...	...	.....	Asutosh Siroratna ...	Madhu Ray's Lane, Calcutta.	...	
3	Upendranath Panda ...	...	...	.....	Rameswar Tarkasiddhanta ...	Bhemua, Midnapur ...	...	
4	Amarnath Bhattacharyya ...	...	...	.....	Dwarkesa Tarkabhushan ...	Siarsol, Burdwan ...	...	
				PANINI.				
				Second Division.				
1	Ramanath Ray	Vyakaran Tirtha.	...	.....	Government Sanskrit College (Title class).	Calcutta	...	
2	Yamuna Prasad Dwivedi ...	...	...	.....	Satyadev Sukul	Gautam Pathsala, Rivilganj	...	
3	Balabhadra Jha	...	...	.....	Raghunandan Misra ...	Madhuvani	...	
4	Raja Ram Tripathi ...	...	...	.....	Sibadhyan Tripathi ...	Nathuram Sanskrit Pathsala, Buxar.	...	
				NAVYA NYAYA (Ka) (क).				
				Second Division.				
1	Purnachandra Kavya Vyakarantirtha.	Tarkatirtha.	...	Burdwan prize of Rs. 40 and Biraj Mohini Devi silver medal.	M. M. Sibchandra Sarvabhauma	Mulajore Sanskrit College	...	
2	Ramchandra Misra ...	...	...	Hara Kumar Tagore prize of Rs. 25.	M. M. Yadunath Sarvabhauma	Navadwip, Nadia ...	...	Burdwan prize of Rs. 45.
				NAVYA NYAYA (Kha) (ख).				
				Second Division.				
1	Sibakumar Kavyatirtha ...	Tarkatirtha	100	Divan Krishna Kanta Nandi stipend of Rs. 7 a month, Harakumar Tagore Keyur. Gold medal of Krishnanath Sinha Ray	Phanibhushan Tarkavagisa ...	Darsantol, Pabna ...	100	

SECOND DIVISION.

	Gaurgopal Ray	SANKHYA TIRTHA.		Darbhanga stipend of Rs. 13 a month.	Sasi Bhushan Siromani .	Gangatikuri, Burdwan	50
2	Sarat Chandra Bhattacharyya	...	25	Raja Haranath Ray stipend of Rs. 5.	Syamadas Kavibhushan .	40 Grey Street, Calcut	
3	Sasibhushan Kavyatirtha ...	...	20	Parvati Devi prize of Rs. 50.	Sitanath Vedanta Shastri	Chinsura, Hooghly	Rajkrishna Roy's prize of Rs. 50.
4	Banamali Goswami ...	...	...	Jagannmohan Mukerji prize of Rs. 50.	Swami Siva Govinda Bharat	Navadwip, Nadia	Burdwan prize of Rs. 45.

PURAN.

SECOND DIVISION.

1	Mahendra Nath Misra ...	PURAN TIRTHA.	...	.....	Vaidya Nath Vidyaratna	Garvasudebpur, Midnapi	

NAVYA SMRITI.

FIRST DIVISION.

1	Haripada Bhattacharyya ...	SMRITI TIRTHA.	25	Prasanna Kumar Tagore stipend of Rs. 7 per month.	Sasibhushan Siromani ..	Gangatikuri, Burdwan	

SECOND DIVISION.

1	Rajani Kanta Bhattacharyya...	...	.	Parvati Devi prize of Rs. 50.	Sitanath Vedanta Sastri ..	Biswanath Chatuspathi Chinsura.	
2	Ramesa Chandra Bhattacharyya	...	..	Burdwan prize of Rs. 40.	Rasmohan Vidyaratna ..	Rajdia, Dacca ...	
3	Iswar Chandra Chakravarti ...	...	..	Darbhanga prize of Rs. 19.	Durgasundar Kritiratna ...	Jubilee *Tol*, Berhampur ...	
4	Rohini Kanta Kavyatirtha ...	...	..	..	Bamandas Vidyaratna ...	Ranee Hemanta Kumari Sanskrit College, Rajshahi.	
5	Satis Chandra Bhattacharyya...	...	...	.	Ramamrita Smrititirtha ...	Khunbera, Midnapur ..	
6	Kalikrishna Bhattacharyya ...	...	...	.	Nilkanta Tarkavagisa ...	Rupapat, Dhuljora, Faridpur.	
7	Rajkumar Mukhopadhyaya ...	...	...	.	Government Sanskrit College (Title class).	Calcutta	
8	Narayan Chandra Bhattacharyya.	...	...		Bireswar Smrititirtha ...	Bhatpara, 24-Parganas ...	50

No.	Name of successful candidates.	Title conferred.	Government reward.	Private rewards.	Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Government reward.	Private reward.
				PRACHIN SMRITI.				
				First Division.				
1	Kedarnath Bhattacharyya ...	Smriti-tirtha.	50	Raja Loknath Roy stipend of Rs. 6.	Vaidyanath Vedantabhushan ...	Pratap Kati, Jessore ...	...	Khetramani Debi prize of Rs. 50.
				JYOTISH.				
				First Division.				
1	Buddhinath Jha	Jyotish-tirtha.	25	.....	Genalal Chaudhuri ...	Akhtearpur, Darbhanga ...	...	
				Second Division.				
2	Sadananda Misra ...	...	...	.....	Bisweswar Jha Jyotishacharyya	Hatua. Chapra ...	...	
3	Srinandan Misra ...	...	...	.....	Nityananda Misra ...	Balia Sikri, Darbhanga ...	...	
				KALAP.				
				Second Division.				
				Passed in 1907.				
	Bankim Chandra Sen Gupta ...	...	...	.....	Haridas Siddhantavagisa ...	Unasia, Faridpur ...	...	

Calcutta,

The 19th September 1908.

G. W. Kuchler,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.
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To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

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A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
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Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

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For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

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Artizan Classes in the following shops:—

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SIBPUR,
The 13th July 1907.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICES.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DASGUPTA, B.A., will deliver his next two lectures on English Constitutional History on Thursday, the 24th, and Saturday, the 26th September next, at 3-30 P.M. on both days.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 21st September 1908.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

PANDIT RAMAVATAR SARMA SAHITYACHARYYA, M.A., Srigopal Basu Mallik Fellow, will deliver his next lecture in English at the Senate House, College Square, on Wednesday, the 23rd instant, at 6 P.M. on "A Vedantin's Life."

The lecture is open to the public.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 22nd September 1908.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1908.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal on the 19th September, 1908, and is hereby published for information, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons:—

CALCUTTA:
The 22nd September, 1908.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

THE BENGAL COURT OF WARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1908.

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BILL

further to amend the Court of Wards Act, 1879.

Ben. Act IX of 1879.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Court of Wards Act, 1879; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Bengal Court of Wards (Amendment) Act, 1908.

Amendment of Bengal Act IX of 1879, section 50.

2. At the end of section 50 of the Court of Wards Act, 1879, the following shall be added, namely:—

"or mortgages on immovable property."

[*Cf.* U. P. Act, III of 1899, s. 33, concluding clause]

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to introduce into Bengal the concluding clause of section 33 of the United Provinces Court of Wards Act, 1899 (U. P. Act III of 1899). The clause will admit of loans being made from the funds of one estate under the administration of the Court of Wards to another such estate. Such loans would only be granted from the funds of solvent estates, and the experience of the Court of Wards in the United Provinces has proved them to be both a remunerative investment and a convenient and economical means of providing funds for indebted estates.

R. T. GREER.

The 15th September, 1908.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal on the 19th September, 1908, and is hereby published for information, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons:—

CALCUTTA:
The 22nd September, 1908.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

THE CHOTA NAGPUR ENCUMBERED ESTATES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1908.

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BILL

further to amend the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, 1876.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, 1876; VI of 1876.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained, under section 5 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, to the passing of this Act; 55 & 56 Vict., c. 1.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates (Amendment) Act, 1908.

Amendment of section 2 of Act VI of 1876.

2. (*1*) In section 2 of the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, 1876, as amended by the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates (Amendment) Act, 1884 (hereinafter cited as "the said Act"), for the words from "or, when any such property" to the words "such property is situate," the following shall be substituted, namely:— VI of 1876. V of 1884.

"or the Deputy Commissioner within whose jurisdiction any such property belonging to such holder is situate, when—

(i) attachment has been made of, or a proclamation has been issued for the sale of, such property in execution of a decree of a Civil Court, or

(ii) such Deputy Commissioner is satisfied that such holder has entered upon a course of wasteful extravagance likely to dissipate his property." [*Cf.* Punjab Act II of 1903, s. 5(*d*).]

(*2*) After the words "during the continuance of such management," in the same section the following shall be inserted namely:— [*Cf.* Punjab Act II of 1903 s. 5(*1*), prov.]

"Provided that the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor shall not be given in the case of any holder of property referred to in clause (*ii*) of this section unless either—

such holder belongs to a family of political or social importance, or

the Lieutenant-Governor is satisfied that it is desirable, in the interests of the tenants of such holder, that such consent should be given."

New section 2A.

3. After section 2 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"2A. (*1*) For the purpose of making an application under the preceding section, the Deputy Commissioner may, by written order, require the said holder to produce before him, on a date to be stated in such order,—

Power of Deputy Commissioner to order production of statement of liabilities and assets and documents by holder.

(*i*) a statement in writing, showing—

(*a*) all debts and liabilities to which the said holder is subject;

(*b*) the amount, kind and particulars of his property, and the annual value of any such property not consisting of money; [*Cf.* Act XIV of 1882, s. 345.]

(*c*) the names and residences of his creditors, so far as they are known to, or can be ascertained by, him; and

(*d*) such other information as the Deputy Commissioner may by his order require, and

(*ii*) such deeds, documents or papers relating to his estate, which are in the possession, power or control of the holder, as the Deputy Commissioner may deem necessary.

(*2*) The Deputy Commissioner may by a like order call upon any person in whose possession, power or control he has reason to believe there is any deed, document or paper relating to a debt or liability to which the holder is subject, to submit the same to him for the aforesaid purpose."

Amendment of section 4.

4. (*1*) In section 4 of the said Act, after clause *thirdly*, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"*fourthly*, all sums due in re-payment of loans effected under the power conferred by clause (*c*) of section 18"

and clause *fourthly* shall be re-numbered clause *fifthly*.

(*2*) In the same section, the words from "and also in or towards the re-payment" to "by the Manager under this Act," are hereby repealed.

Amendment of section 5.

5. In section 5 of the said Act, for the words "Urdu and Hindi" the words "and the language of the district or estate" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 9.

6. (*1*) In section 9 of the said Act, after the word "lease"—

(*a*) in the first place where it occurs, the words "or rent-free or maintenance grant," and

(*b*) in all other places where it occurs, the words "or grant"

shall, respectively, be inserted.

(*2*) To the said section the following shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that no rent free or maintenance grant shall be set aside or cancelled without the previous sanction of the Commissioner, which may be granted only if he is satisfied that the grant was not made in good faith."

Amendment of section 10.

7. In section 10 of the said Act, for the words "shall be final," in the second place where they occur, the words, figures and letter "shall, subject to the provisions of section 10A, be final," shall be substituted.

New section 10A.

8. After section 10 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"10A. The Commissioner may of his own motion review any order or proceeding under section 6, 7, 8, 9, or 10, and may revise, modify or reverse the same, whether an appeal is presented against such order or proceeding or otherwise."

Review by Commissioner.

Amendment of section 12.

9. In section 12 of the said Act, for the words "received from the Government under section eighteen" the words, brackets, letter and figures "effected under the power conferred by clause (*c*) of section 18," shall be substituted.

New section 12A.

10. After section 12 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"12A. (*1*) When any holder is restored, under section 12, to the possession and enjoyment of his property, he shall not be competent, without the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor,— [*Cf.* Punjab Act II of 1903, s. 16.]

Continuance of disabilities after restoration of property to holder.

(*a*) to alienate such property, or any part thereof, in any way, or

(*b*) to create any charge thereon extending beyond his lifetime.

(*2*) Every alienation and charge made or attempted in contravention of sub-section (*1*) shall be void.

(*3*) No suit shall be brought to charge any person to whom property is restored under section 12—

(*i*) upon any promise, made after such restoration, to pay any debt contracted while the management of the property was vested in the manager, or

(*ii*) upon any ratification, made after such restoration, of any promise or contract made while the management of the property was vested in the manager,

whether or not there be any new consideration for such promise or ratification."

New section 14A.

11. After section 14 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"14A. (*1*) The Manager may order all holders of tenures and under-tenures on the said property to produce their titles to such tenures and under-tenures. [*Cf.* Ben. Act IX of 1879, ss. 37 and 57.]

Power to order production of titles to tenures and under-tenures.

(*2*) Any person who refuses to comply with an order of the Manager under sub-section (*1*) shall be liable by order of the Deputy Commissioner to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees."

New sections 18, 18A, and 18B.

12. For section 18 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"18. After a scheme has been approved by the Commissioner under section 11, the Manager shall, subject to the sanction of the Commissioner, have power,— [*Cf.* Act VI of 1876, s. 18.]

Power of Manager to raise money by mortgage, sale or loan.

(*a*) to demise by way of mortgage the whole or any part of such property for a term not exceeding twenty years from the date of publication of the order under section 2, or

(*b*) to sell by public auction or by private contract, and upon such terms as the Manager thinks fit, such portion of such property as may appear expedient,

for the purpose of raising any money which may be required for the settlement of the debts and liabilities to which the holder of the property is subject, or with which such property or any part thereof is charged, or,

(*c*) to borrow money at such rate of interest as appears reasonable to the Board of Revenue [*Cf.* Act VI of 1876, s. 4, cl. *fourthly*.]

for the aforesaid purpose or for the purpose of meeting the costs of such repairs and improvements of the property as appear necessary to the Manager and are approved by the Commissioner.

"18A. (*1*) A mortgagee advancing money upon any mortgage made under section 18 shall not be bound to see that such money is wanted, or that no more than is wanted is raised. [*Cf.* Act VI of 1876, s. 18.]

Freedom from obligation to inquire into necessity for, or application of, money.

(*2*) The receipt of the Manager for any moneys paid to him as such shall discharge the person paying the same therefrom and from being concerned to see to the application thereof.

"18B. Subject to the sanction of the Commissioner, the Manager shall have power to enter upon any contract or to execute or relinquish any lease or counterpart of a lease, or to take any action not otherwise provided for in this Act which in his opinion is necessary for the proper care and management of the property."

Power of Manager to contract and take action for the benefit of the property.

New section 19A.

13. After section 19 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"19A. (*1*) The Board of Revenue may make such orders as to it may seem fit in respect of the education of any child of a holder whose property is being managed under the provisions of this Act otherwise than on the application of the Deputy Commissioner. [*Cf.* Ben. Act IX of 1879, s. 21.]

Power to make orders as to education of holder's children. Penalty for disobedience.

(*2*) Any person who disobeys any order made by the Board of Revenue under sub-section (*1*) shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees." [*Cf.* Ben. Act IX of 1879, s. 59.]

New sections 21A and 21B.

14. After section 21 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"21A. All orders or proceedings of the Commissioner and of the Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall be subject to the supervision and control of the Board of Revenue; and the Board of Revenue may, if it thinks fit, revise, modify or reverse any such order or proceeding, whether an appeal is presented against such order or proceeding or otherwise. [*Cf.* Ben. Act IX of 1879, s. 68.]

Control by Board of Revenue.

"21B. During the period of management—

Institution and defence of suits during management.

(*1*) no suit shall be brought against the holder or his property unless the Manager is joined as a party; and it shall be lawful for the Manager by himself to defend any such suit as representing the holder;

(*2*) it shall be lawful for the Manager to institute and prosecute any suit relating to the property of the holder without joining the holder as a party;

(*3*) no suit shall be brought, or appeal made, by the holder, unless, with the Deputy Commissioner's assent, the Manager is joined as a party."

Amendment of section 23.

15. In section 23 of the said Act—

(*a*) to the words "nothing in this Act" the words, figures and letter "subject to the provisions of section 21B," shall be prefixed; and

(*b*) the words "but to all such suits the Manager of such property shall be made a party" shall be omitted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. The object of this Bill is so to amend the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, 1876 (VI of 1876), as to impose further checks on the reckless expenditure so prevalent among the landholders in the Chota Nagpur Division; to give increased facilities to Managers appointed under the Act for the proper management of encumbered estates; and to secure estates which, by the operation of the Act, have been restored to solvency from further mismanagement by the proprietors.

2. An explanation of the several amendments proposed is given in the subjoined Notes on Clauses—

NOTES ON CLAUSES.

Clause 2.—Under the existing law, a Deputy Commissioner cannot move to have the Act applied to the immovable property of a proprietor, except when all or any portion of such property has been attached in execution of a decree. Sales of estates and tenures in execution of mortgage decrees do not require the issue of attachment orders by the Civil Courts; consequently a Deputy Commissioner cannot interfere in such cases, nor would mere information of such intended sales enable him to take any steps. It is, therefore, now proposed to empower a Deputy Commissioner to make application also when a proclamation for sale of the immovable property has been issued.

Further, it seems expedient that a Deputy Commissioner should have power, when he is satisfied that the holder of an estate has entered upon a course of wasteful extravagance likely to dissipate the estate, to apply that the Act should be brought into operation regarding it. Proprietors often refrain from making application until they are very heavily encumbered with debts. In consequence of this, estates have often to be kept under the protection of the Act for very lengthy periods, and funds for improving the properties are not available to the extent required. As a restriction upon the application of the Act in the class of cases here referred to, it is proposed that the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor should not be given unless either (1) the holder of the estate belongs to a family of political or social importance, or (2) the Lieutenant-Governor is satisfied that the application of the Act is desirable in the interests of the tenants.

It is considered that intervention by the Deputy Commissioner of the nature proposed would be advantageous, as not only could the remedy be applied at an earlier stage than is now possible, but much-needed improvements could be more easily carried out.

Clause 3.—A Deputy Commissioner will require a statement of facts and figures to support his application.

Clause 4.—The amendment projected in this clause is rendered necessary by clause (c) of the proposed new section 18 (clause 10 of the Bill). The re-payment of loans should find an early place in the order of disbursements, in order to give greater security to investors.

Clause 5.—The provision that notices should be published in English, Urdu and Hindi has been found inconvenient in the case of estates or areas where neither Hindi nor Urdu is the vernacular.

Clause 6.—It is a common practice in Chota Nagpur for a proprietor coming under the Act to keep back a portion of his estate for his use while the rest is being managed; he thus defeats his creditors. Generally such portions of the estate are handed over to the wife or one of the sons, nominally as *khurposh*, or for maintenance. Sometimes a proprietor gives away landed property without any written instrument or gives rent-free grants to his relatives or favourites. The estates are thus impoverished, and it seems right that the Manager should have power, under section 9, to cancel, or at least charge for, such grants. It is proposed, however, that cancellation may be made only with the previous sanction of the Commissioner, and only if he is satisfied that the grants were not made in good faith.

Clause 7.—This is consequential on the new section 10A.

Clause 8.—Under the Act no appeal lies against the decision of the Deputy Commissioner refusing to consider an application by an heir to set aside a lease on the ground of inadequate consideration. It seems expedient that the Commissioner should have power to interfere in any case where a Deputy Commissioner has shown lack of judgment.

Clause 9.—This amendment is consequential upon clause (c) of the proposed new section 18 (clause 12 of the Bill).

Clause 10.—This clause is designed to check improvidence. Proprietors do incur bond debts during the period of their disqualification, at rates of interest which are extravagantly enhanced, owing to their disability to enter into contracts involving them in any pecuniary liability. The result is that as soon as these estates are released, such bond debts are

validated by these proprietors, who very soon find themselves compelled to apply again for protection in order to escape these obligations. The enactment of the proposed new section 12A would tend to make *mahajans* reluctant to advance money, and thus prevent reckless expenditure by the Chota Nagpur landlords.

Clause 11.—It is proposed to introduce by this clause the last clause of section 37 of the Court of Wards Act, 1879 (Ben. Act IX of 1879), and also the penal provision of section 57 of the same Act. The power on the part of a Deputy Commissioner to call for titles and investigate claims is in every way as essentially necessary for the due management of an encumbered as of a ward's estate, and the absence of such a provision in the Act has been found inconvenient.

Clause 12. New section 18.—The Government is advised that, regard being had to sections 4 and 18 of the Act, a Manager of an encumbered estate cannot borrow money elsewhere than from the Government unless he demises to the lender, by way of usufructuary mortgage for a term not exceeding twenty years, the whole or a portion of the estate, and such loans can only be taken for the purpose of paying off the debts and liabilities of the holder. It is expedient that a Manager should be able to borrow from Trust Funds or from any other source, where the terms as to interest are advantageous and are approved by the Board of Revenue, not only for the purpose of paying off debts but also for that of improving the estate. In such cases a simple mortgage will be preferable to a mortgage with possession.

Clause 12. New section 18A.—This new section will merely re-enact two of the provisions of the present section 18.

Clause 12. New section 18B.—Though a Manager can at present grant leases under section 17, he has no power to accept fresh leases, nor has the proprietor who is debarred under section 3 (c). It is proposed that full powers for the proper management of the estate should be given to a Manager.

Clause 13.—A Manager may, under clause "*thirdly*" of section 4, expend money on the education of a proprietor's children, but there is no power under the Act to compel their being educated, such as is given by the Court of Wards Act, 1879 (Ben. Act IX of 1879). The natural guardians generally set very little value on the proper education of their sons. It is highly desirable that power should be given to the Board of Revenue to enforce the proper education of these boys, since without it no steps to improve them can be taken effectually. Consequently when they succeed to the family estates, they are very prone, like their predecessors, to mismanage the property.

Clause 14. New section 21A.—The Board of Revenue should, it is thought, have power to exercise a general supervision and control, similar to that exercised by it under the Court of Wards Act, 1879.

Clause 14. New section 21B.—Under section 16 of the Act, the Manager can bring suits without joining the proprietor as a party, but this power is confined to suits for the realization of rents and profits. Experience has shown that this power should be extended to title and other suits. A disqualified proprietor may, under the existing law, be left to defend a suit for title against his estate and be compelled to borrow money at a high rate of interest for the purpose of the suit, necessitating fresh encumbrances, and a second application of the Act to his property. Moreover, a disqualified proprietor can at present waste money by presenting appeals in cases where there is no chance of success. The proposed new section 21B is intended to provide a check against extravagant and useless litigation, and to remove the difficulties which arise where the proprietor is antagonistic to the management of his estate under the Act.

Clause 15.—The amendments here proposed are consequential upon the proposed new section 21B.

F. W. DUKE.

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PART V.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 11th September, 1908, and is hereby promulgated for general information :

ACT NO. X OF 1908.

An Act to make special provision for the payment of duty on salt in certain cases.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make special provision for the payment of duty on salt in certain cases; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Salt-duties Act, 1908; and

Short title and extent.

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India.

2. Where by any enactment any duty is imposed on any salt manufactured in or imported into or transported within British India, the Governor General in Council or the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, make rules providing for the payment of such duty within a period not exceeding six months from the date on which payment is due, and for the furnishing of security for such payment; and salt may be manufactured, imported or transported in accordance with rules so made as if the duty payable thereon had been paid.

Payment of duty in certain cases.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 11th September, 1908, and is hereby promulgated for general information :

ACT NO. XI OF 1908.

Amend the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Assam 1901. Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. This Act may be called the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1908.

Short title.

2. For section 91 of the Assam Labour and 1901. Emigration Act, 1901, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Substitution of new section for section 91, Act VI, 1901.

"91. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 90, the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare that—

Power to Local Government to relax certain provisions of Act.

(*a*) in the case of contractors, sub-contractors and recruiters holding licenses granted under Chapter III, any of the requirements of that Chapter, or,

(*b*) in the case of garden-sardars holding certificates granted under Chapter IV or holding permits granted and countersigned under section 90, any of the requirements of that Chapter or of that section, as the case may be,

may be dispensed with or relaxed on such conditions as may be prescribed in the notification."

3. For section 218 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Substitution of new section for section 218, Act VI of 1901.

"218. The proceeds of any fines, fees and rates under this Act which may be credited to Government shall be expended, in such manner as the Governor General in Council may direct, on paying the salaries and allowances of officers appointed under this Act and their pensionary and leave allowances, on meeting the cost of sending labourers and other persons back to their native districts, and generally on defraying the expenses of carrying out the purposes and objects of this Act and any rules made thereunder, and not otherwise."

Application of proceeds of fines, fees and rates.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Kagas, pargana Murreswar satek.	17,182 13 0	.....	Residuary share:— 8 ganda 3 cora 5 canti share of mauzas Amdahara chuk, Alaibandi, Ishahpur, Ishanpur *alias* Ichakpur, Uttarmath chuk, Ekuti, Kolyanpur, Kagas, Karticgunge, Kaitpur, Kuchunghata, Kusumjatra kismat, Kasaipur, Krishnapur, Khatiepur, Khagra chuk, Khirija, Chandpur, Jamkola, Jalla, Jhikardaha chuk, Thakurgram chuk kismat, Tikardaha, Ilpara chuk, Dari-baje-jami-baje-apti, Dhobagaon chuk, Dhabajol, Nawapara, Nanas chuk, Niraha, Paikpara, Parsaon, Pashala, Bahara chuk, Reha, Bipra-salgora, Buicha chuk, Bhagabatipur, Moydipur, Malhaty, Mahabatpur chuk, Mohidipur chuk, Mohespur, Matigaon chuk, Metary, Rasulgunj, Rajballav chuk, Rupadihi, Salgorya, Sibpur, Solamath, Harikora, Harispur, Harrapur and 3 anna 3 cara 1 kranti share of mauzas Bansra and Bahadurgunj excepting separate account Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 25, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Asu Tosh Mukerjee and others.	Rs. A. P. 719 15 2	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 194 14 [illegible]

Birbhum Collectorate, the 10th August 1908.

R. A. N. SINGH, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	*Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
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		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Taraf Bansi-Baidanpur, pargana Laskarpur.	2,246 5 8	Whole estate.	.....	1. Rani Sarna Moyee Debya (proprietress) of Putiya, thana Valukgachi in Rajshahi. 2. Girish Naram Rai (proprietor) of Srimantapur, thana Dewansarai, and others.	.....	Revenue— 4 6 7 Cesses (Maldah.— 35 1 2 39 7 9	.....
397	Rasulpur, pargana Sherpur.	2,516 4 6	.....	5a. 8g. 1k. 1kr. ejmali	Chowdhury Buzlur Rahim Aoul Mostafa of Salar, thana Bharathpur. Chowdhury Ehasanul Huq of Margram, thana Rampurhat in Birbhum, and others.	851 13 9	.....	Revenue— 0 8 6
361	Char Kantalia, pargana Fatesing	1,335 0 0	Whole estate.	.....	Dwijendra Narain Rai of Jemua, thana Kandi (proprietor and farmer). Manobendra Narain Ray and others of Bagdanga, thana Kandi, (proprietors and farmers).	.....	Revenue— 73 8 10 Cesses— 6 5 10 79 14 8	.....

Berhampur, the 12th August 1908.

M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the brick-field near Adra-Midnapur-Jharia Extension, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon, on Thursday, the 24th September 1908, corresponding with the 8th Aswin 1315 Fusli, at Raghunathpur Dak Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Serial No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Pargana Bankas, mauza Dagdia.	346 and 347	South of the Railway line.	25 12 10	8 1 35·71				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 21st July 1908.

H. COUPLAND, Dy. Commr, Manbhum.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the siding No. 1, Ghoorkhuntee-Bhowrah Branch, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 26th October 1908, corresponding with the 10th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Jharia pargana, Ghoorkhuntee village.	Miles 3 and 4 of the Bhowra Branch.	South of the railway line.	21 10 1·78	7 0 17·44				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Hariharpur-Dhanbaid Section, Gaya-Barakar Project, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Thursday, the 29th October 1908, corresponding with the 13th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Dhanbaid Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres.	Land excluded from sale from each plot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Manbhum	Jharria pargana Dhanbaid vill	At mile 120 of the main line.	South of the main line.	23 0 6	7·61				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894, Manbhum.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd September at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share or shares are excluded from the sale.

Consecutive No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is to be sold arrears from
							7	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
	2 R. S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Kaugonbaria and others.	2,628 3 0	.....	Excluding 11a. 14g. 1k. 3½ct., remaining 4a. 5g. 2k. 5½dt. share in all the mauzas except mauzas Chetla and Alipore.	Romanath Burmon ...	738 9 4		46
	5-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Laskarpore and others.	8,289 3 0	.....	Excluding 10a. share remaining 6a. share.	Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhri.	3,108 6 11½		258 1
	8-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpia.	3,480 1 0	.....	Ditto	Ditto ...	1,305 11 5½	.....	65 1
	10	Pargana Magura, kismat Chetla and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry and others.	.....	26 13 10	
	36	Pargana Magura, mauza Dhapamanpore.	741 13 0	Ditto		S. M. Chandanbala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Ray Chowdhry.			
	101	Pargana Magura, kismat Shahapore and others.	1,076 3 6	Ditto		Kumar Monmotho Nath Mitter.		63 3 9	
	315-11	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Raghunathpore.	10,190 4 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 1 g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Kali Krishna Chakravarti			
	323 R. S.	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Kantapukuria and others.	1,038 5 9	.	Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k 2kt. share, remaining 10a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Rama Prosad Ray Chowdhry and others.	692 3 10		
	326	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Bistoopore and others.	2,443 3 0	.....	Excluding 8a share, remaining 8a. share.	Jotindra Nath Ray Chowdhry and others.	1,212 2 2½	.....	
10	385-9	Pargana Azimabad and others Hudarash Khali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramuri.	Kali Krishna Chakravarti	1,362 8 7½	...	142 1
11	487	Pargana Panchakuli, Abad Simulberia and others.	560 3 6	Whole estate.	.....	Tara Kumar Ray Chowdhry.	.....	47 8 6	.....

Alipore, the 14th August 1908.

A. MOOKERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1908 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is to be sold, arrears from it.
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	
330	Mahal Durgapore, 2a. 5g. share, ph. Bircool.	1,686 8 2	Entire ...	.....	Sreemati Chowdhurani Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	367 0 2	.....
5101	M. Kua, 1h. Kurulchore.	503 2	Do.		Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	.....	54 13 0	.....
				Government Khas Mahal.				
2390	Aima Haria'ara, ph Balaramp	63 10 0	Entire	.....	Kisori Mohan Mitra and three others ...	.....	49 8 9	.....

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th September 1908 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1215 326	Aamrpur Raghunath urf Kewai, pargana Balia.	627 12 2	Entire ...	..	Nauratan Lal ..	.....	8 3 6	.....
5225 17 167	Mannora, pargana Phulwari.	2,702 5 10	...	Makhdumpur, 16 annas, separate account. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale	Mr Patric Stephen ...	1,359 11 0	.....	1 3 1

Patna, the 22nd August 1908.

F. W. WARD, Collector of Patna.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1908, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1908 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold
2		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Mahal Logun, ph. Bhipore.	2,619 5 3	.....	S. A. No. XXII— Mauza—	Sreemati Tarasama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Naren dra Nath Das and others	1,876 15 6	...	150 9 8	Revenue— 150 9 3 Road Cess— 60 10 3 Embankment Cess— 30 2 0

	A.	G.	K.	Kr.
Akbarpore ...	10	0	5	0
Anbia ...	7	0	"	0
Barandia	10	0	3	0
Behalta ...	10	0	"	"
Bundhanpore ...	7	0		
Chandan ...	6	1		
Dutiary ...	10	0		
Dubais kattaki ...	10	0		
Dumarda ...	7	0	3	0
Gobra bak ...	10	0	8	0
Godachak ...	7	0		
Gopalpore ...	6	1	3	0
Jugulia	10	0	8	0
Chowgachia	3	10	1	2
Kanupropati Kist	8	10	1	2
Kuarpore	10	0	3	0
Krishnapore	10	0	5	0
Khanta ...	10	0	3	0
Khamuria	10	0	3	0
Khaspur ...	10	0	5	0
Madhan Chandra Dak	10	0	8	0
Logun	6	1	3	0
Panchra	3	10	1	2
Sankhanda	10	0	3	0
Shibpur	10	0	8	0
Takapore	10	0	3	0

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, subdivision Howrah, will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on the 29th October 1908, corresponding with 13th of Kartick 1315 B.S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

N.B.—The conditions regarding the payment of land revenue fixed in perpetuity are not applicable to estates in temporarily-settled districts in which the land revenue should be fixed for the term of the current settlement and be subject to periodical revisions on expiry of each settlement. In the case of an estate, situated in a permanently settled area and yielding an annual rental of less than Re 1, there should be no condition regarding payment of land revenue.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		Poles.	Rs A. P.	
4941	Staff quarters of the Bully Salt Pass Station ...	4 87	0 8 0	

Collector's Office, Howrah, the 8th September 1908.

A. W. COOK, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Grand Chord Line, mile 141, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 10th November 1908, corresponding with the 25th Kartick 1315 Fasli, at Gomo.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Name of district.	Pargana, and mauza.	Number of zone on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of Lot.	Boundary of lot.
1 Manbhum	Nowagarh par. Jaysandih mauza.	141	South ..	2 0 4	0 2 27 2·25 yds.				
Do.	Nowagarh par. Kesla, Dumra mauza.	141		8 2 12	2 2 39 14·50 yds.				
				10 3 4	3 1 17 16·75 yds.				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 4th September 1908.

C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bettiah-Bagaha Railway, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Saturday, the 17th October 1908, corresponding with the 8th Kartik 1316 Fusli at the Narkatiganj Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Parganas and mauzas	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Champaran	Mauza Hardia, pargana Majhowa.	23	South ...	7 14 4	2 2 6	.....	...	...	*North*—Railway land of Bettiah Bagaha Extension. *East*—Ditto ditto. *South*—Rup Kaun, Parmeswi Nath Misra, Naresh Tewari and Sam Behari Misra. *West*—Sam Behari Misra.
	Ditto ..	Mauza Shikarpur, pargana Majhowa.	23	Do. ..	2 8 6	0 3 8	.....	.....	...	*North*—Railway land. *East*—Ditto. *South*—Sathi Factory land. *West*—Railway land.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Patahi Branch of the Dhaka Canal, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, corresponding with the 4th Kartik 1316 Fusli, at the Champpur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Name of district.	Parganas and mauzas.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
				B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
Champaran .	Mauza Malconia, pargana Semrown.			0 3 0	0 0 8				*East*—Patahi Branch, Dhaka Canal. *North*—Morta Diversion. *West*—Mango tope of Chetharu Singh, Janki Singh, Rajkumar Singh and Sheo Nandan *South*—Ditto ditto ..

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Bhagalpur will be put up to sale at the Bhagalpur Collectorate on the 12th November 1908, corresponding with 4th of Aghan 1316 Fasli.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, amounting to two years' revenue. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity, equal to the present gross rental.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedules of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the date of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of Government Estates in the Bhagalpur district to be sold on the 12th November 1908.

Serial No.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Present rental assessed.			Remarks.
				Rs.	A.	P.	
1	848	Abdulla Beg, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Bihpur ...	25·25	80	2	3	
2	1141	Jagir Jew Rakhan Sepoy, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Colgong.	13	52	0	0	
3	2553	Muktapur, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Colgong ...	220	665	3	6	
4	2625	Jagir Chand Khan, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Kotwali.	13	84	4	0	
5	2766	Pealapur, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Colgong* ...	1,646	3,611	6	9	
6	4567	Khawaspur, pargana Colgong, thana Colgong ...	74·965	168	12	0	
7	4989	Shankerpur Kodwar, pargana Colgong, thana Colgong.	9·38	21	1	9	
8	4994	Parsardih, pargana Colgong, thana Kotwali ...	22·33	53	12	0	
9	2781	Nagarpara, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj ...	3·61	9	6	0	
10	2841	Jagir Lachman Sepoy, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj.	12·06	25	4	0	
11	2845	Jagir Raffi Havaldar, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj.	22·9	37	2	0	
12	2846	Jagir Imamuddin Nack, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj.	26·66	38	12	0	
13	3168	Bhagwat Ram Dass, pargana Nisankpur Korha ...	125	82	0	0	
14	4933	Lowalagam, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj ...	23·9	24	11	0	
15	5383	Parmanandpur, pargana Dharampur	73	21	0	0	
16	5384	Ditto ditto	267·301	56	12	0	
17	5386	Sarhadgatti, pargana Dharampur	282·63	364	10	6	
18	5394	Nandna, pargana Dharampur, thana Madhepura ...	65	11	0	0	
19	5396	Lachmipur, pargana Dharampur	108	12	0	0	
20	5533	Udda, pargana Nisankpur Korha, thana Kishenganj	2·1·8	6	10	0	
21	3510	Lochni Sakhua, pargana Nisankhpur Korha, thana Madhipura.	134·97	109	5	9	
22	5401	Gopipur Israin, pargana Naredigar, thana Madhepura.	61·38	38	0	0	
23	3887	Dargahiganj, pargana Harawat, thana Protabganj	129·29	250	14	7	
24	3904	Lalganj, pargana Harawat, thana Protabganj ...	77·1	122	12	0	
25	3905	Motipur Bishenpur, ditto ditto ...	74·39	213	15	6	
26	3908	Lalganj, ditto ditto ...	85·4	42	2	2	
27	3910	Ditto, ditto ditto ...	85·62	118	3	0	
28	3914	Belaganj, ditto ditto ...	70·85	92	5	3	
29	3915	Bhattabari, ditto ditto ...	86·79	163	12	0	
30	3916	Ditto, ditto ditto ...	125·69	320	13	0	
31	3918	Bhagwatpur, ditto ditto ...	497·3	466	3	6	
32	3933	Rampur Harnandan ditto ditto ...	173·85	114	0	0	
33	3935	Bhattabari, ditto ditto ...	92·42	98	0	0	
34	3936	Jhankargarh, ditto ditto ...	120·3	96	2	8	
35	3939	Gokulpur Kalan, ditto ditto ...	33·8	88	11	7	
36	3941	Nisahra, ditto ditto ...	50	29	7	0	
37	3942	Madhopur, ditto ditto ...	42	24	9	0	
	3954	Barhmotar, ditto ditto ...	80	71	11	10	
	3956	Bhimpur, ditto ditto ...	27	71	9	0	
	3957	Madhupur, ditto ditto ...	56	81	1	2	
41	3958	Bardaha, ditto ditto ...	108·33	230	6	3	
42	3965	Dumri, ditto ditto ...	237·96	493	10	6	
43	3973	Chapun, pargana Dhaphar, thana Supaul ...	474	272	15	2	
44	3974	Anandbilas, pargana Harawat, thana Protabganj ...	84·98	208	11	0	
45	3977	Anandbilas, pargana Harawat, thana Supaul ...	65·55	232	11	0	
46	4990	Guddi, pargana Harawat, thana Protabganj ...	209	710	11	5	

N.B.—This estate is situate in 21 villages, and the property situate in each village will be put up for sale as a separate estate if insufficient bids are received for the amalgamated estate.

Bhagalpur Collectorate, the 1st September 1908.

F. F. LYALL, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Bhagalpur, will be put up to sale at the Bhagalpur Collectorate on the 12th November 1908, corresponding with 4th Aghan 1316 Fasli.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, amounting to two years' present revenue. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him subject to a revenue fixed in perpetuity, equal to 75 per cent of the existing present gross rental.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of Government estates in the district of Bhagalpur to be sold on the 12th November 1908.

Serial number.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Present rental assessed.	Revenue to be fixed in perpetuity equal to 75 per cent. of existing gross rental, i.e., of column 5.	Remarks.
				Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
	2761	Jagia Jhonti Singh, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Kotwali.	32·0	53 6 0	40 0 6	
	3895	Bikrampur, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	85·71	201 14 0	151 6 6	
3	3896	Manickchand, pargana Harawat, thana Pertapganj.	278·91	578 5 9	433 12 3	
4	3975	Anandbulas, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	18·62	72 11 0	54 8 3	
	4895	Gobindpur, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	22·35	98 15 0	74 3 3	
	4896	Achaipur, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	36·78	173 11 3	130 4 5	
	4897	Kengar, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	73·93	202 10 0	151 15 6	
8	4903	Bhikampur Gorta, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	42·06	114 8 0	85 14 0	
9	4901	Madhubani, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	16·48	51 7 11	38 9 11	
10	4961	Raghopur, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	19·0	97 12 3	73 5 2	

Bhagalpur Collectorate, the 1st September 1908.

F. F. LYALL, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the east bank of Bhagirathi in village Beliapukhur, mauza Kallyanpur Chandipur, thana Manullabazar, in the district of Murshidabad, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 19th October 1908, corresponding with the 3rd Kartick 1315 Fasli at the old Jeaganj Inspection Bungalow by the Subdivisional Officer of Lalbagh.

The purchaser of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavation on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt of the Divisional Commissioner's order confirming the sale.

Boundaries.

North.—Kalu Chand Bothra's land.
East.—Lalgola cutcha road.
South.—Village road.
West.—Kalu Chand Bothra's land.

The plot measures about 1 bigha 2 cottahs and 8 chitaks of land appertaining to the old Inspection Bungalow at Jeaganj.

M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Berhampore, the 1st September 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Bhagalpur will be put up to sale at the Bhagalpur Collectorate on the 12th November 1908, corresponding with 4th Aghan 1316 Fasli.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, amounting to ten years' revenue. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue-free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and the purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

List of Government estates in the Bhagalpur district to be sold on the 12th November 1908.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Area in	Government revenue.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P.	
7	3182	Jagir Pran Sinha Coomaidan	·62	0 13 0	

Bhagalpur Collectorate, the 1st September 1908.

F. F. LYALL, Collector.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 15th September 1908.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,62,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 87,06,633 10 1			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,12,40,614 5 0	1,99,47,247	15	1
Other Deposits at Head Offices and Branches	17,14,63,813	2	0
Bank Post Bills, &c.	10,47,853	4	3
Sundries	12,01,681	2	8
Rupees	22,99,08,595	8	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	3,33,41,515	0	0
Other authorised investments	38,83,186	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,15,16,640	5	11
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,37,42,497	8	2
Bills discounted and purchased	2,54,92,344	7	4
Balances with other Banks	13,61,241	14	11
Bullion	4,053	0	0
Dead Stock	16,65,815	0	5
Stamps	15,943	12	1
Sundries	1,21,392	8	3
	15,10,54,539	9	1
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office *Rs. 3,35,75,751 0 1			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches † ,, 4,52,78,294 14 10	7,88,54,045	14	11
Rupees	22,99,08,585	8	0

* Includes Govt. 2½ bonds, value Rs. 84,825 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 1,59,322 8 0
,, 2,44,147 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 17th September 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 40·71.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.
(1092—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th September 1908.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—			GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.		Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.	Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 31st August 1908 ...	73,66,500	1,49,63,200	9,01,97,400	2,13,61,100	1,11,99,200	18,84,300	.....	13,96,10,200	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,70,06,933
ADD—																			
Amount of transferred to in London ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th September 1908 ...	.....	25,600	3,07,600	82,200	.....	600	.....	4,15,400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,15,400
	73,66,500	1,49,93,200	9,05,05,000	2,14,43,300	1,11,99,200	18,84,900	.....	14,00,25,600	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,74,22,333
DEDUCT—																			
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	1,00,100	2,54,700	2,70,500	2,70,500	1,97,300	67,500	.....	10,41,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,41,600
Balance on 15th September 1908	72,66,400	1,47,47,500	9,02,34,500	2,11,72,800	1,10,01,900	18,27,400	.....	13,89,84,100	6,933	5,000	.....	500	40,800	2,500	55,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	14,62,80,733

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th July 1908—Enfaced from India, 11,712 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,579 lakhs
" 16th July 1908 " 31st " " " " " 3 " " " " 2 "
" 1st August " " 15th August " " " " ... " " " 9 "
" 16th " " " 31st " " " " 2 lakhs " " " 12 "
" 1st Sept. " " 15th Sept. " " " " 4 " " " " 11 "
11,721 lakhs. 11,613 lakhs
11,613 "
Balance against India ... 108 "

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 16th September 1908.

(1095—1)

T. BRUCE,
Superintendent.

L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif of Asansole.

PRESENT:

Babu Parada Kinkar Mukharji, Munsif.

TITLE SUIT No. 919 OF 1908.

Babu Bhagabaty Charan Mitra, Receiver of the Searsole Estate of Kumar Rameswar Malia and Srimaty Bhaba Sundari Debi, plaintiff, *versus* Uzir Sha and others, defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that Kumar Rameswar Malia and Srimaty Bhaba Sundari Debi, of Searsole, represented by Babu Bhagabati Charan Mitra, Receiver of the Searsole Estate appointed by Court, have instituted the above title suit against the Muhammadan community of Raniganj, mentioning among them (1) Uzir Sha, (2) Hafez Muhammad Isak, (3) Hafez Muhammad Ismail, (4) Hafez Hauq Sarkar and (5) Sheik Mabarak Ali for themselves and for the Muhammadan community of Raniganj and prayed for permission that the abovenamed defendants be permitted to be sued on their own behalf as well as on behalf of the Muhammadan community of Raniganj, whose members are all interested in the subject-matter of the suit.

It is notified that the said permission has been granted by the Court. If any person interested in the suit is of opinion that the abovenamed persons do not represent him, he should apply to be made a defendant.

PARADA KINKAR MUKHARJI, Munsif.

Asansole, the 15th September 1908. (1091—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Bankura.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 180 OF 1908.

Hareck Chand Babu and others, decree-holders, *versus* Rajnarain Chandradharja, judgment-debtor.

Amount Rs. 17,171-7-9.

THE undermentioned property of the judgment-debtor will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge of Bankura on the 9th November 1908 at 12 noon:—

Schedules of property to be sold.

1. Tauzi No. 8 of the Bankura Collectorate including all mauzas in it, paying annual revenue to Government Rs. 3,966-1-6.
Approximate value Rs. 3,000.
2. Tauzi No. 8—2 of the Bankura Collectorate, paying annual revenue to Government Rs. 183-10.
Approximate value Rs. 500.
3. Tauzi No. 8—8 of the Bankura Collectorate, paying annual revenue to Government Rs. 45-0-3.
Approximate value Rs. 500.

GOPAL CHANDRA BASU,
Subordinate Judge of Bankura.

Bankura, the 19th September 1908. (1098—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of BUDRI PROSAD and another, insolvents.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Manuel & Augarwallah, Attorneys. (1104—2)

In the matter of W. G. COGGIN, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1105—2)

In the matter of JAGADISH SHA, an insolvent.

On the 10th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1106—2)

In the matter of KARAM CHAND NAHATA, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. C. Dey, Attorney. (1107—2)

In the matter of H. PHILLIPS, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. T. De, Attorney. (1108—2)

In the matter of P. J. DOVER, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Mookerjee, Attorney. (1109—2)

In the matter of C. T DESSA, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1110—2)

In the matter of SHAM LALL and another, insolvents.

On the 2nd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. L. Mullick, Attorney. (1111—2)

In the matter of C. L. VAILLANT, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1112—2)

In the matter of H. C. LESLIE, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1113—2)

In the matter of RAM KUMAR, an insolvent.

On the 2nd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. N. Mitter, Attorney. (1114—2)

In the matter of GOPI KISHEN KORNANI, an insolvent.

On the 2nd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. L. Pyne, Attorney. (1115—2)

In the matter of MAKHAN LALL, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney. (1116—2)

In the matter of JNANENDRA K. BOSE, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. N. Basu & Co., Attorneys. (1117—2)

In the matter of KARTIK LAL DEY, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. L. Mullick, Attorney. (1118—2)

In the matter of MUTTY LALL, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. L. Pyne, Attorney. (1119—2)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Bhutnath Laha *alias* Satya Siban or Satyaranjan Laha, son of Amritalal Laha, of Rishra, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 36 of 1908, and that the 4th November 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 18th September 1908. (1099—1—1043)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Satya Charan Laha, son of Amritalal Laha, of Rishra, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 37 of 1908, and that the 6th November 1908 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 18th September 1908. (1100—1—1042)

MITHILA SARAN SINHA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (1076—4)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908:—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add 880	To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.
3.	Baira	...	,, 889	
4.	Bhimpore	...	,, 1992	
5.	Mnnair	...	,, 2458	
6.	Masaudha	...	,, 4568	
7.	Phulwari	...	,, 5058	
8.	Sunda	...	,, 5859	
9.	Shahjehanpore		,, 7006	
10.	Ghyaspur	...	,, 7692	
11.	Beswak	...	,, 9898	
12.	Bihar	...	,, 10556	
13.	Maldah	...	,, 11771	
14.	Narhat	...	,, 11772	
15.	Pillieu	...	,, 11823	
16.	Raggir	...	,, 12561	
17.	Samai	...	,, 12585	
18.	Sanaut	...	,, 12695	
19.	Telhara	...	,, 12696	
20.	Ukri	...	,, 13670	

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that all Exhibits filed in cases in the Courts of the Presidency Magistrates in the years 1905 and 1906 will be destroyed if not taken back by the parties who filed them before the 31st December 1908.

T. THORNHILL,

Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta.

The 4th September 1908.

Treasure Trove.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 5 of the Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on or about the 15th July 1908, the undermentioned treasure was found by (1) Chavati Rangappa and (2) Valli Sahib *alias* Vulligadu of Kamaga reddipalli hamlet of Kondapuram, Hindupur taluk, while digging earth in survey field No. 56 of Sajjepalli Chennappa of Kondapuram:—

Description of treasure.	Estimated value.
96 gold coins of the Vijayanagar dynasty, locally known as "Madalu," each of the estimated value of 8 annas.	Rs. 48

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Anantapur at 11 A.M. at his office at Anantapur on Monday, the 1st February 1909, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

(ILLEGIBLE), *for* Collector.

Anantapur Collector's Office, the 12th September 1908.

Notification under the Treasure Trove Act

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that in the month of April last, the marginally-noted persons found in the back yard of Karnam Ramiah of Siddhavaram, Badvel taluk, treasure consisting of gold and silver coins worth about Rs. 41.

1. Gowra Venkata.
2. Obalakka.
3. Ellamma.

All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Cuddapah at his office at Cuddapah on Monday, the 1st February 1909, at 11 A.M., with a view to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the said Act.

(ILLEGIBLE), *for* Collector.

Cuddapah Collector's Office, the 16th September 1908.

WANTED an experienced Head Clerk for the office of the Executive Engineer, Sambalpur Division, on a monthly salary of Rs. 85.

Preference will be given to a candidate who has already been serving in this capacity in a Public Works Department Divisional Office for more than five years.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to the 25th September 1908.

The selected candidate will have to join from the 12th October 1908.

H. H. STEVENS,

Executive Engineer, Sambalpur Division.

Sambalpur, the 10th September 1908.

WANTED a Peshkar for the survey and record-of-rights of mauzas Fulbari and Ramchandrapur in this district on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem for six months, with effect from 15th October 1908. None need apply who has had no experience of Survey and Settlement work.

2. Wanted also the services of two Amins at the lump rate of Rs. 20 per 100 acres for all work prior to attestation. None need apply who has no experience of the Survey and Settlement work under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

3. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th instant.

(ILLEGIBLE), *for* Collector.

Bogra, the 10th September 1908.

WANTED one Ranger on Rs. 60 and one Deputy Ranger on Rs. 30 with horse allowance Rs. 10 per month for the Angul Protected Forest.

Applications with copies of testimonials to be sent before the 15th October 1908. None need apply who does not hold a certificate of qualification from the Dehra Dun Forest School.

E. McLEOD SMITH,
Dy. Commr., Angul (Orissa).

Angul, the 18th September 1908.

Notice.

WANTED three Kanungoes for the districts of Palamau, Hazaribagh and Manbhum. The pay of the posts is as follows:—

		Rs.	
Palamau	Kanungo ...	75	per mensem.
Hazaribagh	ditto ...	50	,, ,,
Manbhum	ditto ...	50	,, ,,

None need apply who has not sufficient knowledge of English and Survey and who does not possess the qualifications required under the rules given at page 66 of the Board's Rules, 1902.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 24th September 1908

GANGA GOVINDA GUPTA,
Personal Assistant to the Commissioner.

Ranchi, the 11th September 1908.

Notice.

WANTED four Amins for four months at Rs. 20 per month from November next for survey and record-of-rights of certain private estates in the Vishnupur subdivision under the Bengal Tenancy Act. None need apply who has no experience of Settlement work. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to 25th September 1908.

RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJEE,
Subdivisional Officer.

Vishnupur Subdivisional Office, the 4th September 1908. (1059—3)

WANTED two Travelling Hospital Assistants under the Rangpur District Board on a consolidated pay of Rs. 35 per mensem. They will be allowed usual travelling allowance under Civil Service Regulations. The candidates must be passed students of a Government Medical School.

Preference will be given to qualified Muhammadan candidates.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 23rd September 1908.

R. C. DAS,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Rangpur.

Rangpur, the 8th September 1908. (1079—2)

WANTED a Midwife for the Gaibanda subdivision under the Rangpur District Board on a salary of Rs. 30 per month with free quarters. She must be a passed midwife of any Government institution.

Applications will be received up to 23rd September 1908.

R. C. DAS,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Rangpur.

Rangpur, the 8th September 1908. (1080—2)

WANTED an experienced Native Doctor for the District Board Dispensary at Darauli on a monthly salary of Rs 25.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th October 1908.

JAGDAM SAHAI,
For Chairman, District Board, Saran.

Chapra, the 15th September 1908. (1102—3)

WANTED an experienced Surveyor for one year. Only those who are qualified under paragraph 7 (3) (*a*) and (*b*) of Bengal Government Notification No. 3394L S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, need apply. Monthly salary Rs. 35 *plus* Rs. 15 consolidated travelling allowance.

Applications with copies of testimonials and particulars as to the age, etc., of the candidates must reach this office on or before the 15th October 1908.

Applications to be in the applicant's own handwriting.

(ILLEGIBLE),
Overseer in charge, *for* District Engineer, Saran.

Chapra, the 18th September 1908. (1101—2)

WANTED for the Bhairab Drainage Scheme Surveys a Surveyor on a salary of Rs. 80—10—100 for two years with chances of being made permanent as Overseer in charge of a subdivision.

Applications will be received up to the 25th September 1908.

A. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer.

Jessore, the 4th September 1908. (1068—3)

WANTED by the District Board of Burdwan a Supervisor on a salary of Rs. 150—5—200 and fixed conveyance allowances of Rs. 30 per month and fares for Railway journeys under the rules. Applicants must be a B.E. of the Sibpur College or an Assistant Engineer from the Thomason College, Rurki. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 15th October next.

HARI DAS PAL, District Engineer, Burdwan.

Burdwan, the 15th September 1908 (1093—2)

WANTED an experienced and qualified Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Engineer's Office, Purnea. Apply to the District Engineer with copies of testimonials and brief history of services. Behari preferred.

Applications will be received up to the 18th October 1908. Selected candidate should join at once.

(1096—3)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that unless the eight bursts bales of jute on account of Messrs. Woodroy Chand Choom Lall, which are lying in "B" shed, Kidderpore Docks, are removed on or before the 12th October 1908 and all charges due thereon paid, they will be sold by public auction in terms of section 118 of Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890, and the sale proceeds appropriated towards payment of the charges due.

W. R. C. JEWELL, *for* Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, the 18th September 1908. (1097—1)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

IN addition to the charges under the Notification dated the 8th June 1907, published in Part II, page 671, of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 12th June 1907, for the services of the tugs *Rescue*, *Retriever* and *Active* when employed on salvage work, it is hereby notified for general information, with the approval of the Local Government, that the actual cost of replacing any equipment lost and of repairing damage done to the tugs during salvage operations will be recoverable from the owners or agents on whose behalf the tugs are employed.

By order of the Commissioners,

H. J. HILARY, Secretary.

The 14th September 1908. (1121—1)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 717, dated 11th September 1908, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
166080	3½ per cent. of 1865.	7,500	Sahadeb Mullick.

Name of the Proprietor—SAHADEB MULLICK.

Residence—Hooghly, Ghutiabazar.

(1103—1—1040)

Lost

BANK OF BENGAL Share Certificates for Shares Nos. 34795 and 34796 for Rs. 500 each in my name. Notice of loss has been given to the Bank of Bengal. I am about to apply for duplicate Certificates.

DEVENDRO NATH MULLICK.

28, Burtola Street, Baraba zar, Calcutta.

(1094—1—1041)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 8466, dated 1st September 1908, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's Name.
		Rs	
035939	3 p. c. of 1896-97	1,000	Srimati Saila-bala Dasi.
084582	3½ p. c. of 1842-43	500	
014520	3½ p. c. of 90-91	100	

Name of proprietress—SRIMATI SAILABALA DASI.

Residence—106, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta.

(1120—1—1044)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 110429 of cent. of 1854-55 for Rs. 25,000, originally standing in the name of John Dey, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—JOHN DEY,

per his Attorney W. H. TAYLOR.

Residence—4-5, Kolla Ghat Street, Calcutta.

(1073—3—1049)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

Name.	Post Box No.
A	
Abreent & Co.	19
Arracan Co., Ld.	28
Agelasto & Co., A	37
Alliance Bank of Simla, Ld.	43
Army Department, Government of India ...	62
Allen Brothers & Co.	77
Atherton & Co., G.	88
Asmann & Co., F. A. D.	103
Arthur Koppel	109
Atlas Assurance Co., Ld.	123
Apear & Co.	130
Acerboni & Co., F.	135
Anderson Wright & Co.	140
Andrew Yule & Co.	150
Allahabad Bank, Ld.	165
Artin & Co., Y.	167
Arat oon, Ld.	217
Army & Navy Co-Operative Society, Ld. ...	233
Alexander Young & Co.	243
Austro-English Trade Association ...	261
Ashworth Taylor & Co.	282
"Asian," The	287
Abdul Wahab, S. M.	293
Ahmuty & Co.	305
Anderson-Smith, R.	312
Abdoolabhoy and Joomabhoy Lalljee ...	327
Agarwalla & Co., G. R.	331
Ayurbed Ashram, The	342
B	
Balmer, Lawrie & Co.	4
Birkmyre Bros.	18
British India Marine Service Club ...	35
Becker Gray & Co.	41
Bird & Co.	46
Beckel, Wm. Oscar	47
Barlow & Co.	49
Barry & Co.	50
Biswas & Co., D. N.	79
Brindaban Chandra Dutt	84
Bathgate & Co.	86
British-American Tobacco Co., Ld. ...	89
Bank of Bengal Secretary and Treasurer ...	110
Blackburn, G. A	113
Baksi & Co., S. A B.	114
Bengal Coal Co., Ld.	117
Blackwood Blackwood & Co.	120
Bansgomoi, Ld.	128
Berk Brothers	134
Bombay Company, Limited, The ...	139
Begg Dunlop & Co.	171
Balen Barcy & Co	173
Brooke Bond & Co., Ld.	187
Burn & Co., Ld.	191
Bevan & Co., T. E.	206
Brownlie & Murray, Ld. (Agents) ..	230
Bank of Burma, Ltd.	253
Bharat Insurance Co., Ld.	256
Bengal Chamber of Commerce, Secy. ...	280
Banerjee Framjee & Co.	284
Bandmann, Maurice E (Personal)	288
British India Engineers' Club	296
Bengal Club	300
Banerjee Brothers (Beadon Street) ...	324
Boyd, L.	328
Blower & Co., T. H.	339
Chunni Lall Abirchand Ray Bahadur ...	345
Bacharam F	346
Bagram & Co., J. G.	349
C	
Commercial Bank of India, Ld.	9
Chhurup Sampatram	11
"Capital"	14
Cooke & Kelvey	20
Crompton & Co., Ld. ...	24
Calcutta Tramways Co., Ld.	33
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	40
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ld. ...	59
Consul-General for Italy	75
Cohn Bros. & Fuchs	91
Carl Liechtenstein & Co.	97
Consul-General for the Netherlands ...	125
Colonial Trading Co. of Trieste, Ld. ...	132
Calcutta Turf Club	163
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The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1908.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st September 1908.*

INDIAN OCEAN—COMORO ISLANDS, MAYOTTA ISLAND.

Duamuni passage—Buoys withdrawn.

No. 372 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1264 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The Duamuni or North-east passage, Mayotta island, being unsuited for vessels of heavy draught, the buoys marking it have been withdrawn.

Position.—Lat. 12° 38′ S., long. 45° 9′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 2741, Mayotta island.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 559.

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1762 of 1908.

CHINA SEA.

Palawan island, east coast.—Reef.

Kalamianes islands—Reefs in Koron bay and approach.

No. 373 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1265 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—Reefs are reported to exist off the east coast of Palawan island, and in Koron bay and its southern approach, as undermentioned.

1. Off east coast of Palawan island.

Position.—South extreme of Reynard island bearing N. 58° W., distant about one mile, and north extreme of North Green island S. 79° W.

Lat. 10° 9′ N., long. 119° 15′ E., on chart No. 967.

Depth, &c.—Uncovers at low water. Is small in extent.

2. Koron bay and approach.

(*a*) *Position.*—In Koron bay, northward of the north point of Bulalakao island and about midway between Kalis point and the eastern extreme of Dunaun island.

Lat. 11° 50′ N., long. 120° 9¾′ E.

Depth.—9 feet.

Description.—Consists of large coral boulders, and is about 2 miles long and one mile wide.

Remarks.—P. D. has been placed against the above position on the chart.

(*b*) *Position.*—Southward of Koron bay, at about 4½ miles eastward of Tres Reyes islands.

Lat. 11° 34′ N., long. 120° 9½′ E.

Depth.—3 feet or less.

(*c*) *Position.*—Southward of Koron bay, at about 6 miles eastward of Tres Reyes islands.

Lat. 11° 34′ N., long. 120° 11′ E.

Depth.—3 feet or less.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.

„ 2577, Philippine islands.

„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages 284, 304, 306.

Authority.—Manila Notices, Nos. 45, 46, 47 of 1908.

KOREA, WEST COAST—PING YANG INLET.

Sei tau (west islet) light—Period altered.

Nakasu shoal and Chinampho harbour—Buoys established.

No. 974 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1267 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The period of Sei tau (West islet) light has been altered as undermentioned; and buoys have been established on Nakasu shoal and in Chinampho harbour as given below:—

1. Sei tau (West islet) light.

Position.—Lat. 38° 32′ N., long. 124° 46′ E.

Alteration.—The light ((*white flashing*) shows *one* flash *every twenty seconds*, instead of every thirty seconds as formerly.

2. Buoy on Nakasu shoal.

Position.—On south-western end of shoal, in a depth of 2½ fathoms, with 100 feet hill ▲ on Hombagu Kaku bearing S. 57° E., distant 5¼ miles, and Sei tau light S. 48° W.

Lat 38° 37′ N., long. 124° 52° E., on chart No. 1656.

Description.—Conical buoy, painted in black and white horizontal bands, surmounted by a diamond-shaped topmark.

Remarks.—The name Nakasu shoal has been placed on the chart.

3. Buoys in Chinampho harbour.

(*a*) *Position.*—Situated in a depth of 2¼ fathoms, at a distance of about $1\frac{1}{10}$ cables, S. 23° W., from the head of the Pontoon pier.

Lat. 38° 42½′ N., long. 125° 23¾′ E.

Description.—Conical buoy, painted in red and black horizontal bands.

(*b*) *Position.*—Situated in a depth of 1½ fathoms, at a distance of about 2¼ cables, S. 67° W., from the head of the Pontoon pier.

Description.—Conical buoy, painted in red and black horizontal bands.

Remarks.—These buoys mark sunken rocks in the anchorage.

The two buoys placed in the anchorage, as published, in Notice to Mariners No. 16 of 1908, have been withdrawn.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1656, Ping Yang inlet.
„ 1655, South approach to Ping Yang inlet.
„ 1257, Approaches to Ping Yang inlet.
„ 1256, Pe chili and Liau Tung gulfs.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 908

Sailing Directions for Japan and the Korea, 1904, pages 39, 40, 42.

Notices to Mariners Nos. 16 and 160 of 1908. (*This office Nos. 44 and 88 of respectively 31st January and 28th February 1908.*)

Authority.—Seoul Notices, Nos. 41 and 40 of 1908.

CHINA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Hongkong harbour—Buoy withdrawn

No. 375 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1280 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoy in Hongkong harbour has been withdrawn.

Position.—North-west corner of man-of-war anchorage, at a distance of $4\frac{6}{10}$ cables

N. 38° E., from the cupola of Queen's buildings.

Description.—Conical buoy, painted in black and white chequers.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 1459, Hongkong harbour.
„ 3280, Hongkong waters, west.
„ 1466, Hongkong.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 71.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Tamar*, Hydrographic Note, No. 3 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—Friendly Islands, Vavau.

Neiafu harbour—Depth in entrance; Buoys established.

No. 376 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1284 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The depth in the entrance to Neiafu harbour, Vavau, is as undermentioned; and buoys have been established to mark certain shoals as given below.

Position.—Kilikili front beacon, lat. 18° 39′ S, long. 173° 59¾′ W.

1. Depth in entrance.

Position.—On leading line, at a distance of 3¼ cables, S. 55° W., from the Kilikili front beacon.

Depth.—5 fathoms.

2. Buoys established.

(*a*) *Position.*—Southward of Galloway rock, at a distance of 3$\frac{5}{10}$ cables, S. 59° W., from Kilikili front beacon.

Description.—Small white conical buoy.

Remarks.—This buoy will be replaced by a larger buoy.

(*b*) *Position.*—On end of Muitafuni spit at a distance of one cable, S. 1° E., from the above-mentioned beacon.

Description.—Red cylindrical buoy.

Variation.—10° E.

Chart affected.—No. 3097, Plan of Neiafu harbour.

Publication.—Pacific Islands, vol. II, 1908, pages 65, 66.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Cambrian*, Hydrographic Note, No. 2 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—North Island—Port Nicholson.

Lambton harbour—Position of mooring buoy altered.

No. 377 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1286 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The white mooring buoy for men-of-war in Lambton harbour, Port Nicholson, has been moved, and is now situated as follows:—

Position.—At a distance of about 3 cables N. 67° E. from the head of Glasgow wharf.

Lat. 41° 16¾′ S., long. 74° 46½′ E.

Variation.—16° E.

Charts affected.—No. 803, Lambton harbour.
„ 1423, Port Nicholson.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 171.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Encounter*, Hydrographic Note, No. 2 of 1908.

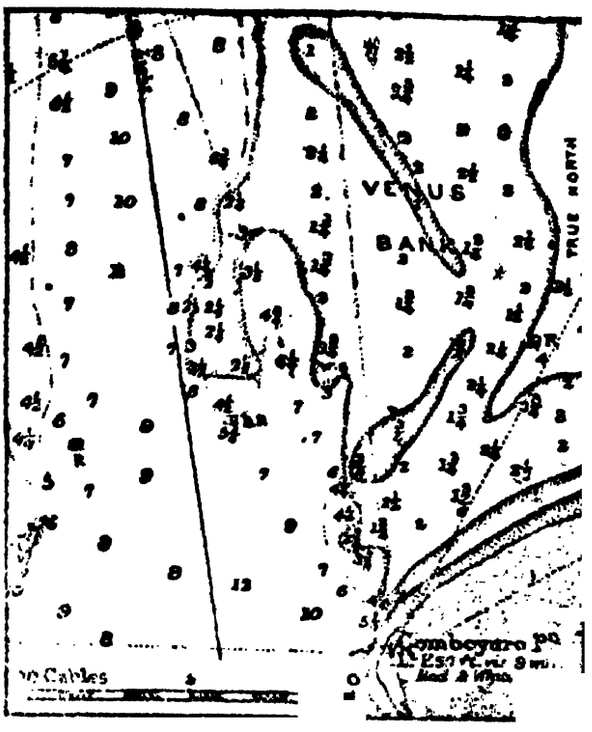
AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—Moreton Bay entrance.

Venus bank—Extended to westward; buoy moved.

No. 378 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1299 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—Venus bank, Moreton bay entrance, has extended more than 3 cables to the westward, and the black and red can buoy marking its southwest extreme has been moved, as shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 1670*a*.

Position.—Comboyuro point, lat. 27° 4′ S., long. 153° 22¾′ E.



Charts affected.—No. 1670*a*, Moreton bay,
„ 1068, Moreton bay to Sandy cape.
„ 1029, Danger point to cape Moreton.
„ 3623, Cape Byron to Lady Elliot island.

Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. II, 1907, page 128.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pyramus*, Hydrographic Note, No. 2 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—New Caledonia, Port Noumea approach.

Havannah passage—Visibility of leading lights; wreck disappeared.
Ka sand—Beacon erected.

No. 379 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1301 of 1903), are republished:—

Subject.—The visibility of the leading lights for Havannah passage is as given below, and the undermentioned wreck has disappeared. A beacon has been erected on Ka sand in the approach to Port Noumea.

1. Visibility of leading lights.

Position.—On Cape Ndua.

Lat. 22° 24′ S., long. 166° 56½′ E.

Remarks.—The upper light is reported to be only visible from a distance of about 8 miles, and the lower light from a distance of about 5 miles.

These lights are therefore practically useless for making Havannah passage, and the leading line on the chart has been amended accordingly.

2. Wreck disappeared.

Position.—On south-western end of Ioro reef.
Lat. 22° 23½′ S., long. 166° 58′ E.

3. Beacon erected.

Position.—On Ka sand.

Lat. 22° 25½′ S., long. 166° 33½′ E.

Description.—High, with topmark.

Charts affected.—No. 2069, Approaches to Port Noumea.
„ 2906, Isles of Pines to Uen island.
„ 2907, Uen island to St. Vincent bay.
„ 936*b*, New Caledonia.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, Nos. 900, 901.
Pacific Islands, vol. II, 1908, pages 240, 241, 242, 247.
Authority.—H.M.S. *Cambrian*, Hydrographic Notice, No. 3 of 1908.

AFRICA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Delagoa bay—Shoals.

No. 380 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1302 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A recent survey has revealed the existence of the undermentioned shoal patches in Delagoa bay.

Position.—Cockburn shoal lighthouse, lat. 25° 53½′ S., long. 32° 54′ E.

(*a*) *Position.*—On Domett shoal at a distance of 6¼ miles, N. 28° E. from Cockburn shoal lighthouse.
Depth.—2½ fathoms.
Description.—From the above position the shoal extends in a south-easterly direction for a distance of about 6 cables.

(*b*) *Position.*—Northward of Domett shoal, at a distance of 9¾ miles, N. 20° E., from Cockburn shoal lighthouse.
Depth.—2½ fathoms.
Description.—From the above position the shoal extends in a southerly direction for about 5 cables.

Variation.—20° W.

Charts affected.—No. 644, Delagoa bay.
„ 2089, Tugela river to Delagoa bay.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 193.

Authority.—Recent Portuguese survey.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Zallatoung island—Date of exhibition of light.

No. 381 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 424 of 1907, issued by this office, a telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, intimating that the Sandoway "Anchorage light" will be exhibited on 1st October 1908.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay (Goa) coast.

Goa, Mandovi river approach—Lights re-established. Alteration in leading marks.

No. 382 (first publication).—With reference to this office Notice to Mariners No. 289 dated 17th July 1908, the following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the Bombay Government (No. 86 of 1908) are republished :—

Particulars ... All the lights at the entrance of Mandovi River were re-established on the 1st September 1908.

On account of the natural change of the bar of the Mandovi River the direction now indicated by the two beacons "Alto da Conceição" and "Gaspar Dias" is to be altered and the beacons are to be replaced by two other beacons: one of them is to be placed on Malim Hill, in Bardez, and the other at the Campal, in Panjim.

These beacons will consist of an equilateral triangle on top of a mast which has at its foot the watchman's house. The triangles and house are painted white.

At night a white incandescent light will be hoisted on each of these two masts.

These beacons will be temporary and will be replaced in a short time when another notice will be issued.

The beacon "Tejo" has fallen into the sea and has been replaced by a wooden mast painted white with crossed boards nailed on to it which have been painted black and white alternately. The light placed on this beacon has been altered from red to green.

The course to be made by a ship entering the Mandovi River is to steer in the new direction towards "Campal" and "Malim" instead of making the former course towards "Gaspar Dias" and "Alto da Conceição."

Charts affected ... No. 492, Aguada to St. George's Islands, including Mormugoa and Goa Roadstead.
Publications ... List of Lights, Part VI, No. 257. West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 166.
Authority ... Port Officer, Mormugoa.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Karnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 383 (first publication):—

Particulars.—The depth of water found in the channels by soundings on the 12th September 1908, is as follows:—

Descriptions:—

	Ft.
Track No. I—Outer bar—	
Disc on diamond	12
Track No. II—Inner bar—	
Disc on diamond	11
Batten beacon on pillar	11½

Charts affected.—No. 84, Chittagong (Karnafuli) river.
,, 859, Mutlah river to Elephant point.
Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, 3rd edition, pages 243-245.
Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong.

The 11th September 1908.

JAPAN—YEZO ISLAND, WEST COAST.

Otaru harbour—Light established on breakwater.

No. 371 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1248 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned description has been established at the end of the breakwater, Otaru harbour.
Position.—End of breakwater.

Lat. 43° 12′ 18″ N., long. 141° 1′ 11″ E.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—31 feet
Visibility.—7 miles.
Description of Building.—Square iron tower, painted red.
Power.—Under $\frac{1}{10}$.
Remarks.—Visible from all directions.
Charts affected.—No. 993, Anchorages in Yezo island, plan of Otaru Ko.
,, 2981, Furubira Wan to Aikappu Misaki.
,, 452, Yezo island.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 235.
Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 711.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 650 of 1908.

The 26th August 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—TASMANIA, WEST COAST.

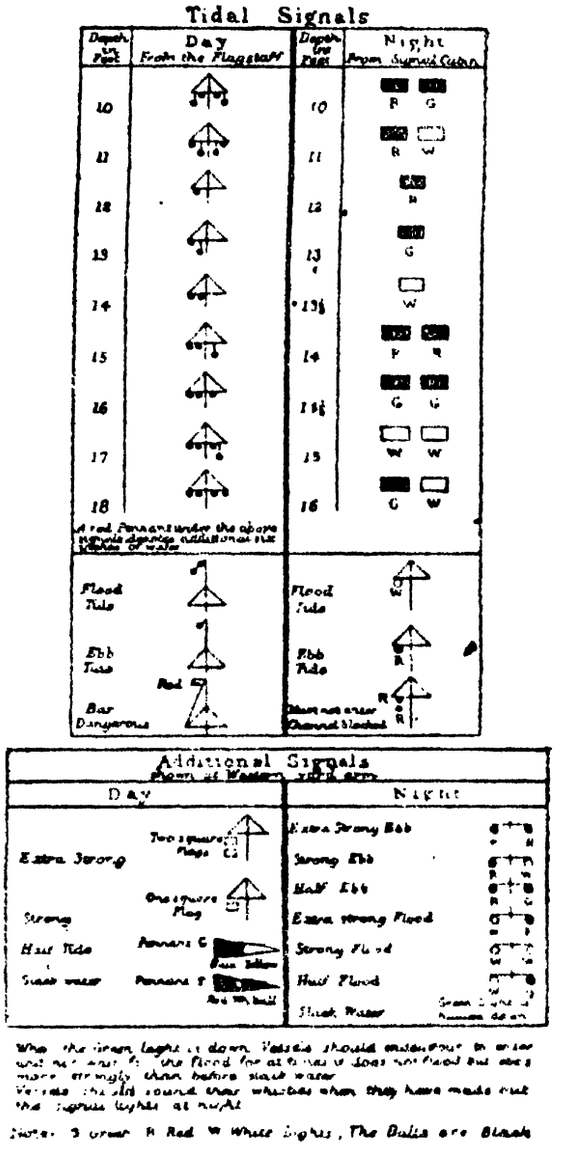
Macquarie harbour entrance—Tidal signals amended.

No. 354 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1184 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The tidal signals at the entrance to Macquarie harbour have been amended and are now as undermentioned.
Position.—The signals are shown from a flagstaff on west entrance point of harbour, at a distance of 185 yards, S. 62° W., from Entrance island light.

Lat. 42° 12′ S., long. 145° 13½′ E.

Amended Signals :-



Remarks.—A new edition of chart No. 3531, will shortly be issued.
Variation.—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3531, Entrance to Macquarie harbour.
„ 1629, Macquarie harbour.
Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, page 638.
Authority.—Marine Board, Strahan, May 1908.

The 7th September 1908.

JAPAN.

System of Typhoon signals established.

No. 362 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1212 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A system of Typhoon Warning Signals has been established in Japan as undermentioned.

Signals.—By day, the signals are made from a mast with yard by means of shapes, coloured red, used as symbols, having numbers corresponding to them as follows :—



2. 3. 4. 5. 6.

By night, the signals are made by means of coloured lights—*See* Table I.

These shapes have the following significance :—

shapes at one yardarm, { The two upper indicate the position of the storm centre, *see* Table I, given below.

2 shapes at the other yard-arm, placed vertically. — The upper one indicates the velocity with which the storm centre is moving; the lower one, the barometric pressure of the depression for the time being, according to the values given in Table II.

1 shape at the masthead ... Indicates the time for which the position of the storm centre is given.

TABLE I.

(Representing approximate position of centre.)

Day Signal (Symbol)	Position of Centre.	Night Signals (Lights, placed vertically).	Day Signal (Symbols)	Position of Centre.	Night Signals (Lights, placed, vertically).
No.					
11	West of the Philippines	*Red* light *Red* ,, *Red*	14	Hongkong and vicinity	*Red* light. *Green* ,, *Red* ,,
12	Luzon island ...	*Red* light. *Red* *Gre*	15	Formosa	*Red* light. *Green* *Green* ,,
13	Eastward of Luzon ...	*Red* light. *Red* *White*	16	Yayeyama group	*Red* light. *Green* ,, *White*
21	Southward of Liu kiu group.	*Red* light. *White* ,, *Red* ,,	43	Tokyo and vicinity ...	*White* light. *Red* *White*
22	Between Liu kiu group and the Bonin islands.	*Red* light. *White* *Green* ,,	44	Central Nipon and Noto peninsula.	*White* light. *Green* *Red*
23	Bonin islands and vicinity.	*Red* light *White* *White*	45	Northern Nipon, lat. 36 to 40° N., long. 139 to 144° E	*White* light. *Green* ,, *Green*
24	Liu kiu, Amami o sima, and vicinity.	*Green* light. *Red* ,, *Red*	46	Eastward of Nipon (districts Nos 4 and 45).	*White* light. *Green* *White*
25	Off south coast of Japan	*Green* light. *Red* ,, *Green* ,,	51	Shantung peninsula, Yellow sea, and Kwang tung peninsula.	*White* light. *White* ,, *Red* ,,
26	South of Hachijo Fatsizio sima).	*Green* light. *Red* *White*		...	*White* light. *White* ,, *Green* ,,
31	South of the Yangtse kiang valley.	*Green* light. *Green* ,, *Red* ,,	53	Southern part of the Sea of Japan.	*White* light. *White* ,, *White*
32	China sea, westward of Liu kiu islands	*Green* light. *Green* *Green*	54	Northern China, Lat 40° to 45° N., long. 114° to 120° E.	*Red* light. *Red* ,,
33	North of Yangtse kiang valley.	*Green* light. *Green* ,, *White* ,,	55	Western Manchuria ...	*Red* light. *Green* ,,
34	Shanghai and vicinity	*Green* light. *White* ,, *Red* ,,	56	Northern Korea and Eastern Manchuria.	*Red* light. *White*
35	Southward of the Korea	*Green* light. *White* ,, *Green* ,,	61	Vladivostok and vicinity	*Green* light. *Red* ,,
36	Gulf of Pe Chili, &c., lat 35° to 40° N., long. 114° to 120° E.	*Green* light *White* ,, *White* ,,	62	Central and northern part of Sea of Japan.	*Green* light *Green* ,,
41	Kiu siu ...	*White* light. *Red* ,, *Red* ,,	63	Tsugaru strait, and western part of Yezo.	*Green* light. *White*
42	Shikoku, Inland sea, Kii peninsula.	*White* light. *Red* ,, *Green* ,,	64	Eastern Yezo, and southward of Kuril islands.	*White* light. *Red* ,,
			65	Gulf of Tartary ...	*White* light. *Green* ,,
			66	Southern part of Sakhalin and vicinity.	*White* light. *White* ,,

TABLE II.

(Representing probable direction and velocity of progress of centre.)

Signal (Symbol).	Direction of movement.	Rate of Progression.	Barometer Pressure.
No.			
1	N. E.	Stationary or very slow	Below 28·74 inches.
2	E.	About 5 miles per hour	28·74 to 28·94 inches.
3	S. E.	„ 10 „ „	28·98 to 29·13 „
4	W.	„ 15 „ „	29·17 to 29·33 „
5	N. W.	„ 25 „ „	29·37 to 29·53 „
6	N.	Re-curving	Above 29·57 inches

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 16; and Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Berlin Annalen, Heft VII, 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Pekalongan river entrance—Lights established.

No. 363 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1213 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—Lights of the undermentioned character have been established at the entrance to Pekalongan river, north coast of Java.

Position.—Pekalongan river entrance, lat. 6° 51½′ S., long. 109° 41½′ E.

(*a*) *Position.*—On head of East molo.

Character.—*Red fixed*, visible all round.

(*b*) *Position.*—On head of West mole.

Character.—*Green fixed.*

Visibility.—From the bearing S. 22° E., through south, to West.

Variation.—1° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1653, Island of Java.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 99.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, 1904, page 105.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1327 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.—SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Pulo Nias—Reef eastward of.

Tanjong Tuan—Reefs in approach.

No. 364 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1214 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A recent survey has revealed the existence of a reef eastward of Pulo Nias, and of several reefs in the approach to Tanjong Tuan.

1. Reef eastward of Pulo Nias.

Position.—Lat. 0° 50¼′ N., long. 98° 15¼′ E.

Description.—Three cables in extent in a north and south direction and one cable wide.

Depth.—5½ fathoms.

2. Reefs in approach to Tanjong Tuan.

(*a*) Labuang Lulu reef.

Position.—Situated about one mile eastward of position shown on chart.

Lat. 0° 10¼′ N., long. 99° 9¾′ E.

(*b*) *Position.*—Lat. 0° 15¾′ N., long. 99° 3½′ E.
Depth.—4½ fathoms
Remarks.—This reef is the southernmost of the Bayam reefs.
Two reefs, with depths of 7 and 6½ fathoms over them respectively, lie about one mile S. 70° E., and $2\frac{1}{10}$ miles N. 76° W. respectively from the above position.

(*c*) *Position.*—Lat. 0° 17′ N., long. 99° 0¼′ E.
Depth.—3 fathoms.
Variation.—Nil.
Charts affected.—No. 2760, Sumatra, west coast.
,, 748*b*, Indian ocean, northern portion.
Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, pages 317, 370, 323, 322.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1326 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Strait of Malacca—Klang strait.

Glamorgan shoal, depth—Caution with regard to chart.

No. 365 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1217 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A survey, now in progress, has ascertained the depth on Glamorgan shoal to be as undermentioned; also, that the present chart is incorrect in many particulars.

1. Glamorgan shoal.

Position.—Situated at a distance of $2\frac{6}{10}$ miles, N. 7 W., from Pulo Angsa lighthouse.
Lat. 3° 13¾′ N., long. 101° 12¾′ E.
Depth.—14 feet.

2. Caution with regard to chart.

Caution.—Until a complete survey has been made of Klang strait and approaches, Admiralty chart No. 3453 should be used with caution. A note to the above effect should be placed on this chart.

Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3453, Klang strait and approaches.
,, 794, Pulo Berhala to cape Rachado.
,, 1355, Malacca strait.
Publications.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, page 191.
Notice to Mariners No. 232 of 1907. (*This office No. 131 of 23rd March 1907.*)
Authority.—H. M. Surveying Vessel *Waterwitch*, Hydrographic Note. No. 3 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Nam Kwan harbour approach.

Incog islands—Light established.

No. 366 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1222 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established on the western island of the Incog group, Nam Kwan harbour approach.
Position.—On western extremity of western island.
Lat. 26° 59½′ N., long. 120° 27¾′ E.
Character.—*White group flashing*, showing *two* flashes *every twenty seconds.*
Elevation.—149 feet.
Visibility.—18 miles. Obscured on various bearings by the adjacent islands, especially by the eastern islands of the Incog group between the bearings of S. 71° W., through west, and N. 46° W.
Structure.—Steel tower, painted white, 61 feet in height.
Order.—4th (dioptric).
Variation.—2° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1754, Tung Yung to Wen Chau bay.
,, 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
,, 1262, Hong Kong to Gulf of Liau Tung.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 167.
China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 294.
Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 315, dated 19th June 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Cobrador island light—Details of Batag island light—Character altered.

No 367 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1224 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The details of the *white occulting* light recently established on Cobrador island are as undermentioned, and the white occulting light on Batag island, Samar island, has been replaced by a light of the undermentioned character.

1. Cobrador island light.

Position.—On western extremity of island.

Lat. 12° 40′ N., long. 122° 15′ E.

Character.—*White occulting every sixteen seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse.
12 secs.	4 secs.

Elevation.—172 feet

Visibility.—15 miles, from the bearing N. 4° W., through north, east, and south, to S. 45° W.

Structure.—Concrete house, 16 feet in height.

Order.—6th.

2. Batag island light.

Position.—Lat. 12° 40′ N, long. 125° 4′ E, on chart No 2395.

Character.—Altered from white occulting to *white group flashing* showing *three* flashes *every ten seconds*, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse,	flash,	eclipse,	flash,	eclipse,
2 secs.		2 secs.		6 secs.	

Elevation.—318 feet.

Visibility.—25 miles.

Structure.—Cylindrical concrete tower, 101 feet in height, the dome of the lantern is painted white and its lower part red. Concrete dwellings are situated close southward of the lighthouse.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2395, Plan of Port Palapag, &c.
„ 2577, Philippine islands.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 133, and No. 642.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, pages 247 and 355

Authority.—United States Hydrographic Office Notices, Nos. 1232 and 1230 of 1908.

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Beira harbour—Buoys withdrawn.

No. 368 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1229 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The following black buoys marking the old entrance to Rambler channel have been withdrawn.

Position.—Chiveve Pt. Port Office F. S., lat. 19° 49½′ S., long. 34° 49¾′ E

(*a*) Black spherical buoy C., situated 8½ miles, S. 21° E., from Chiveve Pt. Port Office F. S.

(*b*) Black spar buoy B., situated just over 1 1/16 miles, N. 83° E from buoy C.

Variation.—15° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1003, Beira harbour.

Publications.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 225.

Notice to Mariners No 456 of 1908. (*This office No. 162 of 16th April 1908.*)

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1702 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA—SURABAYA STRAIT.

Ujung Panka—Buoy replaced by light-buoy.

No. 369 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1282 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The red conical buoy with staff and ball, marking the northern edge of the bank off Ujung Panka, north coast of Java, at the northern entrance to Surabaya strait, has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted white, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—.

Light,	eclipse,
10 secs.	10 secs.

Position.—Lat. 6° 51′ 20″ S., long. 112° 33′ 50″ E.
Charts affected.—No. 934, Surabaya, Bali, and Sapudi straits, &c.
„ 941*b*, Eastern Archipelago, western portion.
„ 1654, Island of Java.
Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 119; and Supplement, 1906.
Notice to Mariners No. 276 of 1908. (*This office No. 115 of 24th March 1908.*)
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1383 of 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—ORISSA COAST.

Puri port—Boundary pillars newly painted.

No. 370 (second publication).

Particulars.—Puri port boundary pillars painted black and white horizontally.
Position.—Lat. 19° 48′ N., long. 85° 49′ E.
Chart affected.—No. 1425, Gopalpur to False Point.
Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, pages 192, 193.
Authority.—Port Officer of Cuttack and Balasore Ports, Chandbali.

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LIBERALITY OF MUNSHI KALIMUDDIN.

No. 1564L.S.-G., dated Calcutta, the 17th September 1908.

From—C. E. A. W. OLDHAM, Esq., Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, Municipal Department,

To—The Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Division.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your memorandum No. 138-P.W.D., dated the 10th September 1908, and enclosure, in which you report that Munshi Kalimuddin, Zamindar and Honorary Magistrate of Kishanganj, has paid Rs. 4,250 towards the construction of a bridge on the Ramjan river at Kishanganj, and a further sum of Rs. 4,000 towards the construction of a bridge on the Pitanu river at Goagaon, in the Kishanganj subdivision.

2. In reply, I am to request that you will be so good as to convey to the donor an expression of the Lieutenant-Governor's appreciation of his liberality and public spirit.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE EXCISE DEPARTMENT IN BENGAL DURING THE YEAR 1907-08.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 821S.R.—The 22nd September 1908.—The following extracts from the Report of the Commissioner of Excise on the administration of the Excise Department in Bengal during the year 1907-08, and from the letter from the Board of Revenue reviewing the Report, are published for general information.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 4860B., dated Calcutta, the 4th September 1908.

From—PANDIT RAMA BALLABH MISRA, M.A., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed by the Board of Revenue to submit the Report of the Commissioner of Excise, Bengal, on the administration of the Excise Department during the year 1907-08.

Member in charge:
THE HON'BLE MR. E. W. COLLIN, I.C.S.

2. *Administrative changes.*—The administrative changes of the year included the further extension of the Contract Distillery system to an area of 45,451 square miles as against 21,655 square miles in the preceding year. The working of the system is considered in a later paragraph. The whole machinery of the Local Excise administration came under examination during the year in consequence of a series of Resolutions in which the Government of India reviewed the various reforms recommended by the Indian Excise Committee. As the result of the discussions the following measures were adopted during or since the close of the year :—

(1) Triennial instead of annual settlement of *pachwai* shops paying an annual license fee of over Rs. 200.
(2) Extension of distillery areas in Bihar.
(3) Fixing of maximum prices and issue strengths in the central distillery areas in certain districts of the Patna Division, the Sonthal Parganas, Bhagalpur and Ranchi.
(4) Revision of rates of duty in twelve districts, including Calcutta.
(5) Levy of different rates of duty in urban and rural areas in the districts of the Patna Division (except Shahabad).
(6) Constitution of a distillery area in the district of Ranchi.
(7) Restriction of the limits of retail sale of country liquor.
(8) Abolition of passes for the transport of imported liquor.
(9) Revision of the rates of fees of imported liquor in Railway Refreshment Rooms.

Further steps were taken for the amendment of the Excise Law for the Province which had been held in abeyance until receipt of the orders of the Government of India on the Indian Excise Committee's Report and a revised Bill was prepared. It has since undergone further modification in the light of the criticisms of the Government of India, and their final sanction is awaited.

Among other reforms may be mentioned the imposition of restrictions on morphia and novocain, and the enhancement of the rate of duty on locally manufactured beer from one anna to two annas per imperial gallon.

3. *Revenue.*—The total receipts of the year amount to 170¾ lakhs, which represent an increase of 10 lakhs or 6 per cent. on the figures of the previous year. Country spirit, *ganja* and opium account for 94 lakhs, 20½ lakhs and 26¼ lakhs or 55 per cent., 15 per cent. and 15 per cent., respectively, of the total revenue of the year. The receipts from

country spirit and opium show an increase of 7 lakhs and $2\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs, or 8 per cent. and 11 per cent., respectively, while the receipts from *ganja* show a falling off to the extent of 1·4 per cent. During the year under report, the incidence of taxation per gallon of L.-P. spirit under the Sadar Distillery system was Rs. 5·5, and under the Contract Distillery system Rs. 4·3, and the average fee for each outstill was Rs. 2,393. The corresponding figures for the preceding year were Rs. 5·5, Rs. 3·7 and Rs. 1,940, respectively, taking the same geographical areas, irrespective of the change of system. Owing to the increase of duty, the difference between the incidence of taxation in areas under the two systems is being removed, but the figures, as noted in the report for the preceding year, indicate that the taxation in the Contract area is capable of further increase.

4. *Country spirit.*—Calcutta was again responsible for more than 25 per cent. of the total revenue from country spirit, the Russa distillery continuing to be the source of supply. There was an increase of 25,897 L.-P. gallons in the consumption of the Russa spirit, accompanied by an increase of 1,942 gallons in the consumption of country rum, the total increase being 8·2 per cent. on the aggregate consumption of country spirit and country rum taken together. This result is attributed chiefly to the fact that the vendors laid in large stocks in March 1908 in anticipation of the increase in duty. It does not appear that the increased consumption has been attended with any increase of drunkenness, the number of convictions for which decreased from 7,042 in 1906-07 to 6,807 in 1907-08. The Excise Commissioner has, referred to the appointment of a Committee to examine certain questions connected with the liquor trade in Calcutta. Since the close of the year under report the following measures have been taken to check consumption, viz.—(1) the increase of duty from Rs. 5 to Rs. 5-10 per gallon L.-P., (2) the reduction in the number of shops, and (3) the reduction of the limit of retail sale and possession from 12 to 6 bottles. The situation will be carefully watched.

It is interesting to learn from the report that the large decrease in the amount of license fees obtained at the last settlement of country spirit shops in the district of Angul and Khondmals is due to a movement on the part of the Khonds to give up drinking.

5. *The reduction of the outstill area.*—In consequence of the further development of the Contract Distillery system and the extension of the central distillery areas in some parts of Bihar and in the district of Ranchi, the outstill area of the Province has been reduced since 1st April 1905 from 71,140 to 60,101 square miles or by 11,039 square miles. It is proposed to extend the Contract system next year to the Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Purnea districts. The main difficulty of further reducing the outstill area arises from the fact that the people of Bihar and Chota Nagpur drink a very weak liquor, which cannot be conveyed for long distances. There is a danger that, by introducing the Distillery or Contract system, the people may be induced to drink a stronger liquor than at present.

6. *Contract Supply system.*—The Excise Commissioner has reported fully on the working of the system, the main features of which are the concentration of the preparation of liquor in the hands of a few contractors, the supply of liquor at fixed strengths and prices, and the separation of manufacture and retail vend. The advantages of the system, as stated by the Indian Excise Committee, are that it ensures the supply of liquor at a low and constant price for a specified period, with the result that accurate and profitable taxation is facilitated. The distiller is put in a position to meet the requirements of Government on a definite basis, while the retail vendor can calculate accurately the fee which he can afford for his license. The system has been gradually introduced since 1905-06, and it is too early to properly estimate its effect. It would appear that the difficulties of the retail vendors have not been removed, as the percentage of the revenue paid by them in the shape of license fees in districts to which the Contract system was extended in 1905-06 varies from 57 per cent. in Puri to 30 per cent. in Midnapore, while the variations are equally noticeable in the districts brought under the system in 1906-07. The figures given in the report show large increases

in the settlements of license fees in the Contract areas for the current year, which do not appear to be justified by the consumption so far as it has been ascertained. It is understood that the varying incidence of the license fees accounts for the differences in the revenue derived by Government from the increased consumption of country liquor. For instance, in Midnapore the profit to Government from this increase was at the rate of about Rs. 2 per gallon, whereas in Howrah and Hooghly it was over Rs. 9 per gallon. Now that the price of the liquor is fixed, and the consumption can be estimated with some accuracy, and can also be regulated by raising or lowering the duty, the position of vendors is capable of improvement, and more responsible licensees can be introduced, as suggested by the Indian Excise Committee. This matter should be borne in mind at the next settlement.

In addition to the advantages referred to above, as anticipated from the introduction of the Contract system, the Excise Commissioner points to other results which affect the consumer. Good liquor has been provided at reasonable prices, and the temptation to drink cheap foreign liquors, or to distill liquor privately, has been removed. It appears that in most of the districts in the Contract area the consumption of country liquor has considerably increased. The Excise Commissioner shows that, on the whole, there has been a decrease, but his figures include those of the Manbhum district, which are obviously inaccurate. Excluding this district and the portion of Bankura, in which the outstill system was in force, there was an increase of consumption of 33 per cent.. The largest increases were in Nadia (107 per cent)., the Sonthal Parganas (99 per cent)., Sambalpur (80 per cent.), Burdwan (73 per cent)., Murshidabad (63 per cent.) and Birbhum (53 per cent).

The increase is ascribed partly to the substitution of country liquor for imported spirits and to the decrease of illicit distillation. The report of the Excise Commissioner, however, shows that the sale of imported liquors has increased, and, so far as figures showing the detection of illicit distillation are any evidence, there has been an increase of such practices. In both cases, however, the information of the Excise Department is not very reliable, and the Board are disposed to agree with the Commissioner that the introduction of good and cheap country spirit must have had an effect in displacing the use of imported or illicitly distilled liquors. It is possible that the figures of consumption for the previous year, when the above-mentioned districts were served by local distilleries, were incorrectly recorded, but it is observed that the yearly increase of revenue from distillery liquor is more noticeable in districts under the Contract system than in others. The reports also of the Collectors point to an increase not only in consumption, but in the number of consumers, and they ascribe it partly to the popularity of the new liquor due to its improved quality and cheapness, and to the closer supervision over the vendors. This result appears to have been anticipated by the Indian Excise Committee, who were of opinion that, with improved administration, it would be necessary to raise the duty on liquor, especially in the Eastern districts of the Province. This subject has received the constant attention of the Board. The rate of duty was raised in ten districts from the beginning of the year, and was raised in two subdivisions of the Burdwan district from the 1st November 1907. The working of the system was reviewed during the year in consultation with the District Officers, and the license fees for the current year were raised. It was decided to await the complete results of the year's working, and to see the effect of the increase of license fees, before raising the rates in any district, and this matter is now under consideration. Meanwhile steps are being taken to increase the price of country liquor in Burdwan, Birbhum and the Sonthal Parganas. The question of the rate is one of some difficulty, as there is a danger of driving the people to illicit distillation, and the Preventive Staff of the Excise Department is insufficient to deal with such practices. A proper system of taxation is not possible without effective control, and it is hoped that this deficiency will be supplied when the proposals for completing the Excise Staff are complete.

12. *Ganja.*—The decrease of more than a quarter of a lakh of rupees in the license fees realised from *ganja* during the year under report is attributed to the absence of competition at the annual sales caused by the high price of the drug at Naugáon. The wholesale price of *ganja* has in recent years varied from Rs. 20 to Rs. 400 per maund, introducing thereby an element of speculation into the trade. The undesirability of such violent fluctuations in the price of an exciseable article was during the year brought to the notice of the Board of Revenue, Eastern Bengal and Assam, and the matter is under consideration. The Excise Commissioner reports that the discontinuance of the importation of Rajshahi *ganja* into Sambalpur and the issue of Khandwa *ganja* alone in that district have led to the smuggling of Garhjat *ganja* on an extensive scale. The information on the subject, however, is not complete. It was believed that the introduction of the Cooch Behar system of supplying *ganja* into the Garhjat States had entirely suppressed the cultivation of *ganja* in those States, and from a report of the Superintendent of Tributary Mahals in Orissa it appears that there has not been any appreciable revival of illicit cultivation in those Mahals. In his opinion, the *ganja* smuggled is produced in the district of Ganjam in the Madras Presidency. The subject of the illicit cultivation of *ganja* in Ganjam and its smuggling into the bordering districts of Orissa has been brought to the notice of the Madras Government, and the Board of Revenue, Madras, have promised to cause a thorough investigation to be made in the matter.

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14. *Opium.*—There was a large increase in the sale of opium during the year under report. The great increase of 193 maunds 31 seers in Calcutta is attributed by the Superintendent of Excise Revenue, Calcutta, to the activity of smuggling operations in Rangoon and in Burma generally. Several important cases of opium smuggling were detected during the year. The suggestions recently made by the Government of Burma as to the measures which should be adopted to check smuggling of opium into that Province are under consideration. It may be mentioned in this connection that during the year under report arrangements were made with the East Indian Railway, the Eastern Bengal State Railway and the Bengal-Nagpur Railway authorities to allow Excise officers to examine the parcel registers at their Railway stations, when necessary, with a view to ascertain the names of the consignors and consignees of suspected parcels. The consent of the Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal, was also obtained to officers of the Excise Department, of rank not below that of a Sub-Inspector, being allowed permission to interrogate any prisoner in the jail in connection with Opium and Excise cases. Since the close of the year, rules have been framed with a view to keeping the Opium Agents better informed by the Excise Department of cases of smuggling of opium from districts within their respective Agencies, in order that they may trace the identity of the prisoner and the source from which the illicit supplies were obtained.

The consumption of opium in the districts of Cuttack, Angul, Puri and Sambalpur shows an increase in spite of an increase of the treasury prices, while that in Balasore shows a decrease of 24 maunds. The increase in Cuttack and Sambalpur is attributed partly to increased supplies taken by the Feudatory States, while the decrease in Balasore is said to be due to smaller supplies being taken for the same States. The subject requires further consideration. Opium has always been popular among the people of Orissa both as a household remedy and as a prophylactic against malaria. The consumption probably depends to a large extent on the ability of the people to purchase the drug, which was lessened last year in Balasore by the prevailing scarcity. The Board have approved the Excise Commissioner's suggestion that steps should be taken to put down the hawking of opium in *hâts* which was allowed to continue in certain parts of the Orissa Division till recently.

The increase in the consumption of opium in Midnapore is attributed to the smuggling of duty-paid opium into Balasore and Mourbhanj. The retail selling price, however, in both the districts is the same, viz., Rs. 45 a

seer, and smuggling cannot be profitable unless the vendors themselves carry it on. It seems necessary that a close watch should be kept on the supplies of opium taken by the vendors in Midnapore and on their disposal of them.

The Excise Commissioner again brings to notice, though without comment, the increase in the habit of opium smoking in Calcutta and in Orissa. He quotes the opinion of the Superintendent of Excise Revenue, Calcutta, that the opium dens continue to flourish and multiply, and that, in consequence of the difficulties in the way of Excise officers getting access to such places, opium smoking is more freely indulged in than when these premises were under Government control. The licensing of shops for the manufacture and sale of *madak* and *chandu* was abandoned in this Province from the 1st April 1896 as the result of the recommendation of the Royal Commission on Opium. Since then, the aggregate quantity of opium preparations or admixtures that may be possessed by a party of smokers has been limited to five tolas with the object of enabling the Excise and Police officers to deal with evasions of the Opium Rules by members of opium-smoking clubs. In 1903, the Board after consulting the Commissioner of Excise reported to Government that the rules restricting the possession of preparations or admixtures of opium by individuals to one tola and by a party of smokers to five tolas were working successfully, and that the suppression of the smoking of *madak* and *chandu* was a matter of preventive action and could only be effected gradually. A reversion to the old system of licensing premises for opium smoking will not be possible, except upon the clearest evidence of the failure of the policy adopted upon the recommendation of the Opium Commission. A separate report on the subject will be called for by the Board from the Excise Commissioner.

It appears that the use of pills containing *morphia* manufactured in Calcutta has been acquiring a certain vogue in some parts of the Province. The working of the rules recently issued restricting the possession and sale of *morphia* and its preparations will be watched.

15. *Cocaine.*—It is satisfactory to find evidence of the success of the measures taken to suppress the illicit traffic in cocaine. The drug is now chiefly smuggled into Calcutta by lascars on board the vessels trading between Europe and India. The detection of such cases requires special watchfulness on the part of the Customs Preventive Officers. The Collector of Customs, Calcutta, will be asked to hold out to these officers promises of liberal rewards for the detection of such offences.

16. *Offences.*—There was an increase in the number of persons convicted during the year, especially under the head of illicit distillation of country liquors (467 persons against 293). There was a corresponding decrease of offences under the *pachwai* regulations, owing, it is said, to a growing taste for the improved country spirit. The returns are swollen by a considerable increase under the head of other offences (104 against 8) due to conviction in the 24-Parganas of persons smuggling Russa liquor into the Contract area. The increased number of convictions for illicit distillation is not held to be an indication of the prevalence of such practices. It was due to the special activity of the Excise staff in particular areas. The working of the year emphasizes the necessity of reorganizing the preventive establishments, especially in the Contract areas, in order to obtain the full effect of the system. This subject is under consideration.

The Excise Commissioner renews the complaint of the want of interest evinced by the Police Department in Excise work. This subject was noticed in last year's review and is still under discussion. The inadequate sentences passed by Magistrates in cases, which end in conviction, show that the importance of the suppression of illicit practices is not fully realized. The Excise Department should press for exemplary punishment in cases of opium smuggling and illicit distillation of country liquor, and the attention of District Officers should be called to any failure of the Court to pass adequate sentences.

No. 45E., dated Calcutta, the 5th August 1908.

From—B. FOLEY, Esq., M.A., I.C.S., Offg. Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal,
To—The Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report on the administration of the Excise Department in the Province of Bengal for the year 1907-08. Mr. E. Geake was in charge of the department from the 1st April 1907 to the 27th February 1908, on which date I took over charge.

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Total Revenue and charges.

6. The Excise revenue and charges of the Province for the last five years are shown below :—

Period.	Revenue.	Charges.	Net Revenue.	Percentage of charges.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1903-04	1,37,18,461	7,07,103	1,30,11,358	5·15
1904-05	1,41,98,334	6,80,021	1,35,18,313	4·78
1905-06	1,53,18,436	6,90,480	1,46,27,956	4·50
1906-07	1,60,79,779	7,35,356	1,53,44,423	4·57
1907-08	1,70,78,073	7,76,514	1,63,01,559	4·54
Difference of the past two years	+9,98,294	+41,158	+9,57,136	— ·03

The net revenue shows an increase of Rs. 9,57,136 or 6·2 per cent. over the figures of the previous year, and is the highest on record.

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Revenue under different heads.

11. There was an increase under every head except ganja, imported liquors and beer. The largest increase was manifest, as in the previous year, under the head of country spirits, being Rs. 7,09,706. Opium comes next with an increase of Rs. 2,67,525, followed by tari, rum and pachwai, which yielded an increase of Rs. 47,131, Rs. 26,804 and Rs. 9,068, respectively. The largest decrease (Rs. 36,395) is to be found under the head ganja. The fluctuations in the revenue from the different exciseable articles are discussed in detail under each head.

12. * * * Taking the population of Bengal according to the last census at 51 millions, the incidence of the excise revenue of the year is 5 annas 4 pies per head, against 5 annas in the previous year; but if an allowance of 7 per thousand per annum, which represents the average annual growth of population, is made, the incidence of the excise revenue is 5 annas 1 pie per head.

Result of settlements up to 31st May 1908.

13. * * * There was a total increase of Rs. 4,48,372 shared by all the Divisions, except Patna, which showed a decrease of Rs. 1,59,334, the net increase being Rs. 2,89,038.

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SECTION II.—COUNTRY SPIRIT.

Systems.

14. There are three systems for the manufacture and sale of country spirits, viz., the central distillery, the outstill and the contract supply system. The revenue contributed by each is shown in the margin.*

* Receipts in 1907-08—

	Rs.
Central distillery system	36,25,490
Outstill system ...	39,69,483
Contract supply system	19,06,152

Distillery revenue and consumption.

15. The total distillery revenue was Rs. 35,25,490 against Rs. 33,39,646† in the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 1,85,844. There was an increase of Rs. 78,136 in license fees and of Rs. 1,53,462 in duty, while there was a decrease of Rs. 45,754 in distillery fees. The consumption of distillery liquor was 646,579

† Excluding Rs. 9,37,104, being the distillery revenue of the districts and subdivisions where the contract supply system was introduced during the year.

gallons L.-P. against 612,071* in the previous year, showing an increase of 34,508. The increase was most marked in Calcutta (25,897 gallons L.-P.) which is due chiefly to the fact that vendors had laid in large stocks in March 1908 in anticipation of the increase in duty; it is also attributed to the progressive increase of population, increased facilities of railway communication and the transport of distillery liquor to the Barrackpore and Baraset subdivisions, where consumers prefer it to contract spirit. The decrease of 6,619 gallons L.-P. in Patna is attributed to the high price of food-grains. The distilleries in the Patna Division and in Monghyr and Bhagalpur were leased to single distillers in order to cheapen the cost of production and to improve the present methods of manufacture and supply. There was a decrease of Rs. 45,754 in distillery fees due to the fact that distillery fees are not imposed on single distillers.

* Excluding 142,048, gallons L.-P., being the consumption of distillery liquor in the districts and subdivisions where the contract supply system was introduced during the year.

Outstill revenue.

16. The outstill revenue was Rs. 39,69,433 against Rs. 36,74,073 † showing an increase of Rs. 2,95,360. The increase was large in Gaya (Rs. 79,560), Ranchi (Rs. 59,600), Patna (Rs. 48,094), Palamau (Rs. 46,759), Hazaribagh Rs. 36,558), and Purnea (Rs. 30,805), and was due to keen competition at the annual sales.

† Excluding Rs. 3,19,550 being the outstill revenue of the districts of Bankura and Manbhum, into which the contract supply system was introduced during the year.

Districts and subdivisions in which contract supply system was in force.

17. In accordance with orders received from the Board of Revenue the working of the contract supply system is described in detail. This system was in force in 18 districts (including parts of districts) during the year 1907-08, viz., in Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Khulna, Darjeeling, Cuttack, Balasore, Puri, Manbhum, the Baraset, Basirhat, Barrackpore and Diamond Harbour subdivisions of the 24-Parganas district, the Deoghur, Jamtara, Rajmehal and Pakour subdivisions of the district of the Santhal Parganas, in Giridih (distillery area) in the district of Hazaribagh, and in the distillery area of Sambalpur. The system was first introduced into the districts of Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore and Puri in 1905-06, and into the districts of Darjeeling, Murshidabad, Jessore and Khulna in 1906-07. It was extended to the remaining districts and subdivisions in 1907-08. The main grounds for the extension were (1) that a more wholesome spirit would be supplied, (2) that the price of country spirit in many districts was excessive as compared with the price of imported spirit and the consumption of the latter spirit was thereby encouraged, (3) that the issue of contract spirit would check illicit distillation and smuggling among the poorer and the use of foreign liquor among the richer classes, and (4) that there would be a considerable saving in distillery establishment.

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Revision of rates of duty.

19. The contract areas, excluding Sambalpur and Darjeeling, were divided into three zones or belts according to the material condition and drinking habits of the people, the first comprising the metropolitan districts of the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Jessore, Khulna, Howrah and Hooghly (excluding Arambagh subdivision), where a duty of Rs. 5 per gallon L.-P. was fixed as in Calcutta; the second comprising the districts of Burdwan (excluding the Asansol subdivision), Midnapore (excluding the former outstill area), the Arambagh subdivision of Hooghly and Murshidabad, where the duty was fixed at Rs. 3-12 a gallon L.-P.; the third comprising the Asansol subdivision of Burdwan, the Deoghur, Jamtara, Pakour and Rajmehal subdivisons of the Santhal Parganas, the distillery area of the Hazaribagh district, Manbhum, Bankura, Birbhum, Balasore, Cuttack and Puri, where the duty was fixed at Rs. 2-8 per L.-P. gallon. In Asansol, however, the duty was raised to Rs. 3-2 per gallon L.-P. at the beginning of the year. In Darjeeling the existing rate of duty, Rs. 3 per gallon L.-P., for strengths over 70 U.-P. and 10 annas per gross gallon for 70 U.-P., was maintained. In Sambalpur the duty remained at Re. 1-4 per L.-P. gallon.

Preferential rate of duty.

20. A preferential rate of duty at 4 annas per gross gallon was fixed for 70° U.-P. in the districts of Manbhum and Bankura and in the old outstill tract of the district of Midnapore. The object was to prevent stronger being substituted for weaker liquor and to discourage illicit distillation among the aboriginal tribes. In Darjeeling also the duty on 70° U.-P. liquor, at which strength liquor is chiefly in demand in the district, was fixed at 10 annas per gallon.

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In accordance with the recommendations made by the Excise Committee in paragraphs 186 and 253 of their report, the issue strengths have been fixed at 20°, 50° and 70° U.-P. throughout the contract areas. Liquor at 70° U.-P. has only been issued in districts where the people are accustomed to weak liquor. In most of the other districts difficulty has been experienced in inducing the vendors even to take liquor of as low a strength as 50° U.-P.

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Limits of retail sale.

25. The limit of retail sale before the introduction of the contract system had been 12 bottles in Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura (distillery area), Hooghly (except within three miles of Chandernagore), Howrah, 24-Parganas (Baraset, Basirhat, Barrackpore and Diamond Harbour subdivisions), Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Khulna, Cuttack, Balasore and the Sonthal Parganas (Deoghûr, Jamtara, Rajmehal and Pakour subdivisions). In all these districts the limit was reduced to 3 bottles on the introduction of the system except in Cuttack and Balasore, where it was reduced to one. In the Bankura and Midnapore outstill areas the limit had been 6; this was retained for the strength of 70° U.-P. only, while for other strengths the limit was fixed at 3 bottles in Bankura and at one bottle in Midnapore. In Darjeeling the limit was reduced from 6 to 2, and in Manbhum from 6 to 3, except for 70° U.-P. liquor where 6 was retained. In Hooghly, within three miles of Chandernagore, and in Puri the limit remained at 1 bottle, in Giridih (distillery area) in Hazaribagh at 3 bottles and in Sambalpur at 1 seer. The limit was reduced partly in order to check the smuggling of outstill liquor into contract areas and of contract liquor into Calcutta, and partly to stop illicit sale and excessive private drinking.

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The total consumption of contract spirit during the year was 442,938 gallons L.-P., against an estimated 452,530 gallons L.-P. (240,335 gallons L.-P. distillery and contract spirit and 212,195 gallons L.-P., estimated outstill liquor in Bankura and Manbhum) in the previous year. The total revenue in contract areas was Rs. 19,06,152 against Rs. 16,77,650 (Rs. 13,58,100 on account of distillery and contract spirit and Rs. 3,19,550 on account of outstills) in the previous year.

The working of the contract system can fairly be judged from the remarks made above. It will be seen that certain advantages claimed for the system have no doubt been secured. Good liquor has been placed within the reach of every one at reasonable prices, and the temptation to substitute foreign for country spirit has in certain places been removed. There is no doubt also that in other districts the effect has been to decrease illicit practices. A great advantage of the system is also that it enables Government to watch and control the consumption. If the consumption in any part of the country shows an undue increase, the duty and the maximum price of the spirit can at once be raised and the consumption forced down. Thus the system provides a machinery for carrying out the avowed policy of Government to exact as large a revenue as possible from as small a consumption as possible. Increased preventive establishment is necessary for the proper working of the system, but it is hoped that this will be provided in the near future. The chief objection brought against the system is that, if introduced into areas where weak liquor is drunk, it may tend to encourage the taste for strong liquor among the people and to cause the disappearance of the weakest kinds of liquor. This forms the chief obstacle to its introduction in Behar. So far, however, such an effect has only been noticed in the distillery area of Giridih. The best remedy seems to multiply the number of warehouses for storage in out-of-the-way places. The Balarampur warehouse in Manbhum and the

Raipur warehouse in Bankura have been particularly successful. It would be advisable to increase the number of these as funds permit. On the other hand, it must be acknowledged that where the people are accustomed to a high strength of liquor the contract system provides a machinery for trying to disabuse them of this taste. It is true that efforts so far have not been very successful in most districts, but the process must be a gradual one, and the increase in the consumption of 50° U.-P. in more than one district, where the people were accustomed to much stronger liquor, is encouraging. Incidentally the revenue has largely increased, though this is not the main object of the system.

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Total number of licenses and revenue.

27. The number of licenses for the sale of country spirit (distillery, outstill and contract liquor) was 3,039 against 3,060 in the previous year, shewing a decrease of 21. There was a decrease especially in Sambalpur, where formerly the right to sell liquor within a limited area was leased out to a vendor, who set up a main outstill in a central position and supplied liquor to between one to four branch shops. Taking these outstills and branch shops together, a decrease of 47 was effected during the year. The total revenue was Rs. 94,01,075 against Rs. 86,91,369, shewing an increase of Rs. 7,09,706.

Sites.

28. In Darbhanga one and in Sambalpur two outstills were removed in deference to public opinion. In Midnapore, Murshidabad, Patna, Gaya, Saran, Muzaffarpur and Monghyr several distillery, tari and pachwai shops were removed to unobjectionable sites. In Ranchi 32 and in Hazaribagh 30 outstills have since the close of the year been removed from bazars and *hats*.

Indian Excise Committee.

29. The Resolutions of the Government of India on Chapters III to VI, X, XI and XII of the Report of Indian Excise Committee relating to the consumption of country spirit, the methods by which its production and taxation should be controlled, the disposal of licenses for retail vend, the number, location and licensing of liquor shops and the conditions under which liquor should be sold were received during the year. The following measures have been taken in consequence:—

(1) *Extension of distillery areas.*—The outstills in Manbhum and in the jungly parts of Bankura were abolished and the contract supply system was introduced. Since the close of the year, the distillery areas in Muzaffarpur, Bhagalpur and Monghyr have been extended to 439,495 and 179 square miles, respectively, and a portion of the Ranchi district has been made a distillery area.

(2) *Prohibition of the sale of liquor to children or to drunken persons by the holders of outstill licenses.*—There is already a condition forbidding the sale of liquor to children under 14 years of age. The sale of liquor to drunken persons was prohibited.

(3) *Reduction in the number of distillers.*—The distilleries in the Patna Division and Monghyr and Bhagalpur were leased to single distillers. Since the close of the year, the distilleries in the Dumka and Godda subdivisions of the Southal Parganas have also been settled with single distillers. The number of distillers in the Russa Distillery in the 24-Parganas was reduced from 19 to 8 and the wholesale price of liquor was fixed throughout the year, with a view to place the business in respectable hands and to improve the methods of manufacture. The 8 distillers have been forbidden to hold retail shops in Calcutta.

(4) *Enhancement of rates of duty.*—The rates of duty in contract areas were revised during the year. The rate of duty in Calcutta has been raised from Rs. 5 to Rs. 5-10 per gallon L.-P., and in the Dumka and Godda subdivisions of the district of the Southal Parganas from Rs. 2 to Rs. 2-8 a gallon L.-P. from the 1st April 1908. In Patna, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Saran and Champaran, the rate of duty in the urban areas has been raised from Rs. 2 to Rs. 2-8 per gallon L.-P., the existing rate of duty, viz., Rs. 2 per gallon L.-P., being retained in the rural areas. In Sambalpur the duty has been raised from Re. 1-4 to Re. 1-14 a gallon L.-P. from the 1st July 1908 to check increased consumption.

(5) *Annual Excise Settlements.*—Orders were issued that the annual settlement of country spirit shops should be conducted by the Collector in person.

(6) *Appointment of a local Committee in Calcutta.*—A special Committee was appointed at the end of 1907 to examine certain questions connected with the liquor trade in Calcutta. This Committee sat throughout the cold weather and submitted a report towards the close of the year. Their recommendations and the action taken by Government will be more properly dealt with in the Administration Report for the current year.

(7) A report on the action to be taken on the Resolution of the Government of India on Chapters XI and XII of the Indian Excise Committee's Report was submitted at the end of March 1908.

Convictions for drunkenness and action taken against licensees for permitting it.

30. In Burdwan, Hooghly and Sambalpur drunkenness is reported to have increased. In Burdwan the number of convictions was 247 against 170 in the previous year, and in Hooghly 473 against 357. Convictions for drunkenness form of course no criterion of the actual prevalence of drunkenness, for the institution of these cases is usually determined by several other considerations, but in Sambalpur, though convictions only rose from 6 to 17, it seems practically certain that there was an increase of drunkenness within the distillery areas due to the cheaper price of liquor. The price and the duty have been raised since the close of the year. No action was taken against licensed vendors for permitting drunkenness in their premises except in Midnapore, where a tari vendor was convicted for allowing drunkenness in his shop. In the Sonthal Parganas a country spirit vendor received a warning.

Drunkenness in Ranchi.

31. During the year complaints were received of drunkenness in Ranchi, and to check this it was decided that a distillery should be erected in Ranchi town, and the thanas of Ranchi, with its outposts Armanjhi and Angora, and Silli should be brought under the distillery system. Seven outstills in remote parts of the district have also been closed.

Extension of the Contract Supply System.

32. The Contract Supply System will be extended to the districts of Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Purnea from the 1st April 1909.

SECTION III.—COUNTRY RUM.

License fees.

34. The receipts from license fees amounted to Rs. 17,140 against Rs. 16,087 in the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 1,053. The increase was due to the fact that one of the four rum shops in Calcutta had been closed for a considerable portion of the previous year.

Source of supply.

35. Rum was supplied from the Rosa distillery in the United Provinces, from several distilleries in the Madras Presidency and from the distillery at Konnagar.

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The consumption of Shajehanpur and Konnagar rum increased by 2,368 and 2,811 gallons L.-P., respectively, while Madras rum declined by 3,876 gallons. The place of Madras rum has been largely taken by the contract spirit received from that province. The net increase in consumption was 1,092 gallons L.-P. This increase is small compared with the decrease of 12,623 gallons in 1906-07. Of the total quantity imported 7,483 gallons were issued duty-free on account of Government.

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Rum shops in Calcutta.

39. The suggestion of the Indian Excise Committee to close all the rum shops in Calcutta came under the consideration of the Calcutta Committee. There are at present 4 rum shops in Calcutta. The Committee supported the recommendation of their abolition as rum shops, but raised the question whether

they might be required for the sale of foreign liquor. Government has since the close of the year decided to close all these as rum shops, but to license two of them for the "on" sale of imported liquor.

SECTION IV.—IMPORTED LIQUOR.

Licenses.

40. The total number of licenses issued for the sale of imported liquor was 526 against 556 in the preceding year, shewing a decrease of 30. Most of the shops which were abolished were situated in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions.

Revenue.

41. The total receipts, which were derived from license fees alone, amounted to Rs. 2,68,288 against Rs. 3,00,058 in the previous year, a decrease of Rs. 31,770.

SECTION VI.—TARI.

Statistics.

49. The total number of licenses issued for the sale of fermented and fresh tari was 12,651 against 13,214 and the total receipts were Rs. 11,82 201 against Rs. 11,35,070 in the previous year. There was a decrease of 563 in the number of licenses and an increase of Rs. 47,131 in revenue.

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The receipts from fermented tari amounted to Rs. 11,79,461 against Rs. 11,32,158 in the previous year, shewing an increase of Rs. 47,303. The largest increase was in the 24-Parganas, Rs. 10,253, which is due to better settlements. The seven districts of the Patna Division with Monghyr and Bhagalpur contributed Rs. 7,44,376 or nearly 63 per cent of the total revenue. In these districts the evils noticed in previous reports still exist, but a distinct progress is manifest in the administration of the tari revenue with the reduction of shops. Previously the shops had practically no monopoly value, but though exactions on the *Pasis* are still made by the zamindars, the license fees are now every year advancing.

SECTION VII.—PACHWAI.

Statistics.

55. The total number of licenses issued for the retail sale and home-brewing of pachwai was 10,879 against 10,723 in the previous year, shewing an increase of 156. The receipts rose from Rs. 6,06,877 to Rs. 6,15,945 or by Rs. 9,068.

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The revenue increased from Rs. 5,83,448 to Rs. 5,93,732 or by Rs. 10,284.

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Licenses for home-brewing.

57. The number of licenses increased from 9,043 to 9,163, but the revenue decreased from Rs. 23,429 to Rs. 22,213. In the 24-Parganas the issue of pachwai home-brewing licenses and collection of pachwai fees in the Sunderbans portion of the 24-Parganas had been transferred in the previous year to the Salt Department. There was a decrease of Rs. 1,987, but Rs. 1,738 of this is due to the fact that the collections made by the Salt Department were credited to the wrong head. In Purnea there was an increase in consequence of more accurate information having been obtained about the number of Santhals in the district.

SECTION IX.—GANJA.

Retail licenses.

66. The number of licenses issued for the retail sale of ganja was 2,040 against 2,026 in the previous year, showing an increase of 14.

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68. As in previous years, ganja was consumed in every district in the Province. Excluding exports of duty-paid ganja beyond the province, the actual sales were largest in Calcutta (479 maunds). The consumption was also considerable in Shahabad (202 maunds), Monghyr (196 maunds), the 24-Parganas (188 maunds), Bhagalpur (181 maunds) and Purnea (181 maunds).

Consumption and export of duty-paid ganja.

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69. The total receipts amounted to Rs. 26,37,531 against Rs. 26,73,926 in the previous year, the decrease being Rs. 36,395. The decrease was most marked in Calcutta (Rs. 49,419), which was due to diminished exports to London and Mauritius.

Total revenue.

70. The incidence of license fees per seer was 8·7 and of duty 10·8, giving a total taxation of Rs. 19·5, the figures for the previous year being Rs. 8·8, Rs. 10·8 and Rs. 19·6 respectively. The incidence of license fees on consumption was high in Nadia (Rs. 20 a seer), and also in the districts of Khulna, Burdwan, Birbhum, Singhbhum, Bankura, Hooghly, and the Sonthal Parganas, where it varied from Rs. 11 to Rs. 15 a seer. The duty receipts form only 55 per cent. of the total ganja revenue.

Incidence of taxation.

SECTION XIII.—OPIUM.

88. The total number of licenses issued for the retail vend of opium was 1,339 against 1,313 in the previous year, shewing an increase of 26. Ten new shops in Shahabad, 6 in Patna, 5 in Jessore and 5 in Sambalpur were opened to meet local demand and to check illicit practices. Seven shops in Balasore were closed with the object of restricting consumption.

Licenses for retail sale.

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91. The revenue from license fees rose from Rs. 6,20,655 to Rs. 6,22,531 or by Rs. 1,876.

License fees.

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92. The quantity of opium sold was 2,430 maunds 31 seers, against 2,122 maunds 10 seers in the previous year, an increase of 308 maunds 21 seers.

Consumption and duty.

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Mr. Baboneau, the Superintendent of Excise Revenue, Calcutta, makes the following remarks about the Calcutta figures:—

"There has been an almost phenomenal increase in the consumption, to which the large increase in the revenue is due. The consumption of opium has shown a steadily increasing expansion for the past four years. The almost unprecedented increase (193 maunds 31 seers) of the past year, following, as it does, an increase of 22 maunds 7 seers of the preceding year, leaves no room for doubt that this result is mainly due to the activity of smuggling operations in Rangoon and Burma generally. These results may be said to bear eloquent testimony to the fundamental principle of excise administration recognised from earliest times that taxation and repression when carried beyond a certain point invariably lead to the graver evil of systematic law-breaking which illicit practices engender.

Mr. Baboneau calculates the profits on a smuggled seer of opium at Rs. 50 at the least, so that 10 to 15 maunds landed in the year would mean a profit of Rs. 20,000 to Rs. 30,000.

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The question of what measures can be adopted to check smuggling to Burma has been carefully investigated since the close of the year and is now under consideration.

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93. The total receipts amounted to Rs. 26,19,207 against Rs. 23,51,682, showing an increase of Rs. 2,67,525, Rs. 1,876 from license fees and Rs. 2,65,649 from duty.

Total receipts.

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SECTION XIV—COCAINE.

Licenses and revenue.

98. The total number of licenses issued was 245 against 227 in the previous year; the receipts from license fees amounted to Rs. 248 against Rs. 233.

Imports.

99. Permission to import cocaine through channels other than the Post Office was granted during the year to 9 medical firms in Calcutta, 1 in Patna, 2 in Kurseong, 1 Medical Mission in Hazaribagh and to Civil Sugeons of districts for the sake of the charitable dispensaries under their control. The question of slightly enlarging the list is under consideration.

Abuses.

100. In Calcutta the various restrictions that have been placed on the import, sale, transport and private possession of the drug have checked the illicit trade to a considerable extent, and the traders have, the Superintendent of Excise Revenue reports, been compelled to supply an adulterated article to their customers. The drug appears now chiefly to be smuggled into Calcutta by lascars on board the vessels trading between Europe and India, who have plenty of opportunity to elude the examination of the Customs officers. Mr. Baboneau considers, however, that such imports can hardly support the illicit trade to any appreciable extent. Outside Calcutta the cocaine habit is reported as present, though decreasing, in the towns of Patna, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr and Bhagalpur.

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Novocaine.

101. Under Government Notification No. 737S.R., dated the 17th December 1907, novocaine was declared to be an intoxicating drug, and its import, sale, etc., were placed under the same restrictions as cocaine.

SECTION XV.—OFFENCES AGAINST THE EXCISE AND OPIUM LAWS.

Arrests and convictions.

103. The number of persons arrested for offences against Excise and Opium Laws was 3,045 against 2,873 in the previous year, showing an increase of 172. * *

Work of Excise and other officers.

104. The number of persons arrested by Excise Officers increased from 2,255 to 2,365 or by 110, and those by other officers from 618 to 680 or by 62. Excise Officers obtained convictions in 90·2 per cent. of the cases sent up by them and other officers in 84·4. * *

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Fines and rewards.

107. During the year the fines imposed and realised amounted respectively to Rs. 61,750 and Rs. 43,163 against Rs. 51,226 and Rs. 42,885 in the previous year, the percentage of realisation being 69·9 against 83·7 in previous year. The total amount distributed as rewards was Rs. 47,784 or 77·4 per cent. of the fines imposed against Rs. 45,604 or 89·02 per cent. in 1906-07. Out of Rs. 47,784, Rs. 21,893 or 45·8 per cent. was paid to excise officers, Rs. 10,567 or 22·1 per cent. to officers other than excise and Rs. 15,324 or 32·06 per cent. to informers and others. Rewards were generally paid promptly.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 21st September 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	0·69	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Kalna 3·04 inches, at Katwa 0·43 and at Raniganj nil. Harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy going on. Condition of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from Jamalpur thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·43	7¼	7¼	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Rampur Hât 0·14 inch. Weeding finished. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7¾ seers per rupee at Rampur Hât.
3	BANKURA ...	1·21	7¾	7¾	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Vishnupur 2·51 inches. Harvesting of *aus* paddy commenced in places. Prospects of winter rice good. Persons gratuitously relieved—218 men, 672 women and 206 children—total 1,096. People attending six test works—724 men, 458 women and 28 children—total 1,210—on the 18th September. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Common rice selling at 6 to 7½ seers per rupee in the affected tracts.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	1·79	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 1·42, at Tamluk 1·05 and at Ghatal 0·41 inch. Transplantation of winter rice over. Sowings of early cotton finished. Harvesting of *aus* paddy in progress. Condition of winter rice good. Prospects of autumn rice, *bhadoi* crops, *til*, jute and sugarcane generally good. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Contai, 7½ seers at Tamluk and 8½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	3·16	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall in the district general. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of winter paddy, jute and sugarcane fair. Steeping of jute continuing. Lands being ploughed for cultivation of potato in Singur. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	2·37	6½	6½	Weather unsettled. Transplantation of paddy completed in Sadar and nearly so in Uluberia. Some low lands in both the subdivisions remaining uncultivated owing to defective drainage. Harvesting of jute and early rice begun in places. Prospects of jute very poor; that of rice only fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Uluberia. No fluctuation in prices, during the week.
7	24-PARGANAS ...	2·55	6¼	6	Weather seasonable. Rainfall sufficient everywhere. Condition of jute fair. Paddy damaged by heavy rain in Magrahat, Fulta, Vishnupur and Jaynagar thanas. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 6½ seers at Basirhat, 7 seers at Diamond Harbour and 6½ seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	0·14	8¼	8	Rainfall at Ranaghat 3·58, at Chuadanga 2·66, inches and at Meherpur nil. Prospects of standing crops fair; that of jute not good. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute continuing. Sowing of *kalai* and *rabi* crops going on in Meherpur subdivision. Prices of staple food-grains falling. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. No further apprehension of famine. Condition of cattle fair. Fodder and water sufficient. 531 men on test works on 14th September. No gratuitous relief given.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	0·14	7	7	Weather still hot and occasionally cloudy. Rainfall at Lalbagh nil, at Kandi 0·17 and at Jangipur 0·09 inch. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops over. Prospects of *aman* paddy favourable. Condition of jute and sugarcane fair except in the Kandi subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
10	JESSORE ...	0·30	8½	8	Rainfall at Jhenidah 0·12, at Magura 2·86, at Narail 1·41 and at Bangaon 3·13 inches. Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute going on. More rain wanted for *aman* paddy. Prospects of jute not favourable. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good. High prices continuing. 915 persons given gratuitous relief. Fodder and water sufficient.
11	KHULNA ...	...	8½	8	Weather hot. Rainfall general. Prices of staple food-crops almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy still continuing. More rain urgently wanted. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops fair. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	7¼ 12*	7 12*	Weather hot and dry. Transplantation of *aghani* paddy not begun for want of rain; seedlings being cut for fodder. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Sugarcane doing well. Lands being prepared for *rabi* sowings. Prices almost stationary. Food-stocks being supplemented from outside. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water available.
13	GAYA ...	0·51	7½† 11*	8⅝ 11*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Prospects of sugarcane good. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Rain badly wanted for paddy transplantation in certain parts of the Jehanabad and Aurangabad subdivisions. Condition of standing paddy fair. Prices almost stationary. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. No cattle-disease.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	8½ 10½*	8	Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Sugarcane doing well. Transplantation of paddy finished. Rain urgently wanted for standing crops. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal, but sufficient if not exported. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from a village in the Barahpur thana.
15	SARAN ...	0·32	8½ 12½*	8½ 12*	Weather hot. *Bhadoi* crops ripening. Prices of food-crops fallen slightly. A west wind throughout the week undoing the good done by the heavy rain between 6th and 8th September. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock good. Cattle-disease reported in one village in Ekma thana. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{4}$ / $11\frac{1}{2}$*	$7\frac{1}{8}$ / $10\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather bright and hot. Rainfall at Bettiah 0·03 inch. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops and maize in progress. Condition of jute and sugarcane fair. Ploughing for *rabi* crops begun. Rain urgently wanted. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·07	8 / $11\frac{1}{2}$*	8 / 11*	Weather hot and at times cloudy. Rainfall nil at Sitamarhi and Hajipur. Heavy rain urgently wanted. Harvesting of *makai* and *marua* continuing. Common rice and maize selling at $7\frac{1}{2}$ and 12 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and at $7\frac{1}{8}$ and 12 seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$ / 11*	7 / 11*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. No rain during the week. Rain urgently wanted everywhere. *Bhadoi* crops being harvested at places. Paddy crops withering for want of rain. Scarcity apprehended in Roserha and Bahera thanas of the Sadar subdivision. Some test-works being opened in Singhia outpost of the Roserha thana. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water available.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	$6\frac{1}{4}$ / 12*	$6\frac{3}{4}$ / 11*	Weather very hot during the day and very often cloudy without rain. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops commenced in several places. Want of rain badly felt for the paddy crops. Prices of *makai* still falling. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·12	$8\frac{3}{4}$ / $12\frac{1}{2}$*	$8\frac{3}{4}$ / $11\frac{1}{2}$*	Weather hot and sometimes cloudy. Rainfall at Banka 0·03, at Supaul 0·81 inch, and at Madhipura nil. More rain wanted throughout the district for preserving *aghani* paddy and for moisture for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *marua* and *makai* going on. Outturn of both the crops poor. Prospects of jute fair. Sugarcane doing well in Banka. In the case of the failure of *hathiya* rains distress apprehended very fast. Cattle-disease reported from Madhipura. Prices rising in Madhipura; stationary elsewhere.
	PURNEA ...	0·54	$7\frac{1}{2}$	7	Weather hot. Harvesting of jute and *bhadoi* paddy continuing. Condition of jute fair. Transplanting of *aghani* paddy progressing slowly. Prospects of standing crops fair. Stocks of food-grains and agricultural stock adequate. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from two villages in the Gopalpur thana. Common rice selling at $6\frac{1}{4}$ seers a rupee at Kishanganj and at 8 seers at Araria.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
22	DARJEELING ...	Inches. 0·93	7 / 11*	7 / 11*	Rainfall at Siliguri 3·70 inches. Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize and potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy being sown and being harvested in some places. Winter rice and *bara marua* growing well. Terai—Transplantation of winter rice still going on. *Bhadoi* rice and jute being harvested. Prospects of jute poor. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Agricultural stock in good condition.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	1·71	8½† / 16*	8† / 16½*	Rainfall at Deoghur 0·09, at Godda 0·03, at Jamtara 1·69, at Pakour 1·09 and at Rajmahal 0·15 inch. More rain wanted in Godda and Rajmahal, where standing crops suffering from drought. Prospects elsewhere good. Jute being cut and steeped. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water sufficient. Burma rice selling at 8¼ seers a rupee at Deoghur and at 8 seers a rupee at Jamtara.
24	CUTTACK ...	5·04	7⅞	7⅞	Rainfall general. *Biali* paddy, *mandia* and jute being cut and harvested. *Saradh* paddy, sugarcane and cotton growing. Condition of cattle generally good. Fodder and water sufficient. 624 men, 1,529 women and 2,893 children—total 5,046—given gratuitous relief. 50 men, 150 women and 195 children—total 395—on test-works.
25	BALASORE ...	0·21	8	8½	Weather sultry. Rainfall at Bhadrak 2·68 inches. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and jute continuing. Prospects of jute fair. Weeding of *saradh* paddy continuing. Vegetables and sugarcane thriving. Winter rice entirely destroyed by floods in low lands of thanas Dhamnagar and Chandbali. Scarcity existing in some parts of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal, Basta and Jellasore thanas. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Fodder (except in flood-affected areas) and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Bhadrak. 462 men, 2,782 women and 3,918 children—total 7,162—at Bhadrak, and 140 men, 566 women and 693 children—total 1,399—at Sadar receiving gratuitous relief. Test-works closed.
26	ANGUL ...	2·37	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Phulbani 2·80 inches. Harvesting of millets and *bhadoi* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops continuing. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Cheapest rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee in the Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief—109 men, 282 women and 705 children—total 1,096—in Angul, and 117 men, 154 women and 66 children—total 337—in the Khondmals. Persons on test-works—419 men, 134 women and 102 children—total 655—in Angul, and 499 men, 86 women and 82 children—total 667—in the Khondmals.
27	PURI ..	2·62	$6\frac{3}{16}$	$6\frac{3}{16}$	Rainfall at Khurda 4·05 inches. Transplanting and weeding of *saradh* paddy continuing. *Biali* paddy and *mandia* ripening. Sugarcane and *arhar* growing well. Vegetables doing well. Common rice selling at $7\frac{3}{16}$ seers per rupee at Khurda subdivision. Number of persons attending test-works—men 185, women 81 and children 203—total 469. Persons on gratuitous relief—men 452, women 1,452 and children 1,287—total 3,191.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	4·09	10	10	Weather occasionally cloudy. Weeding of winter rice and sowing of *mung*, *kulthi* and *til* in progress. Reaping of autumn rice and *bhadoi til* commenced. Condition of standing crops—sugarcane and autumn rice good and that of cotton fair. Stocks of food-grains and fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. No cattle-disease. Cheapest rice selling at 11½ seers a rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	0·29	9* 13†	8½* 9†	Weather seasonable. *Sirguja* and *kurthi* being sown. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Rice selling at 5½ seers to 8½ seers and maize 6 to 9½ seers per rupee in the interior. Persons gratuitously relieved—men 13, women 22 and children 2—total 37. All charges closed.
30	RANCHI ...	2·23	7¾*	8*	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Harvesting of *gora* paddy commenced in places. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6¾ seers per rupee at Sadar. Persons attending test-works—men 339, women 318 and children 126—total 783. Persons on gratuitous relief in undeclared area—men 133, women 653 and children 36—total 822. Persons on famine relief-works in declared area—men 317, women 213 and children 64—total 594. On gratuitous relief in declared area—men 697, women 2,220 and children 616—total 3,533.
31	PALAMAU ...	0·07	8	7⅞	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops commenced. Fields for *rabi* crops being prepared. Rain wanted for paddy in the north of the district. Local grain stocks insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANBHUM ...	2·38	8	8	Rainfall at Gobindpur 2·00 inches. Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Outturn of winter rice estimated at 100 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	0·09	6	6	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Harvesting of *gora* and *aus* paddy continuing. Outturn of harvest good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and 7½ seers at Seraikella.
34	COOCH BEHAR	7·50	6⅔†	6⅔	Weather cloudy. Transplantation of *haimantik* paddy and cutting, steeping and washing of jute continuing. Prospects of jute fair. Prices of food-grains stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Aghani rice.
† The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
35	Feudatory States, Orissa.*	.....	.....	.....	Rainfall during the week—

Name of State.	Inches.
Bamra ...	... 0·68
Athmallik ...	... 0·46
Keonjhar ...	... 0 61
Hindol ...	... 2·07
Daspalla ...	... 2 42
Boad ...	... 1·80
Baramba ...	... 2·21
Narsingpur...	... 1·77
Kalahandi ...	... 0·97
Ranpur ...	... 0·29
Dhenkanal ...	... 1·57
Talcher ..	... 1·58
Nilgiri ...	... 3 25
Bonai ...	... 0 87
Sonpur ...	... 1·50
Athgarh ...	... 1·38
Rairakhol ...	... 3·26
Patna ...	... 2·81
Mayurbhanj	... 0·58
Nayagarh ...	... 0·10
Gangpur ...	... 2·12
Khondpara	... Slight rain one day in the week.

Transplantation of paddy plants completed in all States. Weeding continuing in some States. Sowing of *tilli* in progress. Standing crops in good condition. Sugarcane and cotton doing well. Harvesting of early rice continuing. Fodder and water sufficient and also the agricultural stock except in Narsingpur and Pal Lahera. Price of rice fallen in Keonjhar. Hindol, Boad, Rairakhol, Mayurbhanj and Nayagarh and stationary in other States.

* The report is for the week ending the 12th September 1908.

General Summary.—The rainfall during the week was general but moderate except in Bihar, where the weather was hot and cloudy with a few light showers. West winds are causing damage in Saran and the paddy crop is withering in Darbhanga. More rain is urgently wanted throughout Bihar for the standing crops and especially for the newly transplanted paddy. Harvesting of jute and other *bhadoi* crops and weeding of paddy continues. Sugarcane is still doing well. Prospects of *aman* paddy are fair except in the unirrigated tracts of Bihar, where transplantation could not be done for want of sufficient rain. Prices have risen in Gaya, Saran, Champaran, Monghyr, Balasore, Puri and Ranchi, and have fallen in most districts of the Presidency Division as well as in Patna, Shahabad, Darbhanga, Purnea, the Santhal Parganas, Cuttack, Hazaribagh and Palamau. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Balasore and Palamau. Scarcity is apprehended in parts of Darbhanga. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Burdwan, Shahabad, Saran, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Hazaribagh. Gratuitous relief was given to 24,634 persons, of whom 18,231 are in Orissa. Test works in Bankura, Nadia, Cuttack, Angul, Puri and Ranchi were attended by 4,710 persons. The number of persons on famine relief works in Ranchi was 594.

Department of Agriculture, Bengal,
Calcutta, the 22nd September 1908.

W. R. GOURLAY,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 19th September 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 19th September 1908.			Week ending Saturday, the 21st September 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
	No.	Mds.	Rs.	No.	Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	445	48,830	682	449	53,017	615
Jute	119	34,140*	529	287	80,396†	1,230
Firewood	34	14,795	230	87	1,03,645	1,568
Other articles	633	1,49,100	1,568	695	2,00,971	1,974
Total	1,231	2,46,865	3,009	1,518	4,37,928	5,387

* Weight by canal measurement, 41,250 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 96,712½ ,,

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd September 1908.

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PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON						JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			BAJRA OR CUMBU, (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).		
									Average.			Cheapest.								
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		BENGAL.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION.	1	Burdwan ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 0	...	8 0	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Birbhum ..	7 8	7 8	9 0	...	...	..	7 8	6 12	...	7 8	6 12	7 4	...	...	.	...	...	...
	3	Bankura ..	8 0	7 0	11 8	..	...	...	7 6	7 4	...	7 12	7 8	7 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore ...	7 12	10 0	10 0	..	...	...	7 9	6 9	...	8 14	6 14	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooghly	...	...	..	...	.	...	6 0	6 0	..	6 8	6 4	6 10	...		...	...	..	...
	6	Howrah ..	...	..	...	...	...	..	6 0	6 8	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	...	.	..	...	...	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.	7	24-Parganas ...	7 12	7 12	9 8	.		...	6 8	6 12		7 0	7 0	7 8 to 7 12	...	..	..	...	...	...
	8	Calcutta	7 6	7 6	8 14	0 0	10 0	11 8	6 .	6 6	...	8 0	8 0	8 4	—	...	...	..	...	...
	9	Nadia	7 8	8 0	13 8	12	11 0	16 0	8 14	8 4	.	8 0	6 8	7 1	...	.	.	.	...	...
	10	Murshidabad	8 0	8 0	10 0	12	12 8	12 0	7 4	8 .	...	7 12	7 8	7 4	..	..	.	..	...	..
	11	Jessore	6 8	6 8	8 0	0	7 8	8	8 2	8	.	9 0	9 0	8 .	.	.	.	.	—	...
	12	Khulna ..	...	..		...	...		8 9	7 9	.	8 8	8 6	8 4	...			...	.	...
PATNA DIVISION.		BIHAR.																		
	13	Patna ...	8 12	8 8	10 0	1 0	12 0	11	8 0	8 12	.	8 8	8 4	8 2	Not sold.	Not sold.	.	...	...	.
	14	Gaya ..	8 4	7 12	9 14	1	1 0	12 1	8 12	8 8	.	7 4	7 8	8 8	9 6	9 8	8 .	.	...	.
	15	Shahabad ..	8 6	7 12	12 8	10	10	7	7	8	...	8 0	8 0	10 8	.	...		...	.	..
	16	Saran .	8 12	8 4	10 0	10	12 0	14 0	7 11	8 0	...	8 8	8 9	9 8	...	...	...	..	...	..
	17	Champaran ...	8 9	8 0	10 0	11	11 1	14 0	8 12	8 5	...	7 8	7 12	12 1	...	..	...	...	...	..
	18	Muzaffarpur ...	8 0	7 12	10 0	12 0	11 0	17 0	6 0	6 0	..	8 0	7 8	9 9	...	...	...	...	...	..
	19	Darbhanga ...	7 11	7 11	9 14	11	9 11	15 0	8 8	8 8	.	7 0	6 8	7 11	..	...	...	..	...	..

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 21 seers (karkatch); Asansol 20 seers; Kalna 22½ seers (karkatch); Raniganj 20 seers.

B. At Rampurhat the retail price of salt is 19 seers per rupee.

C. At Sainthia the retail price of salt is 22½ seers per rupee (karkatch).

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 20 seers; Tamluk 20 seers; Ghatal 21½ seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers, Aramnagar 18 seers.

F. At Chinsurah the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).

G. In the subdivisions of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetia 20 seers (karkatch); Baraset 18 seers (karkatch 21½ seers, Mograhat 18½ seers. Barrackpore report not received; Bhatpara 16 seers.

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 18 seers (panga) Chuadanga 18 seers (karkatch), Meherpur 16 seers, Jhenaidah 17 seers (crushed).

Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th September 1908.

F EIGHTY TOLAS.

WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.

	OR RAGI (*Coracana*)	KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).	GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).	INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).	ARHAR (*dál*) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*)	SALT.	SALT.	
	Present return. / Corresponding return of last year.	Present return. / Next preceding return. / Corresponding return of last year.	Present return. / Next preceding return. / Corresponding return of last year.	Present return. / Corresponding return of last year.	Present return. / Corresponding return of last year.	Present return. / Next preceding return. / Corresponding return of last year.	Present return. / Next preceding return. / Corresponding return of last year.	
	S. Ch. / S. Ch.	S. Ch. / S. Ch. / S. Ch.	S. Ch. / S. Ch. / S. Ch.	S. Ch. / S. Ch.	S. Ch. / S. Ch.	S. Ch. / S. Ch. / S. Ch.	Rs. A. P. / Rs. A. P. / Rs. A. P.	
			8 12 / 8 0 12 0	... / ...	6 8 / 7 0 8 4	20 0 / 19 0 20 0	1 10 6 / 1 12 0 / 1 12 6	1
			8 0 / 8 0 12 0	... / ...	6 0 / 6 0 7 8	20 0 / 20 0 16 0	1 15 0 / 1 15 0 / 2 5 0	2
			8 8 / 8 4 11 0	... / ...	7 8 / ...	20 0 / 20 0 20 0	2 0 0 / 2 0 0 / 2 0 0	3
			7 0 to 8 0 / 7 0 to 8 0 / 10 0 to 11 0	... / ...	5 8 to 6 0 / 6 0 7 0	19 0 to 20 0 / 18 8 to 20 0 / 20 0	1 14 0 to 1 12 0 / 2 0 0 to 1 12 0 / 1 12 0	4
			7 8 / 8 4 11 0	... / ...	6 4 / 6 4 7 0	18 0 / 17 0 / 17 0	2 1 0 / 2 4 0 / 2 3 0	5
			8 0 / 8 0 11 0 to 12 0	... / ...	6 8 / 6 8 8 0	16 0 / 16 0 / 16 0	1 14 0 / 1 14 0 / 2 4 0	6
			8 4 / 8 8 11 0	... / ...	7 12 / 7 8 8 0	25 0 / 25 0 / 24 0	1 9 0 / 1 9 0 / 1 10 0	7
9 0	9 0 / 9 0	8 0 / 8 8 12 0 / 8 12	... / ...	7 0 / 7 0 7 8	18 0 / 18 0 / 19 0	1 15 0 / 1 15 0 / 1 10 0	8
		8 0 / 8 0 11 0	... / ...	6 8 / 6 7 ...	16 0 / 15 0 / 15 0	1 14 0 / 1 14 0 / 2 0 0	9
		8 12 / 8 0 11 0	... / ...	7 0 / 7 12 8 8	21 0 / 15 0 / 19 0	1 11 0 / 2 4 0 / 2 0 0	10
		0 0 0 / ...	... / ...	8 0 0 / 8 0 0	0 0 / 20 0 / 20 0	2 0 0 / 1 14 0 / 2 0 0	11
		0 0 0 / ...	... / ...	... / ...	15 0 / 16 0 / 16 0	2 0 0 / 2 2 0 / 2 8 0	12
...	N... 9 12 / 9 8 / 9 8 4 0	12 0 / 0 0 / 12 0	8 8 / 8 8 / 7 8	20 0 / 17 0 / 17 0	2 0 0 / 2 0 0 / 2 0 0	16
...	10 8 / 8 0 / 9 4 12	16 11 0 / 9 8 / 12	5 7 / 8 7 8 8	20 0 / 20 0 / 21 0	2 0 0 / 2 0 0 / 2 1 0	14
...	... / ... / 9 0 0 / 8 0 3 8	Not ...	4 15 0 / 7 8 7 12	20 0 / 20 0 / 20 0	2 0 0 / 2 0 0 / 2 0 0	15
12 0	... / ... / 9 8 9 0 / 8 8	13 0 / 9 0 / 10	9 0 / 9 0 / 10 0	20 0 / 20 8 / 20 0	1 15 0 / 1 14 6 / 2 0 0	16
...	... / ... / 9 8 8 8 / 12 8	10 8 13 4 / 11 0 / 12	7 8 / 12 8 0 / 17 0	17 0 / 17 0 / 17 0	2 4 9 / 2 4 9 / 2 5 0	17
9 0	... / ... / 9 0 9 0 / 12 0	11 0 / 13 0 / 18 0	7 6 / 7 0 8 8	19 0 / 19 0 / 18 0	2 0 0 / 2 0 0 / 2 1 6	18
9 11	... / ... / 8 12 8 4 / 12	5 11 0 / 9 4 / 14 4	7 11 / 6 9 8 12	19 12 / 19 12 / 16 8	2 0 8 / 2 0 8 / 2 6 9	19

1 the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jalpaiguri 21 seers; Lalbagh 16 seers; and Kandi 18 seers.

2 the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 18 seers; Magura 16 seers; Bangaon 18 seers; and Narail 14½ seers (panga).

3 the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 20 seers.

4 the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Howrah 20 seers; Serampore 17 seers; and Bansbaria 18 seers (panga).

5 the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 22 seers; Jumalpur report not received; and Nawadah 19 seers.

6 the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bankipur 19 seers; and Sasaram 20 seers.

7 the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20 seers (panga); Gopalganj 19½ seers (panga).

8 Bettiah the retail price of salt is 19 seers per rupee.

9 the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Motihari 20 seers; Hajipur 18 seers.

10 the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Saharsa 20 seers; Madhubani 18½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarte

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Division		DISTRICTS.	Wheat.		Barley.			Rice Common. Average.			Rice Common. Cheapest.			Jowar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*)			Bajra or Cum (*Pennisetum typhoi* sum).		
			Preseng return.	Next preceding return.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.
Head-quarters Division.	20	Monghyr ..	8 8	8 6	11 0	10 8	10 0	12 8	6 8	5 13		6 12	7 0	7 12				...	-
	21	Bhagalpur	8 4	8 4	10 1	11 7	10 12	13 14	6 15	6 10		8 3	7 10	7 14					
	22	Purnea	8 0	8 8	9 8 to 10 0	...			6 11	6 11		7 0	7 0	New *bhadoi* 9 0 Old 7 0	...				
	23	Darjeeling...	5 8	6 0		6 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0		7 0	7 0						
	24	Santhal Parganas.	7 0	7 0	8 8	0	8 0	11 0	8 0	7 0		8 4	7 6	8 0					
		ORISSA.																	
Orissa Division.	25	Cuttack	7 14	7 14	9 8				6 13	7 2		6 14	7 8	9 3					
	26	Balasore	7 2	2	11 0			...	8 0	8 0		8 8	8 8	8 0	...	...	...		
	27	Angul	5 0	5 0	6 0			...	6 0	5 0		0	5 0	10 0					
	28	Puri	7 3	7 3	9				6 3	6 9		7 14	7 3	9 13					
	29	Sambalpur...	7 12	8 0	11 0	...	...	...	9 8	8 8		10 0	9 8	9 8					
		CHOTA NAGPUR.									Burma rice.								
Chota Nagpur Division.	30	Hazaribagh	7 0	7 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	10 0	6 8	6 0		8 0	7 8	8 0					
	31	Ranchi	6 12 to 7 0	6 10 to 7 0	8 14 to 9 0	8 0	9 0	12 0	6 12	6 12		8 8	8 0	8 0					
	32	Palamau	6 12	7 14	10 2	11 4	11 4	12 6	7 5	6 12		8 7	7 14	8 7					
	33	Manbhum..	7 8	7 8	10 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	6 8	6 8		8 0	7 8	8 8					
	34	Singhbhum	7 0	7 0	10 8				6 0	5 0	-	7 0	6 0	8 8					

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bogusarai 19 seers ; Jamui 20 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Hanka 16½ seers, Madhipura report not received ; Supaul 20 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers ; Basantpur 15 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 14 seers ; Siliguri 16 seers.
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara report not received ; Godda 16 seers ; Deoghar 20 seers Pakour 16 seers ; and Rajmahal 20 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 19th September 1908.

tion Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th September 1908—concld.

RS OF EIGHTY TOLAHS.

WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.

ARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*).		GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).		INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).		ARHAR (*dál*) OR THUR, CAJJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).		SALT.		SALT.			Number.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
			8	9 0	13 0	11 0	10 8	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	20 0	20 0	26 0	2 0 0	Panga. 2 0 0	2 0 0	20
			8 14	8 14	12 10	11 7	10 2	16 6	7 4	7 4	7 8	T 20 0	20 0	20 0	1 14 6	Panga. 1 14 6	1 14 6	21
			8 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	12 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	14 8½	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 8 0	22
11 8	10 8		7 0	7 0	9 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	5 4	5 4	6 0	13 8	13 0	13 0	2 14 0	Panga. 2 14 0	2 14 0	23
			8 8	8 8	10 8	16 0	10 0	12 0	6 0	6 0	12 0	W 16 0	14 0	14 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 12 0	2 12 0	24
			9 8	Biri or kalai. 9 8	10 8				10 8	10 8	11 13	X 22 0	22 0	22 0	1 13 0	Karkatch. 1 13 0	1 7 0	25
			7 12	Chhola. 7 13	11 0						6 0	Y 20 0	20 8	18 0	1 13 6	Panga. 1 13 6	2 2 0	26
			9 2	Biri. 9 2	11 0													
			6 0	Biri. 6 0	13 0	...	...	...	6 8	7 0	15 0	12 8	10 8	14 0	2 14 0	Karkatch 3 0 0	2 4 0	27
			13	Biri. 9 3	11 2	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	8 2	25 0	26 0	24 0	1 9 0	1 8 0	1 10 0	28
			12	7 12	12 0	...	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 0	b 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 4 0	29
10 0	16 0		8 0	8 0	11 0	9 8	9 0	11 8	6 0	6 8	7 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 8 0	30
10 0	18 0		8 0	8 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	...	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 12 to 8 0	17 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 8 0	31
				9 0	11 15	11 8	Not reported.	18 8	6 12	6 12	8 0	20 4	19 2	18 9			...	32
			8 0	8 0	11 8	10 0	10 0	...	7 0	7 0	8 8	c 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 4 0	33
			8	8 0	11 8				6 0	6 8	11 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 2 6	2 4 0	2 6 0	34

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga); Jajpur 16 seers (panga).
Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 21¼ seers (panga).
Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sankhpur 12½ seers (karkatch); Phulbani 10¼ seers.
a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 24 seers.
b. The retail price of salt at Bargarh is not reported.
c. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbaid 16 seers; Jhalda 16 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

PRICE PER MAUND OF

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice. Average.			Common rice. Cheapest.			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
1	Calcutta ...	7 2 0	7 2 0	7 0 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	4 4 0
2	Burdwan ...	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 4 0	5 15 0	5 13 0	...	5 5 3	5 6 0	5 10 0	—	...	—
3	Midnapore ...	7 0 0	7 2 0	6 0 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	...	4 8 0	5 13 0	5 10 0	—	...	...
4	Patna ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	6 4 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	...	4 10 0	4 15 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	3 12 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 3	6 10 6	6 10 6	—	5 0 0	5 6 0	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 10 0
6	Bhagalpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	5 15 0	6 1 0	...	4 14 0	5 4 0	5 1 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	3 15 6
7	Cuttack ...	7 3 0	7 3 0	6 1 6	5 13 4	5 5 0	...	5 12 9	5 4 9	4 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 4
8	Sambalpur ...	5 12 0	6 10 0	5 0 0	3 14 0	4 7 0	...	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 13 0	3 8 0
9	Ranchi ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	...	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	5 12 0 to 6 0 0	5 10 0 to 5 12 0	4 0 0 to 4 7 0

No.	Marts.	Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
1	Calcutta ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	6 8 0
2	Burdwan ...	—	—	—	6 0 0	5 10 6	4 8 0	—	—	—	6 14 0	7 0 0	7 8 0
3	Midnapore ...	—	...	...	6 4 0 to 6 8 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	Black mustard. 7 12 0 to 7 8 0	7 0 0 Rapeseed. 6 8 0	6 8 0 5 12 0
4	Patna ...	3 4 0	3 15 0	2 7 0	4 10 0	4 13 0	3 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 8 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	3 10 0	4 0 0	2 8 6	5 11 6	5 11 6	4 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	3 8 0	3 15 0	2 7 0	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 5 0	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	Rapeseed. 6 8 0 Mustard. 6 3 0	6 8 0 6 3 0	6 6 0 6 4 0
7	Cuttack ...	—	—	—	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 5 4	—	—	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	6 4 0
8	Sambalpur ...	...	—	—	6 10 0	6 10 0	5 2 6	—	—	—	7 8 0	8 0 0	6 0 0
9	Ranchi ...	...	—	—	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	5 10 0 to 9 0 0	4 10 0 to 8 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	4 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 12 0 to 6 8 0

ermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 15th September 1908.

STANDARD SEEDS.

Hordeum vulgare.		Juar or Cholum (*Andropogon Sorghum*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).			Number.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 12 0	3 4 0	...	....	...	...	...	...	...	—	—	4 12 0	4 8 0	3 0 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 10 0	4 14 0	3 5 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0 to 5 8 0	4 12 0 to 5 0 0	3 6 0 to 3 12 0	3
3 4 0	2 12 0	Not sold	Not sold	2 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 2 0	2 12 0	4
3 10 0	2 3 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	...	1 14 6	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 1 3	5
3 12 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 2 9	6
											Biri or kalai.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 4	4 3 4	3 13 0	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 4 0	8
3 0	3 5 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	9

or Jinjli seed.		Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
6 8 0	6 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 12 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	1
...	...	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	4 14 0 to 5 4 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	12 0 0 to 25 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	...	...	...	3
7 0 0	7 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	6 0 0	4 0 0	18 8 0	18 8 0	16 0 0	Not reported.	5 8 0	7 0 0	4
...	...	5 11 6	5 0 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	19 0 0	...	...	...	6
6 8 0	6 0 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	4 0 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	...	...	...	7
6 8 0	6 0 0	Imported. Not available.	5 12 0	5 4 0	...	...	...	...	5 8 0	8 0 0	8
		Local produce. 6 10 0	6 10 0	7 4 0							
...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	...	...	...	...	9

[*Continued overleaf*

Number	Marts.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.																					
		Ghi (clarified butter).						Tobacco Leaf.						Hides (cow).						Grass.			
		Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
																				Per 100 pieces.								
1	Calcutta ...	42	0	0	43	0	0	48	0	0	8	4	0	8	4	0	8	0	0	390	0	0	390	0	0	500	0	0	1	12	0	1	12	0	1	12
2	Burdwan ...	40	0	0	40	0	0	47	0	0	...			...			...			...			...			...			...			—			—	
											Madhukhali.									Unclean per piece.														
3	Midnapore ...	39 to 40	0	0	37 to 40	0	0	15 to 47	0	0	10	8	0	12	8	0	8	8	0	2 to 3	12	0	2 to 3	4	0	2 to 3	8	0	...			—			—	
											Pulta.									Cleaned per piece.														
											13	8	0	14	0	0	9	12	0	3 to 3	0	0	2 to 3	8	0	2 to 3	12	0							
4	Patna ...	34 to 36	0	0	36 to 38	0	0	41	0	0	2 to 5	8	0	2 to 4	0	0	2	7	0	Not reported.			30	0	0	—			Not reported.			0	8	0	0	4
5	Muzaffarpur ...	35	9	0	35	9	0	42	10	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	...			...			—			—			...			...	
6	Bhagalpur ...	43	0	0	43	0	0	46	1	0	10	0	0	10	0	0	8	0	0	...			...			...			...			...			...	
																				Per maund.														
7	Cuttack ...	47	9	0	47	9	0	41	14	6	6	4	0	6	4	0	6	0	0	30	0	0	30	0	0	30	0	0	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	8
																				Per maund.														
8	Sambalpur ...	37	8	0	39	0	0	43	8	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	20	0	0	30	0	0	30	0	0	40	0	0	...			...			...	
																				Per piece.						Per lb.								
9	Ranchi ...	35 to 37	8	0	40	0	0	45	0	0	10 to 16	0	0	10 to 16	0	0	11	8	0	3 to 4	0	0	2 to 2	0	0	0 to 0	8	0	0	6	0	0	7	0	0	4

Number.	Marts.	PRICE PER MAUND																	
		Firewood.						Salt.						Bitoosa.				Bran.	
1	Calcutta ...	0	9	0	0	9	0	0	8	0	Panga. 1 15 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	2	6	0	...	2	4	0	...
2	Burdwan ...	0	8	6	0	9	0	0	9	0	1 10 6	1 12 0	1 12 0	Not sold			...	3	2	0	..
3	Minapore ...	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	Bombay. 1 14 0 / Crushed. 1 12 0	2 0 0 / 1 12 0	... / 1 12 0	Not available.			...	0	13	0	...
4	Patna ...	0	7	0	0	8	0	0	8	0	Panga. 2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1	2	0	...	1	12	0	...
5	Muzaffarpur ...	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	5	3	Panga. 2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	0	8	0	0 8 0	0	5 3	2	8 0
6	Bhagalpur ...	0	6	6	0	6	6	0	6	0	Panga. 1 14 6	1 14 6	1 14 6	0	8	0	..	..		2	0 0
7	Cuttack ...	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	Karkatch 1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	Not sold			...	...		0	10 0
8	Sambalpur ...	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	No transaction.			...	...		Not available.	
9	Ranchi ...	0	5	3	0	5	3	0	7	0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	3	2	0	...	...		3	2 0

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 15th September 1908—concld.

Straw.			Jowar stalks.			Price per maund of forty standard seers. Iron.			Marts.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	Calcutta ...	1
0 8 0	0 10 0	0 12 0	—	...	—	—	—	...	Burdwan	2
Not reported.	0 5 0	0 7 0	—	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 12 0	Midnapore ...	3
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 9 0	Not reported.	0 6 0	0 5 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 8 0	Patna ...	4
—	...	...	—	—	—	10 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	Muzaffarpur ...	5
...	...	...	...	—	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	Bhagalpur ...	6
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	—	—	—	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	Cuttack ...	7
...	...	...	...	—	—	...	...	...	Sambalpur ...	8
1 10 0	1 10 0	1 8 0	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	Ranchi ...	9

RTY STANDARD SEERS.						PRICE PER CATTLE.			Marts.	Number.
Oats.			Kerosine oil.			Slaughter cattle.				
4 8 0	...	...	4 10 0	...	...	Cows. 40 0 0 / Calves. 5 0 0	...	...	Calcutta ...	1
t sold	...	...	5 0 0	...	...	Not sold	...	...	Burdwan ...	2
4 0	..	..	4 9 0 to 4 14 0	...	...	Full grown. 8 0 0 to 10 0 0 / Calves. 5 0 0 to 6 0 0	...	...	Midnapore ...	3
sold ...	...	...	4 0 9	...	...	Goats and sheep. 3 0 0 to 5 0 0 / Buffalow cows. 5 0 0 to 10 0 0 / Calves. 5 0 0 to 7 0 0	...	...	Patna ...	4
0 0	3 10 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 19 0	Full grown. 30 0 0 / Calves. 15 0 0	30 0 0 / 15 0 0	35 0 0 / 20 0 0	Muzaffarpur ...	5
0 0	...	...	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	Bhagalpur ...	6
1 4	...	...	7 8 0	...	...	Full grown. 10 8 0 to 20 0 0 / Calves. 2 0 0 to 10 0 0	...	...	Cuttack ...	7
Not liable.	...	...	Superior per case. 6 14 0 / Inferior per case. 4 3 0	6 14 0 / 4 3 0	6 14 0 / 4 3 0	Full grown. 3 8 0 / Full grown. 7 0 0 to 15 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	Sambalpur ...	8
0 0	...	...	*5 0 0 to 7 0 0	...	...	Calves. 5 0 0 to	...	...	Ranchi ...	9

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 13th to 19th September 1908.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb	Vapour tension.	Dew point	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1908.		°	h	Inches.	°	°	°	°		Inches	°	%			Inches	
Sept.	13th	152·4	3·8	29·732	84·1	90·1	11·4	78·7	78·9	0·958	77·9	89	N by E and SSE	58	0·40	Partially cloudy, o.
,,	14th	144·3	4·4	·774	83·1	87·9	9·1	78·8	79·2	·958	77·8	85	ESE and SW ...	56	0·01	Partially cloudy, o, p, t, ≤, R.
,,	15th	155·1	4·2	·787	84·1	90·1	11·5	78·6	80·3	·994	79·0	86	SW and SSW ...	78	1·10	Partially cloudy.
,,	16th	150·3	6·8	·724	85·8	91·9	11·7	80·2	78·7	·935	77·2	82	SSW and WSW	125	0·01	Partially cloudy, o, p, t, ≤, /, R.
,,	17th	118·4	0·1	·723	82·1	87·1	9·5	77·6	79·1	·969	78·3	89	SW and ESE ...	50	0·42	Chiefly cloudy, o, t, ≤, d.
,,	18th	138·4	1·8	·774	82·4	88·1	10·9	77·2	77·9	·934	77·2	91	ESE and E ...	56	0·03	Chiefly cloudy o, p, t, ≤, R, g.
,,	19th	144·6	5·2	·772	82·8	88·7	11·3	77·4	79·0	·965	75·1	90	E and S by W ...	80	0·49	Partially cloudy, p.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·755
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·676
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		26·3
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		85·5
		°
The mean temperature of the seven days		83·5
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		83·3
The extreme variation of temperature		14·7
The maximum temperature		91·9
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		11
		%
The mean relative humidity		87
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		86
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 13th to 19th September 1908		2·46
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		2·42
The total fall from 1st January to 19th September 1908		77·09
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		56·10

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; p, passing temporary showers; d, drizzling rain; t, thunder; g, dark gloomy; ≤, lightning; R, thunderstorm; /, strong wind.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Bengal), the 21st September 1908.

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EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of June 1908 as compared with the same month of the previous year (for four weeks).

No.	Staples.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	27	7	20		
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	72,186	54,820	17,366		
	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	167	313		146	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European ...		294		192	
	(b) Ditto, Indian ...	208	366		158	
	(c) Piece-goods, European ...	1,296	1,673		377	
	(d) Ditto, Indian ...	414	150	264		
	(e) Others ...					
	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	138	117	21		
	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium		6			
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations		3			
	(b) Others	19				
	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia) ..					
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes					
	(3) Cutch	24	14			
	(4) Indigo	1	3			
	(5) Myrabolams					
	(6) Tanning barks					
	(7) Turmeric	211	673		462	
	(8) Others	18	67		49	
	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	1,257	943			
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	2,497	2,339			
3	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,163	739			
	Grain and Pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse ...	4,059	4,810		751	
	(2) Jawar and bajra ...	12,319	23,676		11,457	
	(3) Rice in the husk ...	8,528	22,305		13,777	
	(4) Do. not in the husk					
	(5) Wheat	297	197	100	...	
	(6) Do. flour	1,005	1,847		842	
	(7) Others	513	1,361		848	
	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	...				
	(b) Raw	899				
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....		
	(b) Raw	67			16	
11	Horns		2	16		
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.		135	.....	126	
13	Jute—					
	(1) Raw	10,837	11,612	8,325	...	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	1,181	3,232	.....	2,051	
14	Lac	30	19			
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought	2				
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes ..	.....				
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	40				
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	91				
	(3) Wine					
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.					
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	20	35			
	(2) Do., manufactured	240	887			
	(3) Copper, unwrought	1				
	(4) Do., manufactured	.....				
	(5) Iron and steel					
	Unwrought				187	
	(b) Wrought	.....			...	
	(i) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	2,350	3,539		1,192	
	(ii) Machinery and mill works ..	368	228	140		
	(iii) Other manufactured, including hardware and cutlery.	1,544	1,037	507		
	(6) Metallic ores		573	311		
	(7) Others					
18	Mineral substances—					
	(1) Marble and stone	1,867	2,343		476	
	(2) Chalk	2,104	2,236		132	
	(3) Lime					
	(4) Others					
19	Oils—					
	(1) Kerosene	14,697	14,439	258		
	(2) Castor	10	24		14	
	(3) Cocoanut	121	145		24	
	(4) Mustard and rape ...	469	639		170	
	(5) Others	51	231		180	

No.	Staples.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
20	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor		103		103	
	(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....		...	
	(3) Linseed	551	2,047		1,496	
	(4) Poppy	.....	.....			
	(5) Rape and mustard	3,065	2,799	266		
	(6) Til or jinjili	337	48	289		
	(7) Others	128	139		11	
21	Opium	...	5		...	
22	Paper and pasteboard	693	829		136	
23	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	.....	6		6	
	(2) Ghee	57	48		...	
	(3) Others	1,706	1,807		101	
24	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	26		26		
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof					
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	86	34	52		
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	86			
	(c) Others	1,594	1	1,593		
25	Salt	7,530	9,548		2,018	
26	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	8	19	.....	11	
	(2) Other saline substances	248	510	.....	262	
27	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign					
	(b) Indian				49	
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign					
	(b) Indian					
	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	870	1,196	.....	326	
	(2) Cardamoms	21	15	6		
	(3) Chillies	326	209	117		
	(4) Ginger	111	220	.....	109	
	(5) Pepper	57	35	22		
	(6) Others	283	243	40		
	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallised, including sugar-candy.	930	884	55		
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	988	1,090	.....	102	
	(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	3,010	1,501	1,509	...	
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign					
	(2) Indian	3,000	2,469	531		
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	4,877	4,815	62		
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	.....	.....	...	...	
	(b) Other sorts	76	101		25	
	.....					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	4,950	5,266	.....	316	
	(2) Manufactured	346	313	33		
	Wool—					
	(1) Raw	97	265	.....	168	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs					
	(b) Piece-goods, European					
	(c) Ditto, Indian	9	14	.....	5	
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures					
	All other articles of merchandise	7,173	9,779		2,606	
	Total	46,388	206,109	32,621	48,342	

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CALCUTTA, *the 16th September 1908.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd August 1908 on 2,292·38 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
al traffic for the week ...	472,209	3,95,719 0 0	70,06,604 0	10,60,673 0 0	38,385 0 0	14,94,770 0 0	158,040	214,114	372,154
per mile of railway ...	...	172* 9 11	...	462 11 2	16 11 11	652 1 0	...	...	...
previous 6½ weeks of half-year	3,467,516*	28,76,789 0 0*	4,63,60,622 0†	71,01,041 0 0‡	2,50,125 0 0‡	1,02,27,905 0 0	1,038,424§	1,446,259§	2,484,683
Total for 7½ weeks ...	3,939,725	32,72,451 0 0	5,33,67,216 0	81,61,717 0 0	2,88,510 0 0	1,17,22,678 0 0	1,196,464	1,660,373	2,856,837
COMPARISON.									
al for corresponding week previous year ...	497,091	4,17,398 11 3	56,32,623 10	9,81,109 12 0	32,392 0 2	13,50,897 7 5	153,198	184,627	337,825
mile of railway corresponding ek of previous year ...	...	182 9 11	...	385 9 3	22 14 10	551 2 0	...	...	...
al for corresponding 7½ weeks previous year ...	4,060,745	35,55,347 14 5	5,60,06,076 10	76,45,534 13 9	3,23,449 0 11	1,15,26,331 12 1	1,160,055	1,487,967	2,656,922

(a) The increase is chiefly in coal.

* Added No. of passengers 4,790 and added Rs. 6,018 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the first 11 days of
† Deducted Mds. 467,892 ,, deducted ,, 1,16,220 } July 1908.
‡ ,, ,, 4,751 }

§ Audited figures up to 11th July 1908

8. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2292·38	First 11 days of July	9[illegible]	7,[illegible]4,025	1,08,[illegible]3,320	16,67,[illegible]98	15,795	24,27,792	1,059	597,554	4 1 0
2287·05	Week ended 18th ,,	341,[illegible]92	4,27,[illegible]56	70,[illegible]5,127	11,[illegible]1,[illegible]99	38,716 *	15,97,738 *	699	381,275	4 3 1
2287·05	,, ,, 25th ,,	4[illegible]8,842	4,[illegible]3,545	7[illegible]2,091	11,[illegible]5,[illegible]3	37,798 *	15,84,730 *	693	376,445	4 3 4
2287·05	,, ,, 1st Aug.	4[illegible]1,179	4,16,[illegible]84	70,[illegible]5,847	11,[illegible]1,[illegible]7	38,474	15,67,805	686	373,353	4 2 10
2292·38	,, ,, 8th ,,	4[illegible]2,[illegible]3	4,[illegible]1,128	69,[illegible]3,[illegible]5	11,[illegible]5,[illegible]7	37,474	15,40,259	672	374,414	4 1 10
2292·38	,, ,, 15th ,,	3[illegible],[illegible]98	4,[illegible],[illegible]31	67,[illegible]2,[illegible]25	10,[illegible],[illegible]4	41,[illegible]4	15,09,604	659	379,611	3 15 8
2292·38	,, ,, 22nd ,,	4[illegible],[illegible]39	3,[illegible],713	70,[illegible],[illegible]01	1,[illegible],[illegible]7	38,[illegible] *	14,98,770	652	372,154	4 0 3
	Totals up to date	[illegible]939,[illegible]25	32,72,451	5,33,[illegible]7,216	[illegible],61,717	2,88,510	1,17,22,678	675	2,856,837	4 1 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

		passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2292·38	First 11 days of July	1,[illegible]61,[illegible]01	9,13,173	1,[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]55	2,[illegible],[illegible]43	72,089	24,06,183	1,273	653,391	4 7 3
2287·05	Week ended 24th ,,	3[illegible],[illegible]15	5,02,[illegible]15	[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]78	10,[illegible],[illegible]17	38,[illegible]72	15,65,834	686	345,104	4 8 9
2287·05	,, ,, 27th ,,	3[illegible],[illegible]84	4,[illegible],[illegible]49	68,[illegible],[illegible]20	11,[illegible],[illegible]4	40,325	15,10,774	661	348,651	4 5 4
2287·05	,, ,, 3rd Aug.	4[illegible],[illegible]02	4,27,[illegible]10	[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]55	[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]1	41,[illegible]8	[illegible],[illegible]02	667	341,778	4 7 4
2287·05	,, ,, 10th ,,	4[illegible],[illegible]42	4,[illegible],[illegible]85	[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]75	[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]2	39,[illegible]2	13,40,287	590	315,607	4 4 5
2287·05	,, ,, 17th ,,	3[illegible],[illegible]72	4,12,[illegible]78	60,[illegible]0,[illegible]04	[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]1	40,171	13,[illegible],[illegible]44	575	314,436	4 2 10
2287·05	,, ,, 24th ,,	4[illegible],[illegible]95	4,[illegible],[illegible]49	[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]23	[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]7	32,[illegible]2	14,50,[illegible]98	591	337,825	4 0 0
	Totals up to date	4,060,745	32,[illegible],[illegible]84	5,[illegible],[illegible],[illegible]76	76,[illegible],[illegible]34	3,[illegible],[illegible]49	1,15,26,[illegible]32	682	2,656,922	4 5 5

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd August 1908 on 22·21 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
raffic for the week	15,736	(a) 3,433 0 0	5,271 0	230 0 0	6 0 0	3,669 0 0	1,342	154	1,496
mile of railway)	.....	154 9 2	.....	10 5 8	0 4 4	165 3 2	...	...	...
revious 6½ weeks of half-year	*139,146	*36,675 0 0	187,883 0	†1,987 0 0	†39 0 0	38,700 0 0	§8,988	§1,012	9,900
Total for 7½ weeks ...	174,882	40,108 0 0	93,160 0	2,217 0 0	44 0 0	42,369 0 0	10,330	1,166	11,396
COMPARISON									
for corresponding week of ous year	20,275	4,740 14 0	7,003 0	276 3 0	5 13 3	5,022 14 3	1,340	148	1,488
e of railway corresponding of previous year ...	...	213 4 3	.....	12 6 10	0 4 2	225 15 3			
for corresponding 7½ weeks evious year	199,656	45,820 8 8	84,488 20	3,425 8 0	49 11 6	49,295 13 2	8,398	1,589	10,478

(a) The decrease is chiefly due to greater movements of pilgrims in corresponding year

* Deducted No. of passengers 2,[illegible]48 and deducted Rs. 1,[illegible]02 }

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. a p.
*22·21	First 11 days of July ...	49,655	11,691	27,438	593	11	12,295	554	2,420	5 1 3
22·23	Week ended 18th ,, ...	29,374	6,979	11,104	267	7	7,253	326	1,498	4 13 7
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,372	4,345	11,534	255	5	4,605	207	1,400	3 1 3
22·23	,, ,, 1st Aug. ...	18,711	4,074	11,994	308	5	4,387	197	1,498	2 14 11
22·21	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	19,792	4,971	15,508	323	5	5,299	249	1,496	3 8 8
22·21	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	21,042	4,615	10,006	241	5	4,861	219	1,498	3 4 0
22·21	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	15,736	3,433	5,271	230	6	3,669	165	1,496	2 7 3
	Totals up to date ...	174,882	40,108	93,160	2,217	44	42,369	252	11,306	3 11 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	No	Rate. Rs. a. p.
22·23	First 13 days of July ...	47,166	11,190	22,815	993	9	12,182	548	2,242	5 6 11
22·23	Week ended 20th ,, ...	24,967	7,120	12,969	519	6	7,645	343	1,2 4	6 3 0
22·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	17,201	7,543	10,452	456	8	7,979	354	1,230	6 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 3rd Aug. ...	20,637	5,333	11,891	431	5	5,769	261	1,222	4 6 2
22·23	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	2[illegible],504	4,561	10,235	407	4	4,972	224	1,2[illegible]	3 9 5
22·23	,, ,, 17th	24,744	5,311	9,175	382	13	5,705	257	1,2[illegible]	3 [illegible] 10
22·23	,, ,, 24th	20,275	4,741	7,093	276	6	5,023	226	1,4[illegible]	3 5 [illegible]
	Totals up to date	190,586	45,821	94,488	3,425		49,295	252	14,[illegible]78	4 11

* Audit figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd August 1908, on 162·36 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles ran		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. a. p.	Mds. s	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.			
Total traffic for the week ...	26,225	18,178 0 0	2[illegible],032 0	13,8[illegible] 0 0	[illegible] 0 0	31,[illegible] 0 0	11,[illegible]	4,[illegible]	1[illegible]
Or per mile of railway		111 15 5	...	[illegible] 2 7	[illegible] 4 6	1[illegible] 12 4			
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year.	208,238*	1,53,025 0 0*	1,43,[illegible] 0*	9[illegible] 0 0*	3[illegible] 0 0‡	2,[illegible] 0 0	[illegible]	3[illegible]	10[illegible]
Total for 7½ weeks	234,463	1,71,203 0 0	1,65[illegible],078 0	101,224 0 0	[illegible] 0 0	2,8[illegible] 0 0	9[illegible]	[illegible]	12[illegible]
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	35,022	23,224 12 1	1[illegible],5[illegible] 1[illegible]	12,[illegible] 15 0	[illegible] 8 9	3[illegible] 3 10	11,[illegible]	[illegible]	15[illegible]
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	143 0 9	...	[illegible] 77 0 7	[illegible] 2 ...	[illegible] 2[illegible] 3 9			
Total for corresponding 7½ weeks of previous year	200,7[illegible]	1,[illegible],82[illegible] 0 10	1,[illegible],47[illegible] 3[illegible]	11[illegible],625 6 0	3[illegible] 0 3	2,[illegible]3[illegible] 6 1	[illegible]3 78[illegible]	[illegible]	12[illegible]

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,[illegible] and deducted Rs. 5,3[illegible]
† Do. Mds. [illegible],[illegible]19 ,, do. [illegible] } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the first
‡ Added [illegible] } 11 days of July 1908.
§ Audited figures up to 11th July 19[illegible].

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. a p.
162·36	First 11 days of July ...	49,788	33,292	3[illegible],317	22,537	7[illegible]	5[illegible]	3[illegible]	23,619	2 3 11
162·36	Week ended 14th ,, ...	35,068	27,700	2[illegible],713	15,361	6[illegible]	4[illegible]	2[illegible]	16,569	2 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	35,4[illegible]	29,73[illegible]	22[illegible],[illegible]45	14,5[illegible]	4[illegible]	4[illegible]	2[illegible]	16,677	2 7 7
162·36	,, ,, 1st August...	28,541	23,[illegible]09	2[illegible],[illegible]44	14,5[illegible]	4[illegible]	3[illegible]	2[illegible]	16,[illegible]11	2 4 6
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	31,[illegible]9	21,152	2[illegible],[illegible]65	14,[illegible]	4[illegible]	3[illegible]	2[illegible]	16,861	2 1 1[illegible]
162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	31,423	21,1[illegible]	201,[illegible]63	13,[illegible]9[illegible]	5[illegible]	3[illegible]	2[illegible]	16,[illegible]16	2 3 2
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,,	26,225	18,17[illegible]	200,032	13,[illegible]3[illegible]	4[illegible]	[illegible]	1[illegible]	16,0[illegible]	1 15 [illegible]
	Totals up to date ...	234,463	1,71,203	1,[illegible],[illegible]78	109,224	3[illegible]	2,[illegible],776	22[illegible]	9[illegible],[illegible]24	2 4 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. a. p.
162·36	First 13 days of July	63,543	41,971	335,[illegible]83	29,[illegible]68	86	71,0[illegible]	441	30,2[illegible]4	2 [illegible]
162·36	Week ended 20th	32,911	23,[illegible]90	271,[illegible]08	18,[illegible]76	67	41,[illegible]3	257	17,[illegible]23	[illegible]
162·36	,, ,, 27th	24,[illegible]5[illegible]	22,[illegible]09	2[illegible],[illegible]09	16,[illegible]52	61	3[illegible],[illegible]2	241	16,[illegible]47	[illegible]
162·36	,, ,, 3rd Aug.	31,[illegible]45	23,[illegible]40	175,107	13,[illegible]84	62	3[illegible],[illegible]86	227	16,[illegible]30	[illegible]
162·36	,, ,, 10th	2[illegible],[illegible]97	22,[illegible]61	161,714	11,[illegible]02	52	3[illegible],[illegible]65	213	15,[illegible]65	[illegible]
162·36	,, ,, 17th	34,[illegible]25	2[illegible],[illegible]03	1[illegible],[illegible]75	12,[illegible]19	56	[illegible],[illegible]81	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible]17	[illegible]

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th August 1908, on 2,292·38 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	447,490	3,77,604 0 0	71,12,866 0	10,48,985 0	39,792 0 0	14,66,441 0 0	153,032	213,574	372,606
Or per mile of railway ...		164 12 6		457 9 6	17 5 9	639 11 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7¾ weeks of half-year	*3,918,050	*32,82,131 0 0	615,29,325 0	†80 39,855 0 0	‡1,92,136 0 0	1,16,14,122 0 0	§1,196,173	§1,665,276	2,861,449
Total for 8¾ weeks ...	4,365,540	36,59,735 0 0	5,04,12,191 0 0	90,88,840 0 0	3,31,928 0 0	1,30,80,563 0 0	1,355,205	1,879,850	3,234,055
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	456,184	3,90,489 14 2	62,70,949 0	9,64,108 9 0	46,720 2 7	14,99,918 9 9	152,429	193,978	346,407
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	....	170 11 2	.....	421 14 6	20 7 0	613 0 2	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 37 weeks of previous year.	4,516,929	39,45,437 11 7	5,63,37,025 10	86,70,643 6 9	3,72,169 3 6	1,29,27,250 5 10	1,321,484	1,681,845	3,003,329

* Deducted No. of passengers 21,725 and added Rs. 9,980
† Do. Mds. 1,67,891 ,, 1,21,802 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week
‡ Added ,, 3,045 } ended 18th July 1908.
§ Audited figures up to 18th July 1908.

(a) The increase is chiefly in coal.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
2,292·38	First 11 days of July ...	3[illegible]	7,[illegible]	1,05,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	24,27,792	1,059	537,554	4 1 0
2,292·38	Week ended 18th ,,	5[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	14,80,182	650	385,207	3 13 9
2,292·38	,, ,, 25th ,,	4[illegible]	6,[illegible]	7[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15,84,750	693	370,384	4 3 4
2,292·38	,, ,, 1st Aug. ,,	4[illegible]	5,[illegible]	7[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	17,67,855	656	371,364	4 2 10
2,292·38	,, ,, 8th ,,	4[illegible]	6,[illegible]	7[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15,4[illegible]	672	378,414	4 1 10
2,292·38	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	3[illegible]	5[illegible]	6[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15,09,694	659	379,611	3 15 8
2,292·38	,, ,, 22nd ,,	4[illegible]	5,[illegible]	7[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	14,44,770	632	372,154	4 0 3
2,292·38	,, ,, 29th ,,	44[illegible]	3,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	14,66,441	640	372,606	3 15 0
	Totals up to date ...	[illegible]	36,59,735	5,04,12,191	[illegible]	3,31,928	1,30,80,563	656	3,234,055	

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
2,285·30	First 11 days of July ...	1,664,[illegible]	9,15,173	1,2[illegible]	[illegible]	72,059	23,60,184	1,274	653,521	4 7 3
2,285·30	Week ended 19th ,,	[illegible]	3,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15,08,834	686	345,164	4 8 9
2,285·30	,, ,, 26th ,,	5[illegible]	4,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15,14,724	661	348,651	4 5 4
2,285·30	,, ,, 3rd August ...	47[illegible]	4,37,811	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15,23,362	667	341,774	4 7 4
2,285·30	,, ,, 10th ,, ,,	4[illegible]	4,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15,10,287	661	315,607	4 4 5
2,285·30	,, ,, 17th ,,	4[illegible]	4,11,178	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	13,53,144	575	314,499	4 2 10
2,285·30	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	4[illegible]	4,47,441	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	13,53,838	591	337,825	4 0 0
2,285·30	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	45[illegible]	3,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	14,03,918	615	344,497	4 0 8
	Totals up to date ...	4,516,929	39,45,438	5,63,37,025	[illegible]	3,72,169	1,29,27,250	659	3,003,329	4 3 10

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 24th August 1908 on 22·21 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week ...	17,091	3,711 0 0	4,807 0	237 0 0	6 0 0	3,954 0 0	1,375	121	1,496
Per mile of railway ...	.....	167 1 4	.....	10 11 9	0 4 4	178 0 5	.....	.....	.....
Previous 7¾ weeks of half-year	177,340*	40,234 0 0*	120,815 0†	2,748 0 0†	46 0 0‡	43,027 0 0	10,230§	1,109§	11,339
Total for 8¾ weeks	194,431	43,944 0 0	125,722 0	2,985 0 0	52 0 0	46,981 0 0	11,605	1,287	12,892
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week previous year.	18,661	3,901 10 4	7,783 9	837 8 0	12 12 6	4,251 14 10	1,346	148	1,494
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	175 8 3	.....	15 2 11	0 9 3	191 4 4	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 8¾ weeks previous year.	218,347	49,723 3 0	92,373 0	3,705 0 0	62 8 0	53,547 11 0	10,244	1,728	11,972

Added No. of passengers 2,558 and added Rs. 125 [illegible]

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1908. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other Earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·21	First 11 days of July ...	49,655	11,691	27,438	503	11	12,205	534	2,420	5 1 3
22·21	Week ended 18th ,, ...	31,032	7,104	38,704	788	9	7,911	356	1,406	5 4 7
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	20,72	4,345	11,534	255	5	4,605	207	1,406	3 1 3
22·23	,, ,, 1st August ...	18,711	4,074	11,904	308	5	4,387	197	1,406	2 15 11
22·21	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	19,7?2	4,071	15,808	323	5	5,200	230	1,406	3 8 8
22·21	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	21,042	4,615	10,906	251	5	4,861	213	1,403	3 4 0
22·21	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	15,736	3,433	5,471	230	6	3,669	165	1,406	2 7 8
22·21	,, *,, 29th ,, ...	17,0 1	3,711	4,817	257	6	3,954	178	1,406	2 10 3
	Totals up to date ...	193,531	43,044	1,25,712	2,985		46,381	247	12,892	3 10 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 13 days of July ...	47,105	11,190	22,815	983	9	12,182	548	2,242	5 6 11
22·23	Week ended 20th ,, ...	31,007	7,129	14,039	510	6	7,636	343	1,234	6 3 0
22·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	33,201	7,535	16,432	436	8	7,979	359	1,190	6 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 3rd August ...	23,659	5,393	11,891	431	5	5,729	231	1,322	4 6 2
22·23	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	20,583	4,541	10,235	407	4	4,972	224	1,806	3 9 5
22·23	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	23,744	5,31	9,175	382	12	5,705	257	1,606	3 8 10
22·23	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	21,075	4,741	7,003	276	6	5,024	226	1,578	3 5 8
22·23	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	18,0·1	3,9·1	7,781	318	13	4,252	191	1,494	2 13 6
	Totals up to date ...	218,2·7	49,722	92,372	3,761	63	53,548	272	11 972	4 7 7

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th August 1908 on 162·5th miles open.

	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Coaching receipts.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Weight carried.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Receipts.	Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run. Coaching.	Merchandise etc.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	16,822	19,1?4 0 0	2?4,0?9 0	13,?57 0 0	42 0 0	12,?8? 0 0	11,?97	4 046	16,1?3
Or per mile of railway	...	11? 2 0		8? 4 1	? 4 2	?0 10 3	...	...	...
For previous 7? weeks of half-year	23?,?83*	1,?6,19? 0 0*	1,?7?,?83 0?	1,1?,?61 6 0?	3?? 0 0?	2,?5,3?2 6 0	8?,6?91	38,?43?	123,?9?
Total for ?? weeks	2?9,?05	1,8?,?7? 0 0?	1,?3,?72 0	12 ,?1? 0 0	3?? 0 0	?,?7,??? 0 0	1??,?23	39,?89	1?? 0?2
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	21,182	20,?82 6 3	1?6,81? 10	?2,?7? 0 ??	?4 12 9	?,?5 3 0	11,?21	3,?9?	15,?1?
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	12? 1 9		7? 1 1?	0 3 8	? 8 7 0?	...	...	...
Total for corresponding ?? weeks of previous year	2?1,?76	2,?,?8? 0 1	1,?15,?9?	1,?2,?9? 6 0	?0 3 0	3,?8,?17 ? 1	1??,?61	40,?71	144,??

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,8?? and deducted Rs. 5,?? On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 1?th July 1?08.
† Added Mds. 32,?85 ,, Do. ,, ?
‡ Deducted ,, ,,
§ Audited figures up to 19th July 1908.

1908 *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total Rs.	Per mile of railway. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 11 days of July	43,?48	31,?92	3,42,?17	28,?17	76	?7,?05	344	28,619	1 ? 11
162·36	Week ended 18th ,, ...	31,1?8	22,?91	2,?7,8?7	14,?49	?6	?7,?17	231	16,?05	1 ? 7
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	?3,?40	26,?30	2,?6,?65	14,?30	41	?1,?01	?54	16,?77	1 ? 7
162·36	,, ,, 1st August ...	?5,?81	22,?00	2,?5,114	14,?96	43	?7,?32	?12	16,?11	1 ? 6
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	?1,?80	?1 142	2,?1,?65	13,?25	49	?2,?26	?19	16,?61	1 1 10
162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	?7,?25	?1,?31	2,01,?51	14,?06	54	?5,?51	?20	16,?16	1 ? ?
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	?6,?35	18,?79	2,?0,?12	1?,?69	46	?1,?93	?05	16,?90	1 15 5
162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	?6,?22	19,?8?	2,?4,?69	15,?53	42	?2,?4?	?01	16,?93	1 ? ?
	Totals up to date ...	?39,6?6	1,?5,?78	18,?9,?72	1,?2,118	?87	5,07,?93	?41	140,612	1 ? 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. *1907.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 13 days of July ...	44,?81	43,?71	3,?5,?82	2?,?65	85	?1,?24	441	30,?04	1 ? 11
162·36	Week ended 20th ,, ...	?3,?53		2,?1,?08	14,?76	47	41,??2	?57	17,?83	1 ? 11
162·36	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	?1,?58	?2,?69	2,?4,???	16,?32	41	?9,?81	?61	16,?87	1 ? 10
162·36	,, ,, 3rd August ...	?7,?47	?5,?49	1,?6,107	13,?54	47	?0,?06	?17	16,?30	1 ? 10
162·36	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	?2,?47	?2,?31	1,?1,?14	14,?42	?2	?6,?85	?14	16,?85	1 ? ?
162·36	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	?6,???	?3,?8?	1,?8,?16	13,?19	?1	?3,?16	?78	16,?13	1 ? 6
162·36	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	?3,?2?	?7,?2?	1,?0,?87	12,?18	?4	?5,??7	?29	16,?31	1 ? 11?
162·36	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	?4,?91		1,?6,?10	12,?58	?5	?5,?56	?08	16,?19	1 ? 2

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 5th September 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
...l traffic for the week ...	51,700	27,000 0 0	2,83,000 0	47,500 0 0	5,500 0 0	80,000 0 0	15,346	18,664	34,010
...er mile of railway ...	66·61	35·16	367·00	61·61	7·13	103·90	19·98	24·21	44·19
...previous 9 weeks of half-...ar	423,867	2,54,153 0 0	21,49,605 0	3,76,989 0 0	34,481 0 0	6,65,623 0 0	136,101	167,534	303,655
Total for 10 weeks	474,567	2,81,153 0 0	24,32,605 0	4,24,489 0 0	39,981 0 0	7,45,623 0 0	151,447	186,218	337,665
COMPARISON									
...) for corresponding week ...previous year	46,276	25,962 0 0	3,78,963 0	59,631 0 0	6,937 0 0	92,531 0 0	15,754	18,920	32,684
...mile of railway correspond-...week of previous year ...	61·17	34·80	491·52	77·35	9·08	120·23	17·92	24·54	42·46
...to corresponding date of ...vious year	450,362	2,66,154 0 0	31,59,863 0	5,62,861 0 0	41,469 0 0	8,70,484 0 0	140,717	189,767	330,484

FINANCIAL YEAR.—*Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.*

...IPTS FOR WEEK ENDING ...0 SEPTEMBER 1908			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 7TH SEPTEMBER 1907.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 5TH SEPTEMBER 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 7TH SEPTEMBER 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
...:	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
	80,080	103·99	771	92,831	120·23	771	18,46,508	...	771	19,76,960	...	.....	1,30,443

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 5th September 1908 on 1,791 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
...ffic for the week ... ...receipts ...	306,960	(a)1,07,520	6,94,630	(b)178,610	713,330	1,90,330	57,166	(d)36,940	94,112
...e of railway ...	171·39	59·70	387·80	99·72	7·45	111·36	.....	.....	.....
...ous 91 weeks of half-... ...	2,902,785	11,39,980	74,71,408	9,01,675	1,37,157	22,18,382	491,015	347,007	838,022
Total for 92 weeks	3,109,745	12,49,500	81,66,038	9,80,285	2,00,787	24,28,662	548,181	383,933	932,134
...corresponding week ...us year	237,414	94,800	6,55,032	98,836	11,403	1,74,039	55,570	(f)39,498	94,077
...d corresponding week ...us year ...	132·53	52·91	365·56	55·17	6·37	97·10	.....	.....	.....
...corresponding date ...us year	2,830,201	10,97,430	70,00,724	11,07,711	1,93,841	24,58,623	536,084	422,510	958,594
...per Coaching, Goods ...l traffic-mile respec-...ring the week ...		1·86		2·18	·11	2·13			
...rresponding week of ...vious year		1·69		1·79	·12	1·88			

(a) Increase chiefly under local and foreign outward.
(b) Increase due to improved local movements; foreign inward traffic is still low.
(c) Increase mainly under steam-boat.
(d) Includes 6,218 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes audited figures up to week ending 18th July 1908.
(f) Includes 10,206 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	486,720	1,75,220 0 0	20,09,000 0	4,11,920 0 6	24,810 0 0	6,11,950 0 0	74,330	(b)48,168	122,498
Or per mile of railway	382	138 0 0	1,577	323 6	(a)1 0 0	(a)465 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year (c)	3,863,852	14,06,602 0 0	1,61,16,745 0	22,49,106 0 0	2,40,386 0 0	39,56,094 0 0	637,329	423,898	1,061,727
Total for 10 weeks ..	4,350,572	16,81,822 0 0	1,81,25,745 0	26,61,026 0 0	2,65,196 0 0	45,68,044 0 0	712,159	472,066	1,184,225
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	402,384	1,76,387 0 0	20,82,930	4 39,674 0	21,847 0 0	6,37,908	73,960	63,457	138,536
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,268 miles)	318	139 0 0	1,643	347 0	1 0 0	487 0 0	..	...	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	4,312,382	16,20,587 0 0	1,98,56,392	29,16,726	3,10,915 0 0	48,48,228 0 0	710,657	537,369	1,248,026

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs 19,540.
(b) Excluding ballast train-miles 1,956.
(c) Audited up to week ending 18th July 1908.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1908 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	44,050	12 070 0 0	1,268	6,830 0 0	350 0 0	19,220 0 0	4,056	(a)1,30	
Or per mile of railway ...	512	140 0 0	1,48	79 0 0	4 0 0	223 0 0	...	.....	
For previous 9 weeks of half-year (b)	383,138	1,06,3 1 0 0	9,060 0	29,222 0 0	1,973 0 0	1,37,476 0 0	37,800	14,0	
Total for 10 weeks	427,188	1,18,371 0 0	4,28 0 0	6,0 0 0	2,323 0 0	1,56,696 0 0			
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	42,309	(c)19,258 0 0	1,07,041	1,87 0 0	304	17,2 0 0			
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	469	224 0 0	1,244	22 0 0	3 0 0	247 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	367,939	1,17,733 0 0	8,32,7	5,,31 0 0	2,67 0 0	1,70,08 0 0	43,6	14,79	

(a) Excluding contract train-miles 560
(b) Audited up to week ending 18th July 1908
(c) Includes certain adjustments.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1908, on 339 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,950	1 310 0 0	18,570 0	1,780 0 0	10 0 0	3,130 0 0	482	(a) 791	1,2
Or per mile of railway ...	118	39 0 0	553 0	53 0 0	...	93 0 0			
For previous 9 weeks of half-year (b)	34,054	12,807 0 0	1,54,931 0	15,982 0 0	106 0 0	28,895 0 0	3,914	14,766	18,6
Total for 10 weeks ...	36,014	14,267 0 0	1,73,501 0	15,762 0 0	116 0 0	30,985 0 0	4,393	15,557	19,9
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,306	1,329 0 0	20,160 0	2,028 0 0	2 0 0	3,359 0 0	669	2,170	2,8
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	130	41 0 0	603 0	60 0 0	... ...	101 0 0	...		
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	34,150	12,140 0 0	1,5,512 0	15,694 0 0	101 0 0	28,944 0 0	4,440	20,44	24,8

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 1,060
(b) Audited up to week ending 18th July 1908.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1908 on 54 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Goods and other.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	19,959	3,670 0 0	47,250 0	3,320 0 0	50 0 0	7,040 0 0	2,016	(a)770	2,786
Or per mile of railway	238	68 0 0	875 0	61 0 0	1 0 0	130 0 0	..	..	..
For previous 9 weeks of half-year (b)	100,564	33,930 0 0	3,06,934 0	17,157 0 0	353 0 0	51,440 0 0	17,020	5,116	21,936
Total for 10 weeks	114,514	37,600 0 0	3,54,184 0	20,477 0 0	423 0 0	58,580 0 0	19,036	5,886	23,922
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	13,591	3,399 0 0	74,571 0	4,076 0 0	56? 0 0	8,039 0 0	2,016	822	2,838
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	268	67 0 0	1,019 0	80 0 0	11 0 0	158 0 0	..	..	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	100,089	33,252 0 0	3,58,991 0	21,242 0 0	3,0?? 0 0	57,591 0 0	18,220	5,027	24,329

(a) Ballast trains not run.
(b) Audited up to week ending 29th July 1908.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 12th September 1908	Coaching	5,389 0 0	16,564 0 0
	Goods	11,032 0 0	
	Other earnings	43 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1907	Coaching	7,715 0 0	14,435 0 0
	Goods	6,677 0 0	
	Other earnings	43 0 0	
	Increase		2,129 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 12th September 1908			332 10 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907			283 0 8
	Increase		49 9 4
Receipts from 1st July to 12th September 1908			1,63,864 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1907			1,57,787 0 0
			5,923 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 6650A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1995A.D.—The 23rd September 1908.*—Mr. Nabaratna Misra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is transferred temporarily to the Madhubani subdivision of the Darbhanga district.

Khulna.
Darbhanga.

No. 1998A.D.—The 23rd September 1908.—Babu Sushil Chandra Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Nadia district.

Nadia.

No. 2001A.D.—The 23rd September 1908.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Chaudhuri, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Khulna district.

Nadia.
Khulna.

No. 2009A.D.—The 24th September 1908.—Mr. T. Thornhill, substantive *pro tempore* Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is confirmed in that appointment.

Calcutta.

No. 2024A.D.—The 25th September 1908.—Mr. D. McLeod Smith, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2027A.D.—The 25th September 1908.—Maulvi Khundkar Fazl-ul-Hakk, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is appointed to act temporarily as Magistrate and Collector of that district, *vice* Mr. Ram Anugraha Narayan Singh, deceased.

Birbhum.

No. 2042A.D.—The 25th September 1908.—Mr. M. C. McAlpin, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on special duty, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector, Purnea, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. H. Vernède, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Purnea.

No. 2072A.D.—The 26th September 1908.—Mr. J. Byrne, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Darjeeling district.

Darjeeling.

No. 2082A.D.—The 26th September 1908.—Babu Manohar Gupta, Probationary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Lalbagh, Murshidabad, is transferred to the Kandi subdivision of that district.

Murshidabad.

No. 2087A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Babu Sharat Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is appointed to act as Deputy Commissioner of that district, during the absence, on leave of Mr. H. L. Stephenson, or until further orders.

Ranchi.

No. 2103A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Babu Basanta Krishna Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jhenida, Jessore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Hooghly district.

Jessore.
Hooghly.

No. 2106A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Jhenida subdivision of the Jessore district.

Jessore.

This cancels the order of the 15th September 1908, posting Babu Gyanendra Nath Chaudhuri to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district.

Murshidabad.

No. 2109A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Babu Khagendra Nath Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district.

Hooghly.
Murshidabad.

No. 2112A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Mr. L. B. Burrows, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is transferred to Singhbhum.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

No. 2116A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Rai Narayan Chandra Naik Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Angul district, on relinquishing charge of his settlement duties in that district.

Angul.

No. 2120A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Babu Bankim Chandra Mitra, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Saran, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Burdwan.

Saran.
Burdwan

No. 2128A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Babu Prayag Nath, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Darbhanga, is appointed to act until further orders as Subordinate Judge of Saran.

Darbhanga.

No. 2130A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Babu Kanti Chandra Mukharji, Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge, Bankura, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Darbhanga, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Darbhanga.

Bankura.
Darbhanga.

No. 2132A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—The services of Babu Shashi Bhushan Sen, Officiating Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Howrah, Hooghly and Serampore, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Howrah.
Hooghly.
Serampore.

No. 2149A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Mr. A. Garrett, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the 18th July 1908, but to continue to act in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors, until further orders.

Cuttack.

No. 2170A.D.—The 29th September 1908.—Mr. J. J. Patel, District and Sessions Judge, Cuttack, acted in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges from the afternoon of the 24th August 1908, *vice* Mr. C. W. E. Pittar, on leave, up to the 12th September 1908.

Cuttack.

No. 2174A.D.—The 29th September 1908.—Mr. A. N. Moberly, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Sambalpur, and also Officiating Political Agent, Orissa Feudatory States, acted in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors from the afternoon of the 12th September 1908, *vice* Mr. H. Coupland, on leave, up to the 20th idem.

Sambalpur.

POLICE.—*No. 2029A.D.—The 25th September 1908.*—Mr. F. L. Bussell, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, is transferred to Bhagalpur.

Darjeeling. Bhagalpur.

No. 2090A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Mr. R. J. Hirst, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, in charge of the Port Police, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Burdwan, *vice* Mr. C. E. Ezechiel, about to proceed on leave.

Calcutta. Burdwan.

No 2093A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Mr. C. A. Tegart, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed temporarily to act as a Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, in charge of the Port Police, during the absence on deputation, of Mr. R. S. F Macrae.

Calcutta.

JAIL.—*No. 2065A.D.—The 26th September 1908.*—Mr. C. T. Brett, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Midnapore, is appointed temporarily to act as Assistant Superintendent of the Midnapore Jail, and is authorised to exercise the full powers of a Superintendent of Jails.

Midnapore.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 6049A.—The 29th September 1908.—The following promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service:—

Confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Sharat Chandra Sen Gupta.

Promoted to the fourth grade.

Babu Bhabataran Chatarji.
„ Ashutosh Banarji.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade.*

Babu Satish Chandra Sen.
Maulvi Amin-ul-Islam.

Promoted to the fifth grade.

Mr A. W. Warde-Jones.
Babu Nanda Kishor Lal.
„ Kshitish Chandra Sarkar.
Mr. W. J. Stark.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fifth grade*

Babu Hari Bhushan De.
Maulvi Saiyid Hasan Mirza.

Confirmed in the sixth grade.

Mr. H. A. Lane.
Babu Srinath Chatarji.
„ Jogesh Chandra Dutt.

Promoted to the sixth grade.

Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Abul Hayat.
„ Shams-ud-din Haidar.
Babu Dasharathi Datta.
„ Ajay Chandra Das.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the sixth grade.*

Babu Baidya Nath Misra.
„ Nanda Kishor Tripathi.

Confirmed in the seventh grade.

Mr. W. G. Shout.
„ A. R. Stark.
Maulvi Muhammad Hamid.
Mr. Nabaratna Misra.
„ A. F. L. Sharling.
Babu Srimanta Kumar Das Gupta.

Promoted to the seventh grade.

Babu Kshetra Bhushan Prasad.
„ Sarada Nanda Das.
„ Nrisinha Ranjan Mukharji.
„ Balmukunda Kanungo.
„ Rampada Chatarji.
Maulvi Abdul Bari.
Babu Bhuban Mohan Chatarij,
„ Jitendra Nath Sarkar.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the seventh grade.*

Babu Hemanta Kumar Maitra.

Confirmed in the eighth grade.

Mr. D. G. K. McGavin.
Babu Gyanendra Chandra Brahma.
„ Hem Chandra Mitra.
Maulvi Saiyid Musi Kazim.
Babu Prasanna Kumar Ghoshal.
Maulvi Shams-ud-din Muhammad Abdul Aziz.
„ Nasir-ul-Hakk.
Mr. W. G. Kelly.
Babu Sharat Chandra Ray.
„ Tribikram Pujari.
„ Pulin Bihari Aikat.
Mr. Charu Chandra Chakrabatti.
Babu Sudhangshu Bhushan Mitra.
„ Mukutdhari Singh.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2007A. D.—The 23rd September 1908.*—Babu Atal Bihari Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ghatal, Midnapore, is allowed leave for two months and eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 17th September 1908.

Midnapore.

No. 2007A.D.—The 24th September 1908.—Mr. F. J. G. Geary, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan, is allowed furlough, on medical certificate, for four months, under article 311 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th August 1908.

Burdwan.

No. 2039A.D.—The 25th September 1908.—Mr. A. H. Vernède, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Purnea, is allowed leave for twenty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Purnea.

No. 2084A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Mr. H. L. Stephenson, Deputy Commissioner, Ranchi, is allowed leave for seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

Ranchi.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 2074A.D.—The 26th September 1908.*—Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Cowie, R.E., Commandant, Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for one year, with effect from the 10th December 1908.

No. 2097A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Major Henry Burvill Holmes, V.D., Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for one year, with effect from the 1st November 1908.

POLICE.—*No. 2089A.D.—The 28th September 1908.*—Mr. C. E. Ezechiel, Superintendent of Police, Burdwan, is allowed combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd November 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

Burdwan.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2058A.D.—The 26th September 1908.*—Babu Baladeb Ram Jha, Additional Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, was allowed leave for eleven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 11th March 1908.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2157A.D.—The 29th September 1908.—Mr. J. A. Chapman, Officer in charge of the Government Commercial classes, Calcutta, is allowed combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

Calcutta.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—*No. 2165A.D.—The 29th September 1908.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. William Henry Hoare Vincent of his office of member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

THE following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 23rd September 1908 :—

No. 3786A.—The 17th September 1908.—Babu Kamala Nath Das, Munsif of Dacca, is appointed to act until further orders as Additional Subordinate Judge, Dacca, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. Gopal Chandra Banarji as acting Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, Tippera and Sylhet.

No. 3928A.—The 19th September 1908.—Babu Satish Chandra Biswas, Munsif, on leave, is appointed temporarily to be a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Goalundo, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Goalundo Munsifi.

No. 3947A.—The 21st September 1908.—Babu Ashutosh Ghosh, No. I, Munsif of Motihari, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dacca, [illegible] stationed at Munshiganj and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a [illegible]niganj

No. 3950A.—The 21st September 1908.—Babu Praphulla Chandra Datta, Munsif of Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Chikandi, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50 and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Chikandi Munsifi.

No. 3953A.—The 21st September 1908.—Babu Durga Kanta Ray, Munsif of Kandi in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, to be ordinarily stationed at Pabna, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Pabna.

No. 3956A.—The 21st September 1908.—Babu Jatindra Chandra Lahiri, Munsif of Tamluk, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Feni, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Feni Munsifi.

No. 3959A.—The 21st September 1908.—Babu Kali Das Mukharji, Munsif of Balasoree in the district of Cuttack, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Sylhet, to be ordinarily stationed at Karimganj, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Karimganj Munsifi.

No. 3962A.—The 21st September 1908.—Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, Munsif of Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Tippera to be ordinarily stationed at Nabinagar, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Nabinagar Munsifi.

No. 3965A.—The 21st September 1908.—Babu Purna Chandra Basu, Munsif of Bolpur, in the district of Birbhum, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Rajshahi, to be ordinarily stationed at Nator, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Nator Munsifi.

No. 3968A.—The 21st September 1908.—Babu Nagendra Nath Ghosh, Munsif of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Sylhet, to be ordinarily stationed at Maulvi Bazar, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Maulvi Bazar Munsifi.

No. 3971A.—The 21st September 1908.—Babu Bihari Lal Chatarji, No. I, Munsif of Sealdah, in the district of 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Rajshahi, to be ordinarily stationed at Rampur Boalia, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Rampur Boalia Munsifi.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1521T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—Mr. J. H. Waddingham, Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Darjeeling Forest Division, is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and four days, or the amount due, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th September 1908, or such subsequent date as he may be relieved, and furlough on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 311.

Darjeeling.

No. 1524T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—In supersession of Notification No. 3188For. dated the 17th August 1908, Mr. E. E. Slane, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Singhbhum Division, is granted privilege leave for two months and twenty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 9th September 1908.

Singhbhum.

No. 4110.—The 26th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (c) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands of estate mahal Bhara'pur, tauzi No. 2091 of the Murshidabad Collectorate, comprised within the boundaries of village Gunduria.

Murshidabad.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed,—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise ;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1453T.R.—The 22nd September 1908.—Notification No. 3460(L.R.), dated the 1st September 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd idem, granting privilege leave for twenty-eight days to Babu Shamshir Jang Bahadur, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Bhagalpur, is hereby cancelled.

Bhagalpur.

No. 1503 T.R.—The 24th September 1908.—The following candidates have passed the Revenue Agents' Examination held in August 1908:—

Division.	District.		Name.
Burdwan	Burdwan	...	1. Ashutosh Biswas.
	Bankura	...	1. Rameshwar Biswas.
	Midnapore	...	2. Surendra Nath Banerjea. Akhilpati Banerjea. Baikanta Nath Manna. Bhima Charan Jana. Bhola Nath Chaudhri. 5. Dhirendra Nath Mukhapadhya. 6. Iswar Chandra Bera. 7. Jotendra Nath Bose. 8. Khoda Newaz. Naba Kumar Singh. Narendra Nath Sarkar. Natabar Giri. 12. Shib Ram Rana. 13. Surendra Nath Biswas. 14. Tarini Charan Sarkar.
Presidency	24-Parganas	...	1. Hari Gopal Bose.
	Murshidabad	...	1. Kisori Mohan Chatterjea. 2. Ram Narayan Acharjea. 3. Siris Chandra Bhuttacharjea.
	Khulna	...	1. Shahamatulla Mollah.
Patna	Patna	...	1. Bankey Bihari Lal. 2. Bishan Prasad. 3. Girja Prasad. 4. Hari Nath. 5. Kauleshwar Prasad. Kuldip Sahai. Makeshwar Sahai. Munshi Lal. Abdur Rahman. Ghasita *alias* Afzal Ali. Gopal Narayan Lal. Jamna Prasad.
	Shahabad	...	5. Mathura Prasad. Muhammed Saddik. Pardhan Raghubir Prasad. Rajlans Sahai. Ramyad Lal. Rezuddin Haider. Gulab Sahai. Harkishore Narayan. Izhar-uddin Ahmed.
	Saran	...	4. Mahabir Prasad. 5. Sheogovind Sahai. 6. Singasan Prasad. 7. Syed Sharafuddin Ahmad.
	Champaran	...	1. Gopal Lal. 2. Lalji Prasad Sinha.
	Muzaffarpur	...	1. Ashutosh Mukherjea. 2. Harbans Prasad Singh. 3. Hardhar Singh. 4. Jagdeo Sahai. 5. Lachmi Prasad. 6. Muhammed Umar. 7. Permeshwar Prasad. 8. Ramnewaz Sahi. 9. Sukdeo Narayan.
	Darbhanga	...	1. Bisoshwar Dayal. 2. Iswar Prasad. 3. Madho Prasad.
Bhagalpur	Monghyr	...	1. Mahabir Prasad.
	Purnea	...	1. Badri Narayan Sinha.
	Darjeeling	...	2. Hem Chandra Chaudhry.
			1. Jogendra Nath Sanyal.
Orissa	Cuttack	...	1. Khetra Mohan Chaudhuri.
	Manbhum	...	1. Rakhal Chandra Palit.
			2. Surendra Nath Roy.

No. 1504T.R.—The 24th September 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 31 of the Indian Forests Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following be substituted for clause (*ii*) of Rule 6 of the Rules published with Notification No. 5401For. dated the 16th December 1895, in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem :—

"(*ii*) that the following payments be made annually to the Collector of Puri for credit to the Forest Department as forest revenue on account of the general use of the protected forests, namely:—

(*a*) by every rent-paying raiyat in the estate, a payment calculated at the rate of six pies in the rupee on his rent, or at such less rate as may be fixed from time to time by the Local Government ; and

(*b*) by the following persons, namely :—

(1) all raiyats not referred to in clause (*a*),

(2) all tenure-holders,

(3) all classes of rent-free or revenue-free holders having their free or revenue-free lands within the geographical limits of the estate and residing within its limits, and

(4) all tenants holding land under rent-free or revenue-free holders,

a payment calculated at the rate prescribed by or under sub-clause (*a*) on the valuation of the land as determined for the purpose of assessing road cess thereon."

2. Notification No. 451For., dated the 28th January 1899, is hereby cancelled.

No. 1525T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—Declaration No. 2465L.A., dated the 22nd July 1907, published at page 1290, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, regarding the acquisition of land

Ranchi.

required for Sub-Inspector's quarters at the Sadar police-station in the district of Ranchi, is hereby cancelled.

No. 1438T.R.—The 22nd September 1908.—Mr. J. McPherson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhum, is appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officer, Chota Nagpur Settlement.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.
Manbhum.

This cancels so much of Notification No. 3693L.R., dated the 8th September 1908, as appointing him Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Monghyr, Patna and Shahabad.

No. 1444T.R.—The 22nd September 1908.—Mr. Alfred Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Narail, Jessore, is appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Bhagalpur, Monghyr, Patna and Shahabad.

Bhagalpur.
Monghyr.
Patna.
Shahabad.

This cancels so much of Notification No. 3747L.R., dated the 8th September 1908, as appointing him Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Manbhum (Barabhum).

No. 1455T.R.—The 22nd September 1908.—So much of Notification No. 3701L.R., dated the 8th September 1908, as relates to the appointment of the undermentioned officers as Assistant Settlement Officers in the districts of Monghyr, Patna and Shahabad, is hereby cancelled :—

Gaya.
Shahabad.

(1) Maulvi Saiyid Amanat Hossain, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jahanabad, Gaya.

(2) Maulvi Muhammad Tahir, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector Sasaram, Shahabad.

No. 1541T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—In declaration No. 3115R., dated 10th August 1908, published at page 1417, part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th August 1908, in respect of the acquisition of the land

Darbhanga.

required for a site for an Inspection Bungalow, in the village of Bahera, pargana Havi, zilla Darbhanga,

Substitute "in the village of Baheree" *for* "in the village of Bahera."

No. 1543T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—So much of Notification No. 3701L.R., dated the 8th September 1908, as relates to the appointment of Babu Atul Gopal Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, Madhubani Darbhanga, as Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Monghyr, Patna and Shahabad is hereby cancelled.

Monghyr.
Patna.
Shahabad.

No. 1549T.R.—The 28th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Acts III of 1898 and I of 1907, and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands comprised in thanas Maner, Dinapora, Fatua, Bikram, Hilsa, Islampore, Masudhi-Buzurg and Phulwari and the thanas of Patna City, in the district of Patna, with the exception of those for which a record-of-rights has already been prepared in connection with the survey and settlement of Government estates, temporarily-settled estates and zamindari estates.

Patna.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise ;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private land as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1550T.R.—The 28th September 1908.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the transfer of the undermentioned villages in the district of Champaran from the jurisdiction of one thana to another :—

Champaran.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Pargana,	Thana No.	From thana—	To thana—
1	Sikata	Majhawa, tappa Balua.	352	Bagaha	Bettiah.
2	Do. ...	Ditto	351	Do.	Do.
3	Barwa ...	Ditto	353	Do.	Do.
4	Sihorwa	Ditto	354	Do.	Do.
5	Daunwar	Ditto	350	Do.	Do.
6	Ditto	Ditto	349	Do.	Do.
7	Ojhaulia	Ditto	346	Do.	Do.
8	Gaunaria	Ditto	348	Do.	Do.
9	Sahadatpur	Ditto	347	Do.	Do.
10	Shiurajpur ...	Ditto	356	Do.	Do.
11	Piparpanti ..	Ditto	355	Do.	Do.
12	Sirsia	Ditto	357	Do.	Do.
13	Chaurahi	Ditto	358	Do.	Do.
14	Padraun ...	Majhawa, tappa Manpur Chaudand.	359	Do. ...	Do.
15	Sonbarsa	Ditto	361	Do.	Do.
16	Ditto	Ditto	360	Do.	Do.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Pargana.	Thana No.	From thana—	To thana-
17	Siswa ...	Majhawa, tappa Balua.	345	Bagaha	Bettiah.
18	Khairatia	Ditto ...	344	Do. ...	Do.
19	Ditto	Majhawa, tappa Manpur Chaudand.	365	Do. ...	Do.
20	Ditto	Ditto ...	366	Do.	Do.
21	Chaubetola	Ditto ...	386	Do.	Do.
22	Baldiha ...	Ditto	364	Do. ...	Do.
23	Semri	Ditto	363	Do. ...	Do.
24	Do.	Ditto ...	362	Do.	Do.
25	Bhawanipur	Ditto ...	403	Do.	Do.
26	Piprahia ...	Rajramnagar, tappa Chigwan.	404	Do.	Do.
27	Bhawanipur ...	Majhawa, tappa Manpur Chaudand.	402	Do. ...	Do.
28	Dharahawa Bherihar-wa.	Majhawa, tappa Patjarwa.	405	Do. ...	Do.
29	Nawalpur ...	Majhawa, tappa Manpur Chaudand.	401	Do. ...	Do.
30	Nimuia	Ditto ...	388	Do. ...	Do.
31	Seswa Bairagi	Ditto ...	387	Do. ...	Do.
32	Barwa ...	Ditto ...	88	Do. ...	Do.
33	Chandarpur Parohi ...	Ditto ...	384	Do. ...	Do.
34	Chandrauli ...	Ditto ...	382	Do. ...	Do.
35	Piparpanti ...	Majhawa, tappa Patjarwa.	425	Do. ...	Do.
36	Hariharpur ...	Ditto ...	426	Do. ...	Do.
37	Gardahia ...	Ditto ...	427	Do. ...	Do.
38	Bharthapatti ...	Ditto ...	428	Do. ...	Do.
39	Dumra ...	Majhawa, tappa Gaudauli.	335	Do. ...	Shikarpur.
40	Paroraha ...	Ditto ...	336	Do. ...	Ditto.
41	Belwa ...	Ditto ...	337	Do. ..	Ditto
42	Serukahia ...	Ditto ...	338	Do. ...	Ditto.
43	Pachbhirwa ...	Ditto ...	339	Do. ...	Ditto.
44	Harpur ...	Ditto ...	340	Do. ...	Ditto.
45	Phulwaria ...	Ditto ...	341	Do. ...	Ditto.
46	Kataia ...	Majhawa, tappa Balua.	342	Do. ...	Ditto.
47	Langari ...	Ditto ...	343	Do. ...	Ditto.
48	Barwa ...	Majhawa, tappa Manpur Chaudand.	367	Do. ...	Ditto.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 4107.—The 23rd September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Nadia District Board for a public purpose, viz., for the village of Meherpur, pargana Rajpur, zilla Nadia, more or less, t, bounded on the south by lands occupied by ... ne east by lands occupied by sarkari mango garden of Nischindipur Company, Limited on the north by lands occupied by Nischindipur Company, Limited, and on the west by Krishnagar-Meherpur road, is required within the aforesaid village of Meherpur.

Nadia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 4108.—The 23rd September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for spoil at slip near Mahuda station, in the village of Macheara, pargana Nawagarh, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 17 cottahs and 4 chitaks of standerd measurement, bounded on the north by a bund of Srinath Pandey and others, on the south by Bengal-Nagpur Railway land, on the east by paddy land of Bhim Shaw, and on the west by *bari* land of Hab Lal Pandey, is required within the aforesaid village of Macheara.

Manbhum.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Adra.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1536T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed Gaya new station yard of the East Indian Railway Company and the diversion of the Patna-Gaya Railway in the villages of Barka-Delha, Chotka-Delha, Khurkhura, Mandraj-Bigha, Bhaluahi, Bairagi-Bigha and Nawada, tahsil Gaya, Pahra and Sonot, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land measuring, more or less, 666 bighas 15 cottas 11·84 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Gaya.

Plot 1.—On the north by the land of Barka-Delha owned by Babu Kesho Lal and 9 annas Raj Tekari, and on the south, east and west by the Mogalsarai-Gaya Railway land,

Plot 2.—On the north by the village land of Barka-Delha owned by Babu Kesho Lal and 9 annas Raj Tekari Khurkhura owned by Babu Brijbhukhan Awasthi, Chotka-Delha owned by Nawab Nasir Uddin Mirza and Bhaluahi owned by 9 annas Raj Tekari, on the south by the village land of Barka-Delha owned by Babu Kesho Lal and 9 annas Raj Tekari Chotka-Delha owned by Nawab Nasir Uddin Mirza and Patna-Gaya Railway land, and on the east and west by Patna-Gaya Railway land:

Plot 3.—On the north by Patna-Gaya Railway land, on the south by South-Bihar Railway land, on the east by the village land of Bairagi-Bigha owned by 9 annas Tekari Raj and Enait Ahmad and Nawada of the 7 annas Tekari Raj, and on the west by the village land of Bairagi-Bigha owned by 9 annas Raj Tekari and Enayet Ahmad, Nawada owned by 7 annas Raj Tekari and Patna-Gaya Railway land,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Barka-Delha, Chotka-Delha, Khurkhura Mandraj-Bigha, Bhaluahi, Bairagi-Bigha and Nawada.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Gaya.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1537T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Howrah Municipality for the Muhammadan burial ground in the village of Salkia Dharamtala, pargana Boro, district Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 1 cottah of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Hooghly.

North—By Narayan Chandra Sant's garden land,
East—By Sri Kissan Bhakat's garden land,
South—By Kali Krisna Thakur's garden land, and
West—By Hari Kundu's garden land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Salkia Dharamtala.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1538T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Balasore District Board for a public purpose, viz., for a feeder road from Kenduapada Railway Station to Barikpur in the villages of Todgan, Chak Chinamali, Ampur and Darada, parganas Soso and Senaut, zilla Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 36·58 acres of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Balasore.

North—By Bengal-Nagpur Railway Station compound,
East—By remaining portions of the aforesaid villages,
South—By Orissa Trunk Road,
West—By remaining portions of the aforesaid villages,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Todgan, Chak Chinamali, Ampur and Darada.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Balasore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1539T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Gandak bridge approaches at Bagaha, in the villages of Naraipore, Dumowlia, Naraipore and Semralabedaha, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 737 bighas 11 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Naraipore, Dumowlia, Naraipore and Semralabedaha.

Champaran.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chief Engineer Bengal and North-Western Railway, Gorakhpore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1540T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Post-office building at Manjhi, in the village of Manjhi, pargana Manjhi, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 cottahs and 5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Saran.

North—By the garden and Manjhi thana,
East—By the land of Ibrahim Sain and District Board Road,
South—By the land of Ibrahim Sain,
West—By the house of Barakai Sain,

is required within the aforesaid village of Manjhi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Saran.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1542T.R.—The 26th September 1908.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Purulia-Ranchi Railway for watering arrangements in the village of Gunridih, pargrna Khukra, zilla Ranchi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 acres and 12 poles, being equivalent to 12 bighas 6 cottahs 9 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Gunridih.

Ranchi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Ranchi district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Ranchi.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1595T.G.—The 26th September 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*c*) of section 5 of the Reformatory Schools Act, 1897 (VIII of 1897), and with the sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the Alipore Reformatory School shall cease to exist as a Reformatory School.

No. 1512.—The 25th September 1908.—The following notification of the Government of India is published for general information:—

No. 465, dated Simla, the 11th September 1908.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Home Department.

THE addition made by the Home Department Notification No. 567, dated the 19th December 1902, to Rule XXIII, Part IV of the Ecclesiastical Rules published with notification No. 178, dated the 21st May 1897, is hereby cancelled.

No. 1586T.G.—The 26th September 1908.—The following resolution of the Government of India is republished for general information:—

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 8627—8663-6, dated Simla, the 16th September 1908.

RESOLUTION—By the Govt. of India, Dept. of Commerce and Industry.

In a letter No. 152-154, dated the 7th January 1908, the opinion of Chambers of Commerce and Trades Associations was invited on a proposal, which had been made by the Director-General of the Post Office of India, that the maximum limit of weight of inland parcels, which may be conveyed by post, should be reduced from 2,000 tolas (25 seers) to 800 tolas (10 seers). In support of this proposal it was urged that, in view of the facilities which were now available to the public for the transmission of heavy parcels by railway, it was no longer necessary to despatch parcels exceeding ten seers in weight by post. Such parcels were a source of considerable inconvenience to the Post Office—especially in cases where steamer or tonga services or "bhangy runners" had to be employed for the purpose. Moreover, it appeared from the statistics which had been collected that heavy parcels were sent through the Post Office only to a very limited extent. Figures supplied by the Director-General showed that only about 1,700 parcels of more than ten seers in weight were received from the public for conveyance by post in 1906-07.

2. When the replies of the various Chambers of Commerce and Trades Associations were received, it was found that the majority of these bodies were generally in favour of the proposal. Some objections to the withdrawal of what was alleged to be a facility to trade were, however, put forward. The principal objections raised were as follows:—

(*a*) that in 1907 a considerable increase was believed to have occurred in the number of heavier parcels carried over the number conveyed in the previous year;

(*b*) that the withdrawal of the concession would cause inconvenience to members of the public who live off the railway.

3. The Director-General of the Post Office was instructed to examine the statistics of the parcel traffic of 1907-08. The examination made has shown that the total number of private parcels exceeding 800 tolas in weight posted during that year was 1,128, as compared with 1,700 posted in the preceding year, and of these only one-half had to be conveyed from the office of posting to the office of destination over runner and tonga lines. It is clear,

therefore, that not only has the traffic in heavy parcels not increased, but that it has actually diminished by about a third in one year. No serious inconvenience to the public can, therefore, be apprehended, and it may be added that a large proportion of the heavy parcels actually sent could no doubt be made up into a larger number of lighter parcels, which would not exceed in weight the proposed limit of 800 tolas.

4. The Government of India have accordingly decided that from the 1st October 1908 the limit of weight of private inland parcels carried by the post should be reduced to 800 tolas. From the same date the limit of weight of official parcels will be raised from 600 to 800 tolas, so that the limits may be uniform.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India*.

ORDERED, also, that the Resolution be communicated to all Departments of the Government of India, to all Local Governments and Administrations, to all Heads of Departments subordinate to this Department, the Secretary to the Railway Board and the Examiner of Telegraph Accounts.

REGISTRATION.

No. 1365 T.G.—The 24th September 1908.—Babu Amulya Kumar Gupta, Probationer, Nadia, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Gopiballabhpur in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 28th August 1908, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 850-O.—The 25th September 1908.—Mr. W. G. Leys, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 29th September 1908, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Benares Agency.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6651A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2031A.D.—The 25th September 1908.—The services of Babu Debendra Nath Pal, Munsif of Amta, in the district of Hooghly, who has, under the order of the 22nd September 1908, been appointed to act as Sub-Judge of that district, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Hooghly.

LEAVE.

No. 2120A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Babu Nistaran Banarji, Subordinate Judge, is allowed furlough for four days, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 8th July 1908.

POWERS.

No. 2061A.D.—The 26th September 1908.—Babu Nagendra Nath Ray, Deputy Magistrate, Gumla, Ranchi, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Ranchi.

No. 2116A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Rai Narayan Chandra Naik Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Angul district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Angul.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1344J.D.—The 24th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Dr. Henry Neville Coltart to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Samastipur Independent Bench, in the district of Darbhanga. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Samastipur subdivision of that district.

Darbhanga.

No. 1358J.D.—The 25th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint Sahibzada Fatih Muhammad Shah and Babu Shibadas Banarji to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Alipore and Jaynagar Independent Benches, respectively, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

Babu Shibadas Banarji is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 1370J.D.—The 26th September 1908.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Jiban Krishna Maiti to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Contai Independent Bench, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1350J.D.—The 24th September 1908.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Ehsan Ali, authorizing him to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the police-station of Salkopa, in the district of Jessore.

Jessore.

No. 1351J.D.—The 24th September 1908.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Ehsan Ali, appointing him Kazi of thana Salkopa, in the district of Jessore, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

Jessore.

H. C. STREATFEILD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1557P.D.—The 24th September 1908.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Angul District Regulation, 1894 (I of 1894), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the portions of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1890 (Act XI of 1890), which are noted in the margin, shall be in force in the district of Angul.

Angul.

Section 2 [except sub-section (2)].
Section 5 and so much of section 8 as relates to section 5.
Sections 9 and 11.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1577P.D.—The 24th September 1908.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Kanungo Mahesh Chandra Das Mahapatra, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of

Balasore.

Union No. I—Panchpali of the Panchpali outpost, in the district of Balasore, *vice* Babu Loknath Sahu, *removed*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Kanungo Mahesh Chandra Das Mahapatra for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

Balasore.

No. 1578P.D.—The 24th September 1908.—The Notification No. 4077J., dated the 27th November 1905, published at page 1976, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Loknath Sahu, as President of the panchayat of Union No. I—Panchpali of the Panchpali outpost, in the district of Balasore, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Burdwan.

No. 1582P.D.—The 24th September 1908.—Babu Purna Chandra Biswas, Inspector of Police, Burdwan, is promoted from the third to the first grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 11th June 1908, *vice* Mr. A. J. M. Mathews, promoted.

Monghyr.

Babu Tej Narayan Singh, Inspector of Police, Monghyr, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* from the second to the first grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 11th June 1908, *vice* Babu Aghore Nath Chaudhury, promoted.

24-Parganas.

Babu Jogendra Nath Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* second grade Inspector of Police, 24-Parganas, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 16th April 1908, *vice* Babu Shashi Kumar Chakrabarti, retired.

Hazaribagh.

Babu Kumudini Kanta Shome, Inspector of Police, Hazaribagh, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 16th April 1908, *vice* Babu Jogendro Nath Mukharji, confirmed, and is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 11th June 1908, *vice* Mr. Bhimdal Lazarus Diwan Ray, promoted.

24-Parganas.

Babu Sidheswar Ghoshal, Inspector of Police, 24-Parganas, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 11th June 1908, *vice* Babu Kumudini Kanta Shome, confirmed, and is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 18th July 1908, in the new appointment sanctioned in Government Order No. 2226P., of the same date.

Purnea.

Babu Brojo Bakhal Sanyal, Inspector of Police, Purnea, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 11th June 1908, *vice* Babu Tej Narayan Singh, promoted.

Ranchi.

Mr. V. H. Everett, Inspector, Police Training College, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 18th July 1908, *vice* Babu Sidheswar Ghoshal confirmed.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PROCLAMATION.

Gaya.

No. 1621P D.—The 26th September 1908.—In accordance with proclamation No. 3594P., dated the 19th August 1907, published at page 1501, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, an additional police force was appointed for a period of one year in the villages of Amari, Ananthigha and Amarpura, within the jurisdiction of the Goh police-station, in the Aurangabad sub-division of the district of Gaya. Under section 15 of Act V of 1861 (as amended by Act VIII of 1895), the Lieutenant-Governor now declares that that proclamation shall remain in force, and that the additional police force appointed thereunder shall remain quartered in the aforesaid villages for a further period of six months with effect from the 19th September 1908.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 24th September 1908.

No. 177.—Babu Shailendra Nath Banarji, Assistant Engineer, is attached to the Gandak Division until further orders.

The 28th September 1908.

No. 179.—Babu Upendra Nath Datta, Supervisor, second grade, Gandak Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for three weeks, with effect from 7th September 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 26th September 1908.

No. 178.—Mr. H. A. Gubbay, Assistant Engineer, is, on return from leave, posted to the Bhagalpur Division.

A. S. THOMSON,
Offg. Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 26th September 1908.

No. 3.—Notification.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to modify so much of the Government of Bengal, Irrigation Department, Notification No. 77, dated the 11th of March 1901, under section 6 of Act II (B.C.) of 1882, published at pages 303-304 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem as relates to the Bagda river in the Midnapore district.

From the date of this notification the area on either bank of that river subject to the provisions of clause (*b*) of section 76 of the Act will be as described below:—

Serial No.	Name of river.	From— Village	From— Pargana	To— Village	To— Pargana	Approximate length in miles.	Bank.
13	Bagda ...	Dumurberia .	Narainathia	Rusulpur river near Bhaitghur.	Bhaitghur...	8	Right.
		Bijaynagar .	Ditto ...	Rusulpur river near Kainagar	Erinch ...	8	Left.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 26th September 1908.

No. 107 Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 6 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. Lockhart Smith, of the firm of Messrs. Williamson, Magor & Co., has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, in place of Mr. H. C. Begg, of the firm of Messrs. Begg, Dunlop & Co., whose term of office expires on the 14th October 1908.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 26th September 1908.

No. 108 Marine.—The following Order of His Majesty in Council of the 1st August 1908, entitled "The Mail Ships (Rules) Order in Council, 1908," is published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

AT THE COURT AT GOODWOOD HOUSE.

The 1st day of August 1908.

PRESENT:

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section 8 (3) of "The Mail Ships Act, 1891," provides that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make rules for carrying into effect, as respects British Possessions, the provisions of that Act with respect to the security given by mail ships, and in particular with respect to the commencement of a legal proceeding by service of

a writ or process in the Possession, and to the notices to be given to arresting authorities in the Possession, and the evidence to be receivable by such authorities of the security having been given or withdrawn, and the application of the security in discharge of any damages, fine, debt, claim, sum, or forfeiture, where the same are or is recovered or payable either in the British Possession, or under proceedings pending concurrently in that British Possession, and in any other British Possession, or the United Kingdom:

NOW, THEREFORE, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Notices of Exemption.

1. Any rules of the High Court of Justice in England, made under the provisions of "The Mail Ships Acts, 1891 and 1902" (hereinafter referred to as "the Acts"), shall be transmitted by a Secretary of State to the Government of every Possession to which the Acts are applied for the purpose of a Convention, and shall be published by such Government in the Gazette of the Possession, and also in such local official Gazettes, published in the Possession as the Government of the Possession may prescribe.

2. A copy of every notice and list published by the Board of Trade under the Acts, or under any rules of Court made under the Acts, shall be transmitted by a Secretary of State to the Government of every Possession to which the Acts are applied for the purpose of a particular Convention.

3. A copy of every such Notice and list, signed by a Secretary to the Government of the Possession, or other prescribed officer, shall be published in the official Gazette of the Possession, and a copy of such Gazette Notification shall be kept publicly exhibited in the Court-room of every Colonial Court of Admiralty in the Possession, and a copy of the said Gazette containing any such Notification shall be receivable in evidence by every arresting authority in the Possession.

4. If notwithstanding its exemption an exempted mail ship is arrested in the Possession, the Government of the Possession, on being informed by the owner of such arrest and of the arresting authority, and on being satisfied that the ship is an exempted mail ship, shall forthwith send a special Notice to the arresting authority, informing him that the ship is an exempted mail ship, and as such entitled to release.

Actions Against Exempted Ships.

5. An action may be commenced against the owners of an exempted mail ship in the like cases, in the same manner and subject to the same rules as an Admiralty action *in rem*, and in any Colonial Court of Admiralty having jurisdiction in the Possession in which such an action might have been brought if the ship were not an exempted mail ship.

Orders, by Courts having jurisdiction in British Possessions, for Application of the Security.

6. Any order of a Court having jurisdiction in a British Possession directing any security to be applied shall recite the name of the Court and of the action or proceeding, the cause of action, and the judgment debt, and shall comprise a certificate by the Judge of the Court that the ship in respect of which the Judgment is given is an exempted mail ship, and might but for such exemption have been arrested and sold in execution thereof, and that the Judgment debt is still unsatisfied, and is payable out of the security lodged in or under the control of the High Court of Justice in England in respect of the ship.

7. The order may require payment to be made either in London to a named agent of the execution creditor, or in the Possession to some named officer of the Court from which the order issues.

8. Every such order shall be sealed with the seal of the Court, and shall be drawn up in duplicate, addressed to the Admiralty Registrar, Royal Courts of Justice, London, and shall be transmitted under cover to the prescribed officer of the Government of the Possession.

9. The said duplicate orders when received by the prescribed officer shall be countersigned by him, and shall be forthwith transmitted to a Secretary of State, who shall cause one of such orders to be delivered to the Admiralty Registrar, and the Admiralty Registrar shall, subject to any direction of the High Court, make an order upon the Paymaster-General for payment of the required sum out of the security in accordance with these rules.

10. Unless the High Court shall otherwise order, and subject to existing rights of priority of liens, orders for the application of any security shall be paid in the order in which they are received by the Admiralty Registrar; but where two or more orders are received at the same time, they shall be paid in the order of their respective dates.

11 Where the order requires payment to a named agent of the execution creditor in London, the money shall be payable at the rates of exchange current on the day on which the order is received by the Secretary of State.

12. If the order requires payment to be made to a named officer of the Court from which the order issues, such an amount shall be paid out by the Paymaster-General, to a person nominated by the Secretary of State, as will at the rates of exchange current on the day on which the order is received by the Secretary of State be necessary to purchase a draft for the amount of the order payable at sight in the Possession, and such draft shall be in favour of the said named officer of the said Court.

13. Where any action or proceeding against the owners of an exempted mail ship is pending in a Court having jurisdiction in a British Possession, involving a claim against the security lodged in the High Court in England, the Court in the British Posession shall transmit to the Admiralty Registrar notice of the pendency of such action or proceeding, stating the nature and amount of the claim and the proceedings taken in regard thereto; and in case of the subsequent discontinuance or other conclusion of such action or proceeding, whereby the security ceases to be affected, the Court shall transmit notice of such discontinuance or conclusion. Every such notice shall be sealed, drawn up, addressed and transmitted to the Admiralty Registrar in like manner as an order for the application of the security.

Miscellaneous Provisions.

14. In every British Possession to which these rules apply, the Governor in Council may, by order, prescribe any matter directed by these rules to be prescribed, or necessary for carrying them into effect.

15. In the application of these rules to British India, the following provisions shall have effect:—

(*a*) The Presidencies of Madras and Bombay, the Bengal division of the Presidency of Fort William, the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam, and the Province of Burmah shall be deemed to be separate British Possessions.

(*b*) The expressions "Government of the Possession" and "Governor in Council" respectively shall mean the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the Lieutenant-Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam, and the Lieutenant-Governor of Burmah, with respect to the territories administered by them respectively.

(*c*) All orders made in pursuance of Rule 11 with respect to any part of British India shall be made with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council.

16. In the application of these rules to any British Possession in which there is a Vice-Admiralty Court, and no Colonial Court of Admiralty, these rules shall be read as if "Vice-Admiralty Court" were substituted for "Colonial Court of Admiralty."

17. In these rules "judgment debt" means any damages, fine, debt, claim, sum, or forfeiture found by any Court to be payable by the owner of a ship, and "execution creditor" means the person entitled to a judgment debt.

Other expressions have the same meaning as in the Act.

18. This order may be cited as "The Mail Ships (Rules) Order in Council, 1908."

19. "The Mail Ships (Rules) Order in Council, 1895," is hereby repealed.

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Crewe, K.G., the Right Honourable Viscount Morley of Blackburn, O.M., and the Righ Honourable Sir Edward Grey, Bart., three of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, are to give the necessary directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

A. W. FITZROY.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 24th September 1908.

No. 176.—Mr. A. E. Hefferman, Sub-Engineer, Balasore Division, is granted, under articles 260, 338 and 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for three months, with effect from 15th October 1908, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6652A.

No. 2063A.D.—The 26th September 1908.—Maulvi Muhammad Tahir, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Sasaram, Shahabad, is transferred to Darbhanga.

Shahabad. Darbhanga.

No. 2070A.D.—The 26th September 1908.—Babu Ambika Prasad Barma, Sub-Deputy Collector, Gaya, is posted to the Nawada subdivision of that district, with effect from the 5th July 1907.

Gaya.

No. 2078A.D.—The 26th September 1908.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Rajendra Nath Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Jhenida, Jessore, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Jessore.

No. 2080A.D.—The 26th September 1908.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred temporarily to the Kushtia subdivision of that district.

Nadia.

No. 2100A.D.—The 28th September 1908.—Maulvi Shah Muhammad Rus'ul-ud-din substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhabhua, Shahabad, is allowed leave for one month, under article 242(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1908.

Shahabad.

No. 2154A.D.—The 20th September 1908.—Babu Jharkandi Lal, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed in the Revenue Division, Sone Canals, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act I of 1894 in the districts of Patna, Gaya and Shahabad.

Patna. Gaya. Shahabad.

No. 2162A.D.—The 20th September 1908.—Babu Bijay Krishna Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Ulubaria subdivision of the Howrah district.

Howrah.

No. 2170A.D.—The 20th September 1908.—Babu Subodh Chandra Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Presidency Division.

Presy. Division.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2873D., dated Darjeeling, the 23rd September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Ekendra Nath Ghosh did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 4th June to the 31st July 1908, both days inclusive.

No. 2935D., dated Darjeeling, the 25th September 1908.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Ali Ahmad is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the forenoon of the 15th September 1908.

No. 3008D., dated Darjeeling, the 28th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Mahendra Nath Indra of the Meherpur subdivision and Dispensary, in the district of Nadia, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 18th October 1908, or any subsequent date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 3021D., dated Darjeeling, the 28th September 1908.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Jotindra Nath Basu of the Tikari Raj Hospital, in the district of Gaya, is appointed to the Charitable Dispensary at Ranchi, *vice* Senior Assistant Surgeon Ram Chandra Mazumdar, transferred.

No. 3024D., dated Darjeeling, the 28th September 1908.—Senior Assistant Surgeon Ram Chandra Mazumdar of the Charitable Dispensary, Ranchi, is appointed to the Tikari Raj Hospital, in the district of Gaya, *vice* third grade Assistant Surgeon Jotindra Nath Basu, transferred.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Temple Medical School, Patna.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held at 10 A.M. on Thursday, the 15th October 1908, at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore.

2. Every candidate must produce certificates of training, age and previous education as required by Rules 9 and 11 of Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th September 1907, except in those cases provided for in Rule 10.

3. These certificates must comply with the conditions laid down in Rule 10 of the above resolution.

4. Male candidates must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs 5, at least one week before the 15th October 1908 at the office of the undersigned.

Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

(*Exception.*—The students belonging to the Compounder class of a Vernacular Medical School will be exempted from paying this fee on producing a certificate from the Superintendent that they have already paid the school entrance fee.)

5. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination, he will forfeit his fee.

6. No candidate for the Compounders' examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

B. C. OLDHAM, MAJOR, I.M.S.,

The 7th September 1908. *Superintendent, Temple Medical School, Patna.*

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Orissa Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated the 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 9 A.M. on Monday, the 19th October 1908, at the Orissa Medical School.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Orissa Medical School, at least one week before the 19th October 1908, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge. No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.

3. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to rules 9 and 10, and of the persons granting the certificates to rules 11 and 14 (3) and to the certificate forms C (3), D, and E. F in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification, as circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Calcutta Hospitals, Medical Schools, and Lunatic Asylums with his Circular No. 74, dated the 14th November 1907.

CUTTACK, E. E. WATERS, M.D., MAJOR, I.M.S.,

The 12th September 1908. *Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.*

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU MAKHAM LAL CHATTERJEE has been placed in charge of the Midnapore Treasury, with effect from the 14th September 1908, and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries, *vice* Maulvi Abdus Samad, transferred.

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Commissioner on tour.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 22nd September 1908.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MR. A. K. RAY is placed in charge of the Monghyr Treasury, with effect from the 22nd September 1908, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Collector.*

MONGHYR COLLECTORATE, *the 24th September 1908.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU ASUTOSH BAGCHI has this day afternoon been placed in the executive charge of the Ranchi Treasury, *vice* Babu Narendro Nath Datta, transferred, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries."

SARAT CHANDRA CHATTERJI, for *Deputy Commissioner, Ranchi.*

RANCHI, *the 21st September 1908.*

Sheriff's Office, the 30th September 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1908 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Twenty-third day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

P. C. TAGORE, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৮ সাল তারিখ ৩০শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে এবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৮ সালের ২৩শে, নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল কারণের জন্য উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে উচিত।

পিঃ সিঃ ঠাকুর, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 22nd September 1908.—Babu Ram Chandra Banerjee (class V) is confirmed as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah, with effect from the 25th March 1908.

Maulvi Zainuddin Ahmed, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Ranchi (substantively *pro tempore* in class VI), is allowed leave of absence for three months under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th August 1908.

The 23rd September 1908.—Maulvi Mohsin Ali, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Nadia (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for a week under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 29th June 1908.

Babu Raj Krishna Bose, Head Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (class II), is allowed leave of absence for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th August 1908.

He is also permitted to prefix Sunday, the 16th August 1908, to his leave under article 220 of the Regulations.

Babu Bholanath Sarkar, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction (substantively *pro tempore* in class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Raj Krishna Bose, on leave.

The 24th September 1908.—Babu Benod Behari Sen, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction (class III), is allowed leave of absence for eight days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 21st August 1908.

He is also permitted to affix the ensuing Puja holidays to his leave under article 220 of the Regulations.

Babu Debendra Nath Ghosh, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), will continue to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Benod Behari Sen, on leave.

Babu Mohes Chandra, B.A. (substantively *pro tempore* in class VII), is confirmed as an Assistant Master (Science Teacher) in the Bhagalpur Zilla School, with effect from the 2nd August 1908.

The 25th September 1908.—The orders of the 29th August 1908, appointing Babu Umapati Datta Sarma, B.A., temporary Hindi and Urdu Teacher of the Hare School, on a salary of Rs. 35 a month to be an Assistant Master in the Palamau Zilla School and promoting him substantively *pro tempore* to class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service, are cancelled.

Maulvi Muhammad Yakub is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Nadia and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 23rd January 1908.

Babu Narayan Chandra Ganguli is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Howrah, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 19th July 1908.

The 26th September 1908.—Maulvi Syed Wazir Hai lar, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Muzaffarpur (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for twenty-one days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1908.

He is also permitted to prefix the ensuing Puja holidays to his leave under article 220 of the Regulations.

The 28th September 1908.—Maulvi Quasi Mumtazuddin Ahmed is confirmed as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Birbhum, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 19th July 1908.

Babu Sasi Bhusan Chakravarti (class V) is confirmed as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 5419B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Wednesday the 4th November 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	1,950
Total	...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 19th November 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 9th November 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 19th November 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next, on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, about chests.	Total, about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 1st December 1908	1,950	1,950	3,900

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. N. MITRA, for *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 24th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5415B.

THE HON'BLE MR. E. W. COLLIN, I.C.S.,
Member in charge.

IT is hereby notified for general information that cocaine and novocain having been declared intoxicating drugs by Bengal Government Notifications Nos 1819T.F., dated the 23rd October 1900, and 737T.R., dated the 17th December 1907, respectively, the Board of Revenue, under the powers vested in them by section 15 of the Bengal Excise Act, VII (B.C.) of 1878 as amended by Act I (B.C.) of 1883 propose, if no valid objections shall have been raised within a month from the date of publication, to declare that the sale of cocaine (pure cocaine, whether dry or in solution, or any compound containing cocaine, whether in dry or liquid state) in a larger quantity than 20 grains, and of novocain in a larger quantity than 1 drachm, shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale, and the sale of 20 grains or less, in the case of cocaine, and of 1 drachm or less in the case of novocain, shall be deemed to be a retail sale.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA, *Secretary.*

MIS. REVENUE DEPT., EXCISE BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 23rd September 1908.*

No. 1918B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1905-06 and 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,900 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of 1,867 chests of season 1905-06 and 83 chests of season 1906-07 ...	1,950
Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of season 1906-07	1,950
Total ...	3,900

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 26th November 1907, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 19th and 29th October 1908, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 19th October 1908, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 29th October 1908.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Wednesday, 4th November 1908 ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
On or about Tuesday, 1st December „ ...	1,950	1,950	3,900
Total ...	3,900	3,900	7,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

R. B. MISRA, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 7th September 1908.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that as the term of office of the members of the District and Local Boards of Nadia district will shortly expire, the following dates are fixed under Rule 32 of the Election Rules framed under the Local Self-Government Act and published in the *Calcutta Gazette* :—

Sadar Subdivision.

Kotwali thana ...	...	...	1st	February 1909,	Monday.
Hanskhali thana	,,	...	2nd	,, ,,	Tuesday.
Krishnaganj thana	...	...	3rd	,, ,,	Wednesday.
Chapra thana	...	...	4th	,, ,,	Thursday.
Nakasipara thana	...	...	5th	,, ,,	Friday.
Kaliganj thana	...	...	6th	,, ,,	Saturday.

Ranaghat Subdivision.

Ranaghat thana	...	...	1st	February 1909,	Monday.
Chagda thana	...	...	2nd	,, ,,	Tuesday.
Santipur thana	...	...	3rd	,, ,,	Wednesday.

Kushtia Subdivision.

Kushtia thana	...	...	1st	February 1909,	Monday.
Kumarkhali thana	...		2nd	,, ,,	Tuesday.
Nowpara thana	...	...	3rd	,, ,,	Wednesday.
Daulatpur thana		...	4th	,, ,,	Thursday.

Meherpur Subdivision.

Meherpur thana	...	...	1st	February 1909,	Monday.
Tehatta thana	...	...	2nd	,, ,,	Tuesday.
Karimpur thana	...	...	3rd	,, ,,	Wednesday.
Gangni thana	...	...	4th	,, ,,	Thursday.

Chuadanga Subdivision.

Chuadanga thana	...	...	1st	February 1909,	Monday.
Alamdanga thana	...	...	2nd	,, ,,	Tuesday.
Damurhuda thana	...	...	3rd	,, ,,	Wednesday.
Jibannagar thana	...	...	4th	,, ,,	Thursday.

J. A. EXCHEQUER, *District Magistrate, Nadia.*

The 19th September 1908.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 41 of the Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, I appoint Babu Kailash Chandra Chatterji to be a member of the Muragacha Union Committee, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Nadia, in the place of Babu Gokul Chandra Ganguli, resigned.

J. G. CUMMING, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, Lala Tarak Nath has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Kushtia, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Mir Mohasen Ali, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Personal Assistant*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN, CALCUTTA, *the 23rd September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers conferred on me under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Pandua, Chanditola, Haripal and Bali Union Committees in the district of Hooghly :—

Pandua Union Committee.

1. Babu Gopal Chandra Palit.
2. Chaudhuri Mahmud Abdulla.
3. Munshi Abdus Samad.
4. Babu Hari Charan Gupta.
5. Kazi Abdur Razak.
6. Mahmud Abdul Huq.
7. Munshi Dedar Baksh.
8. Babu Raj Krishna Chakravarti.
9. ,, Rajani Behari Bose.

Chanditola Union Committee.

1. Babu Sarat Chandra Banerjee.
2. ,, Uma Charan Mukherjee.
3. ,, Kamiksha Nath Chatterjee.
4. ,, Nagendra Nath Bhattacharjee.
5. ,, Trailakshya Nath Choudhury.
6. ,, Abinash Chandra Mukherjee.
7. ,, Abhoy Poda Mukherjee.

Haripal Union Committee.

1. Babu Jnanendra Nath Singh Roy.
2. ,, Gobinda Gopal Ghosh.
3. ,, Gagan Chandra Mitra.
4. ,, Nanda Lal Bose.
5. ,, Bepin Behari Ghosal.
6. ,, Kali Pada Mitra.
7. ,, Sasi Bhusan Chaudhury.

Bali Union Committee.

1. Babu Ashutosh Rai.
2. ,, Mohim Chandra Adhya.
3. ,, Ashutosh Chakravarti.
4. ,, Ashidhari Sarkar.
5. ,, Rakhal Chandra Dutt.
6. ,, Hem Chandra Das.
7. ,, Munshi Nezamut Ali.

KUMAD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Offg. Commr., on tour.*

FURIDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURAH, *the 19th September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the exercise of the powers conferred on him by Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, the Commissioner of the Patna Division is pleased to establish a new public ferry over the Harha river at Malpurwa on the Bettiah-Bagaha road No. 38 in the district of Champaran under section 6, clause (c) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, and to direct that the limits of the ferry will be the whole bed of the Harha from east to west. The said ferry shall remain open during the rainy season only, *i.e.*, from July to October.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, *Perml. Asst. to Commr.*, for *Addl. Commr.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 23rd September 1908.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the exercise of the powers conferred on him by Government Notification No. 2171.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, the Commissioner of the Patna Division is pleased to direct, under section 35 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, that the public ferry over the Harha river at Malpurwa on the Bettiah-Bagaha road No. 38 in the district of Champaran shall be managed by the District Board of Champaran, and that all the proceeds of the ferry, and the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof, shall be paid to the District Fund with effect from the date of this notification.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, *Perml. Asst. to Commr.*, for *Addl. Commr.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 23rd September 1908.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 19th September 1908.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 17th September 1908.

No. 8706—103.—The following draft rules which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the power conferred by section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901) are published as required by the said section for the information of persons concerned The draft notification nas been prepared with the object of consolidating the existing notifications publishing rules applicable to all mines, and does not purport to introduce any material alterations in the rules.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on or after the 19th day of December 1908, and any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before that date will be considered by the Governor-General in Council.

Draft Notification.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following rules for the whole of British India in respect of all mines.

No. 202—95-5, dated 27th January 1904.
No. 3952—36, dated 10th May 1907.
No. 7861—36, dated 19th September 1907.
No. 10011—100, dated 4th December 1907.

The notifications noted on the margin are hereby cancelled.

Annual returns.

1. Forms I, II, III and IV in the Schedule hereto annexed shall be (1) filled up in duplicate by the agent, or, if there is no agent, by the owner or manager of a mine, and one copy of each shall be forwarded to the Chief Inspector of Mines and the other to the District Magistrate not later than the 1st February (2) in each year.

Notification No. 3952—36, dated 10th May 1907.

Notice of abandonment.

2. When a mine, seam or vein has been abandoned for more than one month, or the working thereof discontinued for more than two months, the owner of the mine, seam or vein shall, within seven days after the expiry of such period, send notice to the Chief Inspector of Mines specifying the name and situation of the mine, the name of the owner and the date and cause of abondonment or discontinuance.

Notification No. 7861—36, dated 19th September 1907, rule 4.

(1) Under section 22 (2) (b) of the Indian Mines Act, failure to forward correct returns to the Chief Inspector of Mines not later than 1st February in each year will render the agent, owner or manager liable on conviction to a penalty which may extend to Rs. 500.

(2) It will greatly facilitate the preparation of the Statistics if the returns are despatched as soon as possible after the close of the year.

Notification No. 861 —36, dated 19th September 1907, rule 5.

3. When a mine, seam or vein is re-opened after abandonment or discontinuance, the owner shall send notice to the Chief Inspector of Mines within one month after the date of re-opening.

Notice of re-opening.

Do. rule 6.

4. When a change occurs in the name of a mine, or of an owner or agent of a mine, notice of the change shall be sent by the owner, agent or manager to the Chief Inspector of Mines within one month after such change.

Change of name of owner, or of mine.

Notification No. 10014—100, dated 4th December 1907, rule 1.

5. If the owner, agent or manager of any mine intends to extend any mining operations under his control at or to any point within fifty yards of any railway subject to the provisions of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, he shall give the Chief Inspector of Mines and the Railway Administration concerned notice in writing of his intention so to do sixty days before the commencement of such extension.

Notice of extension to vicinity of Railway.

Do. rule 2.

6. If the operations in respect of which notice is given under rule 5 are not commenced within twelve months from the expiry of the period of sixty days therein referred to, the notice shall be held to have expired and a fresh notice shall be given by the owner, agent or manager of the mine, under rule 5.

Expiry of notice under rule 5.

Do. rule 3.

7. The notice to be given under rule 5 shall specify the position of the working of the mine in relation to the railway in question, the manner in which it is proposed to carry out the intended new operations, the limits to which it is proposed to carry the said operations, and whether the operations are actually in progress, and shall include a plan showing the existing and the intended mining operations in so far as they affect the railway in question.

Particulars to be given in notice under rule 5.

Notification No. 861—36, dated 19th September 1907, rule 1.

8. When an accident occurs in or about a mine causing loss of life or serious bodily injury, or when an accidental explosion occurs in a mine, the owner, agent or manager of the mine shall within twenty-four hours of the occurrence of such accident, give notice of the accident to the Chief Inspector of Mines by despatching to the Magistrate of the district or to the Sub-divisional Magistrate, for transmission to the Chief Inspector of Mines, a notice in form V in the schedule hereto annexed.

Notice of accidents.

Explanation.—An injury is said to be serious which involves or will in all probability involve the loss of or permanent injury to any limb, or to the sight or hearing, or fracture of any limb, or enforced absence from work for twenty days, or which is declared by any medical officer to be serious.

Notification No. 7861—36, dated 5th September 1907, rule 3.

9. When any person dies from the result of an injury already reported as serious under rule 8, the owner, agent or manager of the mine shall send notice, within twenty-four hours of his being informed of the death, to the Chief Inspector of Mines, through the Magistrate of the district or the Sub-divisional Magistrate.

Notice of death from injuries.

Notification No. 302—95-5, dated 5th January 1904.

10. From every order passed by the Chief Inspector of Mines under section 6, clause (*d*), an appeal shall lie to the Mining Board, if a Mining Board has been constituted under section 9 of the said Act for the Province or part of the Province where the mine in respect of which the order was made is situate, and elsewhere to the Chief Controlling Revenue-authority, as defined in section 2, clause (8), of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899).

Appeals.

THE SCHEDULE.

FORM I.

Year ending on the 31st December 190

Notification No. 3952—36, dated 3rd May 1907.

1. Name of mine.
2. Date of opening.
3. Date of closing (if closed).
4. Means by which mineral is raised from the mines.
5. Situation of Mine. { District. / Province.
6. Name and postal address of { Owner / Managing Agent / Agent / Manager / Assistant or Under Manager.

FORM II.

Notification No. 3952—36, dated 10th May 1907.

[1]*Average number of persons employed daily during the year ending on the 31st December 190* .

Name or No. of pit, plot or excavation.	BELOW GROUND.				ABOVE GROUND			GROSS TOTAL BELOW AND ABOVE GROUND.
	Male adults.[2]	Female adults.[2]	Children under 12.	Total.	male dults	Childre under	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5				10
Total ...								

[1] Aggregate number of daily attendances (permanent and temporary) divided by the number of working days.
[2] Persons over twelve years of age.

FORM III.

Notification No. 3952—36, dated 10th May 1907.

Output of Mineral during the year ending on 31st December 190 .

Name or No. of pit, plot or excavation.	Depth from the surface of the lowest point of the seam or vein worked in	Name of mineral worked.	[1] Total amount of mineral raised.[3]	[2] Total value at the mine of mineral raised.[3]	Number of days worked.	IN CASE OF COAL MINES.			
						Number of coke ovens	TONS OF COKE PRODUCED.		Kind of ovens.
							In open heaps.	In	
									10
Total									

[1] Including, in the case of coal mines, coal raised for colliery consumption or made into coke, and stated—
(a) in the case of gold—in troy ounces,
(b) in the case of gem-stones—in carats,
(c) in the case of alum, amber, asbestos, chromite, corundum (not being gem corundum), graphite, jadestone, mica, steatite and tin ore—in cwts., or where the circumstances require greater particularisation in order to give an accurate estimate of small outputs, in cwts. and lbs.,
(d) in the case of clays, coal, coke, iron-ore, lime-stone, magnesite manganese-ore, other unspecified metalliferous ores, salt and slate—in tons.
[2] Actual or estimated wholesale price at pit's mouth, cost of loading if any, being deducted.
[3] Figures for mica should relate to the quantity and value of marketable mica consigned.

FORM IV.

Ditto.

Accidents and Inspections.

NO. OF SEPARATE ACCIDENTS REPORTED DURING THE YEAR.			NO. OF PERSONS		No. of prosecutions under the Act, with the section under which the prosecution was instituted.	No of persons convicted under the Act, with the sections under which the convictions were obtained.	NO. OF INSPECTIONS.		
Fatal.	Serious.	Total.	Killed.	Seriously injured.			By District Officers.	By Mines Inspector.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	*8	*9	*10

* It is optional to supply the information required by columns 8, 9, and 10. They will be filled in by the Mines Department when left blank by Mine Agents or owners.

Signature of Agent, Owner or Manager.

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Notification No. 1—36, dated 19th September 1907, rule

FORM V.

Notice of Accident.

FROM—

To—The Inspector of Mines, through the District / Subdivisional Magistrate of

Dated 190 .

SIR,

I have the honour to furnish the following particulars of a fatal / serious accident / an accidental explosion which has occurred at the Mine :—

Situation of the mine. 1. (Village, Station, District, Province.)			
2. Mineral worked			
3. Name and postal address of owner ...			
4. Name and sex of persons—		Age.	Occupation.
Killed.	Injured.		
5. Date and hour of accident ...			
6. Place of accident			
7. Cause and description of accident ...			
8. Classification of accident ...			
9. Nature of injury, and if fatal, cause of death.			

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

Owner,

Agent,

Manager.

Under one or other of the following heads, namely :—

Notification No. —6, dated 19th ember 19 7, rule

(1) Explosions of fire damp; (2) falls of roof; (3) falls of sides; (4) in shafts (overwinding); (5) in shafts (ropes and chains breaking), (6) in shafts whilst ascending or descending by machinery); (7) in shafts (falling into the shafts from the surface); (8) in shafts (falling from part of the way down); (9) in shafts (things falling from the surface); (10) in shafts (things falling from part of the way down); (11) in shafts (miscellaneous); (12) suffocation by gases; (13) by explosives; (14) irruptions of water or falling into water; (15) haulage; (16) by under ground machinery; (17) sundries underground; (18) by surface machinery; (19) surface boilers or pipes bursting; (20) on surface railways or tramways belonging to the mine; (21) miscellaneous on surface.

B. ROBERTSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1623L.S.-G.—The 24th September 1908.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Begusarai Local Board, in the district of Monghyr, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Begusarai to be the *ex-officio* Chairman of that Local Board.

Monghyr.

No. 1625L.S.-G.—The 24th September 1908.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Jamui Local Board, in the district of Monghyr, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Jamui to be the *ex-officio* Chairman of that Local Board.

Monghyr.

No. 1627L.S.-G.—The 24th September 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Mr. F. G. Rowland, I.C.S., has been elected by the members of the Madhubani Local Board, in the district of Darbhanga, to be a member of the Darbhanga District Board, *vice* Mr. J. T. Whitty, resigned.

Darbhanga.

No. 1633M.—The 23rd September 1908.— It is hereby notified for general information that under section 8 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor intends to declare the town of Dhulian and the adjoining villages, noted in the margin, in the Jangipur Subdivision of the district of Murshidabad, to be a Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within six weeks from the date of publication of this notification within the area affected. The boundaries of the proposed Municipality shall be as follows :-

[Murshidabad.]

Jeelmari.
Poranpura.
Dhulian.
Anupnagore.
Baruipara.
Lalpur.
Nutan School.
Ganj Balarampur.
Balarampur.
Samserganj.
Kanchantola.
Chirkutmatti.
Jabanjola.
Jhowdanga.

North.—The southern side of the Local Board road (which is excluded) from Mohespore to Muskinagore, commencing from the spot where the above road meets the Bagmari nullah to the bank of the river Ganges, thence along the western bank of the river Ganges (Bhagirathi) to the ghât to the south of the East Indian Railway lands.

East.—Commencing from the abovementioned ghât, the line passes along the west side of the Local Board road from Samserganj to Protapganj up to the house of Khudi Manjhi and Mohes Napit at Soolitala (which is excluded).

South.—Commencing from the above point the boundary proceeds in a straight line through cultivated fields up to the mile post No. 1 of District Board road from Dhulian to Jangipur which the line crosses, and thence in a straight line through cultivated fields to the junction of Kanchantola-Anupnagore and Kanchantola-Anupnagore Union Committee Roads, and thence crossing the Kanchantola-Anupnagore Road, the boundary runs along the southern edge of Kanchantola-Ankura Union Committee Road to the point where the village Kanchantola and Gazinagoremath meet.

West.—A line proceeding direct from the western extremity of the southern boundary to the western extremity of the northern boundary, crossing the Bagmari nullah at the west of the Jagabandhu Sing's garden house which it includes.

Darjeeling.

No. 1640M.—The 26th September 1908.—It is hereby notified that, under section 16 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Radhika Prasad Bhattacharji to be a Commissioner of the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Babu Biswambhar Sarkar, resigned.

Birbhum.

No. 1642M.—The 26th September 1908.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 1, clause 3 of Bengal Act II of 1891 (an Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to hackney carriages and palanquins in Calcutta) to extend the provisions of the said Act to the roadway leading from the Ahmadpur road to the site selected for a hackney carriage stand within the Suri Railway Station yard in the Suri Municipality, unless good reasons are shewn to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification upon the above roadway.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICE.

In supersession of the previous notice on the subject, it is hereby announced that the following portions have been excluded from the Persian Course prescribed for the Intermediate Examination in 1909:—

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION IN ARTS, 1909.

Pages of the book	Description.	Number of pages omitted.
16—20	From Night 541 to the end of Alif Laila ...	11
33—49	From Chapter 15 of Aklaq-i-Mohsini to the end of Aklaq-i-Mohsini	17
66—86	From Hikayat "Dimna Guft" to the end of "Guftar der Fathi Dimeshq"	21
112—120	From "Khiraj Khastán-i-Dara" to the end of Sikandar Namah	9
133—141	Hikayat-i-Hatim Tayee to the end of Bostan ...	9
148—153	Qasidah "Fi madhi Shah Sultan Hosain" ...	6
	Total ...	73
	Total number of pages in the book ...	168
	Omitted ...	73
	To be read ...	95

SENATE HOUSE,
The 24th September 1908.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

In the list of text-books prescribed for the M.A. Examination in English in 1909 and 1910,

For Pope ... ... Satires and Epistles
read Pope ... ... Satres and Epistles

edited by Mark Pattison, B.D., in the Clarendon Press Series.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 26th September 1908.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Offg. Registrar.

NOTIFICATION.

THE papers noted on the margin are published below for general information, with the intimation that applications for the scholarships during the current financial year should be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, not later than the 30th November 1908.

Bengal Government endorsement No. 4158, dated the 12th September 1908, and Resolution by the Government of India Home Department, No. 731—743, dated the 1st September 1908.

HERBERT A. STARK,
Addl. Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

The 28th September 1908

No. 4158, dated Calcutta, the 12th September 1908.

Memo. by—W. S. MILNE, Esq., Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, General Dept.

COPY of the following forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, for information, with the request that he will be so good as to submit his recommendations as soon as possible.

No. 731—743, dated Simla, the 1st September 1908.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Home Department.

THE Government of India have for some time past had under their consideration the question of encouraging the scientific study of Sanskrit and Arabic by natives of India. They believe that great advantage will result from aiding students to acquire the critical and scientific methods of Western scholarship, by studying the classics under European professors and by acquiring a knowledge of French and German which is indispensable for making full use of the researches of European Orientalists.

2. They have accordingly decided, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, to allot for the present four scholarships tenable in Europe, three for the study of Sanskrit and one for the study of Arabic. Not more than two will be awarded annually. The scholarships will be open to well qualified students with a genuine taste for oriental studies and to gentlemen already employed as professors of Sanskrit and Arabic in India. The value of each scholarship will be £150 a year, and it will be tenable for two years. The Secretary of State will decide the courses of study of each scholarship-holder and the special conditions to be observed, if necessary, by students who elect to study in continental Europe rather than in England. A scholarship-holder will be provided with a free second class passage to Europe, and also with a return passage if he completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period. He will be required for disciplinary purposes to conform to such rules as the Secretary of State may make in this behalf.

3. In the first year one scholarship will be awarded for Sanskrit and one for Arabic. In the following year two scholarships for Sanskrit only will be awarded. Each Local Government or Administration is invited to submit during the current financial year the name of one candidate for a Sanskrit and one for an Arabic scholarship, and in the following year the names of two candidates for a Sanskrit scholarship, this procedure being followed in alternate years. It is requested that the names of the candidates may be accompanied by a full description of their qualifications, and with the views and recommendations of the Local Government thereon. The power of selection will rest with the Government of India who will award the scholarships to those whom they may consider best fitted to hold them. Local Governments and Administrations are requested to submit their recommendations so as to reach the Government of India by the 31st March of each year at latest. Those for the current year should be sent in as soon as possible.

Madras. Burma.
Bombay. Eastern Bengal and Assam.
Bengal. Central Provinces.
United Provinces. North-West Frontier Province.
Punjab. Coorg.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to all Local Governments and Administrations for information and guidance.

Ordered also that a copy be forwarded to the Finance Foreign Department for information and that a copy be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

NOTIFICATION.

Dow Hill School, Kurseong.

THE Continuation classes for the study of Shorthand and Type-writing will be held as usual during 1909. It is also intended to include in future the teaching of Business Methods and of Commercial subjects generally in the course of the Continuation classes.

No High School classes will be held.

CALCUTTA,
The 12th September 1908.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in *Civil Engineering*. It is proposed to offer in addition parallel courses leading to the Bachelor Degree in *Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and in *Mining Engineering*.

Admission qualification—The First Arts Examination of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Admissions—1st Monday in June.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.

To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Final or Overseer Examination.

Offered in two branches—

(*a*) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.
(*b*) Mining, leading to the College Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Artizan Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine, and
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Foundry.

Also a class for the training of *Motor Driver Mechanics*.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,
The 13th July 1907.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Civil Engineering College.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Bhagalpur will be put up to sale at the Bhagalpur Collectorate on the 12th November 1908, corresponding with 4th Aghan 1316 Fasli.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, amounting to ten years' revenue. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him revenue-free.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and the purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

List of Government estates in the Bhagalpur district to be sold on the 12th November 1908.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Area in acres.	Government revenue.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P.	
	3182	Jagir Pran Sinha Coomaidan ...	·62	0 13 0	

Bhagalpur Collectorate, the 1st September 1908.

F. F. Lyall, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, subdivision Howrah, will be put up to sale at the Howrah Collectorate on the 29th October 1908, corresponding with 13th of Kartick 1315 B.S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

N.B.—The conditions regarding the payment of land revenue fixed in perpetuity are not applicable to estates in temporarily-settled districts in which the land revenue should be fixed for the term of the current settlement and be subject to periodical revisions on expiry of each settlement. In the case of an estate, situated in a permanently-settled area and yielding an annual rental of less than Re. 1, there should be no condition regarding payment of land revenue.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area.	Government revenue assessed	Remarks.
		Poles.	Rs. A. P.	
4941	Staff quarters of the Bally Salt Pass Station ...	4 87	0 8 0	

Collector's Office, Howrah, the 8th September 1908.

A. W. COOK, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Grand Chord Line, mile 141, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 10th November 1908, corresponding with the 25th Kartick 1315 Fasli, at Gomo.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
				B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
Manbhum	Nawagarh pargana, Jayramdih mauza.	141	South ...	2 0 8	0 2 27 2·25 yds.				
Do. ...	Nawagarh pargana, Dimna mauza.	141	Do. ...	8 2 12	3 2 30 14·50 yds.				
				10 3 4	3 1 17 16·75 yds.				

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 4th September 1908.

C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bettiah-Bagaha Railway, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Saturday, the 17th October 1908, corresponding with the 8th Kartik 1316 Fusli at the Narkatiganj Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Champaran	Mauza Harlas, pargana Majhowa.	23	South ...	7 14 4	2 2 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land of Bettiah-Bagaha Extension. *East*—Ditto ditto. *South*—Rup Kaun, Pirthwi Nath Misra, Naresh Tewari and Sam Behari Misra. *West*—Sam Behari Misra.
2	Ditto	Mauza Shikarpur, pargana Majhowa.	23	Do. ...	2 8 6	0 3 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Railway land. *East*—Ditto. *South*—Sathi Factory land. *West*—Railway land.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Patahi Branch of the Dhaka Canal, in the district of Champaran, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Tuesday, the 13th October 1908, corresponding with the 4th Kartik 1316 Fusli, at the Chainpur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Champaran ...	Mauza Malcomia, pargana Sourown.	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 0 8	.....	.....	...	*East*—Patahi Branch, Dhaka Canal. *North*—Motia Diversion. *West*—Mango tope of Chetharu Singh, Janki Singh, Rajkumar Singh and Sheo Nandan. *South*—Ditto ditto.

Champaran Land Acquisition Office, the 3rd August 1908.

HAR SAHAY LAL, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Bhagalpur will be put up to sale at the Bhagalpur Collectorate on the 12th November 1908, corresponding with 4th of Aghan 1316 Fasli.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, amounting to two years' revenue. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity, equal to the present gross rental.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the date of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of Government Estates in the Bhagalpur district to be sold on the 12th November 1908.

Serial No.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Present rental assessed.	Remarks.
				Rs. a. p.	
1	848	Abbulla Beg, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Bihpur ...	25·25	80 2 3	
2	1141	Jagir Jew Rakhan Sepoy, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Colgong.	13	52 0 0	
3	2553	Muktapur, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Colgong ...	220	665 3 6	
4	2625	Jagir Chand Khan, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Kotwali.	13	84 4 0	
5	2766	Peelapur, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Colgong*	1,546	3,811 6 9	
6	4567	Khawaspur, pargana Colgong, thana Colgong ...	74·965	168 12 0	
7	4989	Shankerpur Kodwar, pargana Colgong, thana Colgong.	9·38	21 1 9	
8	4994	Parsatdih, pargana Colgong, thana Kotwali	22·33	53 12 0	
9	2781	Nagarpara, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj ...	3·61	9 6 0	
10	2841	Jagir Lachman Sepoy, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj.	12·06	28 4 0	
11	2845	Jagir Raffi Havaldar, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj.	22·9	37 2 0	
12	2846	Jagir Imamuddin Naek, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj.	20·66	38 12 0	
13	3168	Bhagwat Ram Dass, pargana Nisankpur Korha ...	125	82 0 0	
14	4933	Lowalagam, pargana Chhai, thana Kishenganj ...	23·9	24 11 0	
15	5383	Parmanandpur, pargana Dharampur	7·3	21 0 0	
16	5384	Ditto ditto	267·3·1	56 12 0	
17	5386	Sarhadgatti, pargana Dharampur ...	282·63	364 10 6	
18	5394	Nandna, pargana Dharampur, thana Madhepura ...	65	11 0 0	
19	5396	Lachmipur, pargana Dharampur	108	12 0 0	
20	6533	Udda, pargana Nisankpur Korha, thana Kishenganj	2·1·8	6 10 0	
21	3510	Lochni Sakhua, pargana Nisankhpur Korha, thana Madhipura.	134·97	109 5 9	
22	5401	Gopipur Israin, pargana Naredigar, thana Madhepura.	61·38	38 0 0	
23	3887	Dargahiganj, pargana Harawat, thana Protabganj	129·29	250 14 7	
24	3904	Lalganj, pargana Harawat, thana Protabganj ..	77·1	122 12 0	
25	3905	Motipur Bishenpur, ditto ditto ..	74·39	213 15 6	
26	3909	Lalganj, ditto ditto ..	86·4	42 2 2	
27	3910	Ditto, ditto ditto ..	85·62	168 3 0	
28	3914	Belaganj, ditto ditto ...	70·85	92 5 2	
29	3915	Bhattabari, ditto ditto ..	86·79	153 12 0	
30	3916	Ditto, ditto ditto ...	125·69	220 13 0	
31	3918	Bhagwatpur, ditto ditto ...	407·3	496 3 6	
32	3933	Rampur Harnandan ditto ditto ...	173·85	114 0 0	
33	3935	Bhattabari, ditto ditto ...	92·43	98 0 0	
34	3936	Jhankargarh, ditto ditto ...	120·3	95 2 8	
35	3939	Gobindpur Kalan, ditto ditto ...	33·8	88 11 7	
36	3941	Nisahra, ditto ditto ...	60	29 7 0	
37	3942	Madhopur, ditto ditto ...	42	24 9 0	
38	3954	Barhmotar, ditto ditto ...	80	71 11 10	
39	3956	Bhimpur, ditto ditto ...	27	71 9 0	
40	3957	[illegible] ditto ...	66	81 1 2	
41	3958	ditto ...	108·33	230 6 3	
42	3965	ditto ...	237·96	493 10 6	
43	3973	Chapin, pargana Dhaphar, thana Supaul ...	474	272 15 2	
44	3974	Anandbilas, pargana Harawat, thana Protabganj ...	84·98	208 11 0	
45	3977	Anandbilas, pargana Harawat, thana Supaul ..	66·55	232 11 0	
46	4960	Guddi, pargana Harawat, thana Protabganj ...	209	710 11 6	

N.B.—The estate is situate in 21 villages, and the property situate in each village will be put up for sale as a separate estate if insufficient bids are received for the amalgamated estate.

Bhagalpur Collectorate, the 1st September 1908.

F. F. LYALL, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Bhagalpur, will be put up to sale at the Bhagalpur Collectorate on the 12th November 1908, corresponding with 4th Aghan 1316 Fasli.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, amounting to two years' present revenue. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him subject to a revenue fixed in perpetuity, equal to 75 per cent of the existing present gross rental.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of Government estates in the district of Bhagalpur to be sold on the 12th November 1908.

Serial number.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Present rental assessed.	Revenue to be fixed in perpetuity equal to 75 per cent. of existing gross rental, i.e., of column 5.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	2764	Jagir Jhonti Singh, pargana Bhagalpur, thana Kotwali.	32·0	53 6 0	40 0 6	
2	3895	Bikrampur, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	85·71	201 14 0	151 6 6	
3	3896	Manickchand, pargana Harawat, thana Pertapganj.	278·91	578 5 9	433 12 3	
4	3975	Anandlalss, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	18·52	72 11 0	54 8 3	
	4895	Gobindpur, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	22 35	98 15 0	74 3 3	
	4896	Achalpur, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	36·78	173 11 3	130 4 5	
7	4897	Kenzar, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	73·93	202 10 0	151 15 6	
8	4903	Bhikanpur Goria, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	42·06	114 8 0	85 14 0	
9	4904	Madhubani, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	16·46	51 7 11	38 3 11	
10	4961	Raghopur, pargana Harawat, thana Pertabganj.	19·0	97 12 3	73 5 2	

Bhagalpur Collectorate, the 1st September 1908.

F. F. LYALL, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the east bank of Bhagirathi in village Beliapukhur, mauza Kallyanpur Chandipur, thana Manullabazar, in the district of Murshidabad, will be put up to sale at 12 noon on Monday, the 19th October 1908, corresponding with the 3rd Kartick 1315 Fusli at the old Jeaganj Inspection Bungalow by the Subdivisional Officer of Lalbagh.

The purchaser of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavation on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt of the Divisional Commissioner's order confirming the sale.

Boundaries.

North.—Kalu Chand Bothra's land.
East.—Lalgola cutcha road.
South.—Village road.
West.—Kalu Chand Bothra's land.

The plot measures about 1 bigha 2 cottahs and 8 chitaks of land appertaining to the old Inspection Bungalow at Jeaganj.

M. K. DEB, Collector of Murshidabad.

Berhampore, the 1st September 1908.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the siding No. 1, Ghoorkhuntee-Bhowrah Branch, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put to sale at 11 o'clock on Monday, the 26th October 1908, corresponding with the 10th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Bhaga Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Jharia pargana, Ghoorkhuntee village.	Miles 3 and 4 of the Bhowra Branch.	South of the railway line.	21 10 1·78	7 0 17·44	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along th Hariharpur-Dhanbaid Section, Gaya-Barakar Project, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will b put up to sale at 12 noon on Thursday, the 29th October 1908, corresponding with the 13th Kartick 1315 Fusli, at Dhanba Inspection Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railwa fencing, or plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. I the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if th day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sur deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaultin purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissione confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each plot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acres.		
1	Manbhum	Jharria pargana, Dhanbaid village.	At mile 120 of the main line.	South of the main line.	23 0 6	7·61	.....	.....	.....	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 11th August 1908. C. H. CROSSE, Collector under Act I of 1894, Manbhum.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1908, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 12th October 1908 at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Sausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2377	Mahal Legua, ph. Shipore.	2,619 5 3	.....	S. A. No. XXII— Mauza— A. G. K. RG. Akbarpore ... 10 6 3 0 Aulda ... ... 7 0 3 0 Batandia ... ... 10 0 3 0 Bohalia ... ... 10 0 3 0 Brindabanpore ... 7 0 3 0 Chaulda ... ... 6 1 3 0 Dubda ... ... 10 0 3 0 Dubda Batitaki ... 10 0 3 0 Dhumrda ... ... 7 0 3 0 Gobrachak ... 10 0 3 0 Godeichak ... ... 7 0 3 0 Gopalpore ... ... 6 1 3 0 Jagulia ... ... 10 0 3 0 Canougoebar ... 8 10 1 2 Kanuprojapati Kist 3 10 1 2 Kuarpore ... ... 10 0 3 0 Kristapore ... ... 10 0 3 0 Khagda ... ... 10 0 3 0 Khuruna ... ... 10 0 3 0 Khaleeool ... 10 0 3 0 Madhab Chandra chak ... ... 10 0 3 0 Legua ... ... 6 1 3 0 Panchra l ... ... 8 10 1 2 Satkhanda ... ... 10 0 3 0 Shiporebar ... ... 10 0 3 0 Takapore ... ... 10 0 3 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sreemati Tillotama Debi, mother and guardian of Chowdhury Narendra Nath Pahari, minor.	1,376 15 6	.....	150 9 8	Revenue— 150 9 8 Road Cess— 60 10 3 Embankment Cess— 30 2 0

Midnapore, the 15th August 1908.

D. WESTON, Collector.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 22nd September 1908.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,62,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 72,82,259 8 11			
Ditto ditto at Branches	,, 98,89,257 11 9	1,71,71,517	4	8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		17,17,91,175	13	0
Bank Post Bills, &c.		80,20,273	13	5
Sundries		11,83,716	8	0
Rupees		22,94,16,683	7	1

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities		3,27,42,492	0	0
Other authorised investments		38,59,073	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities		4,21,62,433	1	7
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto		4,56,42,235	11	9
Bills discounted and purchased		2,63,42,339	12	9
Balances with other Banks		13,16,988	15	11
Bullion		4,053	0	0
Dead Stock		16,66,495	0	5
Stamps		15,366	14	3
Sundries		85,059	9	11
		15,38,36,537	2	7
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office	*Rs. 2,96,72,791 0 2			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches	†,, 4,59,07,355 4 4	7,55,80,146	4	6
Rupees		22,94,16,683	7	1

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 93,285 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 1,66,147 8 0
,, 2,59,432 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 24th September 1908.

Rate for Demand Loans, 4 per cent.
Percentage 39·12.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

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INDIAN FAMINE CHARITABLE RELIEF FUND.

BENGAL BRANCH.

List of Subscribers.

No.	Names.	Amount. Rs. A. P.	Amount. Rs. A. P.
	Amounts already acknowledged	...	20,867 7 10
1.	District Committee, Hooghly	...	40 0 0
2.	Ditto, Jessore	...	274 1 0
3.	Ditto, Nadia	...	344 0 0
	Babu Rajani Kanta Moitra	20 0 0	
	„ Rajani Kanta Mukherji	15 0 0	
	Small amounts	309 0 0	
4.	District Committee, Sambalpur	...	240 0 0
5.	Ditto, Howrah	...	1,509 9 9
6.	Ditto, Angul	...	113 13 4
	Mr. E. McLeod Smith	25 0 0	
	Small amounts	88 13 4	
7.	Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal.	...	25 0 0
8.	Staff of Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal.	...	10 12 0
9.	Office of the Executive Engineer, First Calcutta Division.	...	47 0 0
10.	Office of the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta ...		42 4 0
11.	Mr. W. H. Buchan		30 0 0
12.	Staff of the Registrar Co-operative Credit Societies, Bengal.		22 0 0
13.	Do. of the Executive Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division.	...	77 0 0
14.	Office of the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.	...	17 0 0
15.	Office of the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Bengal.	...	3 0 0
16.	Office of the Bengal Legislative Department ...	...	11 14 0
17.	Mr. George Girard	...	50 0 0
18.	Office of the Collector of Income-tax, Calcutta ...	...	7 0 0
19.	Do. of the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal	...	11 0 0
20.	District Commi tee, Darjeeling	...	2,107 4 0
21.	Ditto, Patna	...	260 0 0
22.	Ditto, Bhagalpur	...	260 0 0
	Upendra Nath Bagchi	50 0 0	
	Small amounts	210 0 0	
23.	District Committee, Burdwan	...	1,308 1 0
24.	Ditto, Purnea	...	312 0 0
25.	Ditto, Champaran	...	860 0 0
26.	Ditto, Monghyr	...	660 0 0
	Kumar Kamalanand Singh	500 0 0	
	Maulvi Shah Sami Ahmad	50 0 0	
	Choudhary Mohamad Azirul Huq	100 0 0	
	Small amounts	10 0 0	
27.	District Committee, Bankura	...	288 1 0
	Rai Rambandu Chatterji, Bahadur	200 0 0	
	Kumar R. K. Deb	20 0 0	
	Small amounts	68 1 0	
28.	District Committee, 24-Parganas	...	2,875 6 0
	Babu Jotish Chandra Bose	150 0 0	
	Mr. L. Birley	75 0 0	
	„ A. W. Barnicott	25 0 0	
	„ T. P. Ghosh	25 0 0	
	Babu Debendra Nath Ghosh	25 0 0	
	„ Sidheswar Roy Chowdhry	50 0 0	
	„ Dwarka Nath Chakrabarty	100 0 0	
	Small amounts	2,425 6 0	
29.	District Committee, Santhal Parganas	...	8 13 0
30.	Ditto, Khulna	...	440 0 0
31	Ditto, Saran	...	275 0 0
32.	Staff of the Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division	...	12 0 0
33.	Do. of the Bengal Secretariat, Financial Department	...	39 8 0
		...	33,448 14 11
	Deduct amount transferred to the All India Fund ...	...	100 0 0
	Total ...	...	33,348 14 11

FORM II.

(INSTRUCTIONS 97 AND 120.)

Revised Abstract of the Estates Partition Fund of District Patna for the year 1907-1908, prepared as required by section 42, Act V (B.C.) of 1897.

			Rs.	A.	P.
Balance at credit of the Fund on 1st April 1907	...	...	3,430	7	6
Receipts for the year 1907-1908	...	...	22,885	7	3
Disbursements during the year 1907-1908	...	...	16,120	14	2
Balance at credit on 31st March 1908	...	...	10,195	0	7

BANKIPORE, *the 26th September 1908.*

F. W. WARD, *Collector.*

(1162—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Monghyr.

THE properties mentioned in the list given below will be sold in auction sale in the Execution Case Nos. 136-137 and 138 of 1908, Mussamat Jainti Kumri, decree-holder, *versus* Tokhan Singh, judgment-debtor, for realization of Rs. 2,54,603-9-3, being the decretal amount, cost, interest, &c., on 12th November 1908 at 12 A.M., by the Nazir of the Subordinate Judge's Court :—

Serial No.	Number and description of the property to be sold.	Tauzi No. of the mahal.	Sadar jama.			Approximate valuation.
			Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.
1	3 annas in register 6 annas 12 dams in decree out of 16 annas mauza Jagdishpur Barari, pargana Surajgarha, asli mai dakhli.	1321	500	0	0	4,000
2	6 annas 1 ganda out of 16 annas mauza Ramchandrapur Gobindpur, pargana Malki, asli mai dakhli.	812	727	5	0	5,000
3	3 annas 14 dams 1 couri 5 bouris 18 phouris out of 16 annas mauza Rahatpur, pargana Malki, asli mai dakhli.	1407	641	10	0	9,000
4	1 anna 15 gandas 2 couris 2 bouries out of 16 annas, mauza Paitharman, asli mai dakhli, pargana Malki.	799	617	13	0	2,300
5	4 annas 8 kandas out of 16 annas mauza Akbarpur Barari, asli mai dakhli, pargana Malki.	1433	783	13	0	2,100
6	3 annas 12 dams 16 couries out of 16 annas mauza Jagwara and others, asli mai dakhli, pargana Surajgarha.	352	553	0	0	2,200
7	8 annas 2 dams out of 16 annas mauza Ali Bali, otherwise called Mohanpur, pargana Salemabad, asli mai dakhli.	13	613	14	0	1,100
8	2 annas 3 dams out of 16 annas mauza Shahzadpur, tappa Dumra, asli mai dakhli, pargana Ghyaspur.	754	666	10	8	110
	4 annas 8 dams out of 16 annas mauza Chanderpur Motaluqa, taluqa Jagwara, asli mai dakhli, pargana Surajgarha.	352	553	0	0	60
10	16 annas mauza Alibali, asli mai dakhli, pargana Salemabad ...	1	1,571	3	0	31,000
11	16 annas mauza Ramchanderpur, asli mai dakhli, pargana Malki ...	814	727	5	0	10,000
12	6 annas 7 dams 14 couries out of 16 annas mauza Dakra, asli mai dakhli, pargana Amratha.	269	747	12	0	6,000
13	12 annas out of 16 annas mauza Jagdishpur Chak Babu and Bakarpur, Barari, asli mai dakhli, pargana Suragarha.	1321	500	0	0	500
14	2 annas 7 gandas out of 16 annas mauza Jagwara Belkua Chanderpur, Mednipur and Katehar, asli mai dakhli, pargana Suragarha.	352	553	0	0	100
15	12 annas 2 dams out of 16 annas, mauza Rahatpur, asli mai dakhli, pargana Malki.	1407	641	10	0	100

UPENDRA NATH DATTA, Subordinate Judge.

Monghyr, the 24th September 1908.

(1163—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Monghyr.

THE property mentioned in the list given below will be sold in auction sale in the Execution Case No. 438 of 1908 Siri Narayan Singh, decree-holder, *versus* Jagdip Narayan Singh, judgment-debtor, for realization of Rs. 21,796-0-9, being the decretal amount, cost, interest, etc., on 12th November 1908, at 12 A.M. by the Nazir of the Sub-Judge's Court :—

Serial No.	Number and description of the property to be sold.	Tauzi number of the mahal.	Sadar jama.		Approximate valuation.
			Rs.	A.	Rs.
	2 annas 10 gandas out of 16 annas Motaluqa taluqa Siripur, pargana Bhusari.	1078	875	13	5,000

Monghyr, the 24th September 1908.

UPENDRA NATH DATTA, Subordinate Judge.

(1164—1

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge of 24-Parganas.

PRESENT:

Rai Raj Krishna Banerji, Bahadur, M.A., B.L.,

TITLE SUIT No. 110 OF 1907 (MORTGAGE).

Srimoti Kiransashi Debi, decree-holder, *versus* Ram Narain Patra, self and as executor to the estate of late Mohendra Narain Patra, judgment-debtor.

THE undermentioned properties will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at Alipore in the Court premises at 12 o'clock of the 30th October 1908 for the realisation of Rs. 48,077-10 and subsequent costs:—

1. All that taluk tauzi No. 431 Sundarband Abad Bhairabnagar, pargana Hatiaghor, thana Kulpi, sub-registry Sultanpore, registration district Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and paying therefor an annual Government revenue of rupees one hundred and sixty-nine and pies nine to the Alipore Collectorate.

2. All that taluk tauzi No. 1073, pargana Magura, Abad Massomari, mauza Ankunari Isuberi Masoomari, thana Kulpi, sub-registry Sultanpore, registration district Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and paying therefor an annual Government revenue of rupees two hundred and thirty-seven and annas eight for these three mauzas.

3. All that taluk tauzi No. 388, pargana Hatiaghor, kismat Kamdebpur and Gayaraha, thana Kulpi, sub-registry Sultanpore, registration district Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and paying therefor an annual Government revenue of Rs. 460-3-6 to the Alipore Collectorate.

4. All that taluk tauzi No. 1385, lat No. 3, Sundarband Abad Modhusudhanpur *alias* Chundinagar, pargana Hatiaghur, thana Kulpi, sub registry Sultanpore, registration district Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and paying therefor an annual Government revenue of rupees four hundred and sixty-eight and annas twelve to the Alipore Collectorate.

5. All that undivided twelve annas and sixteen gundas part or share of and in tauzi No 1390-1, lat No. 6, Sundarband Abad Lukhipur *alias* Shamnagor, pargana Hatiaghar, thana Kulpi, sub-registry Sultanpore, registration district Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and paying therefor anlannual Government revenue of rupees three hundred and sixty to the Alipore Collectorate.

6. All that maurasi land comprising about three hundred and fifty-five bighas one cottah and four chitaks, be the same a little more or less, known as chauk Gourinagar, situate, lying at and being within the tauzi No. 1334, lat No. 5, Sundarband Abad Sitarampur, pargana Hatiaghor, thana Kulpi, sub-registry Sultanpore, registration district Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and bounded on the north by the superior landlord's bhendi, on the east partly by the superior landlord's bhendi and partly by Kamini Dasi's chak, on the south partly by the superior landlord's bhendi and partly by Chundi Money's chak, and on the west by the dâk road and paying therefor Rs 200-0-3 annually to the superior landlord, the shebait of the idol Sree Sree Sitaram Jew Shebait late Mohendra Nath Patra.

7. All that maurasi land comprising about one thousand six hundred and forty-eight bighas, more or less, known as chak Bilpukur Bhagawanpur, etc., situate, lying at and being within the taluk tauzi No. 1533, Abad Arumnagar, pargana Hatiaghor, thana Kulpi, sub-registry Sultanpore, registration district Alipore in the district of 24-Parganas, bounded on the north by the Ramtanunagar, on the east by the taluk Arumnagar on the west by the dâk road, on the south by the tauzi No. 423 khas mahal and paying therefor an annual sum of Rs. 192 to the superior landlord, lat Mohendra Narain Patra.

8. All that maurasi land comprising about 1,550 bighas (one thousand five hundred and fifty bighas), more or less, comprising of two plots, the plot No. 1 being five hundred and fifty bighas and plot No. 2 being thousand bighas, more or less, known as Chak Madhusudanpore *alias* Chandinagar, situate, lying at being within the taluk, tauzi No. 1385, lat No. 3 Sundarband, abad Modhusudanpore, pargana Hatiaghar, thana Kulpi, sub-registry Sultanpore, registration district Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and plot No. 1 being bounded on the north by the pattai land of Okrur Mondal, on the east by the Government-bhendi, on the west by chak previously belonging to the late Beny Madhob Chattopadhaya, now belonging to the estate of late Mohendra Narayan Patra, and on the south by the Gandamaric khal, and the plot No. 2 being bounded on the north by the land belonging to the estate of late Mohendra Narain Patra, on the east by the land belonging to the estate of Mahendra Narain Patra, and on the west by the Soladangas khal, and on the south by the imaginary line and the north boundary of lat No. 6 and paying therefor an annual sum of rupees seven hundred and fifty-five and annas fifteen only to the superior landlord Ram Narain Patra.

9. All that maurasi makarari land together with the pucca structures containing thereon or on part thereof, containing by estimation eleven cottahs, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being premises No. 13, Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane in Chetla, pargana Magra, thana Alipore, in the sub-registration district of Alipore, district 24-Parganas, and bounded on the east partly by a tank, partly by the dwelling-house of Prasanna Kumar Basu and partly by a filled up tank acquired by the Calcutta Corporation, on the north partly by the dwelling-house of Deb Narain Mukhapadhyay, now the dwelling-house of Jogeswar Mittra, and partly by a pucca wall belonging to the house of the said Jogeswar Mittra, on the west by the house formerly belonging to the Madhu Sudhan Mittra and Daroka Nath Ghose's tenanted house, now a pucca new road of the Calcutta Corporation, south by the Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane aforesaid and paying therefor an annual rent of rupee one and annas eight to the present malik Jotindra Mohan Tagore, Tara Kumar Ray Choudhury and others under a maurasi makarari permanent arrangement.

10. All that rent free land and land filled with water, together with the one-storied pucca building standing on part of the said land, the whole of which is by estimation twelve cottahs and five chitaks, more or less, situate, lying and being No. 8, Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane in the Chetla, pargana Magra, thana Alipore, in the sub-registry of Alipore, district 24-Parganas, and bounded at present on the north by the surplus land belonging to the Calcutta Corporation, on the east by the dwelling-house and land belonging to one Shristidhar Bose, on the west partly by the house No. 7, Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane, and partly by the house of Ram Narain Patra, and on the south by Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane aforesaid.

11. All that maurasi land comprising about one thousand four hundred and sixteen bighas, more or less, known as chak Dhunbarna, Chandernagar, situate, lying at and being within the tauzi No. 209-240, Abad Sitarampore, pargana Hatiaghor, thana Kulpi, sub-registry Sultanpore, registration district Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and consisting of two plots, the plot No. 1 which is one thousand and one hundred and fifty-three bighas, and bounded on the north by Sukho Mayi Dasi's chak, on the west by dâk road, on the south by Ramdhan Mittra's chak, the plot No. 2, being two hundred and sixty-two bighas, more or less, and bounded on the north by Ram Narain Patra's chak, on the east by Raghu Nath Pahi's chak on the west by dâk road, and on the south by Annada Prosad Mittra's chak, paying therefor Rs. 802-6 to the landlord Ram Narain Patra.

12. All that maurasi land measuring about one thousand and fifteen bighas and one cottah, more or less, known as Lucchi Mayi's chak, situate lying at and being within the tauzi No. 1385, lat No. 3, Sundarband Abad Madhusudhanpore *alias* Chandinagar, pargana Hatiaghor, thana Kulpi, sub-registry Sultanpur, registration district Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and bounded on the north by Kurut's khal, on the east by the dâk road, on the south partly by the southern boundary of the lat No. 3 and partly by the northern boundary of lat No. 6, and on the west by Gundamori's khal and paying therefor an annual jama of Rs. 507.8 to the superior landlord the late Mohendra Nath Patra.

13. All that rent-free tenanted land together with a portion thereof covered with water, containing by estimation nineteen cottahs twelve chitaks, more or less, situate, lying at and being No. 55-1, Mayerpore road, in mauza Chetla, thana and sub-registry of Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and bounded on the north by the dwelling-house of Bama Charan Chakrabarti, on the east partly by Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane, and partly by the tenanted land of Mohendra Nath Patra, on the south by the house belonging to Peary Mohan Roy and Biseswar Ghose, and on the west by Mayerpur aforesaid.

14. All that maurasi land together with the structures thereon or on part thereof, containing by estimation five cottahs, more or less, situate, lying at and being No. 7, Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane in Chetla, pargana Magura, thana and sub-registry of Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and bounded on the north by the surplus land belonging to the Calcutta Corporation, on the east No. 8, Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane, on the south by No 7-1, Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane and on the west by Daroka Nath Ghose's Lane aforesaid, the name of the landlords being Tara Kumar Ray Choudhury and others.

Alipore, the 23rd September 1908.

RAJ KRISHNA BANERJI, Subordinate Judge.

(1124—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Shahabad, 1st Court.

EXECUTION CASE No. 301 OF 1908.

Permeshar Dyal Sahu and others, decree-holders, *versus* Babu Raghunandan Pershad Singh and others, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Shahabad, on 2nd November 1908, at 12-30 P.M., in the Subordinate Judge's Court-house at Arrah, the undermentioned mortgaged properties of the judgment-debtor, Babu Raghunandan Pershad Singh, and others for satisfaction of Rs. 52,129-4-9 :—

1. Sixteen annas mahal Pipra Jaipal asli with dakhli bearing tauzi No. 527 and jama sadar Rs. 3,734-5-4, pargana, thana and Sub-Registry, Arrah. The annual revenue payable to Government for the entire 16 annas mahal is Rs. 3,734-5-4.

2. Sixteen annas asli with dakhli mahal Pipra Jagir bearing tauzi No. 528 and jama sadar Rs. 1,281-13-3, pargana, thana and Sub-Registry, Arrah. The annual revenue payable to Government for the entire 16 annas mahal is Rs. 1,281-13-3.

KISHORI MOHAN SIKDAR,
Subordinate Judge.

Arrah, the 23rd September 1908. (1160—1)

NOTIFICATION OF SALE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Nadia.

EXECUTION CASE No. 130 OF 1908.

Girendra Chandra Pal Choudhury and others, decree holders, *versus* Lohit Mohan Pal Choudhury and others, judgment-debtors.

THE property of the judgment-debtor described in the following Schedule will be sold on the 9th November 1908, next by the Nazir of this Court, in the sale-room of the District Judge of Nadia for realization of Rs. 12,083-4-9 due according to the above decree by the judgment-debtors to the decree-holders :—

Schedule of Property.

Within dehi Panchpota, mahal bearing tauzi No. 3178 of the Collectorate of district Nadia, under thana and Sub-Registry Santipur, are—(1) mauza Bathangachi, (2) Bagdia, (3) Khalsi, (4) Bagalpur, (5) Donkhira, (6) Ghosra, together with their alluviated chars after diluvion thereof. The darputni right of these 6 mauzas, Asutosh Ghose and others of Chandannagar, putnidar of the aforesaid mahals have 8-anna share and Rakhal Dass Mukherjee and Chinta Money Mukherjee of Paharpur have 8-anna share. The annual darputni rent of Rs. 1,968 5 annas 3 gandas 1 kara less "remission" on account of the land acquired by Railway Company, in total 16 annas is payable; that the darputni rent of Rs. 656 1 anna 14 gandas 1 kara 2 krantis in judgment-debtor's own share of 5 annas 4 pies of the aforesaid mahals is payable in to the Sarcar of the aforesaid putnidars, the entire right of the judgment-debtor's own share in the said mahals. The property valued at Rs. 2,000.

PROMOTHO NATH CHATTERJI,
Subordinate Judge, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 23rd September 1908. (1159—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Darbhanga.

PRESENT

H. E. RANSOM, ESQ., I.C.S., District Judge.

EXECUTION CASE No. 18 OF 1908.

Budhu Lal, Decree-holder, *versus* Bansidhar Sukul and others, Judgment debtors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following property will be sold in the above case by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Darbhanga, at 11 A.M. on the 16th November 1908 at Laheria Sarai for the realization of Rs. 3,246-8-11 due under a decree No. 15 of 1904 :—

1. Eight annas share in mauza Bhagwatipur, pargana Bharwara, bearing tauzi No. 1182 at a jama sadar of Rs. 568-4-3 within the jurisdiction of police-station and Registry Office Darbhanga, 368 acres, proprietary right and interest of the judgment-debtors valued Rs. 1,000.

PRYAG NATH, for District Judge.

Darbhanga District Judge's Office, the 22nd September 1908. (1150—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Midnapore.

PRESENT.

Babu Ambicka Charan Mukharji, Sub-Judge.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 5 OF 1908.

Bijoy Chandra Singha, of No. 146, Baranasi Ghose's Street, Calcutta, decree-holder *versus* Prince Mohummud Buktyar Shah, C.I.E., of Tollyganj, thana Rassgola, district 24-Parganas, represented by his Receiver, Mr. K. S. Bonnerjee, High Court, and others, judgment-debtor.

THE right, title and interest of the judgment-debtors in the undermentioned mortgaged property will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Midnapore, on the 17th November 1908 at 12 A.M., for the realization of the decretal amount of Rs. 22,002-7-9:—

Schedule (৯)

The estate of Dhalbhum included partly in the pargana of Singhbhum, thana Ghatsila, sub-registration office and subdivision of Chaibasa and partly in the thana and sub-registration office of Jhargram, district Midnapore, a tract of land about 1,100 square miles in area bounded on the north by the boundaries of pargana Sildah, district Midnapore, and pargana Borabhbhum, district Manbhum, and the east of Beniabeta of pargana Nayabasan, district Midnapore, pargana Jamboni and boundary of west Sildah, on the north by the boundary of Moyurbhunj pargana in the district of Cuttack, and on the west by the boundary of pargana Samui Kona in the district of Singhbhum with all the rights of the judgment-debtor. Prince Mohommud Buktyar Shah, C.I.E., in the above property including the subright of minerals. The estimated value of the property is Rs. 17,000.

(৯) The abovementioned property as shown por schedule (৯) excepting the property in schedule (৭) will be sold subject to incumbrance of Rs. 8,048-2-9 due to the defendant No. 2.

A. C. MUKHARJI,
Sub-Judge, 1st Court, Midnapore.

Midnapore, the 23rd September 1908. (1145—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif, 2nd Court, Bhagalpur.

THE following property is at sale on the 13th November 1908 at noon, in Money Execution Case No. 306 of 1908, Imam Khan, decree-holder, *versus* Jotendra Mohan Singh and others, judgment-debtors, for realization of Rs. 228-4-3:—

Eight annas share in mauza Baijani Kismat Awal bearing tauzi No. 264 of which the Government revenue is Rs. 644-12 within thana Kotwali, pargana Colgong, district Bhagalpur, solo property of the judgment-debtors of which the price is estimated at Rs. 25,000. There is an incumbrance of Rs. 25,000 on the said property.

LALA DAMODAR PROSAD, Munsif, 2nd Court.

Bhagalpur, the 23rd September 1908. (1152—1)

NOTIFICATION OF SALE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Nadia.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 92 OF 1908.

Bejoy Gopal Mukherjie and others, decree-holders, *versus* Jogemaya Dassi and others, judgment-debtors.

THE property of the judgment-debtors described in the following schedule will be sold on the 9th November 1908 next by the Nazir of this Court in the sale-room of the District Judge of Nadia for realization of Rs. 7,213-10-6, due according to the above decree by the judgment-debtors to the decree-holders:—

Schedule of Property.

Tauzi mahal No. 491 of the Nadia Collectorate within the jurisdiction of thanas Kasrimpur and Gangni, pargana Rajpur, debi Sadipur, whose sadar jama for the 16 annas is Rs. 18,263-14-9 and according to the separate account No. 491-7, the sadar jama is Rs. 6,849-0-3, out of which the judgment-debtor Bhabatariny *alias* Bhaba Bhabiny Dassi and Padmabati Dassi have a title to the original mahal to the extent of 3 annas 19 gandas 3 karas 2 kags 4 krantis and 8 dantis whose annual sadar jama is Rs. 4,566-13-8. The property valued at Rs. 4,000.

PROMOTHO NATH CHATTERJEE,
Subordinate Judge of Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 23rd September 1908. (1147—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Purnea.

RENT EXECUTION CASE No. 25 OF 1908.

Kirat Chand Sirmal, etc., decree-holder, *versus* Chatterpat Singh, judgment-debtor.

THE following property to be sold in the above case by the Nazir of the Court at 12 A.M., on the 3rd November 1908, for realization of the judgment-debt Rs. 45,835-7-6 with power to avoid all incumbrances and effect thereof:—

Sixteen annas of the defaulting Patni property Lat Mirzapur, pargana Haveli, zilla Purnea, the annual rental of which Rs. 14,206 was formerly payable by the judgment-debtor to the zemindari cutcherry of the decree-holder, and is at present payable to the zemindari cutcherry of Babu Prithi Chand Lal Choudhry of Deorhi Nazarganj, Sadar Purnea, comprising mauzas Mirzapur, Kholdia, Raghopur Bistoria, Bhag Bhasia, Parwanpur, Thoga Majhia, Dhanistal, mauza Nijpokharia, Adampur, Bishunpur Madhulta, Jhirna, mauza Surabeeli, mauza Jhuni Balia, Hingna Kuari and Aurahi situated within the jurisdictions of thanas Matiari, Ranigunj, Araria and Sadar Purnea, sub-registry Sadar Purnea and Araria, approximate value Rs. 30,000.

F. S. HAMILTON, District Judge.

Purnea, the 23rd September 1908. (1157—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of BUDRI PROSAD and another, insolvents.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Manuel & Angarwallah, Attorneys. (1104—2)

In the matter of W. G. COGGIN, an insolvent.

On the 26th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1105—2)

In the matter of JAGADISH SHA, an insolvent.

On the 10th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1106—2)

In the matter of KARAM CHAND NAHATA, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. C. Dey, Attorney. (1107—2)

In the matter of H. PHILLIPS, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. T. De, Attorney. (1108—2)

In the matter of P. J. DOVER, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Mookerjee, Attorney. (1109—2)

In the matter of C. T DESSA, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1110—2)

In the matter of SHAM LALL and another, insolvents.

On the 2nd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. L. Mullick, Attorney. (1111—2)

In the matter of C. L. VAILLANT, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1112—2)

In the matter of H C LESLIE, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1113—2)

In the matter of RAM KUMAR, an insolvent.

On the 2nd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. N. Mitter, Attorney. (1114—2)

In the matter of GOPI KISSEN KORNANI, an insolvent.

On the 2nd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. L. Pyne, Attorney. (1115—2)

In the matter of MAKHAN LALL, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney. (1116—2)

In the matter of JNANENDRA K. BOSE, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. N. Basu & Co., Attorneys. (1117—2)

In the matter of KARTIK LAL DEY, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. L. Mullick, Attorney. (1118—2)

In the matter of MOTTY LALL, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. L. Pyne, Attorney. (1119—2)

In the matter of J. H. BENTLY, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1125—2)

In the matter of SANGI LALL POORAHIT *alias* HARSOOK DASS POORAHIT, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. L. Pyne, Attorney. (1127—2)

In the matter of CHATTO LALL MOONDRA, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. L. Pyne, Attorney. (1128—2)

In the matter of RUTTY CANTO PYNE, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. C. Ghose, Attorney. (1129—2)

In the matter of H. T. E. J. GRANT, an insolvent.

On the 28th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1130—2)

In the matter of MOHENDRA NATH BANNERJEE, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. N. Basu & Co., Attorneys. (1131—2)

In the matter of C. C. COURY, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Bannerjee, Attorney. (1132—2)

In the matter of OPENDRA LAL DASS, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. C. Ghose, Attorney. (1133—2)

In the matter of HAJI SYED JAN MEAH, an insolvent.

On the 3rd day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Mookerjee, Attorney. (1134—2)

In the matter of KANYALAL RATI, an insolvent.

On the 12th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. L. Pyne, Attorney. (1135—2)

In the matter of ALICE AUGIER, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. N. Chatterjee, Attorney. (1136—2)

In the matter of SEW NUNDUN SHAW, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1137—2)

In the matter of E. C. BATTISTE, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Bannerjee, Attorney. (1138—2)

In the matter of C. S. SMITH, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1139—2)

In the matter of G. F. BECK, an insolvent.

On the 9th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1140—2)

In the matter of ASUTOSH DASS, an insolvent.

On the 13th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1141—2)

In the matter of G. W. GOFF, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 17th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. G. Lewis, Attorney. (1142—2)

In the matter of CHANGOOR SHAW, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1143—2)

In the matter of G. M. CASTILLO, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. K. Ghosh, Attorney. (1144—2)

NOTIFICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 9 OF 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sub-section 7, section 16 of Act III of 1907, that Kali Charan Mandal, son of Srinath Mandal, of Polasi thana, chauki and district Burdwan, has been adjudged by this Court to be an insolvent.

A. GOODEVE, District Judge.

Burdwan District Judge's Court, the 21st September 1908. (1122—1—1048)

In the Court of the District Judge of Gaya.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 5 OF 1908.

WHEREAS Kanhai Singh, son of Daulat Singh, deceased, by caste a Babnan, of Chadaun, pargana Roh, district Gaya, by occupation a cultivator, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 26th August of 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and the following names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 30th day of October 1908 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. Those who desire to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of debt alleged in the petition to be due are as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Mussamat Chulhan Koer	103	13	6
(2) Mussamat Jai Koer	101	4	3
(3) Chaudhri Gurnarain *alias* Baran and Chaudhri Sew Charan Lal ...	688	14	7
(4) Rafi Uddin ...	583	2	2
(5) Ishri Prasad ...	1,084	0	6
(6) Mahtha Jadubans Narain, Kishun Kishore, Jugal Kishore ...	518	9	10
(7) Narain Prasad, heir of Debi Prasad *alias* Deo Lall, and Jago Lal	454	10	7
(8) Mahanth Dalmir Puri ...	364	2	3
(9) Ram Anugrah Narain	24	3	9
(10) Mahanth Tokhnarain Puri	3	0	6
(11) Mussamat Ram Kuer	6	13	6
(12) Sham Lal ...	3	8	9
(13) Nand Kishore Singh	2	9	8
(14) Maghu and Pokhan Mahtons	4	10	3
(15) Mussamat Bhoj Kuer	8	9	9
(16) Lokhraj Singh	3	7	3
(17) Damodar Prasad, Gauri Prasad, Gokhul Prasad, Radhika Prasad, Siri Ballav Prasad and Gopeshwar Prasad ...	523	4	4
(18) Jib Lal Mahton, Loaknath Mahton, Chatordhari Mahton, Hari Mahton, Tikam Mahton ...	26	3	0
(19) Harnandan Prasad ...	1	0	6
Total ...	4,567	0	6

A. W. WATSON, District Judge.

Gaya Judge's Office, the 23rd September 1908. (1154—1—1046)

In the Court of the District Judge of Gaya.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No 6 OF 1908.

WHEREAS Tilakdhari Singh, adopted son of Bansi Singh, resident of mauza Lodhway, pargana Maher, zilla Gaya, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 10th September of 1908, to be declared an insolvent, under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and the following names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed 13th day of November 1908 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. Those who desire to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of debt alleged in the petition to be due are as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
(1) B. Ajodheya Singh ...	679	0	0
(2) Kali Singh	900	0	0
(3) Ram Lall Sahu	499	0	0
(4) Jainarain Singh, Sheo Prasad Singh and Satruhan Prasad Singh ...	1,116	0	0
(5) Ram Lal Sahu Banwar ...	404	0	0
(6) Munshi Singh	1,012	0	0
(7) Ram Lal Sahu Banwar ...	250	0	0
(8) Baijnath Singh	1,092	0	0
(9) Baijnath Singh	833	0	0
(10) Latif Khan	250	0	0
(11) Janki Das and Pokhraj *alias* Gopi Lal ...	664	0	0
(12) Mahanth Kirishna Deyal Gir	2,210	0	0
(13) B. Ambika Persad Singh	2,340	0	0
(14) Dular Chund Sahu	688	0	0
(15) Ando Singh	450	0	0
(16) Somar Sahu ...	132	11	0
(17) Loan Office, Gaya ...	385	11	0
(18) Gultam Sahu	2,813	2	0
(19) Gulab Kuer	232	8	8
(20) Lakshmi Chund Marwari ...	476	0	0
Total ...	17,149	0	8

A. W. WATSON, District Judge.

Gaya Judge's Office, the 23rd September 1908. (1155—1—1050)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 9 OF 1908.

HARAMOHAN MANDAL, son of Nidhiram Mandal, of Simla, thana Chanditala, district Hooghly, was, on the 4th June 1908, adjudicated an insolvent. The 13th November next has been fixed for framing a schedule of debts and creditors, when persons having claims against him are to prove them in this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 23rd September 1908. (1156—1—1049)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 64 OF 1908.

Umesh Chandra Mal, Applicant, *versus* 1. Khetramoni Dasi, No. 2 Ram Narain Bhattacharjee's Lane, Calcutta; 2. Sayed Rajbar, No. 5 Ballaghatta Main Road, Creditors.

ON the 21st September 1908 it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on the 23rd November 1908 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

The 23rd September 1908. (1151—1—1047)

MITHILA SARAN SINHA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (1076—4)

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Moti Lall Sen, late of No. 39, Cathedral Mission Lane, Calcutta, who died intestate at Calcutta on 30th January 1908, has been granted to Sreemoti Baranosi Debi of No. 39, Cathedral Mission Lane, Calcutta, as widow of the deceased to enable her to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said Sreemoti Baranosi Debi.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

No. 3, Council House Street, Calcutta. 23rd September 1908. (1125—1)

NOTICE is hereby given for the information of all zamindars and others connected with the landed interest in the Patna district that under orders of the Hon'ble Board of Revenue in accordance with section 4 of Land Registration Act, from 1st April 1908 all the old tauzi numbers will be changed excepting in pargana Azimabad and brought into one series. The new tauzi number will be found on adding certain fixed numbers as noted below to the old tauzi numbers in different parganas and the new numbers should be used in all chalans of Land Revenue and Cesses and in all petitions and documents, etc., from 1st April 1908:—

1.	Azimabad	...	The present tauzi numbers remain unchanged.	
2.	Baikatpur	...	Add	880
3.	Balia	...	,,	889
4.	Bhimpore	...	,,	1952
5.	Munair	...	,,	2458
6.	Masandha	...	,,	4368
7.	Phulwari	...	,,	5058
8.	Sunda	...	,,	5859
9.	Shahjehanpore		,,	7505
10.	Giya-pur	...	,,	7692
11.	Beswak	...	,,	9898
12.	Bihar	...	,,	10956
13.	Maldah	...	,,	11771
14	Narnat	...	,,	12772
15.	Piliech	...	,,	11823
16.	Raggir	...	,,	12561
17.	Samai	...	,,	12585
18.	Sansut	...	,,	12656
19.	Telhara	...	,,	12696
20.	Ukri	...	,,	13570

To old tauzi No. to get the new tauzi Nos. in this pargana.

W. B. THOMSON, Collector of Patna.

Bankipur, the 19th February 1908.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified for the information of the public that a sum of Rs. 40-4-6 (rupees forty annas four and pies six only) is kept, in deposit account of this division on account of the security deposit of Nursing Rout, late a treasure guard of this office (resident of Nayagaon, district Chapra) who died on the 7th August 1903. If no rightful claimant for the amount turns up within six months from the date of this notification, the amount will be credited to Government revenue.

E. BLAKER,
Executive Engineer, Champaran Division.

Motihari, the 22nd September 1908.

Notice.

A TOMB with the inscription "Sacred to the memory of Robert Frank Bovey of Buxham, South Devon, late Port Officer, Chandbally, died 24-2-78, aged 38 years" in the Chandbally cemetery, collapsed during the heavy rains in August 1908. Any relative or friend who wishes to restore the same, may communicate with the Executive Engineer, Brahmini-Byturni Division, Cuttack.

W. S. BREMNER,
Executive Engineer, Brahmini-Byturni Division.

WANTED one Ranger on Rs. 60 and one Deputy Ranger on Rs. 30 with horse allowance Rs. 10 per month for the Angul Protected Forest.

Applications with copies of testimonials to be sent before the 15th October 1908. None need apply who does not hold a certificate of qualification from the Dehra Dun Forest School.

E. MCLEOD SMITH,
Dy. Commr., Angul (Orissa).

Angul, the 18th September 1908.

WANTED an Amin on probation for six months for the present for the Court of Wards Estates, Deoghur, on Rs. 25 per month. Apply sharp to the General Manager, Baidyanath, Deoghur, with copies of testimonials. (1123—2)

WANTED an experienced Native Doctor for the District Board Dispensary at Darauli on a monthly salary of Rs 25.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th October 1908.

JAGDAM SAHAI,
For Chairman, District Board, Saran.

Chapra, the 15th September 1908. (1102—3)

Wanted.

APPLICATIONS for the post of a permanent Clerk on the Clerical scale of the District Board office, Hazaribagh, carrying a monthly salary of Rs 25 per month will be received by undersigned up to the 17th October 1908.

None need apply who has not passed the Entrance examination of some University.

Those who have already served in a Government office and understands District Board accounts will have preference.

Copies of certificate to accompany applications.

N. C. MITTER,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Hazaribagh.

Hazaribagh, the 21st September 1908. (1148—2)

WANTED an experienced Surveyor for one year. Only those who are qualified under paragraph 7 (3) (*a*) and (*b*) of Bengal Government Notification No. 3394L S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, need apply. Monthly salary Rs. 35 *plus* Rs. 15 consolidated travelling allowance.

Applications with copies of testimonials and particulars as to the age, etc., of the candidates must reach this office on or before the 15th October 1908.

Applications to be in the applicant's own handwriting.

(ILLEGIBLE),
Overseer in charge, *for* District Engineer, Saran.

Chapra, the 18th September 1908. (1101—2)

WANTED by the District Board of Burdwan a Supervisor on a salary of Rs. 150—5—200 and fixed conveyance allowances of Rs. 30 per month and fares for Railway journeys under the rules. Applicants must be a B.E of the Sibpur College or an Assistant Engineer from the Thomason College, Rurki. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 15th October next.

HARI DAS PAL, District Engineer, Burdwan.

Burdwan, the 15th September 1908. (1093—3)

WANTED an experienced and qualified Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Engineer's Office, Purnea. Pay Rs. 60—5—80. Apply to the District Engineer with copies of testimonials and brief history of services. Behari preferred.

Applications will be received up to the 18th October 1908. Selected candidate should join at once.

(1096—3)

Wanted

AN experienced Overseer of active habits for the permanent staff of the District Engineer. Salary Rs. 75—5—100, plus Rs 30 travelling allowance.

One really good hand with knowledge of drawing and of correct estimating will have preference, having already served as an Upper Subordinate.

Applications with copies of recent testimonials will be received up to 15th proximo.

N. C. CHAKRAVARTI, District Engineer.

District Engineer's office, Hazaribagh, the 23rd September 1908. (1149—)

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS in Form No. 2 are invited and will be received up to the noon of 12th October 1908 for the following work.

The work is to be commenced as soon as ordered and completed by the end of March 1909. An earnest-money of Rs. 100 (rupees one hundred only) should be credited into the Howrah Treasury and the treasury chalan should accompany each tender.

Metalling the straight road from Andul station to Mohiari-Kundu Road Rs. 2,578.

GANENDRA NATH GANGULY,
District Engineer, Howrah.

Howrah, the 24th September 1908. (1153—1)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 110429 of the 3½ per cent. of 1854-55 for Rs. 25,000, originally standing in the name of John Dey, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—JOHN DEY,
per his Attorney W. H. TAYLOR.

Residence—4-5, Koila Ghat Street, Calcutta.

(1073—3—1009)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1907 to 31st August 1908.

Name.	Post Box No.
A	
Abrecht & Co.	19
Arracan Co., Ld.	28
Agelasto & Co., A.	37
Alliance Bank of Simla, Ld.	43
Army Department, Government of India ...	62
Allen Brothers & Co.	77
Atherton & Co., G.	98
Assmann & Co., F. A. D.	103
Arthur Koppel	109
Atlas Assurance Co., Ld.	123
Apcar & Co.	130
Acerboni & Co., F.	135
Anderson Wright & Co.	140
Andrew Yule & Co	150
Allahabad Bank, Ld.	165
Artin & Co., Y.	167
Arathoon, Ld.	217
Army & Navy Co-Operative Society, Ld. ...	232
Alexander Young & Co.	243
Austro-English Trade Association ..	251
Ashworth Taylor & Co.	282
"Asian," The	287
Abdul Wahab, S. M.	293
Ahmuty & Co.	305
Anderson-Smith, R.	312
Abdoolabhoy and Joomabhoy Lalljee ...	327
Agarwalla & Co., G. R.	331
Ayurbed Ashram, The	342
B	
Balmer, Lawrie & Co.	4
Birkmyre Bros.	18
British India Marine Service Club ...	35
Becker Gray & Co.	41
Bird & Co.	46
Bøkel, Wm. Oscar	47
Barlow & Co.	49
Barry & Co.	50
Biswas & Co., D. N.	79
Brindaban Chandra Dutt	84
Bathgate & Co.	86
British-American Tobacco Co., Ld. ...	89
Bank of Bengal Secretary and Treasurer ...	110
Blackburn, G. A.	113
Baksh & Co., S. A B.	114
Bengal Coal Co., Ld.	117
Blackwood Blackwood & Co.	120
Borsogomoff, Ld.	128
Burk Brothers	134
Bombay Company, Limited, The ...	139
Begg Dunlop & Co.	171
Balch Batley & Co.	173
Brooke Bond & Co., Ld.	187
Burn & Co., Ld.	191
Bevan & Co., T. E.	206
Brownlie & Murray, Ld. (Agents) ...	230
Bank of Burma, Ld.	253
Bharat Insurance Co., Ld.	276
Bengal Chamber of Commerce, Secy. ...	280
Burjorjee Framjee & Co.	284
Bandman, Maurice E (*Personal*) ..	288
British India Engineers' Club	296
Bengal Club	300
Banerjee Brothers (Beadon Sreet) ...	324
Boyd, L.	328
Blower & Co., T. H.	339
Bannsi Lall Abirchand Ray Bahadur ...	346
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Bagram & Co., J. G.	349
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Commercial Bank of India, Ld	9
Chaturup Sampatram	11
"Capital"	14
Cooke & Kelvey	20
Crompton & Co., Ld.	24
Calcutta Tramways Co., Ld.	33
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	40
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ld. ...	59
Consul-General for Italy	76
Cohn Bros. & Fuchs	91
Carl Lichtenstein & Co.	97
Consul-General for the Netherlands ...	126
Colonial Trading Co. of Trieste, Ld. ...	132
Calcutta Turf Club	162
Cresswell & Co., W. S.	169
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Callarman, J.	196
Chunder, S. C.	201
Comptroller, India Treasuries	219
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PART IV A.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

The Council met in the Council Chamber on Saturday, the 19th September, 1908, at 11 A.M.

Present:

The Hon'ble SIR ANDREW FRASER, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.

The Hon'ble MR. R. T. GREER, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. S. P. SINHA, Advocate-General of Bengal.

The Hon'ble Mr. F. W. DUKE.

The Hon'ble MR. W. A. INGLIS, C.S.I.

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The Hon'ble MR. F. A. LARMOUR.

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The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

SIBPUR COLLEGE.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to say what steps have been taken to give effect to its promise to establish classes in mining engineering, electrical engineering and mechanical engineering, imparting instruction to a standard equal to that of the technical colleges of Europe? Have the classes in the Sibpur College on the above subjects been affiliated with the Calcutta University for the purpose of granting degrees in them? When will the said graduate classes be opened?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied:—

"I refer the Hon'ble Member to what I said on this subject in the course of the last budget debate, which was as follows:—'The Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose has made a serious grievance of the delay in opening the graduate classes in Engineering at Sibpur. I find, however, that the University is not prepared to examine for these degrees till 1911, and as a two years' course is involved, it is useless and impracticable to start these classes till 1909. The first intermediate examination in Engineering will be held in 1909. This course was opened in 1907, and those who are now reading the course and who succeed in passing the examination in 1909 will be eligible to read the graduate course then and not before.' That statement was and is correct."

INDUSTRIAL CHEMISTRY.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to say in what stage is the scheme for starting graduate classes in industrial chemistry?

The Hon'ble Mr. STREATFEILD replied:—

"The scheme for establishing classes in technological chemistry and the chemistry of dyeing at Sibpur is still under the consideration of the Government of India."

WEAVING SCHOOL AT SERAMPORE.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to say whether there is any likelihood of opening the Weaving School at Serampore in the near future? Is the Government in a position to say by what time at the latest the school will be started?

The Hon'ble MR STREATFEILD replied:—

"The appointment of a Principal for the Serampore Weaving School has been made. The gentleman selected is at present employed by a private firm in Bombay. It is hoped that he will join the appointment at once and that the school will be started within two months from the present date."

SILK INDUSTRY.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to say whether all the recommendations of the Silk Commission have been given effect to, and what steps are being taken for imparting instruction in improved methods of sericulture?

The Hon'ble MR DUKE replied :—

"The remedial measures recommended by the Silk Committee appointed in June, 1906, were accepted by Government, except on two points. Conferences were held at Calcutta and Berhampur with the leading representatives of the Silk Industry and it was ultimately agreed that the control of the operations and the disbursement of the funds should rest with a Committee consisting of three representatives of European Silk Firms, one representative of the Indian Silk Firms, the Collector of Murshidabad and the Director of Agriculture (President). It was further decided that one large central nursery in addition to the small nurseries should be maintained. The Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam preferred to have a separate Superintendent of Sericulture, so that the operations are confined to this Province. The management of the Sericultural School at Rajshahi and the two nurseries there have been handed over; but the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam have agreed to train six students from this Province every year.

"The members of the Committee were recently nominated and rules for their guidance published. Meanwhile, Rs. 22,000 had been provided in the budget and Babu Apurba Coomar Ghose has been appointed Sericultural Superintendent. Under his guidance, about 60 bighas of land have been planted with mulberry and the construction of the central nursery and four small nurseries at Berhampore has been undertaken. Other model rearing houses will be established as soon as the organization is complete and funds permit.

"Instruction in improved methods of Sericulture is given at Rajshahi and at Sabang in the district of Midnapore. As soon as it is possible to open more model rearing houses facilities for imparting instruction will be extended."

AGRICULTURAL SCHOOLS.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked :—

Will the Government be pleased to consider the advisability of establishing comparatively inexpensive lower grade agricultural schools for training practical agriculturists, in which a high literary qualification for admission will not be required, as in the Central Provinces, one in each division or one in connection with each of the existing demonstration farms?

The Hon'ble MR. DUKE replied :—

"Until the Provincial Agricultural College at Sabaur can supply elementary teachers it does not seem advisable for the Government to start lower grade agricultural schools; but a class for the practical training of some of the cultivators, such as is in existence at Cuttack, will be opened at each of the Experiment Stations. For the Cuttack class no literary qualification is necessary beyond ability to read and write the vernacular."

DRINKING-WATER IN RURAL AREAS.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked :—

Having regard to the answer given by the Government to a question on the subject which showed the extreme inadequacy of the amount spent in the districts of the Presidency Division during the last five years for the supply of good drinking water, and having regard also to the great water scarcity experienced during the hot season this year, will the Government be pleased to make a systematic effort by taking measures for the excavation of 20 or a sufficient number of good tanks every year in the interior of each of the districts of the said Division, through the District Boards, by making special grants for the purpose?

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM replied:—

"In the answers given to Questions Nos. V and VI put by the Hon'ble Member at the meeting of this Council held on the 21st March last, the policy of this Government in respect of making grants for the supply of drinking water in rural areas was explained. No change has since been made in that policy. Under the extended powers given to them by the provisions of the Bill for the amendment of the Local Self-Government Act recently passed in this Council, Union Committees will be enabled to undertake measures of the nature referred to by the Hon'ble Member. Government will look to the people in the first instance to take action of their own accord when necessary under these provisions. It will be left to District Boards and Union Committees to initiate measures in the direction suggested. It is only thus that the Act recently passed will be justified."

VILLAGE SANITATION.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked :—

Having regard to the fact that the new provisions about sanitation by means of Union Committees will be infructuous on account of the very insufficient funds that can be raised by the said Committees, will the Government be pleased to consider the advisability of making an adequate grant for sanitary purposes to the said Committees?

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM replied:—

"The provisions recently added in the Bill to amend the Local Self-Government Act have not yet come into operation. It is, therefore, premature to discuss whether the funds that it will be possible for the Union Committees to raise under those provisions will be insufficient for the purpose of measures of village sanitation."

CHARITABLE DISPENSARIES IN THE PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked :—

Will the Government be pleased to furnish a statement showing the grants made by it and the amounts spent by the District Boards in each of the districts of the Presidency Division for affording medical help to the people living outside the district and sub-divisional towns? Will the Government be pleased to consider the advisability of establishing a larger number of charitable dispensaries than that which exists at present in the said districts?

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM replied:—

"A statement has been prepared (marked A) showing the grants made by Government and the total expenditure in the case of each dispensary in the Presidency Division outside the district and sub-divisional towns during each of the last three years. Government has not got information to show what grants are made by each District Board to each dispensary and what amounts are received from other sources.

"From another statement (marked B), it will be seen that the Presidency Division is already much better off in respect of dispensaries than any of the other Divisions. It may be left to the local authorities to move for the establishment of other dispensaries as local conditions may demand."

A.

District.	Name of Dispensary.	Class.	Government Contribution.			Total Expenditure.		
			1905.	1906.	1907.	1905.	1906.	1907.
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
24-Parganas ...	Barisha	III	10	14	14	1,865	1,664	1,852
	Khardaha ...	"	13	...	...	641	506	766
	Nawabganj ...	"	...	...	6	582	660	873
	Naihati	"	6	7	7	836	942	1,090
	Halishahar ...	"	6	...	6	600	932	819
	Harinavi ...	"	334	324	201	1,544	2,172	1,351
	Baruipur ...	"	1	1	1	1,275	1,593	1,406
	Birati	"	12	12	12	881	881	827
	Garulia	"	7	407	7	1,028	1,021	1,054
	Chitpur	"	16	4	4	2,931	2,503	2,507
	Baduria	"	153	154	154	1,170	1,457	1,391
	Budge-Budge ...	"	22	1,000	16	2,302	1,487	1,433
	South Dum-Dum ...	"	16	13	13	1,153	1,146	1,160
	Manicktala ...	"	...	...	...	1,892	1,522	1,920
	Uttadanga ...	"	...	...	...	173	26	228
	Jainagar ...	"	100	100	...	861	1,052	904
	Garden Reach ...	"	...	...	24	1,232	1,366	1,364
	Canning Town ...	"	120	122	122	787	907	940
	Taki	"	10	10	13	1,187	2,137	1,278
	Tuntoolia ...	"	435	629	563	1,741	1,436	2,245
	Magra Hát ...	"	1	51	7	1,046	1,075	1,418
	Belpukur ...	"	15	28	293	1,073	1,326	1,430
	Cossipore ...	IV	12,197	309	1,173	7,711	18,711	23,444
	Chetla ...	"	339	334	50	1,824	1,808	2,228
Nadia ...	Ula	III	19	16	13	795	1,193	631
	Santipur ...	"	46	25	269	1,525	1,509	2,428
	Kumarkhali ...	"	16	...	12	587	603	505
	Chakdaha ...	"	22	217	15	1,149	705	1,149
	Navadwip ...	"	...	22	185	1,573	1,855	1,823
	Debagram ...	"	15	14	16	857	803	979
	Shikarpore ...	"	19	16	29	709	884	882
Murshidabad ...	Azimganj ...	"	513	266	22	2,818	2,361	6,336

District.	Name of Dispensary.	Class.	Government Contribution.			Total Expenditure.		
			1905.	1906.	1907.	1905.	1906.	1907.
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Jessore ...	Kotchandpur ...	III	167	190	257	1,632	1,658	1,931
	Maheshpur ...	,,	12	27	19	797	745	783
	Sreedharpur ...	,,	11	22	29	743	820	756
	Kesubpur ...	,,	9	24	24	958	913	1,297
	Nohatta ...	IV	8	227	20	589	1,173	650
	Raigram ...	,,	11	27	20	567	575	539
	Lohagara ...	,,	14	46	41	1,160	1,029	970
	Kalia ...	,,	...	20	20	...	555	630
	Sripur ...	,,	...	...	20	...	...	669
Khulna ...	Kalaroa	III	10	9	10	833	1,308	973
	Tala	,,	17	15	14	852	1,025	1,237
	Kaliganj ...	,,	13	12	11	523	982	1,458
	Mollahat ...	,,	13	11	10	717	797	1,153
	Chandkhali ...	,,	80	130	130	1,479	1,058	930
	Nawapara ...	,,	14	13	14	731	1,497	1,227
	Dumuria ...	,,	14	13	14	872	1,110	1,051
	Rampal	,,	...	7	9	...	2,488	855
	Shibbati ...	,,	...	8	10	...	2,360	1,221
	Dacope	,,	...	8	8	...	2,496	832
	Paikgacha ...	,,	...	...	8	...	...	1,960
	Debhatta ...	,,	...	...	9	...	...	1,787
	Senhati	,,	...	...	8	...	...	2,061
	Char Baniari ...	,,	...	...	3	...	...	1,361
	Daulatpur ...	IV	17	435	748	1,108	1,105	1,361

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Name of Division.	Total population.	Total area in square miles.	Total number of dispensaries.	Number of population to each dispensary (column 2 divided by column 4).	Number of square miles to each dispensary.	Number of dispensaries outside district and subdivisional headquarters.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Burdwan	8,240,076	13,949	56	147,144	249	39
Presidency (including Calcutta).	8,993,028	14,064	94	95,670	159	56
Patna	15,515,389	23,713	76	206,872	315	49
Bhagalpur ...	8,091,405	19,776	55	147,116	359	35
Orissa	4,788,119	11,104	37	129,409	300	21
Chota Nagpur ...	4,900,429	26,963	26	188,478	1,037	16

CHARITABLE DISPENSARIES IN THE SUNDARBANS.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to consider the advisability of establishing a few charitable dispensaries and of also appointing a few travelling Doctors during the cholera season in the Sundarbans, where there is practically little or no medical aid available?

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM replied:—

"To provide adequate medical relief in the Sundarbans tracts of the Khulna and 24 Parganas districts is an extremely difficult task, on account of the large area and the scattered population. The District Boards of Khulna and the 24-Parganas are alive to their responsibilities in the matter; and they have from time to time made special arrangements for dealing with cholera outbreaks. The former Board maintains four dispensaries in the south of the settled area; and the latter, three. The 24-Parganas District Board also maintains a floating dispensary in the Sundarbans tract, and proposes to establish another permanent dispensary on the edge of this tract.

"It seems to the Lieutenant-Governor desirable that another floating dispensary should be established for the Sundarbans tracts of the Khulna district; and Government will be prepared to make a contribution towards the cost thereof. The Commissioner of the Division is being addressed on the subject."

EXPENDITURE ON PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to furnish a statement showing the actual amount now spent by it annually on primary schools, without including in it the charges for inspection and direction, in each of the districts of the Presidency Division, and also the population of the said districts?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied:—

"A statement giving the information asked for by the Hon'ble Member is laid on the table."

showing the amount spent from different Public funds during the last three years on Primary schools in each of the ts of the Presidency Division (excluding charges for Inspection and Direction), and also the population of the istricts.

...es of ricts	Population.	AMOUNT SPENT IN 1905-06 FROM—				AMOUNT SPENT IN 1906-07 FROM—				AMOUNT SPENT IN 1907-08 FROM—				AVERAGE AMOUNT SPENT IN EACH OF THE LAST 3 YEARS.			
		Provincial Revenues.	District Funds.	Municipal Funds.	Total	Provincial Revenues.	District Funds.	Municipal Funds.	Total	Provincial Revenues.	District Funds.	Municipal Funds.	Total	Provincial Revenues.	District Funds.	Municipal Funds.	Total.
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
—	867,796	28,733	...	8,769	36,691	26,452	...	10,753	37,205	26,452		12,070	38,522	26,379	...	10,527	36,905
	2,078,340	29,910	33,140	10,177	73,226	28,338	36,218	10,763	75,196	32,146	32,178	10,669	85,012	26,197	33,895	10,223	70,315
..	1,667,691	6,025	28,590	3,153	37,776	6,190	25,268	3,920	35,379	7,134	26,...	3,48...	37,278	6,450	25,204	3,314	32,972
...had	1,333,146	3,361	17,105	1,073	21,039	4,765	17,509	2,182	24,456	5,822	18,463	2,057	26,341	4,452	17,792	2,104	24,348
..	1,815,874	4,771	37,239	628	32,638	5,977	27,063	677	33,617	6,373	26,461	617	33,951	5,674	27,848	641	33,663
.	1,253,043	7,120	24,055	1,184	32,359	7,593	22,558	1,097	34,248	6,756	23,103	754	30,593	7,149	24,441	1,002	32,592

... some years the District Boards did not spend the whole of the amounts allotted to them. In some years the boards spent more than the amounts so ... being provided from their own funds.
... allotted by Government to the Boards were as follows:—

	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Boards—			
24-Parganas	33,585 + 448	33,582 + 2,766	33,792 + 1,414
Nadia	25,792 + 802	25,792 + 3,476	25,812 + 3,943
Murshidabad	19,064 + 1,939	19,064 + 1,235	19,064 + 602
Jessore	23,064 + 825	23,064 + 1,401	8,064 + 1,103
Khulna	20,792 + 3,866	20,792 + 4,753	20,792 + 2,306

...amounts show what was spent by the Boards from their own funds over and above the Government grant: the minus amounts show by how much the ...ceed the full Government grant.
... these Boards together, the amounts spent over and above the Government grants were Rs. 1,617 in 1905-06, Rs. 1,789 in 1906-07, and Rs. 3,139 in 1907-08.

PRIMARY EDUCATION.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to say whether it has any scheme before it for the extension of primary education, and whether it intends to materially increase the number of primary schools in these provinces in the near future?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied:—

"As the Hon'ble Member is aware, the question of the abolition of fees in Primary Schools has recently been considered by all Local Governments. This question is now awaiting the decision of the Government of India; and it is clear that on that decision future action with regard to primary education must depend. Meanwhile, no definite schemes for increasing the number of Primary Schools in this Province is under the consideration of Government."

MANUFACTURE OF SALT IN BENGAL.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to consider the advisability of recommending the Government of India to allow one or two Companies, which are intended to be established by a Special Committee of the Association for the advancement of Scientific and Industrial Education of Indians, consisting of Raja Peary Mohan Mukerji and a few other gentlemen interested in the subject, to make once again the experiment of manufacturing salt in these Provinces without duty for three years, and also whether it is possible for it to afford any other help for the purpose of furthering the said object?

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM replied:—

"The views of Government as to the manufacture of salt have been already communicated to the Hon'ble Member in the answers given to questions put by him in this Council at the meetings held on the 2nd February, 1907, and the 4th April, 1908.

"Any proposals which the Special Committee referred to may desire to make had better be submitted, in an explicit and detailed manner, by the Committee for the orders of Government in the Financial Department. They will then receive due consideration."

BHAIRAB VALLEY DRAINAGE SCHEME.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to say in what stage are the Bhairab Valley Drainage Scheme and the Jessore Drainage Scheme, and whether any steps are being taken for the making of water-works in Jessore town?

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM replied:—

"Government has no recent information in respect of the progress of the scheme for the drainage of the Bhairab Valley. The Commissioner of the Presidency Division will be asked to obtain from the Collector of Jessore a report as to how the project now stands. On receipt, the information will be supplied to the Hon'ble Member.

"The Sanitary Engineer reports that the designing of the Jessore Drainage Scheme has been practically completed, and there only remains the tracing of the original drawings to be done. The scheme will be ready for submission to the Municipal Commissioners by the end of the year.

"That officer also reports, in regard to the water-works project, that it has been found impossible to obtain a good supply of water from wells sunk in the bed of the Bhairab, and that, therefore, the source of supply will have to be tanks. The Municipal Commissioners have been asked to decide along which streets pipes should be laid."

LAW COLLEGE.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked :—

Will the Government be pleased to say whether it intends to make a large grant for the Law College proposed to be established by the Calcutta University? Will the Government be pleased to consider the admittedly inadequate means at its command, and whether there is any special necessity for such a college, and also the urgency of other educational demands which it is unable to meet, before making any such grant?

The Hon'ble MR. STREATFEILD replied :—

"This Government is fully convinced of the need for the Law College which the Calcutta University propose to establish. It is not anticipated, however, that much financial assistance will be required from Government; and it would be obviously premature to pretend to determine, at the present time, the amount of the grant that may be required or that may be reasonable."

THE MIDNAPUR CASE.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked :—

(*a*) Is it a fact, as stated by Mr. Keays, Barrister-at-law, a defence Counsel in the Midnapur case, and reported in the *Statesman* of the 5th instant, that the refusal of the copies of the confession and the admission was made on the ground that they were not formally on the record, although they were used as an argument for not granting bail to the accused?

(*b*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to a report of the *Amrita Bazar Patrika* of the 9th September, that a Police Sub-Inspector had brought back the Raja of Narajole from the door of the Court-room, "touching his neck from behind," and is this a fact?

(*c*) Is it a fact that Asutos Das, who, it is said, had been suffering from sinus in the hand, was arrested by Police who were in plain clothes, without a warrant, and handled so violently that his piteous cries compelled his mother to come to the protection of her son when she was seriously injured by the Police?

The Hon'ble Mr. DUKE replied :—

"None of these matters has been reported to Government. They are all matters which will either come before the Court of the Magistrate inquiring into the case in ordinary course or with which he is competent to deal if brought to his notice. Government does not consider that its intervention is called for at present."

THE BENGAL REPEALING BILL, 1908.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM moved that the Bill to repeal the Howrah and Suburban Municipal Police Act, 1884, be taken into consideration.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM also moved that the Bill be passed.

He said :—"As I explained on the last occasion, this is merely a formal measure. As the Howrah Municipality has been relieved of all police charges by the Government of India, and as the Suburban Municipality was abolished in the year 1888, there is no longer any necessity to retain this Act on the Statute Book. For these reasons it is proposed to repeal it. I move now that the Bill be passed."

The motion was put and agreed to.

THE CHOTA NAGPUR ENCUMBERED ESTATES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1908.

The Hon'ble MR. DUKE moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, 1876.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. DUKE introduced the Bill and moved that it be read in Council.

He said:—"The Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act was passed thirty-two years ago in order to check the transfer of the patrimonies of ancient families who had formerly been the independent or semi-independent Feudal Chiefs of the country to alien purchasers.

"This process had attained serious proportions and threatened to be politically disastrous, for the Zamindars of old families, although often improvident, were respected by the people, and themselves respected the customary and traditional usages connected with land tenure, which are very different in Chota Nagpur to the more ordinary contractual relations of Bengal.

"New purchasers on the other hand in many cases, men of alien descent, whose sole aim and object is to make money, often insist on exacting as much as they can from the tenantry without regard to customary rights and privileges and their conduct has more than once provoked serious disturbances.

"That the law was wisely conceived and has generally answered the purpose for which it was passed is made clear by the fact that in March 1908, thirty-two years after it was passed, no less than 125 estates were being managed under its provisions.

"Experience has, however, exposed several defects in its operation.

"One of the most serious is that it may operate to render a reckless proprietor still more improvident in incurring debt.

"Once he realizes that the estate is so dipped that it cannot recover in his own time, he is under some temptation to continue his course as long as he can borrow anything at all, relying on Government to preserve the estate continually for his heirs. In several cases this has been carried so far that redemption has been found hopeless and Government has been obliged to stand aside and see an historic family dispossessed.

"To remedy this state of things, it is proposed that when it has become clear that a course of wasteful extravagance has been entered on, the Government may intervene and take the estate under management.

"The provision is contained in the second sub-clause of clause 2.

"Strong as it is the measure has been approved in principle by a majority of the great landowners of Chota Nagpur who have been consulted on it. It is recognized, however, as a measure which should only be used in exceptional circumstances; and it is therefore provided that the Local Government shall only approve such action in the case of families of political or social importance, or when it is desirable in the interest of the tenants. In order to enable the Deputy Commissioner to initiate action under this section, he is given by clause 3 power to obtain the necessary information as to the income of the estate and debts of the proprietor. Another important proposal is to give greater facilities to the Managers of encumbered estates to borrow money, whether for the consolidation of debt or for improvements. At present they can only borrow from Government or upon usufructuary mortgage and then only for re-payment of debt. It is then proposed by clause 12 to give power to borrow from any proper source at rates of interest approved by the Board of Revenue, and not only for payment of debt but also for the improvement of the estate. This may, in the long run, prove the best means for extinguishing debt.

"This necessitates clause 4 also, as provision has to be made for the repayment of debts so contracted.

"Another proposal is to prevent grants or assignments made to relatives in view of pending insolvency.

"Such grants defeat the creditors and make it difficult for Government to rehabilitate the estate, but it is only proposed in clause 6 to deal with them when the Commissioner is satisfied that they were not made in good faith.

"The next amendment to which I would direct the attention of the Council is that contained in clause 10. It has been found that improvident proprietors, whose estates have been taken under protection, continue to raise debts on bond, which being without security are generally at ruinous interest. As soon as the estate is released, they validate these bonds so that the estate shortly again becomes insolvent. It is therefore proposed to render a proprietor who has been restored to the possession of his property incapable (without the sanction of the Local Government) of again encumbering or of alienating the property. At one time it was thought that to render this measure effective, it would be necessary to incapacitate the heir also, but it has now been decided that it would be unfair to impose such a disability on a person who is not responsible for the original insolvency.

"The next two matters appear to have been mere oversights in the original law.

"Clause 11 empowers the Manager of an encumbered estate to investigate the titles of tenure-holders and under-tenure-holders.

"Clause 12 empowers the Manager to except leases—new section 18B.

"Clause 13 makes provision for the compulsory education of the children of proprietors, but only of such as have not been brought under protection by the initiative of the Deputy Commissioner.

"In fact the force of the provision is that, if a proprietor voluntarily seeks the protection of this law, he must agree to educate his family, and by so doing, to provide the best safeguard against their falling into similar difficulties.

"By clause 14 it is proposed to give the Board of Revenue the general power of supervision and control which it has under other Revenue laws and which can only be an additional safeguard for the proper exercise of the law.

"Clause 15 aims at preventing a disqualified proprietor from wasting money in litigation in which the Manager is not joined as a party.

"The Bill which I have had the honour to introduce and of which I have described the principal provisions is modest in its pretensions; it seeks only to remedy some of the more obvious defects in the existing law, but it is hoped that, so far as it goes, it will result in estates coming less frequently under the operation of the law, at least for a second time; in their remaining under protection for a shorter period, and in the production of a class of proprietors more alive to their obligations and to their best interests."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I was not aware that the Bill would be introduced in today's meeting of the Council until entering the Council Chamber I saw the list of business placed on the table. I have had no opportunity to read the Bill, much less to consult any constituents.

The Hon'ble MR. DUKE introduced the Bill and moved that it be read in Council.

The motion was put and agreed to and the Secretary accordingly read the title of the Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. DUKE also moved that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Greer, the Hon'ble Mr. Streatfeild, the Hon'ble Mr. Chapman, the Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh, the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja of Burdwan, the Hon'ble Babu Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari and the Mover.

The motion was put and agreed to.

THE BENGAL COURT OF WARDS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1908.

The Hon'ble MR. GREER moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Court of Wards Act, 1879.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. GREER introduced the Bill and moved that it be read in Council. He said:—

"The Bill is a very short one. I do not think I need detain the Council with any lengthy description of it.

"The object is two-fold:—to facilitate the raising of loans for a ward's estate for the liquidation or consolidation of its debts, and to enable the Court of Wards to invest the surplus funds of an estate to better advantage.

"Under the existing law in this Province, loans for a ward's estate on mortgage of landed property can only be obtained from private parties. The number of capitalists who possess local knowledge of the conditions of an estate is usually so small that there is practically no free competition and, consequently, a higher rate of interest has to be paid than is justified by the security offered.

"At the same time there is always some estate which is in a position to advance the money from its surplus funds. Both estates, accordingly, are the losers. The clause will admit of loans being made from the funds of one estate under the administration of the Court of Wards to another such estate. Such loans, of course, would only be granted to solvent estates. The experience of the Court of Wards in the United Provinces has proved them to be both a remunerative investment and a convenient and economical means of providing funds for indebted estates. There is no reason why the estates under the Court of Wards in Bengal should be in a less favourable condition."

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD said:—"With Your Honour's permission, I would like to say something in support of this measure. My experience of Bihar, tells me that it sometimes happens an estate under the Court of Wards may have money in deposit, but cannot advance it on safe credit, because it does not find a safe debtor. Another estate, under the Court of Wards, may be in urgent need, but may not find a suitable creditor, and the Court of Wards is helpless and cannot do anything in the matter. Sometimes Civil Courts are requested to postpone execution for months and months at the instance of the Court of Wards, but the Court of Wards is unable to raise the money in time. I think it will be affording benefit to both, because money will be always safe in the hands of the Court of Wards, and I think this measure should be carried."

The motion was then put and agreed to, and the Secretary accordingly read the title of the Bill.

The Hon'ble MR. GREER also moved that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Duke, the Hon'ble Mr. Oldham, the Hon'ble Mr. Chapman, the Hon'ble Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, the Hon'ble the Maharajadhiraja of Burdwan, the Hon'ble Mr. Brown and the Mover.

The motion was put and agreed to.

THE CHOTA NAGPUR TENANCY BILL, 1908.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend and consolidate certain enactments relating to the law of landlord and tenant and the settlement of rents in Chota Nagpur be taken into consideration.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that the clauses of the Bill be considered in the form recommended by the Select Committee.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that, in clause 12A (*now* 13)* of the Bill, for the words "or his agent" the words "or of his agent if specially authorized in that behalf" be substituted. He said:—

"I propose this substitution in order to make the sense quite clear and to bring the language into conformity with that used in the Bengal Tenancy Act, in order to convey the same idea. Sir, it is extremely desirable that uniformity of language to express a common idea should be preserved in all the enactments of a Legislature. There is no doubt, Sir, as to what is intended by the words 'or his agent'. What is really intended is, that only a specially authorized agent can, by written consent, validate the sub-division of a tenancy made by a tenant. To make this sense quite clear, I propose this substitution, and I hope this motion will be acceptable to all the Hon'ble Members."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH seconded this motion.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, in clause 16 (*now* 18) of the Bill, for the words "sub-sections (*4*), (*5*) and (*6*) of section 15 shall apply to such persons" the following be substituted, namely:—

sub-sections (*5*) to (*6*) of section 15 shall apply to such persons as if they were raiyats.

He said:—"This amendment is in the main a drafting amendment. In one particular there is, however, a substantial change proposed in the Bill. We have provided that Bhuinhars and Mundari khunt-kattidars who hold, and have held their lands in a village for a period of 12 years, shall be deemed to be settled raiyats of a village. It was pointed out that no provision had been made for the case of a Bhuinhar or Mundari khunt-kattidar who had inherited land from his father within a period of 12 years, although the joint occupation of father and son might exceed this period. To meet this we have made sub-section (*5*) of section 15 apply to the case of such tenants."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that, in sub-clause (*a*) of clause 24 (*now* 26) of the Bill, for the word "seven" the word "three" be substituted. He said:—

"The object of clause 24 (*now* 26) is to annul enhancements of rent brought about by private contract during the last seven years. Under the existing law, which regulates the relations between landlord and tenant in Chota Nagpur Division, there is no specific prohibition against enhancement of rent by private contract. As a matter of fact, as stated in the Notice on Clauses appended to the Bill, rents have been increased in a very large number of cases by private contract. Now, Sir, if it is declared by a stroke of the pen by this Legislature that such enhancements made in the course of the last seven years are invalid, it will, I fear, be regarded as a great hardship by the landlords of Chota Nagpur. Sir, in the present Bill, a provision has been introduced by which enhancement of rent by private contract is altogether prohibited. This is a drastic measure, and in point of stringency goes beyond the Bengal Tenancy Act. I, however, Sir, do not raise my word of protest against that provision, for it is just possible that, in a backward place like Chota Nagpur, the bulk of the rural population, as a rule, may be yet in such a stage of primitive simplicity as not to be able to hold their own in

* The clauses and sub-clauses of the Bill having been re-numbered under the direction of the Council, the present number of each clause and sub-clause is inserted in brackets, wherever the new numbering differs from the old.

entering into a contract with the zamindars; but, Sir, to make a clean sweep of all contracts for enhancement of rent during the last seven years, will, I consider, be a great source of grievance to them. Section 29 of the Bengal Tenancy Act deals with the enhancement of rent by private contract. That provision of law, as Your Honour is aware, subject to certain limitations, validates enhancements of rent, if the enhanced rent has been paid continuously for three years. Sir, I will ask the Council to follow the precedent of the Bengal Tenancy Act, and to allow the retrospective operation of this provision of the law only in regard to contracts made within three years from the commencement of this Act."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I regret I am unable to support the amendment moved by my hon'ble friend. He says there is no provision existing in the Chota Nagpur Rent Act by which private enhancement is in any manner prohibited, but if we have a look at section 21 of the existing Rent Act of Chota Nagpur, we find that it lays down: 'No other under-tenant or raiyat having a right of occupancy shall be liable to any enhancement of the rent previously paid by him, otherwise than in the manner provided under this section.' Reading this section as it stands, one would infer that the enhancement of rent payable by an occupancy raiyat can only be effected by filing a petition before the Deputy Commissioner. This section was subject to great discussion; and reading section 44 of the Rent Act along with section 21, one may say that private enhancements were not altogether interdicted. But, at any rate, section 21 of the existing Rent Act, as it stands, did not allow private enhancement, in the same sense as the Bengal Tenancy Act does, and it should also be borne in mind that there is a limit put by the Bengal Tenancy Act on all private enhancements, namely, that such enhancements should not exceed two annas in the rupee of the rent previously payable by the raiyat. And when private enhancement in Chota Nagpur was under no such limit, if there had been any private enhancement, I think that it is very necessary to see that such enhancement was fair and equitable, but three years' payment does not give us a guarantee that it was so. Under the circumstances, I do not think the period of three years would be quite adequate, though at the same time I am rather doubtful whether the period of seven years is not too long, and I may have to say something on the next amendment, when moved."

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT said:—"I regret that I am unable to recommend the Council to accept this amendment. Under the existing Law, as will be seen on an examination of section 24 of Act I of 1879, all enhancements of the rent of an occupancy raiyat made otherwise than by order of the Deputy Commissioner are prohibited. It has been found, however, that in many cases, this provision of the Law has been evaded, and to meet such cases the proposals contained in clause 24 (*now* 26) of the Bill have been made. It does not appear to me that landlords have any reasonable ground for complaint in the matter; in fact a very great concession is being made to them. They have enhanced rents in direct violation of the existing Law: nevertheless, in order to avoid creating disturbances and dissensions, the Government is prepared to validate such illegal contracts, provided that the rents have been paid for a space of 7 years, and no sound reasons have been given for reducing that period.

"The argument in favour of a period of three years based on section 29 of the Bengal Tenancy Act is of no weight. Enhancements under section 29 are subject to two conditions—firstly, the contract must be in writing and registered, and secondly, the enhancement is not to exceed two annas in the rupee. The proviso regarding 3 years' payments only affects the condition that a contract must be in writing and registered, and if enhancements of over two annas in the rupee are made, then payments for 5 or 7 years will not, under the Bengal Tenancy Act, validate a claim for the enhanced rent. To argue therefore that, in legalizing enhancements, provided they are not unfair and inequitable, in Chota Nagpur, we should follow the 3 years' rule of the Bengal Tenancy Act is unsound. We admit enhancements over

two annas in the rupee if they are not unfair but we require a reasonably lengthy period of payment to raise a presumption that the rent is fair and that the raiyat has willingly paid it."

The motion was put and lost.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that since the last amendment was lost, in sub-clause (*a*) of clause 24 (*now* 26) of the Bill for the word "seven" the word "five" be substituted. He said:—

"Since the foregoing amendment is lost I make this alternative proposal. I think it will be under the circumstances the better course to accept a mean between 3 and 7 years for annulling enhancements of rents arranged under private contracts. It seems to me, Sir, that the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill is wrong in interpreting the provision of the Bengal Tenancy Act in regard to enhancements of rent by private contract. Three years' continuous payment of rent will under that law validate enhancements of rent, even if the contract for enhancement is not in writing and is not registered, provided the increment is not more than two annas in the rupee. If it is in writing and registered, then three years' continuous payment of enhanced rent is not a *sine quâ non*, but the limitation of two annas in the rupee applies to it as well. I trust, 5 years' limit will be acceptable to the Hon'ble Members."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I am not sure whether the period of 7 years is quite proper, it seems to be a little too long. If the Hon'ble Member in charge accepts this amendment, I am with him."

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT said:—"I am not prepared to accept this amendment. The period of 7 years, as specified, has been accepted in these cases by the Settlement Department in Chota Nagpur for some years, I believe, and I am unwilling to reduce it. I regret the fact that I did not apparently make myself clear in regard to the meaning of section 29 of the Bengal Tenancy Act. That section is really quite clear. Where there is an enhancement over two annas in the rupee, 3 or 4 or 5 years' payment will not validate it; therefore, it is not safe, I say, to argue from the analogy of that Act to the Chota Nagpur Act. I see no reason to alter the period or diminish the period of 7 years as stated in the Bill."

The motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that, after the first proviso to sub-clause (*1*) of clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:

> Provided, further, that when the enhancement is claimed on the ground of a rise in prices,—
>
> (i) the Deputy Commissioner shall compare the average prices during the decennial period immediately preceding the making of the application with the average prices during such other decennial period as it may appear equitable and practicable to take for comparison;
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> (ii) the enhanced rent shall bear to the previous rent the same proportion as the average prices during the last decennial period bear to the average prices during the previous decennial period taken for comparison; provided that, in calculating this proportion, the average prices during the later period shall be reduced by one-third of their excess over the average prices during the earlier period;
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> (iii) if, in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioner, it is not practicable to take the decennial periods prescribed in clause (*i*), he may, in his discretion, substitute any shorter periods therefor.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, also moved that the following proviso to sub-clause (*1*) of clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill be omitted, namely:

> Provided, further, that all enhancements shall be limited in the prescribed manner (if any).

He said:—"I take these two amendments together at the request of the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, though they deal with different questions. The first amendment is to add the proviso just read by me to clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill. It is merely a reproduction of section 32 of the Bengal Tenancy Act. The second ground laid down under clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill authorizes enhancements of rent, on the basis of a rise in the average local prices of staple food-crops. It is found, as a matter of fact, that it is difficult to work out enhancements on that ground, unless some definite lines are indicated as to the method of inquiry to be pursued for the purpose of determining what would be a fair enhancement on that basis. Owing to a general rise in the price of food-crops, the cultivators at the present time derive a substantially larger profit by the sale of their field produce. The rise in the price is due to circumstances not brought about either by the exertions or at the cost of either the tenant or the landlord. Under such circumstances, Sir, the unearned increment ought to be fairly apportioned between the landlord and the tenant. A definite rule of proportion for such apportionment ought therefore to be laid down in the body of the law itself for the guidance of the Courts, which will have to deal with cases for enhancement of rent on the basis of the rise of price of staple food-crops. Section 32 of the Bengal Tenancy Act formed part of that Act when it was passed in the year 1885. I think, Sir, you will pardon my referring briefly to the antecedent literature which led to the framing of that section in the Bengal Tenancy Act. Sir, you are well aware that an important Commission was appointed a few years before the Bengal Tenancy Act was launched to investigate thoroughly all questions relating to landlords and tenants, with particular reference to the Permanent Settlement Regulations and the immense volume of literature on the subject, and to examine the then state of the laws regulating the relations of the landlord and the tenant. The members of the Commission submitted a valuable report, and the Tenancy Act of 1885 is mainly grounded on it. Speaking about enhancements of rents on the basis of rise in the average prices of food-grains, the report says:—

> From this analysis it will appear that the component elements of this ground of enhancement are sufficiently complex; and looking at the above considerations, it is not very easy to say how the increment arising from increase of price ought to be divided so as to make the division fair to both parties.

"The Commission recommended that the increment should be equally divided between landlord and tenant on that ground. But the Select Committee, which sat to consider the Bill which afterwards became the Bengal Tenancy Act of 1885, preferred to follow the proportion laid down in the well-known case, popularly called the Great Rent Case, which was decided by a Full Bench of the Calcutta High Court, consisting of all the learned Judges of that Court, during the Justiceship of the late Sir Barnes Peacock. They accordingly fixed that one-third of the increment will go to the tenant and two-thirds to the landlord. The reason the Select Committee assigned for giving the one-third to the tenant was to cover the increase of cost of production. The Select Committee, on this point, reported as follows:—

> We recognised the difficulty of making the Courts ascertain the actual cost of production, and as it was necessary to fix an arbitrary limit, we have fixed the deduction of one-third as a general rule.

"Sir, this was the state of the law in the year 1885, and it stands unchanged even now, in spite of the several revisions it has gone through, notably the last exhaustive revision by Your Honour's Council last year. I think, Sir, that the rule of proportion laid down in the Bengal Tenancy Act is supposed to be fair and equitable even now. I therefore submit, Sir, that the addition of this proviso will be a great help to the judicial and executive officers in ascertaining fair enhancements of rents on the basis of the rise in the average prices of food-grains in the locality. I will also add, Sir, that this provision of the Bengal Tenancy Act has been extended to Orissa. A survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights are now in progress in Chota Nagpur, and I hope, Sir, that in the course of a few years it will be completed. The papers which will be available in such a survey will help to determine a fair enhancement of rent on the two other grounds

mentioned in clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill, but I do not think, Sir, that those papers will be of any great help in the determination of the question of enhancement of rent on this ground. It is therefore desirable that a proper proportion should be laid down in the Chota Nagpur Act, such as has been done in the Bengal Tenancy Act.

"I shall now submit my observations on the second part of the amendment. In the law that is at present in force in Chota Nagpur, no definite grounds have been laid down for enhancements of rent. Such a condition of the law is unsatisfactory, and it will, I am sure, be remedied by clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill. The first proviso to that clause lays down definitely the three grounds on which alone an enhancement of rent should be allowed. As the marginal notes of the Bill inform us, these grounds have been borrowed from the United Provinces Tenancy Act and the second proviso from the Tenancy Act in vogue in Bengal. That second proviso is in the nature of an elastic safeguard, which says that no Court shall decree any enhancement of rent which is, under the circumstances of the case, unfair or inequitable. But, Sir, the Bill does not stop there, but it proceeds further and proposes the unprecedented course of restricting enhancements by rules to be framed by the Local Government, even when one or more of the conditions laid down in proviso (*1*) of clause 27 (*now* 29) has or have been satisfied and the increment is also found to be fair and equitable. This, Sir, seems to be a very objectionable method of legislation.

"I, Sir, deprecate legislation by rules, which, I respectfully submit, should be confined to details as auxiliary to the main principles enunciated in the body of the law itself, but which should not control, override or limit them. Sir, the limitations for the right of the landlords to enhance the rent of their tenants should be fully stated in the body of the law, and not partly in the law and the rest in the rules, giving the rules the pre-eminent position to limit enhancements which satisfy the conditions laid down in the law which sanctioned the making of rules. Sir, I am not aware of the way in which the enhancement is going to be limited by the rules, but the proviso as it is at present worded admits of considerable latitude. It will enable the Local Government to lay down rules to restrict enhancements, even after all the conditions laid down in the Act are satisfied and they are found to be fair and equitable. Sir, any limitation on what is fair and equitable can hardly be founded on sound principle. The enhancement is fair and equitable, and ought to be the last word on the subject. But, Sir, if the proviso I protest against, read with sub-clause (*1*) of clause 256 (*now* 264) of the Bill which speaks of the rules to be laid down by the Government, means that the Local Government shall have power to make rules for prescribing the manner in which fair rents should be ascertained on the basis of the grounds laid down in the first proviso of clause 27 (*now* 29) then I respectfully submit that the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill should frame the proviso in such a way as to convey that sense, and then, Sir, I for one shall heartily support it."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—"I am certainly in sympathy with the first part of the amendment, but at the same time I do not think that this addition is absolutely necessary for the purposes of our Act. Clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill deals with an application for enhancement. The Deputy Commissioner shall have to consider all the circumstances set forth in that application, and he may decree such enhancements as may seem to be fair and reasonable. I should say that, in considering the circumstances of the case, the Deputy Commissioner will certainly consider the data which are sought to be provided for by the amendment which is practically section 32 of the Bengal Tenancy Act; so I do not think that it would be absolutely necessary to have that amendment in our Act: nevertheless, I should say, I am not opposed to it. As regards the second part of the amendment, I must say that I had considerable difficulty in giving my consent to this proviso in clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill when the Bill was discussed in the Select Committee. I must say that I was opposed to this proviso from the very beginning, because to my mind it

appears that there are already in the Act sufficient safeguards to ensure the fairness of enhanced rent. We have in this Bill, Sir, done away with all private enhancements after the passing of the Act. Enhancement can hereafter only be made by either the Deputy Commissioner or the Revenue-officer, and when we take into consideration the fact that we have put in a clause to the effect that no enhancement should be allowed if unfair and inequitable, I think we have provided sufficient safeguards for the purpose we have in view. But the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill was of opinion that unless this proviso was added, the raiyats will be ruined in many cases. I should be the last man to protest against any measure which is calculated to prevent the ruin of the raiyats. But I gave my consent to this proviso, as I was given to understand that, if any such limits be prescribed by the Government, the people will have an opportunity to represent their views, and the notification which may be issued on this subject will not be validated finally before the people are given such opportunity. I submit to Your Honour that we have provided many things in the Bill to be prescribed by notification, but in regard to this particular matter, I should say that in case the Hon'ble Member in charge does not see his way to accept this amendment, the people should be given sufficient opportunity to place their views before Government. Subject to this limitation, I gave my consent to this proviso."

THE Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said:—"The choice in the Select Committee was as to whether the enhancement was to be limited to two annas in the rupee or something else. That might make matters far worse than if the enhancement was not so limited. The Select Committee under the circumstances were convinced that it would be best to leave the matter alone for the present, as both the raiyats and the landlords could be sure of more generous treatment if the Government was allowed to make rules than if they were limited to two annas in the rupee. It was not considered advisable to limit the enhancement by the Act, because in Chota Nagpur, where the prices of food-grains had an abnormal rise, an enhancement of two annas in the rupee would not be inadequate. Therefore, Sir, I am unable to support the second part of the amendment. Nor can I support the first part because, as has been pointed out, sub-clause (*c*) of clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill gives the Deputy Commissioner abundant opportunities to take into consideration all the circumstances placed before him. We must remember that in regard to section 32 of the Bengal Act, we have not in Chota Nagpur that class of Courts which the Bengal Act deals with. Moreover, the Deputy Commissioner, who would have to deal with these matters with his very many other duties, would be overburdened, if all these complex rules of the Bengal Act were to be made a part of the Chota Nagpur Act. Having regard to sub-clause (*c* of clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill, there is no reason why the details laid down in section 32 of the Bengal Act or any other details that may be necessary to consider should not be fully gone into by the Deputy Commissioner, if he chooses so to do. These are, however, provisions, Sir, that we can hardly advise the Council to incorporate in the present Bill."

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT said:—"I regret also that on this point I can only recommend the Council to reject the proposed amendment. It is essentially necessary that power to limit these enhancements should be retained by the Local Government. Rules need not necessarily be issued under sub-clause (*c*) of clause 27 (*now* 29) of the Bill, but rules will be issued if any necessity arises. If the proviso which it is proposed to omit is examined, it will be seen that it runs thus: 'Provided, further, that all enhancements shall be limited in the prescribed manner (if any).' Prices of staple food-crops have, in many parts of Chota Nagpur, increased 200 and 300 *per cent.* within the last 20 years, and, if enhancements based on these prices are allowed in the manner proposed in the amendment of the Hon'ble Member, the most serious agrarian disturbances will in all probability result. We have been referred to the Bengal Tenancy Act as the authority for the proposed amendment, but it has to be remembered that this Bill under discussion is one affecting aboriginal races in Chota Nagpur, and arguments based on the analogy of Bengal cannot be safely accepted in the case of such races.

"Personally, I may go further and say that I doubt very much if, even in Bengal, the provisions of section 32 of the Bengal Tenancy Act have ever been given full effect to, and I believe, if any general attempt is made to enhance rents in accordance with that section, there will be danger of serious discontent and disturbance among the agrarian population of the province. At any rate, in Chota Nagpur, for political reasons alone, it is necessary that the Government should retain power to limit those enhancements of the rents of occupancy raiyats, but, as I have said, it is optional with the Government to make rules, and not obligatory upon them to do so. It has been said that the words 'unfair and inequitable' in the second proviso of this clause provide a sufficient safeguard for the interests of raiyats, but you have to consider the point put before by one Hon'ble Member, that the Courts trying these cases will be the Courts of Deputy Commissioners. The words 'Deputy Commissioner' have been defined in the Bill and include Deputy Collectors, Assistant Collectors, and in certain circumstances Sub-Deputy Collectors empowered under the Act. In deciding whether rent is fair and equitable, or unfair and inequitable, a great deal depends on the personal equation. What one man may consider fair, another man may consider unfair; and bearing in mind the fact that comparatively inexperienced officers will try these cases, it is, therefore, the more necessary for the Government to retain power to prescribe rules generally limiting the amount of those enhancements, in order to obtain at least some uniformity in these cases. The Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh is apprehensive, if I understood him correctly, that rules will be issued by Government without due consideration and without any opportunity being offered to the public of criticizing the same. This is incorrect. Before any rules are finally adopted, there must be, I believe, a draft publication, and during the period of this draft publication the public will have ample opportunity of criticizing the rules and submitting their views in regard to the same."

The motion was put and lost.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that at the end of sub-clause (*f*) of clause 30 (*now* 31) of the Bill the following be added, namely:—

> or, if the landlord is unable to indicate any particular land as being held in excess, then the area alone.

He said:—"Clause 30 (*now* 31) of the Bill has been framed on the lines of section 52 of the Bengal Tenancy Act. As it was framed in 1885, it was without the sub-sections (5) and (6). Serious practical difficulties in the working of that section as it was in 1885 had been found, and the interpretation of the section as made by the High Court in their several rulings added to those difficulties, with the result that it was practically impossible to get any excess rent from excess area. The landlords generally do not possess complete records of their properties, and they are unable to indicate what is the particular excess land in respect of which they claim excess rent. To obviate that difficulty, the amending Act of 1898 was passed, which added the following sub-section to section 52:—

> (5) When in a suit under this section the landlord or tenant is unable to indicate any particular land as held in excess, the rent to be added on account of the excess area may be calculated at the average rate of rent paid on all the lands of the holding, exclusive of such excess area.

"In order that clause 30 (*now* 31) of the Bill may fit in with sub-section (5) of section 52 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, I have condensed the long sub-section into a short paragraph. I hope, Sir that this will be acceptable to the Hon'ble Members of this Council and to the other Hon'ble Members."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that before the proviso to sub-clause (*l*) of clause 31 (*now* 32) of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

> Provided that, if the landlord proves that, at the time when the measurement on which the claim is based was made, there existed, in the estate or tenure or part thereof in which the holding is situate, a practice of measuring land before settling rents, the Deputy Commissioner may presume that the area of the holding as entered in any lease or counterpart engagement or (where there is an entry of area in a counterfoil receipt corresponding to the entry in the rent-roll) in the rent-roll relating to the holding was so entered after measurement.

He said :—"This is of course reproducing with certain alterations of a verbal character sub-section (*6*) of section 52 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, in order to fit in with the framework of the clause 31 (*now* 32) of the Bill. The sub-section (*6*) of section 52 of the Bengal Tenancy Act is due to the amending Act which was passed last year by this Council, and I hope, Sir, that this will be also acceptable to the Hon'ble Members of this Council."

The Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said :—"This amendment was very much needed."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, in sub-clause (*1*) of clause 55 (*now* 54) of the Bill, after the word "agent" the words "free of charge" be inserted. He said :—

"The law makes it obligatory upon every landlord to grant a receipt to a tenant for any rents paid. The words 'free of charge' are now inserted to make it clear that no fee can be demanded by a landlord for the delivery of such receipt."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said :—"I think this amendment is a necessary provision for Chota Nagpur, and I support the motion."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, in the proviso to clause 61 (*now* 60) of the Bill, for the words "rent which accrued due before the date of the sale and any rent so due" the following be substituted, namely :—

rent for any period prior to the date of sale, and rent due for any such period.

He said :—"The reason for this amendment is that it is the intention of the Government that a purchaser of a tenure or holding in execution of a rent decree shall obtain the same free of any liability for rent due prior to the date of sale. As the clause stands, a purchaser may be made liable for an instalment of rent which accrues due after the date of sale, for a period prior to the sale; that is to say the date on which the instalment is payable may be later than the date of sale, though the rent may be due for a period prior to the sale. It is, therefore, necessary to make it clear that the purchaser of a tenure or holding is not to be called on to pay rent for any period prior to the sale."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, at the end of the first paragraph of clause 88 [*now* sub-clause (*1*) of clause 89] of the Bill, after the words "section 86," the following be inserted, namely :—

or any order passed in appeal under section 84, sub-section (*2a*).

He said :—"Under section 88 as it stands, a Revenue-officer specially empowered in this behalf may revise and correct an entry in a record-of-rights. It is not desirable that he should be allowed to revise or correct any entry made in consequence of the decision of an appeal under section 84, and this amendment provides against his making any alteration in a record in such cases."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, in the proviso to clause 88 (*now* 89) of the Bill, before the words "section 86" the words "section 84, sub-section (*2a*), or" be inserted. He said :—

"This amendment follows as a necessary consequence upon the previous one."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that clause 88 of the Bill be numbered 88 (*1*) [*now* 89 (*1*)], and that the following be inserted thereafter, namely :—

(*2*) An appeal shall lie in the prescribed manner and to the prescribed officer from any order passed under sub-section (*1*).

He said :—"It is advisable to provide for an appeal against an order of a Revenue-officer revising a record under clause 88 [*now* 89(*1*)], and the amendment is proposed to meet this object."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH supported the motion.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that the following amendments be made in sub-clause (*1*) of clause 123A (*now* 128) of the Bill, namely :—

(*a*) before "section 82" insert "section 80 ;"

(*b*) for "section 89, section 91, section 94 and section 96" substitute "sections 88 to 96 ;"

(*c*) for "shall apply to such record as if it were a record referred to in these sections" substitute "shall apply as if such record were referred to in those sections."

He said :—"Clause 123A (*now* 128) is part of Chapter XV, which deals with the preparation of a final record-of-rights of village headmen, khunt-katti raiyats and others. Many of the provisions of Chapter XII, which deals with the preparation of an ordinary record-of-rights, are applicable in the case of records prepared under Chapter XV, and the amendment has been framed to utilize these provisions in the case of records prepared under Chapter XV."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, in sub-clause (*2*) of clause 123A (*now* 128) of the Bill, for the words "section 97" the words "sections 94 to 97" be inserted.

He said :—"This amendment is proposed for similar reasons to those just given for the previous amendment."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that sub-clause (*b*) of clause 131 (*now* 136) of the Bill be omitted, and that, in sub-clause (*c*) of the same clause [*now* sub-clause (*b*) of clause 136 , for the words "who is not in charge of a sub-division, but is specially empowered by the Local Government" the words "who is empowered" be substituted.

He said :—"The definition of 'Deputy Commissioner,' in clause 3, sub-clause (*viii*), has been amended, but by error this consequential amendment in clause 131 (*now* 136) was omitted."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that after clause 137 (*now* 141) of the Bill the following be inserted, namely :—

Suit by co-sharer landlord for rent.

137A. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in section 250A, a co-sharer landlord may institute a suit to recover from a tenant—

(*a*) his share of the rent, when such share is collected separately, or

(*b*) the whole of the rent due to the plaintiff and his co-sharers, when all or any of his co-sharers who refuse to join in the suit are made defendants therein.

(*2*) When, in a suit instituted under clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*), the plaintiff is unable to ascertain what rent is due for the whole tenure or holding, or whether the rent due to the other co-sharer landlords has been paid or not, owing to the refusal or neglect of the tenant or the said landlords to furnish him with correct information on these points or either of them,

the Deputy Commissioner shall determine—

(*i*) what sum (if any) is due to the plaintiff for rent, interest thereon, and costs, and

(*ii*) what sums (if any) are due to the said landlords, respectively, on account of their share of the rent and interest thereon,

for the period in respect of which the suit is brought; and shall decree the suit accordingly.

(*3*) Notwithstanding anything contained in Explanation I to section 48, or in section 195, a decree awarding to a plaintiff a sum referred to in clause (*i*) of sub-section (*2*) shall, as regards the remedies for enforcing the same, be as effectual as a decree obtained by a sole landlord or an entire body of landlords in a suit brought for the rent due to all the co-sharers.

(*4*) When the sums due from a tenant to any co-sharer landlord are determined under clause (*ii*) of sub-section (*2*), in respect of any period, then no further suit shall lie against such tenant for rent alleged to be due to such landlord in respect of that period.

He said:—"Sir, I understand that the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill is prepared to accept this. This addition is based on the lines of section 148A of the Bengal Tenancy Act. Section 148A was enacted last year simply for the purpose of giving relief to co-sharer landlords, who had no opportunity to recover rent by the sale of the tenancy. The history must be fresh in the minds of the Hon'ble Members, so I do not intend to dilate at length on this point. The co-sharer landlords of Bengal and Bihar are deeply grateful to Your Honour for affording them facilities to realize their rents by the enactment of section 148A of the Bengal Tenancy Act. Your Honour will earn the gratitude of the co-sharer landlords of Chota Nagpur by extending the same facilities to them by sanctioning the addition proposed by me."

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT said:—"I recommend the Council to accept the amendment in its present form on the understanding that the amendment standing in the name of the Hon'ble Member, to insert before clause 251 (*now* 258) of the Bill a new clause 250A (*now* 257), is also pressed. If he will undertake to propose that amendment, I recommend the Council to accept the present one."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that the following words in sub-clause (*3*) of clause 140 (*now* 144) of the Bill be omitted, namely:—

the statement required by clause (*ii*) of sub-section (*2*) must also show the rental of the original tenancy according to the record-of-rights, and.

He said:—"Sub-clause (*2*) of clause 140 (*now* 144) already provides that the recorded rental of the tenancy shall be stated in any application under this clause. It is unnecessary, therefore, to provide for the same thing in sub-clause (*3*)."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that after clause 195 (*now* 196) of the Bill the following be inserted, namely:—

Execution of rent decree obtained by a co-sharer landlord.

195A. When one or more co-sharer landlords applies or apply for the execution of a decree obtained in a suit instituted under clause (*b*) of section 137A by the sale of a tenure or holding, the Court executing such decree shall, before proceeding to sell the tenure or holding, give notice of the application for execution to the other co-sharers.

He said:—"The necessity of this addition to clause 195 (*now* 196) of the Bill is patent. Clause 137A (*now* 142) which has just been passed necessitates the safeguarding of the interest of co-sharer landlords other than those applying for execution of decree by giving notices to them of the decree by the sale

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT said :—"I recommend the Council to accept this amendment."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, also moved that after the word "sections," in clause 206 (*1*) [*now* 208 (*1*)] of the Bill, the figures "12" be inserted. He said :—

"The object of this is that section 12 of the Rent Recovery Act should not be made applicable to sales effected under the provisions of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Bill. The reason is that the provision of section 12 of that Act is not sufficiently wide to cover all cases that will spring up under the Rent Act which is now being enacted for Chota Nagpur. The next amendment which will be proposed by me deals with the disposal of the sale proceeds of a tenure or holding."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that after clause 206 (*now* 208) of the Bill the following be inserted, namely :—

Disposal of proceeds of sale under section 206.

206A. (*1*) In disposing of the proceeds of the sale of a tenure or holding under section 206, the following procedure shall be observed, that is to say :—

(*a*) there shall be paid to the decree-holder the costs incurred by him in bringing the tenure or holding to sale ;

(*b*) there shall, in the next place, be paid to the decree-holder the amount due to him under the decree in execution of which the sale was made ;

(*c*) if there remains a balance after those sums have been paid, there shall be paid to the decree-holder therefrom any rent which may have accrued due to him in respect of the tenure or holding between the institution of the suit and the date of the sale ; and

(*d*) the balance (if any) remaining after the payment of rent referred to in clause (*c*) shall, upon the expiration of two months from the confirmation of the sale, be paid to the judgment-debtor upon his application :

Provided that, where a tenure or holding has been sold in execution of a decree obtained by one or more co-sharer landlords in a suit instituted under clause (*b*) of section 137A,—

(*i*) payment of the amount due under such decree shall, notwithstanding anything contained in clause (*b*) of this section, be made to the decree-holder and to the other co-sharer landlords in proportion to the amount found to be due to each, and

(*ii*) if there remains a balance, payment of any rent which may have accrued due in respect of the tenure or holding between the institution of the suit and the date of sale shall, notwithstanding anything contained in clause (*c*), but subject to the determination, in the manner and with the effect mentioned in sub-section (*2*), of any dispute as to their respective rights to receive such rent, be made to the said decree-holder and other co-sharer landlords in proportion to their respective shares in the tenure or holding.

(*2*) If the judgment-debtor disputes the decree-holder's right to receive any sum on account of rent under clause (*c*), the Deputy Commissioner shall determine the dispute, and the determination shall have the force of a decree.

He said :— "This is merely a reproduction of section 169 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, and I hope that both the foregoing and this amendment will be acceptable to the Hon'ble Members."

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT said :—"I recommend the Council to accept this amendment as an improvement on the provisions of an existing law on the subject."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, before the first proviso in section 206 (*1*) [*now* 208 *1*)] of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely :—

> Provided that the purchaser at any such sale shall not be entitled to annul any lease, right or tenancy referred to in clauses (*a*) to (*e*) of section 13 of this Act.

He said :—"This is how the amendment stands on the list. With Your Honour's leave I propose that it should run in this manner: "Provided that the purchaser of a tenure at any such sale, etc., etc.

"The amendment is proposed in order to protect certain interests in the event of a sale of a tenure in execution of a decree for arrears of rent. When a resumable tenure is resumed under section 13 certain interests have been safeguarded, and it is only reasonable that, in the event of the sale of a tenure, the same interests should be protected. There are, it may be noted, similar provisions in the Bengal Tenancy Act for the preservation of protected interests in sales in execution of decrees for rent obtained under that Act."

The motion was put in the amended form and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, in sub-clause (*3*) of clause 213 (*now* 215) of the Bill, after the figures "208" the following be inserted, namely :—

> of this Act or under section 280, section 281 or section 282 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

He said :—"Sales of immovable property in execution of decrees under this Act, in certain circumstances, are held in accordance with Bengal Act VIII of 1865, and in other cases are held in accordance with the Code of Civil Procedure—*vide* clauses 206 (*now* 208) and 207 (*now* 210) of the Bill. In sales under clause 206 (*now* 208), third parties claiming an interest in the property about to be sold can put forward claims under clause 208 (*now* 211), and the decision of the executing Court on such claims is not subject to appeal, but a right of separate suit within one year is reserved. In the case of sales under the Code of Civil Procedure, sections 278 to 284 of that Code have been made applicable by clause 207 (*now* 210) of the Bill, and there is, in the case of ordinary Civil Courts, no appeal against an order made under section 280, 281 or 282, but in clause 213 (*now* 215) of the Bill all orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof, except orders under clauses 204 (*now* 206) and 208 (*now* 211) are made appealable. It is necessary, therefore, to make it clear that, in the case of sales under clause 207 (*now* 210) of the Bill held in accordance with the Code of Civil Procedure no appeal lies against any order passed under sections 280, 281 or 282 of that Code."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that, after clause 229 (*now* 232) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely :—

Limitation of certain suits for ejectment.

> 229A. Suits for the ejectment of an occupancy-raiyat or a non-occupancy raiyat on any of the grounds mentioned in section 21 or in clauses (*b*) and (*c*) of section 41 shall be instituted within two years from the date of the misuse or breach complained of.

He said :—"Having regard to the backward condition of the landlords and tenants in Chota Nagpur, the Bill has in several instances for the benefit of the tenants provided much longer periods of limitation than those provided in the Bengal Tenancy Act for similar cases. In the present instance, which is for the benefit of the landlord, the current has run counter. One year's limitation has been provided in this case; whereas in suits under the section of the Bengal Tenancy Act corresponding to clause 21(*b*) [*now* 22(*b*)] two years'

limitation has been provided. I think that in such a backward place as Chota Nagpur, two years' limitation should be provided for all ejectment suits referred to in my amendment. It cannot be expected that landlords in Chota Nagpur can be as vigilant as those in Bengal."

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT said:—"I recommend the Council to accept this amendment."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, in clause 234 (*now* 238) of the Bill, for the words "possession of a village by a village headman, whether known as a pradhan, manji or otherwise" the following be substituted, namely:—

> possession of his office or agricultural land by a headman of a village or a group of villages, whether known as manki or pradhan or manji or otherwise.

He said:—"The wording of clause 134 (*now* 139), sub-clause (*6*), was altered by the Select Committee. By error, clause 234 (*now* 238), which deals with the period of limitation for suits under clause 134 (*now* 139), sub-clause (*6*), was not altered. The necessary alteration has now been made."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, moved that, before clause 251 (*now* 258) of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

Joint-landlords.

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250A. When two or more persons are joint-landlords, anything which a landlord is, under this Act, required or authorized to do must be done by both or all those persons acting together, or by an agent authorized to act on behalf of both or all of them.

He said:—"The object of this is to prevent harassment to tenants caused by multiplicity of suits. This is taken from the Bengal Tenancy Act, and is a reproduction of section 188 of the Bengal Tenancy Act."

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT said:—"It is gratifying to find this proposal made by a representative of the landlords of Bengal, and I recommend the Council to accept the amendment."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, in clause 251 (*now* 258) of the Bill, before the words "section 85" the words "section 84" be inserted.

He said:—"This amendment is proposed in order to give the same finality to decisions of Revenue-officers settling fair rents under clause 84 (*now* 85) that is given to their orders under clauses 85 and 86 (*now* 86 and 87)."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, withdrew the following motion standing in his name, namely:—

'that sub-clause (*ii*) of clause 256 (*now* 264) of the Bill be omitted.'

The Hon'ble MR. VINCENT moved that, in sub-clause (*viii*) of clause 256 (*now* 264) of the Bill, before the words "Chapter XIII" the words "section 88" be inserted.

He said:—"This amendment is proposed to correct an omission in drafting clause 256 (*now* 264)."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, moved that in sub-clause (*1*) of clause 260 (*now* 268) of the Bill, for the words "in any manner provided in Chapter XVI for the recovery of money," the words "as if they were arrears of rent" be substituted.

He said:—"I understand, Sir, that this will be accepted by the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, so I need not say anything more."

The Hon'ble Mr. Vincent said:—"I recommend the Council to accept this amendment."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Vincent moved that the Secretary be directed to re-number the clauses and sub-clauses of the Bill in consecutive order, and to make corresponding alterations in all cross-references thereto.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Vincent said:—"I have now to move, Sir, that the Bill, as settled in Council, be passed. In doing so, I have little to add to the statement I made when introducing the Bill into Council. I attempted then to explain the main principles of the Bill, and there have been save in one respect no departures from those principles in the amended Bill which is now before the Council. Errors and defects have been discovered by the Select Committee on minor points, and I have every reason to be grateful to my Colleagues on the Committee, more especially the non-official Members of the same, for the assistance rendered to me in correcting them, but the main features of the Bill have remained, save in one particular, unaffected by these modifications. The one particular to which I refer is the question of the jurisdiction of Civil Courts. In the Bill, as introduced into Council, there were two clauses which materially curtailed the ordinary jurisdiction of these Courts, and I mentioned at the time that it would be necessary to consider these clauses very carefully in the Select Committee. I refer to clause 95 and sub-clauses (*5*) and (*6*) of clause 134 (*now* 139). Clause 95 is now excised from the Bill, as also sub-clause (*5*) of clause 134 (*now* 139), and in this respect there has been a material change in the Bill now before the Council, but all the other main features of the original Bill have been retained. The principle of the settled raiyat has been accepted in Chota Nagpur, and the rights of non-occupancy raiyats in their holdings have been safeguarded. Enhancements of the rents of occupancy tenants by private contract have been prohibited in clear language, and provision has been made for the commutation of rents payable in kind into rents payable in cash. The prohibition against the sale of their holdings by raiyats has been relaxed in certain cases, and all tenants have been protected against the imposition of fresh abwabs or nakumats, and it is hoped that, by these protective measures, the interests of cultivators in Chota Nagpur have been safeguarded and that their position will be ameliorated. On the other hand, provision has been made for the settlement of fair rents by Revenue-officers, and for the preparation of records of landlords' privileged lands, and the interest of the landlords has been considered in these matters; the position of co-sharer landlords also is now ameliorated by the amendments proposed by the Hon'ble Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, and I venture to hope that this Bill may have a really beneficial effect in placing the relations of landlord and tenant in Chota Nagpur in a more settled and satisfactory condition."

The Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh said:—"Sir, when the Bill was introduced into the Council last month, I made certain observations, referring specially to such provisions as seemed to be objectionable, and expressed a hope that they would be fully and carefully considered by the Select Committee to which the Bill was referred. It is, indeed, gratifying to observe that our hope has been realized in a great measure, and I feel bound to say that the Bill received, on the whole, a fair treatment at the hands of the Select Committee. A careful reading of the Bill as it now stands will show that it has been weeded of several objectionable features to

which I had made reference before. It may be said that there are still several provisions to which exception may be taken, but I think I may say without fear of contradiction that the law which we are now going to have is far more complete and satisfactory than the very imperfect Rent Law with which we had to deal for the last 30 years. How far it will be a satisfactory measure in its practical working is, however, another matter, as a great deal will depend upon the selection of officers, who will be entrusted to carry out those important provisions of the Bill which deal with customary rights, specially the provisions under the heads 'Record-of-Rights' and 'Settlement of Rents' and 'Landlords' Privileged Lands.' Sir, the recording of customary rights in jungles is a matter of supreme importance in Chota Nagpur, and I regret to observe that in the first few years of the settlement proceedings which, as Your Honour is aware, have already been commenced in Chota Nagpur, these rights were not recorded with such care and caution as the importance of the matter demanded, and the result has been very unsatisfactory in several cases. The raiyats in whose favour these rights were declared without due safeguard and limits have made an abuse of their rights, and the result has been a waste of jungles in some parts of the district of Ranchi. Our worthy Deputy Commissioner, Mr. Stephenson, has already been impressed with the necessity of having a special legislation for the protection of jungles in Chota Nagpur, but before it is enacted, I submit to Your Honour that it is very desirable to entrust this important duty in the hands of experienced officers competent to deal with the subject. A law may be very good on paper, but unless it is worked by an officer who is able to cope with the situation which this difficult problem of customary rights involves, it is not guaranteed to secure the confidence of the people for whom that law is intended. It may be within Your Honour's recollection that during the discussions of the Bill in the Ranchi Conference, I drew Your Honour's special attention to the fact that very competent officers should be selected for the carrying out of the provisions relating to the recording of customary rights, and I repeat that prayer also on the present occasion.

"It has been a long time since the first draft of this Bill was placed before the public, and we have had a long discussion over it. We are immensely grateful to Your Honour for the very keen interest which was taken by you throughout the whole discussion and for the anxious care which Your Honour evinced in trying to be personally acquainted with the requirements of the people who are directly interested in this Bill. Our acknowledgments are also due to the Hon'ble Mr. Vincent, the Member in charge of the Bill, for the great trouble which he has taken in shaping the Bill in a way that has met with the approval of the public generally and for the judicial frame of mind which he brought to bear upon the discussion of the Bill in the Select Committee.

"Before concluding, I crave Your Honour's permission to allude to one matter which, though not strictly relevant to the purpose of this Bill, is not altogether foreign to it. The Bill which is going to be enacted will apply to all the districts of Chota Nagpur excepting Manbhum, where it may be extended later on with certain modifications to suit the conditions of that district. The five districts within Chota Nagpur have, since time immemorial, formed one Civil District under one District Judge, who is called the Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpur. Your Honour, when I was leaving Ranchi yesterday to attend this Council Meeting, I was informed that a proposal has emanated from Government to curtail the jurisdiction of the Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpur by taking out of his jurisdiction two districts, namely, the districts of Manbhum and Singhbhum, and lump them with Sambalpur and form these three districts into one Civil District, under one District Judge, with head-quarters at Sambalpur. I wish that my information were not correct, as I can hardly believe that Government could seriously think of effecting a fusion of such incongruous elements. I unhesitatingly say, Your Honour, that the district of Manbhum and a good portion of Singhbhum have nothing in common with Sambalpur, and, to place them under the District Judge of Sambalpur, with head-quarters at Sambalpur, will be productive of as much hardship to the people of those two districts

as may be felt by the people of Hooghly and Burdwan if they were placed under the jurisdiction of the District Judge of the Sonthal Parganas, with head-quarters at Dumka. Your Honour, I fervently pray that at the close of your administration you will not accord your sanction to this scheme which, if carried out, will, I assure you, give a rude shock to the people of Chota Nagpur. We are already very grateful to Your Honour for the help which Your Honour rendered us in preventing the transfer of a good portion of Chota Nagpur to the Central Provinces, which was a part of the original partition scheme of Bengal.

"I should be highly thankful if Your Honour could see your way to make a definite pronouncement on the subject, so that it will be known how we really stand in regard to the proposed scheme."

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE said:—"I think we have every reason to congratulate the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill on the very satisfactory conclusion of his labours. When the Bill was introduced, I objected to it on two grounds. The first was about the curtailment of the jurisdiction of Civil Courts.

"My second complaint was that the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act should be introduced in Chota Nagpur, so far as they were possible. I find that the first objection has been given effect to, and as regards the second, I am glad to find that so much of the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act as can be introduced into Chota Nagpur have been introduced by the Select Committee, and to-day, through the exertions of my hon'ble friend, Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, most of his amendments were taken from the Bengal Tenancy Act, and which I am glad that the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill has accepted."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

The Council was then adjourned *sine die*.

CALCUTTA;
The 22nd September, 1908.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

APPENDIX TO

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 28th September 1908.*

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, NORTH COAST.

Pata point—Intended light.

No. 384 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1317 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character will shortly be established on Pata point, north coast of Luzon.

Position.—On Pata point.

Lat. 16° 38′ N., long. 121° 9¼′ E., on chart No. 2454.

Character.—*White flashing.*

Remarks.—Further details of this intended light will be published when received.

Charts affected.—No. 2454, Luzon island, northern portion.

„ 2661*b*, China Sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 141.

China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 349.

„ „ „ vol. III, 1904, page 221.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 365.

Authority.—United States Hydrographic Office Notice, No. 1382 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, EAST COAST.

Divinubo island light—Details of.

No. 385 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1319 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The characteristics of the light recently established on Divinubo island, east coast of Samar, are as given below.

Position.—On highest point of island.

Lat. 11° 37¾′ N, long. 125° 29½′ E., on chart No. 2577.

Character.—White occulting every sixteen seconds, thus :—

Light,	eclipse,
12 secs.	4 secs.

Elevation.—136 feet.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Structure.—White framework structure above a concrete house, 46 feet in height from ground to centre of lantern.

Charts affected—No. 2577, Philippine islands.

„ 943, Moluoca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 642*a*.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 385.

Notice to Mariners No 685 of 1908. (*This office No. 231 of 4th June 1908.*)

Authority.—United States Hydrographic Office Notice, No. 1379 of 1908.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Harnai light—Temporary alteration in character.

No. 386 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 88 of 1908), are republished:—

Particulars.—Information, dated 29th August 1908, has been received that the Harnai Light will show the character given below until further notice.

Position.—Latitude 17° 48′ 30″ N., longitude 73° 04′ 45″ E.

Character.—Red fixed.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 738, Kundari to Boria Pagoda.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 246.

West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th Edition, 1898, page 185.

Authority.—Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Opium and Ábkári.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Krishna shoal—Light vessel out of position.

No. 387 (first publication).—

Particulars.—The Master of the S.S. *Malda* reports on September 24th that the Krishna shoal light vessel is out of position.

Former position.—Lat. 15° 37′ 30″ N., long. 95° 36′ 30″ E.

Character.—A group flashing white light every 30 seconds.

Remarks.—Mariners are warned.

Chart affected.—No. 823, Koronge island to White point.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1907, No. 366, Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, page 345.

Authority.—Port Officer, Akyab.

CEYLON, SOUTH COAST.

Great Whale rock—Buoy withdrawn.

No. 388 (first publication).—

Particulars.—The buoy marking the Great Whale rock off Galle has been withdrawn and in future this rock will not be buoyed.

Position (approximate).—Lat. 6° 1′ 30″ N., Long. 80° 10′ E.

Remarks.—Breakers may be seen over the rock at all seasons of the year.

Charts affected.—No. 819, Approaches to Point de Galle.

„ 813, Ceylon, south coast.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, page 82.

Authority.—Master Attendant, Galle.

The 21st September 1908.

INDIAN OCEAN—COMORO ISLANDS, MAYOTTA ISLAND.

Duamuni passage—Buoys withdrawn.

No. 372 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1264 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The Duamuni or North-east passage, Mayotta island, being unsuited for vessels of heavy draught, the buoys marking it have been withdrawn.

Position.—Lat. 12° 38′ S., long. 45° 9′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 2741, Mayotta island.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 559.

Authority.—Berlin Notice, No. 1762 of 1908.

CHINA SEA.

Palawan island, east coast.—Reef.

Kalamianes islands—Reefs in Koron bay and approach.

No. 373 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1265 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—Reefs are reported to exist off the east coast of Palawan island, and in Koron bay and its southern approach, as undermentioned.

1. Off east coast of Palawan island.

Position.—South extreme of Reynard island bearing N. 58° W., distant about one mile, and north extreme of North Green island S. 79° W.

Lat. 10° 9′ N., long. 119° 15′ E., on chart No. 967.

Depth, &c.—Uncovers at low water. Is small in extent.

2. Koron bay and approach.

(*a*) *Position.*—In Koron bay, northward of the north point of Bulalakao island and about midway between Kalis point and the eastern extreme of Dunaun island.

Lat. 11° 50′ N., long. 120° 9¾′ E.

Depth.—9 feet.

Description.—Consists of large coral boulders, and is about 2 miles long and one mile wide.

Remarks.—P. D. has been placed against the above position on the chart.

(*b*) *Position.*—Southward of Koron bay, at about 4½ miles eastward of Tres Reyes islands.

Lat. 11° 34′ N., long. 120° 9¼′ E.

Depth.—3 feet or less.

(*c*) *Position.*—Southward of Koron bay, at about 6 miles eastward of Tres Reyes islands.

Lat. 11° 34′ N., long. 120° 11′ E.

Depth.—3 feet or less.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.
„ 2577, Philippine islands.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion.
„ 943, Moluoca passage to Manila.
„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages 284, 304, 306.

Authority.—Manila Notices, Nos. 45, 46, 47 of 1908.

KOREA, WEST COAST—PING YANG INLET.

Sei tau (west islet) light—Period altered.

Nakasu shoal and Chinampho harbour—Buoys established.

No. 374 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1267 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The period of Sei tau (West islet) light has been altered as undermentioned; and buoys have been established on Nakasu shoal and in Chinampho harbour as given below:—

1. Sei tau (West islet) light.

Position.—Lat. 38° 32′ N., long. 124° 46′ E.

Alteration—The light (*white flashing*) shows *one* flash *every twenty seconds*, instead of every thirty seconds as formerly.

2. Buoy on Nakasu shoal.

Position.—On south-western end of shoal, in a depth of 2¼ fathoms, with 100 feet hill ▲ on Hombagu Kaku bearing S. 57° E., distant 5¼ miles, and Sei tau light S. 48° W.

Lat 38° 37′ N., long. 124° 52′ E., on chart No. 1656.

Description.—Conical buoy, painted in black and white horizontal bands, surmounted by a diamond-shaped topmark.

Remarks.—The name Nakasu shoal has been placed on the chart.

3. Buoys in Chinampho harbour.

(*a*) *Position.*—Situated in a depth of 2¼ fathoms, at a distance of about $1\frac{7}{10}$ cables, S. 23° W., from the head of the Pontoon pier.

Lat. 38° 42½′ N., long. 125° 23¾′ E.

Description.—Conical buoy, painted in red and black horizontal bands.

(*b*) *Position.*—Situated in a depth of 1½ fathoms, at a distance of about 2¼ cables, S. 37° W., from the head of the Pontoon pier.

Description.—Conical buoy, painted in red and black horizontal bands.

Remarks.—These buoys mark sunken rocks in the anchorage.

The two buoys placed in the anchorage, as published, in Notice to Mariners No. 16 of 1908, have been withdrawn.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1656, Ping Yang inlet.

„ 1655, South approach to Ping Yang inlet.

„ 1257, Approaches to Ping Yang inlet.

„ 1256, Pe chili and Liau Tung gulfs.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 908.

Sailing Directions for Japan and the Korea, 1904, pages 39, 40 42.

Notices to Mariners Nos. 16 and 160 of 1908. (*This office Nos. 44 and 88 of respectively 31st January and 28th February 1908.*)

Authority.—Seoul Notices, Nos. 41 and 40 of 1908.

CHINA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Hongkong harbour—Buoy withdrawn.

No. 375 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1280 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoy in Hongkong harbour has been withdrawn.

Position.—North-west corner of man-of-war anchorage, at a distance of $4\frac{6}{10}$ cables, N. 38° E., from the cupola of Queen's buildings.

Description.—Conical buoy, painted in black and white chequers.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 1459, Hongkong harbour.
,, 3280, Hongkong waters, west.
,, 1466, Hongkong.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 71.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Tamar*, Hydrographic Note, No. 3 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—Friendly Islands, Vavau.

Neiafu harbour—Depth in entrance; Buoys established.

No. 376 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1284 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The depth in the entrance to Neiafu harbour, Vavau, is as undermentioned; and buoys have been established to mark certain shoals as given below.

Position.—Kilikili front beacon, lat. 18° 39′ S., long. 173° 59¾′ W.

1. Depth in entrance.

Position.—On leading line, at a distance of 3¼ cables, S. 55° W., from the Kilikili front beacon.

Depth.—5 fathoms.

2. Buoys established.

(*a*) *Position.*—Southward of Galloway rock, at a distance of $3\frac{3}{10}$ cables, S. 59° W., from Kilikili front beacon.

Description.—Small white conical buoy.
Remarks.—This buoy will be replaced by a larger buoy.

(*b*) *Position.*—On end of Muitafuni spit, at a distance of one cable, S. 1° E., from the above-mentioned beacon.

Description.—Red cylindrical buoy.

Variation.—10° E.
Chart affected.—No. 3097, Plan of Neiafu harbour.
Publication.—Pacific Islands, vol. II, 1908, pages 65, 66.
Authority.—H.M.S. *Cambrian*, Hydrographic Note, No. 2 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—North Island—Port Nicholson.

Lambton harbour—Position of mooring buoy altered.

No. 377 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1286 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The white mooring buoy for men-of-war in Lambton harbour, Port Nicholson, has been moved, and is now situated as follows:—

Position.—At a distance of about 3 cables N. 67° E. from the head of Glasgow wharf.

Lat. 41° 16¾′ S., long. 74° 46¼′ E.

Variation.—16° E.
Charts affected.—No. 803, Lambton harbour.
,, 1423, Port Nicholson.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 171.
Authority.—H.M.S. *Encounter*, Hydrographic Note, No. 2 of 1908.

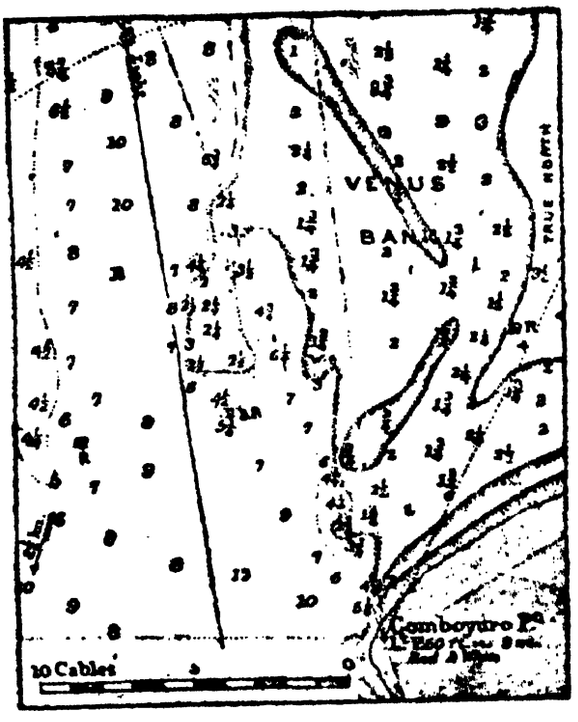
AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—Moreton bay entrance.

Venus bank—Extended to westward; buoy moved.

No. 378 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1299 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—Venus bank, Moreton bay entrance, has extended more than ⅜ cables to the westward, and the black and red can buoy marking its south-west extreme has been moved, as shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 1670*a*.

Position.—Comboyuro point, lat. 27° 4′ S., long. 153° 22¾′ E.



Charts affected.—No. 1670*a*, Moreton bay,
„ 1068, Moreton bay to Sandy cape.
„ 1029, Danger point to cape Moreton.
„ 3623, Cape Byron to Lady Elliot island.

Publication.—Australia Directory, vol. II, 1907, page 128.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pyramus*, Hydrographic Note, No. 2 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—New Caledonia, Port Noumea approach.

Havannah passage—Visibility of leading lights; wreck disappeared.
Ka sand—Beacon erected.

No. 379 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1301 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The visibility of the leading lights for Havannah passage is as given below, and the undermentioned wreck has disappeared. A beacon has been erected on Ka sand in the approach to Port Noumea.

1. Visibility of leading lights.

Position.—On Cape Ndua.

Lat. 22° 24′ S., long. 166° 56½′ E.

Remarks.—The upper light is reported to be only visible from a distance of about 8 miles, and the lower light from a distance of about 5 miles.

These lights are therefore practically useless for making Havannah passage, and the leading line on the chart has been amended accordingly.

2. Wreck disappeared.

Position.—On south-western end of Ioro reef.

Lat. 22° 23½′ S., long. 166° 58′ E.

3. Beacon erected.

Position.—On Ka sand.

Lat. 22° 25½′ S., long. 166° 33½′ E.

Description.—High, with topmark.

Charts affected.—No. 2069, Approaches to Port Noumea.
„ 2906, Isles of Pines to Uen island.
„ 2907, Uen island to St. Vincent bay.
„ 936*b*, New Caledonia.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VII, 1908, Nos. 900, 901.
Pacific Islands, vol. II, 1908, pages 240, 241, 242, 247.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Cambrian*, Hydrographic Notice, No. 3 of 1908.

AFRICA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Delagoa bay—Shoals.

No. 380 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1392 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A recent survey has revealed the existence of the undermentioned shoal patches in Delagoa bay.

Position.—Cockburn shoal lighthouse, lat. 25° 53½′ S., long. 32° 54′ E.

(*a*) *Position.*—On Domett shoal at a distance of 6¼ miles, N. 28° E. from Cockburn shoal lighthouse.
Depth.—2½ fathoms.
Description.—From the above position the shoal extends in a south-easterly direction for a distance of about 6 cables.

(*b*) *Position.*—Northward of Domett shoal, at a distance of 9¾ miles, N. 20° E., from Cockburn shoal lighthouse.
Depth.—2½ fathoms.
Description.—From the above position the shoal extends in a southerly direction for about 5 cables.

Variation.—20° W.

Charts affected.—No. 644, Delagoa bay.
„ 2089, Tugela river to Delagoa bay.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 193.

Authority.—Recent Portuguese survey.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Zallatoung island—Date of exhibition of light.

No. 381 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 424 of 1907, issued by this office, a telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, intimating that the Sandoway "Anchorage light" will be exhibited on 1st October 1908.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay (Goa) coast.

Goa, Mandovi river approach—Lights re-established. Alteration in leading marks.

No. 382 (second publication).—With reference to this office Notice to Mariners No. 289 dated 17th July 1908, the following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the Bombay Government (No. 86 of 1908) are republished :—

Particulars ... All the lights at the entrance of Mandovi River were re-established on the 1st September 1908.

On account of the natural change of the bar of the Mandovi River the direction now indicated by the two beacons "Alto da Conceição" and "Gaspar Dias" is to be altered and the beacons are to be replaced by two other beacons: one of them is to be placed on Malim Hill, in Bardez, and the other at the Campal, in Panjim.

These beacons will consist of an equilateral triangle on top of a mast which has at its foot the watchman's house. The triangles and house are painted white.

At night a white incandescent light will be hoisted on each of these two masts.

These beacons will be temporary and will be replaced in a short time when another notice will be issued.

The beacon "Tejo" has fallen into the sea and has been replaced by a wooden mast painted white with crossed boards nailed on to it which have been painted black and white alternately. The light placed on this beacon has been altered from red to green.

The course to be made by a ship entering the Mandovi River is to steer in the new direction towards "Campal" and "Malim" instead of making the former course towards "Gaspar Dias" and "Alto da Conceição."

Charts affected ... No. 492, Aguada to St. George's Islands, including Mormugoa and Goa Roadstead.

Publications ... List of Lights, Part VI, No. 257. West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 166.

Authority ... Port Officer, Mormugoa.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Karnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 383 (second publication) :—

Particulars.—The depth of water found in the channels by soundings on the 12th September 1908, is as follows:—

Descriptions :—

	Ft.
Track No. I—Outer bar—	
Disc on diamond	12½
Track No. II—Inner bar—	
Disc on diamond	11½
Batten beacon on pillar	11½

Charts affected.—No. 84, Chittagong (Karnafuli) river.
„ 859, Mutlah river to Elephant point.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, 3rd edition, pages 243-245.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong.

The 11th September 1908.

JAPAN—YEZO ISLAND, WEST COAST.

Otaru harbour—Light established on breakwater.

No. 371 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1248 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned description has been established at the end of the breakwater, Otaru harbour.

Position.—End of breakwater.

Lat. 43° 12′ 18″ N., long. 141° 1′ 11″ E.

Character.—*Red fixed.*
Elevation.—61 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Description of Building.—Square iron tower, painted red.
Power.—Under $\frac{1}{10}$.
Remarks.—Visible from all directions.
Charts affected.—No. 993, Anchorages in Yezo island, plan of Otaru Ko.
„ 2981, Furubira Wan to Aikappu Misaki.
„ 452, Yezo island.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 235.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 711.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 650 of 1908.

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RESOLUTION ON THE EMBANKMENT AND DRAINAGE REPORTS FOR THE YEAR 1907-08.

No. 3617*I*.

Government of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION.

Dated Calcutta, the 28th September 1908.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The Embankment and Drainage Reports for the year 1907-08.

A summary of the expenditure incurred on works and repairs (exclusive of book charges for establishment and tools and plant) during the year on embankments and drainage works in Bengal is given in the following table :—

	1907-08. Rs.
I.—Embankments—	
Class A.—Government embankments in Orissa	88,661
Class B.—Schedule D and other Government embankments ...	3,16,540
Class C.—Maintained by Government under contract with zamindars	71,357
Class D.—Maintained by Government with an annual apportionment of charges on estates benefited	13,627
II.—Works undertaken under the provisions of the Drainage Act, VI (B.C.) of 1880	15,156
III.—Works undertaken under the provisions of the Sanitary Drainage Act, VIII (B.C.) of 1895	3,64,153
IV.—Drainage works carried out under the provisions of the Embankment Act, II (B.C.) of 1882	57,697
V.—Drainage works maintained at the cost of Government, but not under the provisions of any Act	17,221
Total ...	9,43,812

2. *Lengths of embankments and areas protected.*—The lengths of embankments in each class and the areas to which they give protection are shown below. The embankments generally are effective against moderate floods, but in many places they are overtopped or breached during very high floods—

Circle.	Class.	Length.		Areas protected.
		Miles.	Feet.	Acres.
Orissa ...	A ...	516	3,791	644,691*
	B ...	314	2,784	446,880
	C ...	6	1,146	44,800
	D ...	Nil		Nil
	Total ...	837	2,441	1,136,371
South-Western ...	A ...	Nil		Nil
	B ...	759	375	2,922,989
	C ...	236	1,014	252,646
	D ...	14	3,216	84,051
	Total ...	1,009	4,605	3,259,686
Gandak ...	A	Nil		Nil
	B ...	"		"
	C ...	234	100	4,039,680
	D	53	3,190	196,320
	Total ...	287	3,290	4,236,000
Northern ...	A ...	Nil		Nil
	B ...	"†		"
	C ...	"		"
	D ...	6	1,694	17,042
	Total ...	6	1,694	17,042
Abstract ...	A ...	516	3,791	644,691
	B ...	1,073	3,169	3,369,869
	C ...	476	2,260	4,337,126
	D ...	74	2,820	297,413
	Total ...	2,141	1,470	8,649,099

* In addition to this area, 540,000 acres are efficiently protected by the flood banks of the Orissa Canals, the total length of which is 294 miles and 1,547 feet.

† 1,631 feet of spur embankments, Penar river of which the length after the flood season of 1907-08 was 1,335 feet were maintained during the year at Government expense.

In the South-Western Circle a length of 3 miles 3,418 feet in Schedule D. embankment 88 was abandoned during the year, and a length of 6 miles 1,760 feet was added to class D embankments owing to the construction of the Peali left embankment. There was, therefore, a net increase of 2 miles and 3,622 feet in the length of embankments in that circle. In the Gandak Circle there has been a decrease of 2 miles and 4,830 feet in the length of class D embankments. There has been no change in the lengths of embankments in the other circles.

3. *Floods.*—In the Orissa Circle the floods in the rivers Brahmini, Byturni and Kopali were the highest yet recorded. Much damage was done to the agricultural embankments and to Ranges II and III of the High Level Canal. Crops were destroyed in the areas not protected by canal embankments, and many huts collapsed. The floods in the Salindi, Matai and Subarnarekha rivers were also very high. The flood in the Mahanadi was a moderate one.

In the South-Western Circle there was a high flood in the Damodar river. The gauge at Edilpur on 3rd September 1907 was 1 foot 4 inches above the previous recorded maximum. The Cossye river was also in high flood. At Panchkura the level recorded on the 2nd September 1907 was 94·50, which

was 1·20 feet higher than the maximum recorded level of 1898. The Bhagirathi river was in moderate flood on the 27th August 1907 when the Berhampore gauge stood at 4·73 below the highest recorded flood level of 14th August 1890.

In the Gandak Circle the floods were of an ordinary nature. The highest flood in the Gandak river, which occurred on 21st July 1907, rose to 240·00. This was 3·50 below the highest recorded level of 15th August 1903. On the River Ganges the flood level at Bazitpur on 23rd August 1907 stood at 141·80, the reading in the previous year being 143·90. The floods in the Bagmati river were also moderate. The highest level was 181·42 at Belahia on 6th September 1907 and 173·43 at Kodliaghat on 21st July, against 187·32 and 176·37 respectively recorded in the previous year.

4. *Breaches.*—In the Orissa Circle altogether 298 breaches occurred during the year, viz., 124 in the Akhoyapada-Jajpur Division, 33 in the Brahmini-Byturni Division, 11 in the Mahanadi Division, and 130 in the Balasore Division. The total length of breaches was 4 miles and 787 feet. In addition the Orissa Trunk Road between the Byturni and Salindi rivers was breached in two places for a total length of 250 feet. The flood in the Brahmini river nearly overtopped the flood bank of the Pattamundi Canal, necessitating the raising of that bank to 3 feet above the flood level for future safety. The Charigong Tie bund, the Utikan and Damarpur embankments in the Brahmini-Byturni Division and the Jamkunda embankment in the Balasore Division as also several agricultural embankments in the Akhoyapada-Jajpur Division were overtopped and considerably damaged. The weir across the Janardan Ghai, which had nearly been completed, was seriously injured. The damage done to embankments in the Mahanadi and Akhoyapada-Jajpur Divisions has since been made good.

In the South-Western Circle 222 breaches occurred in the Scnedule D embankments and 13 in the *takavi* embankments. Of these, 52 occurred in the embankments on the left bank of the Selye, 58 in the Panna circuit, 39 in the Ghatal circuit, 20 in the Sheikpur circuit and 30 in the Chetua circuit. The total expenditure incurred during the year in closing breaches and in making good special damage caused by flood was Rs. 94,851, against Rs. 41,669 in the previous year, and a considerable further outlay will be incurred in 1908-09. Both at Hooghly Point and Diamond-Harbour in the Hooghly estuary damage was done to the laterite revetments by the cyclone of the 25th June 1907. There were no breaches in the embankments in the Gandak and Northern Circles.

5. *Surveys and Investigations.*—In the Orissa Circle plans and estimate were prepared for extending embankment No. 55 B in the Brahmini-Byturni Division. Longitudinal sections were prepared of the Utikan and Aul embankments. In the Akhoyapada-Jajpur Division levels and sections of some of the agricultural embankments were taken. Surveys were made to determine the cost of raising certain low portions of the Argowal circuit embankment. Surveys and investigations were completed in respect to a proposed embankment on the left bank of the Subarnarekha. An estimate for this has been prepared, and it will be placed before the local Embankment Committee for consideration. Surveys of the Bichitrapur Government estate in the Balasore district to ascertain the locality of bunds permissible in the tidal portion of the estate were also completed during the year.

In the South-Western Circle surveys were made of some portions of the *takavi* embankments, where the Cossye river had badly encroached. A survey was made and longitudinal and cross sections were taken for certain retired lines in the Chetua circuit embankment and in the Darkeswar right and left embankments. A survey was made of the abandoned Bhagirathi embankment to ascertain the area of surplus land available for disposal. A complete survey was also made for the drainage of the town of Berhampur and improvement of the Gobra Nala in the district of Murshidabad.

In the Gandak Circle check levels were taken of the Saran embankment. Levels were also taken during the year 1907-08 along the whole length of the Tirhut embankment to obtain more correct values for the datum blocks and bench-marks. Longitudinal and cross sections were taken of the Bya outer and inner channels.

6. *Original works.*—The outlay of the year (without charges for establishment and tools and plant) under this head amounts to Rs. 90,088 distributed over the different classes of embankments as under:—

	1907-08.	1906-07.
	Rs.	Rs.
Class A	35,623	11,195
Do. B	53,390	29,918
Do. C	1,075	1,167
Do. D	...	...
Total ...	90,088	42,280

The more important works were as under:—

In the Orissa Circle the work in connection with the construction of three permanent escapes in the Dya left embankment at an estimated cost of Rs. 39,362 was approaching completion, the outlay of the year being Rs. 20,463. Eighty per cent. of the work for the improvement of the channel of the South Kania river was done during the year at an outlay of Rs. 4,582.

In the South-Western Circle the raising of the crest of the embankment on the left bank of the Hooghly near Diamond Harbour was completed. The total expenditure on this work has been Rs. 51,201, the outlay of the year being Rs. 10,465.

During the year 1907-08 the private embankment in the Beguserai subdivision of the Monghyr district, generally known as the Gupta bund, was taken charge of and is to be strengthened and maintained by the officers of Government under the provisions of the Act. An estimate amounting to Rs. 88,422 was also approved to meet the probable cost of the work.

No original works were carried out in the Gandak Circle.

7. *Ordinary repairs.*—The expenditure on repairs (without book charges for establishment and tools and plant) aggregated Rs. 3,99,497, which is distributed under the different classes of embankments as follows:—

	1907-08.	1906-07.
	Rs.	Rs.
Class A	53,038	24,805
Do. B	2,63,150	2,17,378
Do. C	70,282	61,418
Do. D	13,027	12,988
Total ...	3,99,497	3,16,589

The expenditure on repairs to the Orissa embankments was Rs. 53,038, against Rs. 24,805 in the previous year. The excess was almost entirely due to repairs to the damage caused by the very high floods in the Brahmini and Byturni rivers. The total cost of repairs to the Schedule D embankments (class B) in the Midnapore district, which are in the Orissa Circle, was Rs. 24,260, against Rs. 36,625 in the year 1906-07.

In the South-Western Circle the expenditure on ordinary repairs to Schedule D and other embankments was Rs. 1,01,588, against Rs. 1,09,274 in the previous year. There was a decrease in the districts of Burdwan, Nadia and 24-Parganas, while the expenditure in the other districts was rather greater than that of the previous year.

On (class C) *takavi* embankments under contract in the Midnapore, Muzaffarpur, Saran and Champaran districts, a sum of Rs. 70,282 was expended during the year as compared with the contract provision of Rs. 1,05,070. The outlay incurred on the maintenance and special repairs of the Gandak embankments was Rs. 39,230, against Rs. 35,996 in the preceding year. The expenditure on repairs to the Midnapore embankments of this class in the Cossye and Balasore Divisions was Rs. 31,052, against Rs. 25,422 during the previous year.

On (class D) *takavi* embankments with an annual apportionment of actual cost, the outlay incurred on repairs was Rs. 13,027, against Rs. 12,988 in the previous year.

8. *Retired lines.*—In the Orissa Circle the amount expended in constructing retired lines of embankments, including under this head slope-cutting, which is an alternative measure, was Rs. 1,509, against Rs. 3,722 in the previous year. In the South-Western Circle the cost of constructing retired lines in the Hooghly, Midnapore, Murshidabad and 24-Parganas districts was Rs. 41,495, against Rs. 28,674 in the previous year. The increase took place chiefly in the Midnapore and Murshidabad districts, while there was a decrease in the Hooghly and 24-Parganas districts. No retired lines were constructed in the district of Burdwan. In the Gandak Circle a sum of Rs. 4,000 was expended in constructing retired lines in the Saran embankment. No retired lines were constructed in the Northern Circle.

9. *Protection of River Banks.*—In the Orissa Circle the total outlay incurred on repairs to revetments and other works for the protection of the river banks was Rs. 13,707, against Rs. 1,035 in the preceding year. The expenditure in 1907-08 includes Rs. 8,031 spent on repairs to the weir across the Janardan Ghai on the Brahmini river. The expenditure on similar works in the South-Western and Gandak Circles was respectively Rs. 21,634 and Rs. 2,037.

10. *Financial.*—The actual outlay during the year on the Orissa embankments (class A) maintained as agricultural works, exclusive of charges for establishment and tools and plant was Rs. 53,038, against Rs. 24,805 in the previous year, the average rate per mile being Rs. 103. The expenditure on class B Government embankments was Rs. 2,63,150, against Rs. 2,17,378 in the year before, the average rate being Rs. 245, against Rs. 201 in 1906-07.

Government has contracted to maintain certain embankments on behalf of the persons benefited at a fixed annual charge in the districts of Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur and Midnapore. The following statement shows the expenditure incurred on these embankments as compared with the contract payments :—

Year.	Midnapore district.		Saran district.		Champaran district.		Muzaffarpur district.	
	Maintenance charge.	Contract amount.	Maintenance charge.	Contract amount.	Maintenance charge.	Contract amount.	Maintenance charge.	Contract amount.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1900-01 ...	...	...	14,704	23,900	...	....	...	...
1901-02 ...	31,100	56,291	5,949	23,900	...	...	...	...
1902-03 ...	26,899	56,291	12,353	23,900	...	...	...	...
1903-04 ...	27,295	56,291	25,503	33,900	4,815	20,000	7,451	10,415
1904-05 ...	60,303	50,755	43,587	23,900	12,394	20,000	11,544	10,415
1905-06 ...	39,098	50,755	26,105	23,900	29,874	20,000	11,005	10,415
1906-07 ...	25,422	50,755	8,137	23,900	15,131	20,000	12,728	10,415
1907-08 ...	31,052	50,755	16,658	23,900	14,936	20,000	7,636	10,415
Total ...	2,41,169	3,71,893	1,52,996	1,91,200	77,150	1,00,000	50,364	52,075

Note.—The figures in this table under column "Maintenance charge" represent the cash outlay on maintenance and repairs without any book charges for Establishment and tools and plant.

11. *Works undertaken under the provisions of the Drainage Act, VI (B. C.) of 1880.*—The Dankuni, Howrah, Rajapur and Barajolla drainage works in the Hooghly district, in charge of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, were maintained in good order during the year. The cost of their upkeep compared with the previous year is shown below :—

	1906-07.	1907-08.
	Rs.	Rs.
Dankuni	253	2,682
Howrah	862	3,724
Rajapur	9,604	11,716
Barajolla		
Total ...	10,724	18,122

The receipts from these works hitherto credited to the Civil Department have been transferred to this Department from 1st April 1907.

12. *Works undertaken under the provisions of the Sanitary Drainage Act, VIII (B.C.) of 1895.*—The only work which has as yet been taken up under this Act is that known as the Magra Hât drainage scheme in the 24-Parganas district. It is designed to drain the swamps around Magra Hât in the central portion of the tracts enclosed by the 24-Parganas embankments. The swamps are mainly those along the Kaorapukur khal near Hotar, those drained by the Surjipur sluice, those at Joynagar and along the Srichandra and Sangrampur khals as well as north of the railway near Sangrampur and at Dhosa and Hobka. A sum of Rs. 3,76,955 was expended during the year on works, establishment and tools and plant. On the whole fair progress has been made with the scheme.

13. *Drainage works carried out under the provisions of the Embankment Act, II (B.C.) of 1882.*—In the South-Western Circle the expenditure during the year was Rs. 9,531 principally on the construction of sluices at Lowjola and Lokenathpur in the Murshidabad district and at Toperkhal and Khonîady in the district of Midnapore. In the Orissa Circle the Argowal drainage project was in progress during the year. The sluice was practically completed and about three-fourths of the earthwork done. The total expenditure to end of the year amounted to Rs. 89,059 for works only, the outlay of the year being Rs. 46,570. This scheme is now in operation.

Maintenance and repairs.—The Charrial khal drainage scheme was maintained in good condition at a cost of Rs. 1,596 as compared with Rs. 1,902 in the previous year. A large number of sluices in the Schedule D Embankments are maintained under the provisions of the Act at the cost of the estates benefited.

14. *Drainage works carried out at the cost of Government, but not under the provisions of any Act.*—Work in connection with the improvement of the drainage channel from Daudpur to Utterpadima, known as the Tajpur drainage project, in the Contai subdivision of the Balasore Division, was completed during the year.

The Bullee Bhil drainage works in the 24-Parganas district were efficiently maintained at a cost of Rs. 3,969. In the Midnapore district the Balliaghai main and branch drains, which are used both for drainage and navigation, were kept open to traffic throughout the year. The condition of the main drain has deteriorated, and an estimate for silt clearing is under preparation. The khas tahsil khals in charge of this Department in the same district were cleared of silt at a cost of Rs. 9,637.

ORDER—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution and of its Appendices (A and B) be published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* and submitted to the Government of India, Public Works Department, for information.

Ordered also that copies of the Resolution and of its Appendices (A and B) be forwarded to the Revenue and Financial Departments of this Government; the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces; the Commissioners of the Presidency, Burdwan, Patna, Bhagalpur, Chota Nagpur and Orissa Divisions; the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence; the Superintending Engineers, Orissa, South-Western, Sone, Gandak and Northern Circles; and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Bengal, for information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. A. INGLIS,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

APPENDIX A.

List of Public Embankments in Bengal, in charge of Government officers, showing their lengths and actual cost of repairs (without charges for Establishment and Tools and Plant) during the year 1907-08.

District.	Miles of Embankments.					Total miles of embankments.	Expenditure of the year on repairs.								
	Maintained at the expense of Government.		Maintained at the expense of the persons benefited.				Class A.		Class B.		Class C.			Class D.	
	Class A.	Class B.	Under contract. Class C.	By annual apportionment of charges. Class D.	Total.		Total.	Rate per mile.	Total.	Rate per mile.	Total.	Rate per mile.	Contract rate.	Total.	Rate per mile.
2.	3.	4	5	6.	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	M. ft.	M. ft.	M. ft.	M. ft.	M. ft.	M. ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
Orissa embankments maintained under Act XXXII of 1855—															
Balasore ...	51 3,611	...	...	...	...	51 3,611	12,511	242	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Cuttack ...	216 839	...	...	...	...	216 839	28,823	133	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puri ...	248 4,621		...	...	...	248 4,621	11,704	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Orissa embankments.	516 3,791	...	...	...	...	516 3,791	53,038	103	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Embankments other than Orissa maintained under Act II (B.C.) of 1882—															
Muzaffarpur ...	...	...	52 400	24 4,950	77 70	77 70	...	...	...	...	7,636	146	10,415	863	35
Darbhanga ...	...	...	...	17 2,200	17 2,200	17 2,200	...	...	...	...	...	...		4,929	283
Saran ...	...	...	118 5,222	...	118 5,222	118 5,222	...	...	...	...	16,658	140	23,900	...	...
Champaran ...	...	...	62 5,038	...	62 5,038	62 5,038	...	...	...	...	14,936	237	20,000	...	...
Total ...	...	...	234 100	42 1,870	276 1,970	276 1,970	...	...	...	...	39,230	168	54,315	5,792	137
Carried over ...	...	...	234 100	42 1,870	276 1,970	276 1,970	...	...	...	...	39,230	...	54,315	5,792	...

TR	Maintained at the expense of Government.		Maintained at the expense of the persons benefited.			Total miles of embankments.	Class A.		Class B.		Class C.			Class D.	
	Class A.	Class B.	Under contract. Class C.	By annual apportionment of charges. Class D.	Total.		Total.	Rate per mile.	Total.	Rate per mile.	Total.	Rate per mile.	Contract rate.	Total.	Rate per mile.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	M. ft.	M. ft.	M. ft.	M. ft.	M. ft.	M. ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Brought forward ...	...	...	234 100	42 1,870	276 1,970	276 1,970	...		...	...	39,230	...	54,315	5,792	...
Embankments other than Orissa maintained under Act II (B.C.) of 1882—*concluded.*															
Bhagalpur ...	...	...	...	3 2,960	3 2,960	3 2,960	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,271	356
Purnea ...	...	0 1,631*	...	2 4,014	2 4,014	3 365	...	...	926	2,998	...	...	...	173	63
Monghyr ...	...	...	...	11 1,320	11 1,320	11 1,320	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	484	44
Total ...	...	0 1,631	...	17 3,014	17 3,014	17 4,645	...	...	926	2,998	...	...	...	1,928	110
Murshidabad ...	...	74 877	...	...	...	74 877	..	...	40,468	545	...	...	...	...	...
Nadia ...	...	1 17	...	...	...	1 17	...	...	26	26	...	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas ...	...	205 4,444	...	8 3,080	8 3,080	214 2,244	...	...	50,266	244	...	...	...	254	29
Total ...	...	281 58	...	8 3,080	8 3,080	289 3,138	...	...	90,760	323	...	...	...	254	29
Burdwan ...	...	82 1,100	...	...	...	82 1,100	...	...	22,977	279	...	...	...	...	...
Birbhum ...	...	3 1,320	...	...	...	3 1,320	...	...	540	166	...	...	...	...	...
Hooghly ...	...	164 3,365	...	6 0	6 0	170 3,365	...	...	34,338	208	...	...	...	5,053	842
Midnapore ...	...	542 2,596†	242 2,160‡	0 136	242 2,296	784 4,892	...	...	1,13,619	209	31,052	128	50,755	...	...
Total ...	...	792 3,101	242 2,160	6 136	248 2,296	1,041 117	...	...	1,71,464	216	31,052	128	50,755	5,053	842
Total embankments other than Orissa.	...	1,073 4,790	476 2,260	74 2,820	550 5,080	1,624 4,590	...	...	2,63,150	245	70,282	147	1,05,070	13,027	175

[illegible] | [illegible] 2,724 feet of Schedule D embankment in the Balasore Division. | ‡ Includes 6 miles 1,146 feet of Joki embankment in the Balasore Division.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

APPENDIX B.

ment showing the outlay incurred, recoveries made, and balance outstanding on account of embankments and drainage work (class D) maintained during the year 1907-08.

Circle.	Names of embankments and drainage works.	District.	Balance at end of 1906-07.	Outlay during 1907-08.	Total outlay to end of 1907-08.	Amount recovered and adjusted by Civil Department during 1907-08.	Balance ... sted on 31st M... 908.
	3		4				
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	Embankments.						
	Turki embankment ...	Muzaffarpur ...	...	754	754	754	
	Daudpur ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	109	109	109	
	Bazitpur ditto ...	Darbhanga ...	1,126	4,929	6,055	6,055	
	Monghyr ditto ...	Monghyr ...	...	484	484	484	
	Madaria khal embankment ...	Hooghly ...	4,606	5,053	9,659	3,316	6,343
	Hooghly right embankment from Uluberia to Champa khal.	Ditto ...	8,639	(—)659	7,980	...	7,980
Western.	Tolly's Nala ditto ...	24-Parganas ...	...	254	254	254	...
Western.	Pesli left ditto ...	Ditto ...	...	1,502	1,502	1,502	...
Western.	Rajbundi bund	Midnapore	72	...	72	...	72
Northern ...	Chandan embankment	Bhagalpur ...	1,408	1,458	2,866	1,408	1,458
Northern ...	Belwa ditto	Purnea ...	179	173	352	179	173
	Total ...		16,030	14,057	30,087	14,061	16,026
	Drainage works						
	Dhutkhally sluice	24-Parganas ...	26,408	25	26,433	26,433	...
	Re-excavation of the Arapunch khal	Ditto ...	28,375	184	28,559	...	28,559
	Churrial drainage works ...	Ditto	...	1,596	1,596	1,596	
	Cross dam on the mouth of the Tellary sluice.	Ditto ...	...	904	904	904	
	Mohamaya sluice	Ditto ...	...		562	...	562
	Petty repairs to *takavi* sluice ...	Ditto ...	242	7,947	8,189	6,399	1,790
	Kumrul sluice	Hooghly ...	...	390	390	390	
	Dainan	Midnapore ...	2	(—)2			
	Drainage sluice across Toper khal at Khoniady.	Ditto ...	3,961	5,971	9,932		9,932
	Argowal drainage project	Ditto ...	47,176	48,722	95,898		95,898
	Lowjola sluice ...	Murshidabad	512	1,943	2,455	...	2,455
	Lokenathpur ,, ...	Ditto ...	1,189	1,136	2,325		2,325
	Total		1,07,865	69,378	1,77,243	35,722	1,41,521
	GRAND TOTAL		1,23,895	83,435	2,07,330	49,783	1,57,547

(COMPILED BY THE BOARD OF REVENUE.)

Statement of recoveries made during the year ending the 31st March 1908 on account of embankments (C class) maintained under the contract system.

District.	Annual demand.	Arrear due from previous years	Advance payment at credit.	Net demand	Collections.				Balance.
					Current	Arrear	Advance.	Total.	
							8	9.	10
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
an (Gandak embankment)	(a) 23,517	(b) 9,079	2,638	29,958	13,949	7,744	(c) 3,161	24,854	8,26
mparan (ditto)	20,009	3,565	70	23,501	19,396	3,532	110	23,038	57
affarpur (ditto)	8,308	(d) 6,784	1,443	13,649	2,067	5,502	1,220	8,789	(e) 6,089
bhanga (ditto)	2,115	1,539	144	3,516	887	937	167	1,991	1,686
napore (Midnapore embank- ent).	50,757	(f) 10,316	2,741	58,133	29,488	16,436	2,286	48,210	(g) 11,157
Total ...	1,04,706	31,283	7,336	1,28,754	65,787	34,151	6,944	1,06,882	
	1,35,989				99,938				

(a) The difference of Rs. 95 between the figures in this column and those in column 2 of the last year's statement is due to the transfer of estates to other districts with effect from the 1st April 1907, the abatement of revenue sanctioned by the Board on account of land acquired by the East Indian North-Western Railway, the exemption of the estate from the payment of the cess and the decrease and increase in the land revenue roll of certain estates on account of resettlement.

(b) The difference of Rs. 72 between the figures in column 10 of the previous year's statement and those in column 3 of this statement is due to the transfer of certain estates to other districts; the abatement of revenue of certain estates on account of land acquired by the Bengal and Northern Railway and the decrease and increase in the land revenue roll of certain estates on account of resettlement.

(c) The total advance payment at the close of the year is Rs. 6,750, which includes Rs. 3,161 shown in this column. Rupees 45 on account of it was realized during the year.

(d) The difference of Rs. 44 between the figures in column 3 of this statement and those in column 10 of the last year's statement is due to remission of estate and omission of fractions of a rupee.

(e) Out of the balance of Rs. 6,089 a sum of Rs. 1,949 has been collected since the close of the year, and for the remainder action under certificate procedure will be taken in due course.

(f) The difference of Rs. 1,019 between the figures in column 10 of the previous year's statement and those in column 3 of the present statement is due to the transfer of several items from "Advances" to the "Arrear due."

(g) The balance has been arrived at by the deduction of Rs. 1,052 due from Government on account of *khas mahals* benefited by the embankment.

PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF *BHADOI* CROPS, BENGAL, 1908.

THE following note is published for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 28th September 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF THE BHADOI CROPS OF BENGAL, 1908.

(On an average of five years ending 1906-7, the area under autumn rice in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 6·0 per cent. of the total area under this crop in British India).

Explanatory.—Autumn rice is the chief *bhadoi* crop of this Province. It occupies 50 per cent. of the total area under all *bhadoi* crops. Maize and millets are to be found chiefly in Bihar and Chota Nagpur.

Character of the season.—Sowings this year were normal in Orissa and Chota Nagpur and late in Lower Bengal and Bihar. Climatic conditions were not favourable except in Chota Nagpur and Orissa where the prospects are hopeful. In Lower Bengal, as well as in Bihar, the rainfall was short in the early part of the season, and later on damage was done by heavy rain in Lower Bengal and by drought in Bihar. The recent rain has improved prospects in Bihar. Floods did damage in Midnapore, Shahabad, Cuttack and Balasore and insect pests in Burdwan, Bankura, Hooghly, the 24-Parganas, Nadia and Cuttack. The present season has not been a very favourable one.

Area sown.—The area sown this year has been estimated at 8,724,900 acres against 9,251,000 acres last year. The normal area is estimated at 9,162,900 acres.

Outturn.—Sambalpur estimates more than a normal crop (105 per cent.). Balasore, Ranchi, and Singhbhum estimate 100 per cent. Khulna and Palamau report 97 and 91 per cent., while Burdwan, Darjeeling and Hazaribagh report 88, 80 and 85 per cent. In 13 districts, the outturn estimated by

local officers varies from 70 to 79 per cent.; three districts report 60 to 68 per cent. crops, and two districts, Darbhanga and Bhagalpur report 55 and 54 per cent. crops. In Murshidabad (49 per cent.), Monghyr (47 per cent.), Nadia (46 per cent.) Purnea (45 per cent.), Muzaffarpur (41 per cent.) and Patna (38 per cent.) the outturn is poor.

According to the estimates of the District Officers, the outturn of the different kinds of *bhadoi* crops for the Province, as a whole, amounts to 68 per cent. of the normal.

CALCUTTA, } W. R. GOURLAY,
The 18th September 1908. } *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Preliminary forecast of the Bhadoi Crops, 1908.

District.	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Approximate area last year (1907) under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Estimated area this year (1908) under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908)?	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
									Acres.		Acres.			
Burdwan ...	1,721,960	1,394,200	*Autumn* rice	140,000	132,400	136,800	72	87	58,749	1889 to 1892 and 1903-1907.	Not ascertainable.	April to July.	The increase in the area is due to favourable weather. The general condition of crops is good excepting rice which has been damaged by insect pests. Sowings were rather late in Kalna and Katwa and early in the Sadar subdivision.	
			Indian-corn (maize)	3,600	3,000	3,000	69	100						
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	6,700	2,100	2,200	72	99						
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,200	2,200	2,200	62	98						
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	10,000	8,000	8,200	67	99						
			Total ...	161,900	147,700	152,400	71	93	58,749	...	...			

District.	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Approximate area last year (1907) under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Estimated area this year (1908) under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much is represented the outturn last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908)?	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
									Acres.		Acres.			
Birbhum ...	1,121,280	776,300	*Autumn* rice ...	144,100	144,100	144,100	60	75	46,382	1889 to 1891 and 1903-1906.	...	Latter part of June.	The weather has been favourable up to date. Excessive rain has damaged crops on low lands. The date of sowing was normal.	
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,900	1,900	1,900	60	75						
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,400	1,400	1,400	60	75						
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	2,800	2,800	2,800	60	75						
			Total ...	150,200	150,200	150,200	60	75	46,382		...			
Bankura ...	1,677,440	642,900	*Autumn* rice	21,980	14,560	15,000		30	16,466	1892 to 1902 and 1906-1907	Not available.	25th May to 30th May.	Some damage has been done to autumn rice by insect pests during the year. Hence the low outturn.	
			Bajra	980	780	780		50						
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	1,100	880	880		80						
			Indian-corn (maize)	3,680	3,280	3,280		80						
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	8,480	7,580	7,560	44	60						
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	780	2,600	2,600		75					The low outturn of other crops is due to excessive rain during the year.	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,200	1,200	1,200		75						
			Total ...	37,760	30,580	31,060	44	70	16,466		...			

Midnapore ...	3,319,040	2,190,800	*Autumn* rice	166,000	99,600	103,100	62	76					
			Bajra	6,100	3,500	3,500	40	70					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	2,000	1,400	1,400	70	70					
			Indian-corn (maize)	21,300	20,700	20,700	68	70					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	68,800	46,700	46,000	67	69	35,342	1893 to 1908.	16,238	May to July	Sowings were late in the Sadar Subdivision. In other places, it was normal. The general condition of crops is good at present. Seedlings were destroyed by heavy rain and floods in the Tamluk and Ghatal Subdivisions. The outturn is likely to be better than that of last year.
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	23,000	20,200	19,500	87	74					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	88,800	74,900	70,100	74	85					
			Total ...	285,000	273,500	272,500	62	77	35,342		16,238		
Hooghly ...	761,210	445,600	*Autumn* rice	45,600	40,500	42,500	90	75					
			Indian corn (maize)	(30)	(30)	(30)	93	73					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	600	500	500	85	77	Not cadastrally surveyed.		...	Latter part of May and early part of June.	The weather was favourable and the date of sowing was normal. The crops were damaged to a certain extent by insect pests.
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,600	2,400	2,300	88	89					
			Total ...	48,700	43,400	45,400	90	75	...		...		
Howrah ...	326,400	250,600	*Autumn* rice	18,500	17,000	17,600	70	76	...	...	...	15th April, 15th May and 1st week of June.	Owing to excessive rain the condition of the crops is not good. The date of sowing in the Sadar Subdivision was early, and at Ulubaria late.
			Indian-corn (maize)	300	200	200	78	75	...	...			
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,800	1,300	1,100	71	75	...	...			
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,700	2,600	2,500	50	50	...	...			
			Total ...	22,900	21,100	21,400	68	68	...		...		

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Approximate area last year (1907) under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Estimated area this year (1908) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908).	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	13	14
24-Parganas ...	3,160,833	1,079,700	*Autumn* rice	75,400	56,900	57,800	98	76	...	...	...	April to June.	The normal area under autumn rice has been revised. The increase in the area sown with autumn rice and other *bhadoi* cereals is due to the fact that on account of the falling off in the demand of jute, the ryots have reduced the area under jute and increased that under autumn rice in the Basirhat Subdivision. Want of seasonable rain, deficient rain in the beginning and latter part of the season and heavy downpour of rain in the middle of the season in all the Subdivisions of the district and the appearance of insect pests which caused great damage to crops, account for the lower outturn. There was no rain up to 15th June in Diamond Harbour and cultivation of crops suffered. Sowings were late this year.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	3,600	1,800	1,500	95	84						
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	5,600	3,200	3,100	83	77						
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	100	100	100	80	75						
			Total ...	84,700	59,500	62,500	97	76	...					

Nadia ...	1,787,320	1,048,80	*Autumn* rice	338,100	476,500	426,600	50	89	Not cadastrally surveyed ...		...	Middle of May and June.	For want of rain in proper season, the crops were sown late. Heavy rain from the middle of June to the middle of July damaged crops on low lands and the growth of the crops was stunted. Insect pests also damaged the crops in certain parts. Hence the decrease in the estimated outturn.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	300	...	100	...	37					
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	800	700	300	40	25					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	11,700	7,300	6,000	65	52					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	17,700	9,000	8,400	62	54					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	25,000	14,700	12,300	60	57					
			Total ...	384,400	508,200	525,900	51	46			...		
Murshidabad	1,371,520	988,500	*Autumn* rice	229,700	184,600	169,500	77	88	...	...	...	30th April to 15th July.	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crops is not satisfactory. The date of sowing was late.
			Jowar	...	...	700	...	50	...	...	...		
			Bajra ...	500	400	...	15	...					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	500	300	300	80	65	...	...	...		
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	200	500	400	66	67	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	2,200	3,600	1,800	65	58	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	8,600	4,500	3,400	67	75	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	72,500	14,100	17,000	66	55	...	...	...		
			Total ...	314,200	207,500	193,700	76	40	...		...		
Jessore ...	1,872,000	1,191,000	*Autumn* rice	371,900	381,100	326,000	73	75	...	...	...	1st week of May.	The weather has been fair and the condition of crops is good except at Magora and Ghemidah, where the young plants were damaged by the heavy rainfof June. Sowings were late for want of rain.
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	18,000	23,400	20,000	63	60	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	28,300	27,700	20,800	65	60	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	9,200	9,500	10,000	63	60	...	...			
			Total ...	429,000	441,700	378,300	72	73			...		

District.	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Names of bhadoi crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified bhadoi crop, in acres.	Approximate area last year (1907) under each specified bhadoi crop, in acres.	Estimated area this year (1908) under each specified bhadoi crop, in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908)?	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified bhadoi crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Bhutias	3,049,616	879,680	Autumn rice	45,500	43,000	29,400	68	97	130,766	1903-1904 to 1907-1908.	50 5 2	10th May	The weather was seasonable and the general condition of the crops good. The date of sowing was normal this year. Owing to the fall in the price of jute and increase in the price of rice, the cultivators have sown more lands with paddy.	
			Other bhadoi cereals and bhadoi pulses.	1,000	900	1,000	63	100						
			Other bhadoi food-crops (e.g., vegetables).	4,700	4,100	4,100	68	100						
			Total	51,500	48,000	34,440	68	97	130,766					

Patna	...	1,929,900	1,062,100	*Autumn* rice	14,200	11,800	11,500	48	25			7,243	
				Jowar	15,500	11,500	12,000	40	42			183	
				Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	63,900	63,400	78,600	64	39			341	
				Indian-corn (maize)	116,900	116,900	126,400	45	39			5,139	
				Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	17,400	16,100	17,400	50	43	79,164	1900-01	15,771	Middle of June.
				Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	8,800	7,600	7,700	60	38			141	
				Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	8,900	8,500	8,000	70	46			794	
				Total ...	239,500	234,600	259,900	51	38	79,164	...	29,642	
Gaya	...	3,018,600	2,119,100	*Autumn* rice	13,000	9,900	13,700	75	72			...	
				Jowar	20,500	16,700	16,000	70	74			1,671	
				Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	76,200	68,500	58,300	70	74		1893 to	7,631	
				Indian-corn (maize) ...	65,900	59,900	63,400	70	70		1895	6,632	
				Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	24,100	23,000	23,400	60	74	517,900	and 1900 to	94,189	1st week of July.
				Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,300	3,000	4,100	70	75		1902	419	
				Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,300	1,200	1,400	70	74		1907 to 1908.	122	
				Total ...	209,100	181,400	183,700	70	76	517,900	...	110,664	
Shahabad	...	2,500,800	1,843,200	*Autumn* rice	49,200	49,200	37,000	70	69				
				Jowar	8,100	8,100	6,100	90	65				
				Bajra	8,800	8,800	6,500	90	70				
				Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	28,400	28,400	22,000	75	70				
				Indian-corn (maize) ...	38,400	38,400	37,500	75	60	...	...	...	2nd July...
				Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	28,000	28,000	21,000	75	65				
				Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	9,400	9,400	8,300	75	40				
				Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	2,200	2,200	1,200	75	65				
				Total ...	172,500	172,500	139,600	75	62	...	...	...	

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									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Saran	1,711,296	1,357,200	Autumn rice	66,400	61,600	58,100	68	86	1,633,435	1893 to 1901	66,324	1st June	In the Siwan and Gopalganj Subdivisions, the weather and general condition of the crop is favourable. The date of sowing was normal. In the Sadar subdivision, the crop has suffered for want of timely rain. The date of sowing was late.	
			Jowar	5,000	3,400	4,300	77	80			...			
			Bajra	2,800	2,200	2,200	79	53			...			
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	40,200	40,200	39,000	75	65			40,292			
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	213,800	207,900	205,000	78	67			214,240			
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	65,000	168,000	66,000	85	65			...			
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	21,800	13,500	12,000	70	60			...			
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	18,200	700	700	70	65			...			
			Total	412,300	436,000	388,000	73	60	1,633,435		313,330			
Champaran ...	2,239,840	1,447,000	Autumn rice	223,000	236,500	227,500	89	70	2,079,815	1892 to 1899	356,071	End of May and beginning of June.	In some places, sowings were late for want of rain. For want of timely rain, a smaller area has been sown with *bhadoi* crops this year. Crops have suffered to some extent for want of rain but prospects have improved since August. The general condition of the crops has been fair.	
			Jowar	6,000	5,800	1,500	83	50			...			
			Bajra	4,000	4,000	2,000	81	75			17,365			
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	18,000	17,000	16,700	88	75			117,808			
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	120,000	123,500	120,000	77	75			...			
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	135,000	136,000	134,000	91	75			...			
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,000	1,000	1,000	90	80			...			
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,000	1,000	1,000	92	80						
			Total ...	508,000	524,000	504,000	84	73	2,079,815		391,924			

Muzaffarpur ...	1,942,400	1,427,900	*Autumn* rice	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,942,400	1902-03 to 1907-08.	[illegible]	Last week of May.	The date of sowing was normal. In some place, sowings were late sowing to want of timely rain. The crops are suffering for want of moisture in the Sitamarhi Subdivision and in parts of the Sadar Subdivision. If good rain falls in a week or ten days prospects will improve.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	82,400	82,900	82,100	76	37			82,400		
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	163,800	170,600	170,100	80	51			163,800		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	128,600	128,600	128,600	80	42			128,600		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	8,300	8,300	8,300	82	42			8,300		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops	15,200	15,200	15,200	76	40			15,200		
			Total ...	507,300	513,700	464,100	83	41	1,942,400		507,300		
Darbhanga ...	2,142,690	1,678,600	*Autumn* rice	80,800	82,100	83,000	100	39		1896 to 1903.	80,800	June and July.	The weather has been unfavourable and the general condition of crops is not good. The date of sowing was normal. This estimate is liable to revision as much depends on the rainfall which may be received in September.
			Jowar	10,700	3,500	3,200	100	62			10,700		
			Bajra	500	500	...	100	...			500		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	221,200	216,200	158,000	100	55			221,200		
			Indian-corn (maize)	87,100	111,700	132,000	100	67			87,100		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	9,000	22,400	30,000	100	50			9,000		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	...	3,400	5,500	100	57			...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	500	11,900	13,900	100	63			500		
			Total ...	409,800	457,900	440,100	100	55	2,142,690		409,800		
Monghyr ...	2,510,000	1,862,500	*Autumn* rice	19,400	18,500	8,500	66	40		1900 to 1904.	328,535	June and July.	The weather has not been favourable for the crops. Cessation of rain in the month of August has caused much damage to standing crops. The date of sowing this year was late in the Begusarai Subdivision but normal in other places.
			Jowar	1,400	6,900	6,400	70	40					
			Bajra	...	...	100	...	72					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	42,600	44,300	17,900	73	29					
			Indian-corn (maize)	221,900	251,300	211,200	74	49	985,532				
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	13,400	15,100	13,000	75	52					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	6,200	19,800	20,100	73	46					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	47,600	30,700	28,500	65	44					
			Total ...	357,100	387,000	306,000	73	47	985,532		328,535		

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									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
									Acres.		Acres.			
Bhagalpur ...	2,704,640	2,073,760	*Autumn* rice	278,300	274,300	22,000	92	53			137,961			
			Jowar	22,000	22,000	22,000	20	75			856			
			Mandua, *marua* or ragi ...	130,800	128,800	100,000	88	48			135,119			
			Indian-corn (maize)	173,200	170,200	170,000	96	56		1902	16,833			
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	21,100	21,100	21,100	90	44	888,301	to 1904	16,354	May to June.	The crops have suffered seriously owing to want of rain and the outturn would have been less had it not been for the good crops obtained from the lands where the *kosi* flood waters have reached. In the rest of the Supaul and Madhipur thanas, not more than a one-anna crop is likely to be reaped. Deficient rain has materially affected the outturn as well as reduced the area sown with autumn rice.	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,100	2,100	2,100	98	50			1,063			
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	26,600	26,600	26,600	98	50			1,586			
			Total ...	654,100	650,100	363,800	92	54	888,301		309,165			
Purnea ...	3,196,125	1,654,400	*Autumn* rice	516,500	438,500	515,000	98	48						
			Jowar	100	100	...	50	...						
			Mandua, *marua* or ragi ...	4,400	4,000	2,600	61	62						
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	6,000	5,000	4,200	85	74						
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	4,300	3,000	2,500	90	72	2,506,346	1904 to 1906.	Not known.	May	Owing to the fall in the price of jute last year an increased area has been sown with bhadoi paddy. The low outturn is due to want of rain.	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	28,900	28,400	21,500	100	76						
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops...	300	300	...	100	...						
			Total ...	560,600	479,700	546,700	97	45	2,506,346		...			

Darjeeling	744,400	193,500	*Autumn rice* ...	7,400	6,300	6,500	72	77			...	July ...	The weather was favourable and the general condition of the crops is good.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	5,300	5,000	5,300	72	81			3,900	June.	
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	41,300	41,200	41,200	71	81			37,775	March and April.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	2,200	2,200	2,200	75	81	261,542	1897 and 1903.	...	March.	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	5,200	5,200	4,500	75	81			...	March	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	2,200	2,200	2,400	65	68			...		
			Total ...	63,100	61,500	61,100	72	80	261,542		41,675		
Santhal Parganas.	3,500,900	1,565,500	*Autumn* rice	338,600	320,000	328,900	78	78			41,951	10th April to 15th June.	Crops were damaged by heavy rain at the time of sowing and drought during the past month. The date of sowing was late.
			Juwar	48,700	47,200	46,900	69	73			24,785	Middle of May.	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	19,500	20,700	20,900	58	67			163,702	June and July.	
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	171,400	159,800	163,700	62	70			...		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	115,300	114,500	114,300	75	76	3,272,000	1894 to 1903.			
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	6,400	6,400	6,400	53	78					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	48,400	50,300	48,000	61	71			...		
			Total ...	744,300	719,000	729,500	69	72	3,272,000		230,538		
Cuttack	2,339,600	1,223,500	*Autumn* rice	163,100	165,600	167,300	65	71			175,998		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	92,100	92,100	91,400	58	65			30,674		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	3,300	3,300	3,100	43	74	2,098,437	1889 to 1895 & 1901.	...	Last week of May.	The weather was favourable but in some places the *bhadoi* paddy crop has been damaged by insect pests. The general condition of the crops is fair, but in some places they are under water. The date of sowing was normal this year.
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables)	6,000	5,800	6,000	74	80			...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	5,500	4,200	5,300	70	74					
			Total	199,000	199,600	199,000	64	71	2,098,437		165,979		
Balasore	1,934,300	932,300	*Autumn* rice	11,000	11,000	11,000	50	100	1,095,778	1891-92 to 1894-95.	9,120	First week of May.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	2,000	2,000	2,000					1,800		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,100	1,100	1,100					800		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	3,200	3,300	3,300					1,080		
			Total	17,300	17,300	17,300	50	100	1,095,778		12,700		

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	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Names of *Bhadoi* cr	Approximate normal area under each specified *Bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Approximate area last year (1907) under each specified *Bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Estimated area this year (1908) under each specified *Bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908).	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified *Bhadoi* crop during the cadastral	Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks the Department Agriculture, Bengal
Angul	175,840		*Autumn* rice ...	19,400	16,800	6,500	62	75	Acres.		Acres.		The sowing was late owing to scanty rain.	*Bhadoi* crops suffered to excessive
			Mandua, *marua* or ragi	[illegible]	2,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	75						
			Indian-corn (maize)	[illegible]	8,000	4,000	63	40						
			Other *Bhadoi* cereals and pulses.	[illegible]	13,500	8,000	60	75	...		..			
			Other *Bhadoi* food-crops (vegetables).	1,[illegible]	1,176	1,100	63	75						
			Other *Bhadoi* non-food-	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,100	66	75						
			To	32,[illegible]	43,[illegible]	[illegible]	62	71						
Puri ...	359,100		*Autumn* rice ...	500	24,300	3	58	74			29			
			Mandua, *marua* or ragi	24,[illegible]	4,[illegible]	[illegible]	62	84			13	the une	The weather was favourable, the general condition of the crops good. The date of sowing this year was normal.	ing favourable condition
			Indian-corn (maize)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	75	[illegible]						
			Other *Bhadoi* cereals and *Bhadoi* pulses.	1,500	1,500	[illegible]	63	[illegible]		1888 to 1892.	[illegible]			
			Other *Bhadoi* food-crops (vegetables).	3,[illegible]0	3,700	3	70	83			3			
			Other *Bhadoi* non-food-c	2,100	1,100	3	71	81						
			To	97,000	[illegible],000	45	61	79	449,3[illegible]		74			
Sambalpur	433,280		*Autumn* rice ...	406,700	300	22	68	1[illegible]			83,483	11	he areas in Column 6 in previous forecasts were only estimates but they have since been checked. The figures in Column 10 have been revised according to Settlement figures. The date of sowing this year was normal. The present prospects of the crops seem to be good. The season has been favourable.	
			Jowar ...	700	500		60	80			162	2		
			Mandua, *marua* or ragi	600	400		60	80			278	2		
			Indian-corn (maize)	1,[illegible]	900		60	80			734	5		
			Other *Bhadoi* cereals and pulses.	32,500	500		50	105	447,3[illegible]	1884 to 1887 and 1891 to 1897	11,140	12		
			Other *Bhadoi* food-crops (vegetables).		200		60	105			,094	2		
			Other *Bhadoi* non-food-c		800		75	145			[illegible]4	1		
			To		[illegible]00	[illegible]			34		785			

...arita	698,440	1,703,000	*Autumn* rice	200	3,300	38,600	55	91				The weather has been favourable. The general condition of the crops is good. The date of sowing was normal.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	900	2,900	118,800	56	98				
			Indian-corn (maize)	200	3,200	198,200	50	83				
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhad* pulses.	900	5,400	108,300	60	83				
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (e vegetables).	1,300	1,300	13,500	100	91				
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops	75,100	5,100	78,000	100	89				
			Total	587,400	7,400	575,000	58	83	...	...		
...chi	4,561,200	1,500,000	*Autumn* rice	97,300	7,500	97,800	64	100				The state of the crops is good owing to favourable rain. The date of sowing has been normal.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	31,...	1,700	31,700	55	100				
			Indian-corn (maize)		4,000	4,000	70	100	The district is being cadastrally surveyed.		By the middle of June.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhad* pulses.		1,700	61,700	50	100				
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (e vegetables).		1,000	1,000	50	100				
			Total	...	195,700	195,700	58	100	...	...		
...lmau	146,900	927,000	*Autumn* rice	1,100	26,000	28,000	37	95				The date of sowing of the crops has been normal. The weather has been favourable and the condition of crops is good.
			Jowar	600	600	1,200	35	80			187	
			Bajra	300	800	...	31	...			...	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	700	18,000	14,000	37	95			1,680	
			Indian-corn (maize)	1,...	36,000	36,000	40	90	187,520	1898 to 1897.	4,851	20th June
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhad* pulses.	900	44,000	44,000	35	90			...	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (e vegetables).		2,800	1,000	34	95				
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops		200	2,700	25	98			...	
			Total	...	121,700	121,700	37	91	187,520		6,636	
	674,000	1,419,200	*Autumn* rice	300	125,000	171,000	70	90				The weather has been favourable, and the general condition of the crops is good. The date of sowing was normal. The figures submitted are based on those furnished by the police and are of doubtful accuracy with the exception of Indian corn which has suffered to a certain extent from excessive rainfall. The outturn of other crops generally may be put at 90 per cent. For *makai* 75 per cent. may be taken as approximately accurate.
			Jowar	400	5,600	5,500	69	80				
			Bajra	100	6,100	5,800	45	70				
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	20,000	17,200	19,000	51	80				
			Indian-corn (maize)	90,800	64,100	75,500	62	85	Not cadastrally surveyed.		Third week of June.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhad* pulses.	107,000	93,100	94,000	57	70				
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (e vegetables).	22,...	19,100	20,000	63	70				
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops	15,...	11,000	10,000	66	70				
			Total	438,...	341,200	401,400	66	77	...			

DISTRICT.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area in the district estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Approximate area last year (1907) under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Estimated area this year (1908) under each specified *bhadoi* crop, in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908)?	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or relate.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area *found* under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral surveys			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
									Acres.		Acres.			
Singhbhum ...	2,490,240	840,700	*Autumn* rice	243,000	262,400	263,000	68	100			...			
			Jowar	10,200	8,200	9,000	84	100			12,543			
			Bajra	7,700	6,200	6,700	71	100						
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	15,000	15,700	14,200	73	100			6,572			
			Indian-corn (maize)	31,000	35,400	31,000	76	100			19,272			
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	40,000	27,900	38,000	96	100	1,761,994	1895 to 1897 and 1900 to 1903.	26,154	15th to 30th June.	The weather has been favourable. The general condition of the crops is good. The date of sowing was normal this year.	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,500	4,100	1,000	98	100			...			
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,500	2,800	1,400	91	100			...			
			Total ...	370,000	362,700	364,300	78	100	1,761,994		64,541			
Bengal ...	74,081,882	39,972,000	*Autumn* rice	4,546,700	4,434,100	4,181,400	73	70						
			Jowar	150,300	142,200	134,600	74	71						
			Bajra	39,600	34,000	29,400	68	74						
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	992,400	958,000	921,800	73	72						
			Indian-corn (maize)	1,382,700	1,320,000	1,226,300	74	68						
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,192,200	1,246,000	1,121,500	68	74						
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	237,700	225,700	233,100	71	68						
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	427,800	388,000	375,700	76	73						
			Total ...	9,462,900	9,241,000	8,784,900	73	68						

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 28th September 1908.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	0·37	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Kalna nil, at Katwa 0·02 and at Raniganj 3·58 inches. Rain needed generally. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and of jute continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of standing crops good.
2	BIRBHUM ...	1·57	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Rampur Hât 0·14 inch. Prospects of paddy fair. Rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Rampur Hât. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	1·35	8	7¾	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Vishnupur 2·51 inches. Harvesting of *aus* paddy going on. Prospects of winter rice good. Persons gratuitously relieved—217 men, 668 women and 203 children—total 1,088. People attending six test-works—712 men, 259 women and 20 children—total 991—on the 25th September. Relief operations finally closed on that day. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE	1·83	6	6	Rainfall at Contai 1·69, at Tamluk 1·44 and at Ghatal 0·37 inch. Condition and prospects of winter rice good. Steeping of jute going on. Prospects of autumn rice and *bhadoi til* fair. Scarcity apprehended at Contai. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Contai and Ghatal, and at 7½ seers at Tamluk.
5	HOOGHLY ...	1·18	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall in the district general. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Prices of food-grains stationary. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of winter paddy and sugarcane fair. Steeping of jute continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	0·79	6½	6½	Weather unsettled. Rainfall at Ulubaria 0·74 inch. More rain wanted for standing crops. Prospects of winter rice fairly good but of jute bad. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute begun. Fodder and water supply sufficient. No cattle-disease.
7	24-PARGANAS	1·10	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall sufficient everywhere. Condition of jute fair. Common rice selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Barasat, at 6½ seers at Basirhat Barrackpore and at 7½ seers at Diamond Harbour.
8	NADIA ...	0·77	8½	8½	Rainfall at Ranaghat 0·31, Meherpur 0·19, Chuadanga 0·50 and Kushtia 0·90 inches. Harvesting of *aus* paddy nearly finished; that of jute continuing. Prospects of jute and *aus* paddy fair, and that of *aman* paddy good. Sowings of *rabi* crops commenced. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. No further apprehension of famine. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Some test-works still open. Wheat not reported.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
9	Murshidabad	0·07	7	7	Weather hot with occasional light showers. Rainfall at Lalbagh 0·15, at Kandi 0·75 inch and at Jangipur nil. More rain wanted in the Kandi and Jangipur subdivisions. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy over except in the Jangipur subdivision. Prospects of *aman* paddy good. Condition of jute and sugarcane fair except in the Kandi subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	Jessore ...	0·81	9	8½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Jhenidah 0·12, at Magura 0·21, at Narail 0·02 and at Bangaon 0·26 inches. Rainfall general. More rain urgently wanted for *aman* crops. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute going on. Prospects of jute not favourable. Jute being steeped in Bangaon. No cattle-disease Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock good. 731 persons given gratuitous relief.
11	Khulna ...	0·93	8	8½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bagirhat 0·22 and at Satkhira 1·21 inches. Rainfall general. Prices of staple food-crops almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Transplantation of *aman* paddy still continuing. More rain urgently wanted. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops fair. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	Patna ...	0·83	7½ 12½*	7½ 12*	Weather hot and sometimes cloudy. Some good done to paddy by recent rain. Heavy showers still wanted. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Sugarcane doing well. Lands being prepared for *rabi* sowing. Prices almost stationary. Food-stocks being supplemented by imports from outside. No cattle-disease. Supply of fodder and water sufficient.
13	Gaya ...	0·32	8½† 12½*	7½† 11*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Rainfall at Jahanabad 1·37 inches. Scanty rain in the Sadar and Aurangabad subdivisions Rainfall at Nawadah nil. Sugarcane doing well. Condition of *aghani* paddy on irrigated areas good; that on high lands on unirrigated areas suffering from want of rain. Much good done by recent rain at Jahanabad. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops almost finished. Prices fallen at Sadar and risen at Aurangabad; almost stationary elsewhere. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. No cattle-disease.
14	Shahabad ...	0·84	8 11*	8½ 10½*	Rainfall at Buxar 0·93 and at Dehri 0·52 inches. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops finished. Sugarcane doing well. Rain urgently wanted for standing crops. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under the normal, but sufficient if not exported. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	Saran ...	1·28	8 13*	8½ 12½*	Weather hot. Rainfall at Siwan 0·65 inch. Rain wanted for paddy. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Price of maize fallen, but of rice stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock good. Cattle-disease reported from one village. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	8¼ 12½*	7¼ 11½*	Weather hot and cloudy. Rainfall at Bettiah 0·09 inch. Harvesting of maize and early rice and ploughing for *rabi* crops going on. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Jute being cut.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·86	8 11½*	8 11½*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Rainfall at Hajipur 1·00 and at Sitamarhi 0·04 inch. Harvesting of *makai* and *marua* continuing. Heavy rain urgently wanted for transplanted paddy. Common rice and *makai* selling at 7½ and 12½ seers per rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and at 7⅛ and 12 seers a rupee respectively, at Hajipur. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·52	8† 11*	7½ 11*	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Little rain during the week except in the Mahiuddin Nagar thana of the Samastipur subdivision where a good shower was received. Hathiya rains urgently wanted everywhere for the standing paddy and for *rabi* cultivation. *Bhadoi* crops being harvested at places. Outturn poor. Condition of agricultural stock sufficient. Fodder and water available. Five test-works recently started in Rosera thana. Persons attending these works on the 26th instant—men 246, women 489 and children 39—total 774.
19	MONGHYR ...	0·31	6¼ 12*	6¼ 12*	Weather very hot but cooler during the last two days of the week. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops going on. Paddy suffering for want of rain. Scarcity apprehended Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Cattle-disease reported from the Jamui subdivision. Condition of agricultural stock generally fair. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·49	7½ 12½*	8⅛* 12½*	Weather cloudy. Rainfall at Banka 1·85, at Madhipura nil and at Supaul 0·14 inches. More rain wanted throughout the district. Transplantation of paddy finished in Banka, where rain fell last week. *Kurthi* and *kalai* very extensively sown. Jute and sugarcane doing well. In the case of the failure of the *hathiya* rain scarcity apprehended soon. Prices almost stationary.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather hot. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and of jute continuing. Prospects of jute fair. Want of good showers badly felt for the paddy crops. Stocks of food-grains and agricultural stock adequate. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Kadwa, Raniganj and Forbesganj thanas. Common rice selling at 6½ and 8 seers per rupee at Kishanganj and Araria, respectively.

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*Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
22	DARJEELING ...	Inches. 0·14	7 13*	7 11*	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Siliguri 3·53 inches. Hills—Maize and potatoes being harvested. *Chota marua* and *bhadoi* paddy being harvested. Winter rice and *bara marua* growing well. Terai—Transplantation of winter rice finished. Harvesting of jute and *bhadoi* paddy going on. Condition of jute not very favourable. Prospects of standing crops fair. Stocks of food-grains sufficient at present. Agricultural stock in good condition.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	Nil	8¾† 16¼*	8¼† 16*	Rainfall at Deoghur 4·61, Godda 0·25, Jamtara 0·54, Pakour 0·10 and Rajmahal 0·06 inches. More rain wanted in Godda and Rajmahal, where crops are suffering from drought. Prospects everywhere favourable. Jute being steeped. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Loans being given to poorer cultivators. Fodder and water sufficient. Burma rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Deoghur and Jamtara.
24	CUTTACK ...	0·38	7½	7½	Rainfall general. *Bidi* paddy, *mandia* and jute being harvested. *Sarad* paddy, sugarcane and cotton growing well. Condition of cattle generally good. Fodder and water sufficient. 478 men, 1,215 women, and 2,507 children—total 4,230—given gratuitous relief on the last day of the week. No test-work.
25	BALASORE ...	1·11	8¼	8	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bhadrak 0·92 inch. Transplanting and weeding of *sarad* paddy and harvesting of *bidi* paddy and jute continuing. Prospects of jute fair. Sugarcane and vegetables thriving. Winter rice entirely destroyed by floods in some parts of thanas Dhamnagar, Chandbali and Baliapal, over 150 square miles. On high lands in Bhadrak, damage done varying from 25 to 75 per cent. Scarcity existing in some places of Basudebpur, Dhamnagar, Chandbali, Bhadrak, Baliapal, Basta and Jellasore thanas. Stocks of food-grains insufficient. Fodder and water sufficient except in flood-affected areas of Chandbali and Dhamnagar thanas. Common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Bhadrak. 450 men, 2,847 women and 3,925 children—total 7,217—at Bhadrak, and 82 men, 173 women and 524 children—total 1,079 at Sadar receiving gratuitous relief. Test-works closed.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	6	6	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Pallahani 3·62 inches. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and *mandia* and sowing of *rabi* crops continuing. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Cheapest rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee in the Khondmals. Persons on gratuitous relief—83 men, 172 women and 542 children—total 797—in Angul, and 102 men, 119 women and 48 children—total 269—in the Khondmals. Persons on test-works—122 men, 54 women and 69 children—total 535—in Angul, and 874 men, 119 women and 159 children—total 1,152—in Khondmals.
	PURI ..	2·10	6 1/16	6 1/16	Rainfall at Khurda 4·78 inches. *Sarad* paddy doing well. *Bidi* paddy and *mandia* being harvested. Sugarcane and *arhar* growing well. Persons attending test-works—173 men, 77 women and 172 children—total 422. Recipients of gratuitous relief—518 men, 2,061 women and 1,528 children—total 4,107. Owing to *Dia* river floods gratuitous relief largely extended there.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	1·17	10	10	Weather occasionally cloudy. Weeding of winter rice reaping of autumn rice and sowing of *mung* and *kurthi* in progress. Condition of sugarcane and autumn rice good; and of cotton fair. Stocks of food-grains and fodder and water-supply sufficient. Rinderpest in Bargarh tahsil. No apprehension of famine or scarcity. Cheapest rice selling at 11½ seers per rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	1·02	9* 13†	9* 13†	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing very well. Fields being ploughed in places for winter crops. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice selling at 7 to 8 seers and maize 9½ to 12 seers per rupee in the interior. Materials for final report on relief operations being arranged.
30	RANCHI ...	1·28	8‡	7¾	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Harvesting of *gora* paddy continuing. Cattle-disease reported from three thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 6¾ seers per rupee at Sadar. Persons on test-works—men 215, women 203 and children 131—total 549. On gratuitous relief in undeclared area—men 25, women 193 and children 8—total 226. Persons on famine relief-works in declared area nil, but on gratuitous relief in declared area—men 372, women 1,124 and children 277—total 1,773. Relief of all kinds now closed.
31	PALAMAU ...	0·28	7½	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops continuing. Fields for *rabi* crops being prepared. Rain wanted for paddy in several areas. Local grain stock insufficient, but imports by rail decreasing rapidly. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANBHUM ...	3·92	8	8	Weather rather wet for the season. Rainfall at Gobindpur 0·56 inches. State of standing crops good. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Nirsa thana. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Prices of staple food-grains practically stationary. Common rice selling at 7 seers a rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate. Demand for labour good.
33	SINGHBHUM	2·74		6	Weather hot and occasionally cloudy. Harvesting of *gora* and *aus* paddy continuing. Outturn of harvest good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Rice selling at 7 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and at 7½ seers at Seraikella.
4	COOCH BEHAR	0·02	·11	6½	Weather cloudy. Transplantation of *hamantik* paddy and cutting, steeping and washing of jute continuing. Prospects of jute fair. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.

* Coarse rice.
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‡ Gora rice.